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1956.

(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 19 JUNE, 1956.

No. 1.

WAYS AND MEANS (*Stamp Duties (Amendment) Bill*):—

Message from the Governor read.

Mr. W. McC. Gollan moved,—

That towards raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty there shall be charged, levied, collected and paid pursuant to the provisions of the Stamp Duties Act, 1920-1956, and the regulations thereunder, and subject to the exemptions in that Act contained for the use of Her Majesty, to form part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, for and in respect of the instruments hereinafter mentioned, duties at the several rates and of the several amounts hereinafter specified.

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Question put.

Committee divided.

AYES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sciffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Manix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. Green	Mr. Renshaw	

NOES, 34.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Murden
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Pelly
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Robison
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Storey
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Treath
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Deane	Mr. Lawrence	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Black
Mr. Easter	Mr. McCaw	Dr. Parr
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Gollan, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress: also that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

I. P. K. VIDLER,
Acting Clerk Assistant.

1956.

(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 2.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 11 JULY, 1956.

No. 1.

HUNTER VALLEY FLOOD MITIGATION BILL:—

Clause 1 having been dealt with,—

Clause 2. (1) In this Act, unless the context or subject matter otherwise indicates or requires— **Interpre-**
tation.

* * * * *

“Lower river” means those parts of the River which flow through those portions of the Hunter Valley in respect of which the Minister for Public Works is the Constructing Authority.

* * * * *

[Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Chaffey*) to leave out from line 7 the words “those parts of the River which flow through”.

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

Committee divided.

Mr. Freeman in the Chair.

AYES, 44.

Mr. Booth
Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Entieknapp
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Fowles
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green

Mr. Hawkins
Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills
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Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Robertson

Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt
Tellers,
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Powell

NOES, 34.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Black
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Clough
Mr. Cross
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Ellis
Mr. Fitzgerald

Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Gamaek
Mr. Griffith
Mr. Hearnshaw
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Lawson
Mr. Morton
Mr. Murden
Mr. Padman
Dr. Parr

Mr. Purdue
Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Mr. Willis
Tellers,
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Lawrence

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

And it being 10.15 p.m., Mr. Freeman, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report progress.

THURSDAY, 12 JULY, 1956.

No. 2.

Same Bill:—

Clauses 2 to 7 having been dealt with,—

Construc-
tion and
use of levee
banks, etc.,
in respect
of lower
river.

Clause 8. (1) * * * * *
(2) * * * * *

(3) (a) The Constructing Authority may by notice in writing direct the owner or occupier of any land on which there is any levee bank, or any pump or other machinery or appliance, pipe, flume, race, channel, cutting, excavation, sewer or other work of a like nature connected in any way with the waters of the lower river, constructed or erected before the commencement of this Act, to make such modification of such work and within such time as may be specified in the notice.

Such owner or occupier shall comply with such notice accordingly.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Chaffey*) to insert in line 14 after the word "accordingly" the words "and be entitled to compensation as provided by this Act".

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

Committee divided.

Mr. Freeman in the Chair.

AYES, 35.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Padman
Mr. Black	Mr. Gamack	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Purdue
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Deane	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	Mr. Chapman
Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Murden	Mr. Darby

NOES, 47.

Mr. Booth	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. McMahon
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	Mr. Sloss

Negatived.

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 3.

Same Bill:—

Clauses 9 and 10 having been dealt with,—

Pumps, etc.,
may be
relocated.

Clause 11. (1) * * * * *
(2) * * * * *

(3) Where pursuant to the provisions of subsection one of this section any pump or other machinery or appliance, pipe, flume, race, channel, cutting, excavation, sewer or other work of a like nature is removed and relocated, such removal and relocation shall be carried out in a proper and workmanlike manner and shall be so carried out that such pump or other machinery or appliance, pipe, flume, race, channel, cutting, excavation, sewer or other work may be operated in the same manner and to the same extent as before removal and relocation or as near thereto as circumstances will allow.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (Mr. Chaffey) to insert after line 65 "Provided that the owner shall be entitled to compensation for the extent to which farming operations are interfered with during the period of removal and relocation."

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

Committee divided.

AYES, 35.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Parr
Mr. Black	Mr. Gamaek	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hearnshaw	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Storey
Mr. Clough	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cross	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	Mr. Deane
Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Murden	Mr. Padman

NOES, 46.

Mr. Booth	Mr. Hills	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Landa	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Green	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Connor
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Powell	Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Renshaw	

Negatived.

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wetherell, Mr. Freeman, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report progress.

I. P. K. VIDLER,

Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 3.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 17 JULY, 1956.

No. 1.

HUNTER VALLEY FLOOD MITIGATION BILL:—

Clause 12 having been dealt with,—

Clause 13. (1) Where pursuant to the provisions of subsection two of section eight or of section twelve of this Act the permission of the Constructing Authority is necessary to the doing of any act, application for a permit shall be made in writing to the Constructing Authority and shall specify the land in respect of which the permit is desired and supply full particulars of the work proposed to be undertaken.

Provisions relating to permission of Constructing Authority to doing of acts.

(2) The Constructing Authority may, after such investigation as the Constructing Authority may deem necessary, refuse any permit applied for under this section or may grant the same unconditionally or subject to such limitations and conditions (including a condition limiting the time the permit shall remain in force) as the Constructing Authority may think fit.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (Mr. Chaffey) to insert after line 12 the following proviso:—

“Provided that, where an applicant is dissatisfied with the decision of the Constructing Authority, he may apply to have the matter referred to the Local Land Board for inquiry and report and he shall have a final right of appeal to the Land and Valuation Court.”

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

Committee divided.

Mr. Tully in the Chair.

AYES, 34.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Black
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Chapman
Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cross
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson

Mr. Easter
Mr. Ellis
Mr. Fitzgerald
Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Gamack
Mr. Griffith
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw

Mr. Morton
Mr. Murden
Mr. Padman
Mr. Pelly
Mr. Robinson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt

Tellers,

Mr. Deane
Mr. Jordan

NOES, 45.

Mr. Booth	Mr. Green	Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Earl	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Maher
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	Mr. Ryan
Mr. W. McG. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	

Proposed insertion of words negatived.

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 2.

Same Bill:—

Clauses 14 to 16 having been dealt with,—

**Assessment
Board.**

Clause 17. (1) For the purposes of this Act there shall be constituted a Board to be called the Assessment Board.

(2) The Assessment Board shall consist of four members who shall be appointed by the Governor.

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(8) The office of a member of the Assessment Board shall not for the purpose of the Constitution Act, 1902, or any Act amending that Act, be deemed to be an office or place of profit under the Crown.

[*Read.*]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Chaffey*) to leave out from line 3 the word "four" with a view of inserting the word "six".

Amendment ruled out of order by the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Freeman, as creating a change not contemplated by the Governor's Message.

Question again proposed, That the clause, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Chaffey*) to leave out from lines 6 to 8 subclause (8).

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

Committee divided.

Mr. Freeman in the Chair,

AYES, 45.

Mr. Booth	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Crook	Mr. McMahon	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Downing	Mr. Maher	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. W. McG. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Powell
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 30.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Murden
Mr. Black	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Padman
Mr. Brain	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Bruzner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Storey
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Chapman
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Cross
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	

Words stand.

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

And clauses 17 to 23 having been dealt with and clause 24 proposed,—

It being 10.15 p.m. the Temporary Chairman reported progress.

No. 3.

WEDNESDAY, 18 JULY, 1956.

Same Bill:—

Clauses 24 to 27 having been dealt with,—

Clause 28. (1) Where any privately owned levee bank is demolished, relocated, re-aligned, reduced in height or otherwise altered by the Constructing Authority no person shall except as in this section provided be entitled to claim or be paid any compensation in respect of any such demolition, relocation, re-alignment, reduction in height, or other alteration.

Removal,
relocation,
etc., of
levee
banks.

(2) Where, by reason of the demolition, relocation or re-alignment of a levee bank as referred to in subsection one of this section, any building which was formerly protected against flooding or inundation by such levee bank ceases to be so protected, the owner of such building shall be entitled to claim and be paid compensation:

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Chaffey*) to insert in line 9 after the word "building" the words "land, structure, crop, property or other thing on such land".

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

Committee divided.

Mr. Freeman in the Chair.

AYES, 32.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton
Mr. Black	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Murden
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Padman
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Deane	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Griffiths

NOES, 45.

Mr. Booth	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMahon	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Green	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	

*Proposed insertion of words negatived.**Amendment negatived.**Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And clauses 19 to 58 having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Wetherell, Mr. Fowles, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments.

I. P. K. VIDLER,

Clerk Assistant.

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1956.

(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 4.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 25 JULY, 1956.

No. 1.

TRANSPORT (DIVISION OF FUNCTIONS) COMMISSIONER FOR RAILWAYS BILL:—

Clause 1 having been dealt with,—

Clause 2. The Transport (Division of Functions) Act, 1932, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended by inserting at the end of subsection one of section seven the following proviso—

Provided that in the application of paragraph (b) of this subsection to and in respect of the Commissioner for Railways the said paragraph (b) shall be deemed to be amended by omitting therefrom the words "a period of seven years" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "such period, not exceeding seven years, as may be specified in the instrument of his appointment".

Amendment
of Act
No. 31,
1932,
sec. 7.
(Appoint-
ment of
Commis-
sioners.)

[Read.]

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

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided.

Mr. Fowles in the Chair.

AYES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Connor
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green
Mr. Hawkins
Mr. Heffron

Mr. Hills
Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. McGrath
Mr. Maher
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Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
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Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Robertson

Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt

Tellers,

Mr. McMahon
Mr. L. J. Tully

NOES, 36.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Brain	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Bruzner	Mr. Griffith	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Storey
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Willis
Mr. Deane	Mr. Lawrence	
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Lawson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Easter	Mr. McCaw	
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	Mr. Darby
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Murden	Mr. Pelly

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Cahill, Mr. Fowles, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment.

I. P. K. VIDLER,
Clerk Assistant.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 5.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 21 AUGUST, 1956.

No. 1.

FIRE BRIGADES (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

Clause 1 having been dealt with,—

Clause 2. (1) Upon a day to be appointed by the Governor and notified by proclamation published in the Gazette (which day is in this Act referred to as the "appointed day") the Board of Fire Commissioners of New South Wales shall be reconstituted and shall consist of five members who shall be appointed or elected in accordance with Part II of the Principal Act as amended by this section.

Reconstitution of Board of Fire Commissioners.

(5) (i) * * * *

(iv) by omitting subsection three of the same section and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsection:—

(3) (a) A person who is of or above the age of sixty-five years shall not be appointed as president of the board or elected as any other member of the board.

(b) The president and any other member of the board shall be deemed to have vacated his office on the day upon which he attains the age of sixty-five years.

(c) (i) by omitting subsections one, two and three of section nine and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsections:—

Sec. 9. (Election by municipalities and shires.)

(1) One member of the board shall be elected by the councils of the municipalities and shires to which or parts of which this Act, pursuant to subsection one of section four of this Act, applies.

* * * *

[Read.]

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

Motion made (Mr. Dickson) to leave out from line 4 the word "five" with a view of inserting the word "six".

Question put,—That the word proposed to be left out stand part of the clause...
Committee divided.

Mr. Freeman in the Chair.

AYES, 45.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crook	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. Mannix	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. O'Sullivan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Powell	Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Graham	Mr. Reushaw	Mr. McMahon
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson	

NOES, 36.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Black	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Brain	Mr. Gamack	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Storey
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Willis
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawrence	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Deane	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morton	Mr. Cutler
Mr. Easter	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Ellis	Dr. Parr	

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, again proposed.

And the clause having been otherwise amended,—

Clause, as amended, proposed.

Amendment (*Mr. Treatt*) to insert after line 15, page 1, the words "but shall be eligible for appointment for a further period not exceeding five years".
Ruled out of Order as being subversive of the principle of the Bill as read a second time.

Clause, as amended, again proposed.

And it being 10.15 p.m. the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Freeman, left the Chair to report Progress.

WEDNESDAY, 22 AUGUST, 1956.

No. 2.

Same Bill:—

Same clause.

Clause, as amended, again proposed.

And Mr. Treatt, wishing to move dissent from the Temporary Chairman's Ruling,—

The Temporary Chairman ruled that as Mr. Treatt did not so move "at once" after his ruling had been given last evening, he could not now accept that motion.

And Mr. Treatt desiring to move dissent the Temporary Chairman ruled that as the latter Ruling had been given in accordance with a Standing Order (No. 162) following the practice of the Committee he would not accept the motion.

Clause, as amended, again proposed.

Motion made (*Mr. Storey*) to insert in line 21, page 1, after the word "applies" the words "and at such election each member of such Council shall have one vote".

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

Committee divided.

Mr. Freeman in the Chair.

AYES, 36.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Padman
Mr. Black	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Ganack	Mr. Purdue
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Outler	Mr. Jordan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Deane	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Storcy
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Easter	Mr. Murden	

NOES, 44.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Coady	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Connor	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. O'Sullivan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Powell	Mr. Crook
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson	
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan	

Amendment negatived.

And the clause having been further amended, on motion of Mr. Kelly, the Temporary Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments.

L. P. K. VIDLER,
Clerk Assistant.

1. The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that proper record-keeping is essential for the integrity of the financial system and for the ability to detect and prevent fraud.

2. The second part of the document outlines the specific requirements for record-keeping, including the need to maintain original documents and to keep copies of all transactions. It also discusses the importance of ensuring that records are accessible and up-to-date.

3. The third part of the document discusses the role of the auditor in verifying the accuracy of the records. It emphasizes that the auditor must exercise due diligence and must be able to trace all transactions back to their source.

4. The fourth part of the document discusses the consequences of failing to maintain accurate records. It notes that this can lead to the loss of valuable information and can result in the imposition of penalties.

5. The fifth part of the document discusses the importance of training and education in ensuring that all personnel involved in the financial system are aware of their responsibilities and are equipped with the necessary skills to perform their duties effectively.

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(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 6.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 28 AUGUST, 1956.

No. 1.

GAMING AND BETTING (POKER MACHINES) BILL:—

Clauses 1 and 2 having been dealt with,—

Clause 3. The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1953, is further amended by inserting next after section fifty the following new Part:—

Further amendment of Act No. 25, 1912. New Part IIIA.

PART IIIA.

POKER MACHINES.

DIVISION 1.—*Preliminary.*

50A. In this Part of this Act unless the context or subject matter otherwise indicates or requires— Interpretation.

“Poker machine” means any machine instrument or device kept, used or operated, or intended or designed for use or operation, or capable of being used or operated for the purpose of gaming, and the use or operation of which depends upon the insertion in the machine, instrument or device of an Australian coin within the meaning of the Coinage Act 1909-1947 of the Parliament of the Commonwealth of Australia.

* * * * *

50E. (1) A club licensed under this Part of this Act shall within three months after the date from which the license and each renewal thereof takes effect pay to the Minister license tax upon each poker machine kept, used or operated by such club at the rate imposed thereon by the Gaming and Betting (Poker Machines) Taxation Act, 1956. Annual license taxes.

The license tax so payable shall be a debt due from such club to Her Majesty and shall be recoverable in any court of competent jurisdiction.

(2) All such license taxes shall be paid into an account in the Special Deposits Account established at the Treasury to be called the Gaming and Betting (Poker Machines) Account.

The balance to the credit of such Account shall, at intervals not exceeding three months, be transferred to the Hospital Fund under the Public Hospitals Act, 1929, as amended by subsequent Acts.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Morton*) to insert in line 12 after the word “coin” the words “not exceeding one shilling”.

Question proposed,—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted.

It being 10.15 p.m., Mr. Fowles, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report progress.

WEDNESDAY, 29 AUGUST, 1956.

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

Committee divided.

Mr. Fowles in the Chair.

AYES, 38.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Purdue
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Storey
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darby	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Black
Mr. Deane	Mr. Morton	Mr. Easter
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Padman	
Mr. Evatt	Dr. Parr	

NOES, 44.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Crook	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Downing	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Earl	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Hills
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Powell	Mr. Maher
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Green	Mr. J. H. Robson	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Ryan	

Negatived.

Amendment negatived.

No. 2.

Same Bill:—

Same Clause.

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

Motion made (*Mr. Morton*) to leave out all words from lines 15 to 27 (p. 1).

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

Committee divided.

Mr. Fowles in the Chair.

AYES, 45.

Mr. Booth	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Murphy	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Green	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Powell	

NOES, 36.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Ellis	Mr. Padman
Mr. Black	Mr. Evatt	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Pelly
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Griffith
Mr. Darby	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Storey
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Easter	Mr. Murden	

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

No. 3.

*Same Bill:—**Same Clause.*

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

Mr. Fowles in the Chair.

AYES, 45.

Mr. Booth
Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Connor
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green
Mr. Hawkins

Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills
Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Powell
Mr. Reushaw
Mr. J. H. Robson

Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt

Tellers,

Mr. McMahon
Mr. Maher

NOES, 35.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Black
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cross
Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Easter
Mr. Ellis
Mr. Evatt

Mr. Fitzgerald
Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Gamack
Mr. Griffith
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Jordan
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morton
Mr. Murden
Mr. Padman

Mr. Pelly
Mr. Robinson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Mr. Willis

Tellers,

Mr. Chapman
Mr. Cutler

Agreed to.

No. 4.

Same Bill:—

Motion made (*Mr. Morton*) to add after clause 3, new clause to stand as clause 4 as follows:—

"4. This Act shall continue in force for a period of five years from the date of commencement."

Question put,—That the new clause proposed to be added be so added.

Committee divided.

Mr. Fowles in the Chair.

AYES, 36.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Black
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Chapman
Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cross
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Easter

Mr. Ellis
Mr. Evatt
Mr. Fitzgerald
Mr. Gamack
Mr. Griffith
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Jordan
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morton
Mr. Murden

Mr. Padman
Mr. Parr
Mr. Robinson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Mr. Willis

Tellers,

Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Pelly

NOES, 45.

Mr. Booth
Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green
Mr. Hawkins
Mr. Heffron

Mr. Hills
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. McMahon
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Powell
Mr. Reushaw
Mr. J. H. Robson

Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt

Tellers,

Mr. Connor
Mr. Rex Jackson

Negatived.

No. 5.

Same Bill:—

Motion made (*Mr. Evatt*) to add after clause 3, new clause to stand as clause 4 as follows:—

“4. Nothing in this Act shall be construed as authorising the use or operation of poker machines on any Sunday or on Good Friday or on Christmas Day.”

Question put,—That the new clause proposed to be added be so added.

Committee divided.

Mr. Fowles in the Chair.

AYES, 38.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Black	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Brain	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Storey
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Clough	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Cross
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Padman
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Evatt	Dr. Parr	

NOES, 44.

Mr. Booth	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Coady	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crook	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Earl
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson	
Mr. Hills	Mr. Ryan	

Negatived.

On motion of Mr. Kelly, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Fowles, left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment.

No. 6.

WAYS AND MEANS (*Gaming and Betting (Poker Machines) Taxation Bill*):—

Resolution.

(2.) Resolved,—

(A) That towards raising the supply to be granted to Her Majesty, there shall be charged, levied, collected and paid, subject to the provisions of Part IIIA of the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1956, for the use of Her Majesty and for credit of the Gaming and Betting (Poker Machines) Account in the Special Deposits Account established at the Treasury a license tax upon each poker machine kept, used or operated by any club pursuant to any license or renewal of any license issued under the said Part IIIA at the rate specified in the Schedule hereto.

* * * * * [Read.]

Question put,—That the Resolution be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Mr. Fowles in the Chair.

AYES, 45.

Mr. Booth	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crook	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Downing	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Green	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Coady
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Powell	Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson	

NOES, 38.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Black	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Willis
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morton	Mr. Crawford
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Padman	
Mr. Fitzgerald	Dr. Parr	

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kelly, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Fowles, left the Chair to report progress; also that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

No. 7.

GAMING AND BETTING (POKER MACHINES) TAXATION BILL:—

Clauses 1 and 2 having been dealt with,—

Clause 3. (1) Subject to subsection two of this section where at the date upon which a license under Part IIIA of the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1956, is first issued to a club the membership of such club does not exceed two hundred and fifty the license tax which but for the provisions of this section would be payable shall where such club has been in existence for a period of less than three years immediately preceding that date, be reduced by one-half.

Reduction
of license
tax in
certain
cases.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Crawford*) to leave out from lines 26 to 28 the words “where such club has been in existence for a period of less than three years immediately preceding that date.”

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

Committee divided.

Mr. Fowles in the Chair.

AYES, 46.

Mr. Booth	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crook	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallan	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	

NOES, 38.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Evatt	Dr. Parr
Mr. Black	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Purdue
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Storey
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Ellis
Mr. Darby	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Deane	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Easter	Mr. Padman	

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kelly, the Temporary Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment.

I. P. K. VIDLER,
Clerk-Assistant.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 7.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS.

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER, 1956.

No. 1.

WAYS AND MEANS (*Financial Statement, 1956-1957*):—

That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the Services of the financial year 1956-57, there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund the sum of £3,087 as Supplement to the Schedules to the Constitution Act for the year 1956-57.

Upon which Mr. Morton had moved,—“That the Estimate be reduced by the sum of £1.”

Question again proposed,—That the Estimate be reduced by the sum of £1.
Committee divided.

Chairman in the Chair.

AYES, 28.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Chapman
Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cross
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Dickson

Mr. Ellis
Mr. Fitzgerald
Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Gamaack
Mr. Hearnshaw
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Lawrence
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morris

Mr. Morton
Dr. Parr
Mr. Robinson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Weiley

Tellers,
Mr. Griffith
Mr. Willis

NOES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green
Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills
Mr. Rex Jackson

Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. McMahon
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Purdue
Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Robertson

Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Sciffert
Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt

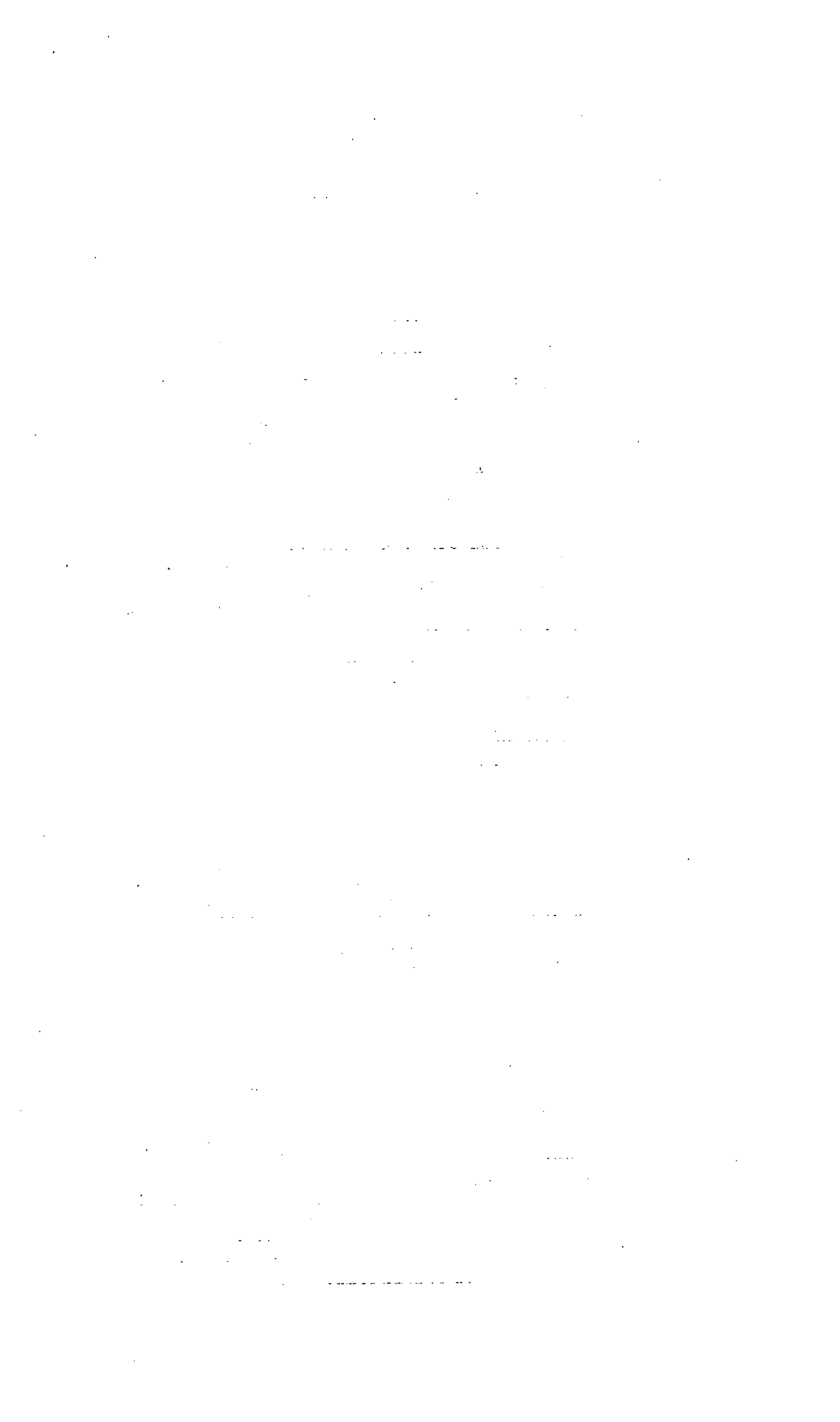
Tellers,
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Tonge

*Negatived.**Estimate agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Cahill, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress; also that the Committee had come to a Resolution (No. 4).

I. P. K. VIDLER,
Clerk Assistant.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 8.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 27 SEPTEMBER, 1956.

Parliamentary Allowances and Salaries Bill:—

Clause 1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Parliamentary Allowances and Salaries Act, 1956".

Short title
and com-
mencement.

(2) The Constitution Act, 1902, as amended by subsequent Acts, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

(3) This Act shall be deemed to have commenced on the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

[Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Evatt*) to leave out from lines five and six subclause (3).

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

The Chairman stated his opinion that the *Ayes* had it.

Whereupon Division called for; and the Chairman having, in accordance with Standing Order 213, directed members to take their seats to the right and left of the Chair respectively, declared the determination of the Committee to be in the *affirmative* as there were only two members in the minority who had challenged his decision.

The following being the names of the members in the minority, viz.: Mr. Evatt and Mr. Pelly.

Amendment negatived.

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

The Chairman stated his opinion that the *Ayes* had it.

Whereupon Division called for; and the Chairman having directed those members who disputed his determination to stand.

And there being only one member who had challenged his decision, the Chairman, in accordance with Standing Order No. 208(c) declared the determination of the Committee to be in the *affirmative*.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

And the remaining clauses having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Cahill, The Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment.

I. P. K. VIDLER,
Clerk Assistant.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 9.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 9 OCTOBER, 1956.

No. 1.

WAYS AND MEANS (*Stamp Duties (Further Amendment) Bill*):—

That towards raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty there shall be charged, levied, collected and paid pursuant to the provisions of the Stamp Duties Acts, 1920-1956, and the regulations thereunder, and subject to the exemptions in that Act contained, for the use of Her Majesty, to form part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, for and in respect of the instruments hereinafter mentioned, duties at the several rates and of the several amounts hereinafter specified.

* * * * *
Question put,—That the Resolution be agreed to.

Committee divided (Mr. Fowles in the Chair).

AYES, 44.

Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Connor
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green
Mr. Hawkins
Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills

Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. McMahon
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Powell
Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Robertson
Mr. Ryan

Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Tonge
Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt
Tellers,
Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Sloss

NOES, 32.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Deane
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Ellis
Mr. Fitzgerald
Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Gamack

Mr. Hearnshaw
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morris
Mr. Morton
Mr. Murden
Mr. Padman
Mr. Pelly

Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Tellers,
Mr. Cross
Mr. Griffith

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Cahill, Mr. Fowles, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report progress; also that the Committee had come to a Resolution (No. 13).

I. P. K. VIDLER,
Clerk Assistant.

1956.

(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 16 OCTOBER, 1956.

No. 1.

LAND TAX MANAGEMENT BILL:—

Clauses 1 and 2 having been dealt with,—

Clause 3. In this Act, unless the context or subject-matter otherwise indicates Definitions, or requires,—

* * * * *

“Public authority” means the Metropolitan Water Sewerage and Drainage Board, the Hunter District Water Board, the Broken Hill Water Board, the Maritime Services Board of New South Wales, the Electricity Commission of New South Wales, the Housing Commission of New South Wales, the Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission, the Metropolitan Meat Industry Board, the Commissioner for Railways, the Commissioner for Government Transport, the Commissioner for Motor Transport, the Commissioner for Main Roads, the Sydney Harbour Transport Board, the Grain Elevators Board of New South Wales, the Board of Fire Commissioners of New South Wales, the Public Trustee (other than in his representative capacity), the Government Insurance Office of New South Wales, the Rural Bank of New South Wales, the Milk Board, the Joint Coal Board, the State Mines Control Authority, the Local Government Superannuation Board, and any public body declared by the Governor by order published in the Gazette to be a public authority.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (Mr. McCaw) to leave out from lines 29 to 31 the words “the Government Insurance Office of New South Wales, the Rural Bank of New South Wales”.

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

Committee divided. (Mr. Tully in the Chair.)

AYES, 44.

Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Cahill
Mr. Coady
Mr. Conhor
Mr. Cfabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Evatt
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Fowles
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green

Mr. Hawkins
Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills
Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Powell

Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Robertson
Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt
Tellers,
Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Wattison

NOES, 35.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Ellis	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hunter	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Storey
Mr. Clough	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cross	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Morris	Mr. Hughes
Mr. Darby	Mr. Morton	Mr. Murden
Mr. Deane	Mr. Padman	
Mr. Dickson	Dr. Parr	
Mr. Easter	Mr. Pelly	

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 2.

SAME BILL:—

Clauses 4 to 8 having been dealt with,—

Taxable
value.

Clause 9. (1) Land tax shall be payable by the owner of land upon the taxable value of all the land owned by him and not exempt from taxation under this Act.

(2) The taxable value of all the land owned by a person is the total sum of the unimproved value of each parcel of the land, less the deduction, if any, prescribed by subsection three of this section.

(3) (a) Where all the land owned by a person is land used for primary production the deduction shall be—

(i) where the total unimproved value of the land does not exceed ten thousand pounds, an amount equal to such total unimproved value;

(ii) where the total unimproved value of the land exceeds ten thousand pounds but is less than fifteen thousand pounds, an amount equal to ten thousand pounds less two pounds for every one pound by which such total unimproved value exceeds ten thousand pounds.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. McCaw*) to leave out from line 30 the word “ten” with a view of inserting the word “fifteen”.

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

Committee divided. (*Mr. Tully* in the Chair.)

AYES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Crook
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	Mr. Sciffert
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	

NOES, 38.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Evatt	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Pelly
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cross	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darby	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Deane	Mr. Morris	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Easter	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Padman	

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

No. 3.

SAME BILL:—

Same Clause,—

Question again proposed,—That the clause, as read, stand part of the Bill.
 Motion made (*Mr. McCaw*) to leave out from lines 32 to 36, (p. 2) the words
 “(ii) where the total unimproved value of the land exceeds ten thousand pounds but is less than fifteen thousand pounds, an amount equal to ten thousand pounds less two pounds for every one pound by which such total unimproved value exceeds ten thousand pounds.”

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

Committee divided. (Mr. Tully in the Chair.)

AYES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Landa	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Downing	Mr. Maher	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Baticknapp	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. O'Sullivan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	Mr. Connor
Mr. Green	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 38.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Brain	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Bruzner	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chapman	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Clough	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cutler	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Deane	Mr. Morris	Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morton	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Easter	Mr. Murder	
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Padman	
Mr. Evatt	Dr. Parr	

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

Question again proposed,—That the clause, as read, stand part of the Bill.
 Motion made (*Lieut.-Col. Bruzner*) to insert after line 36 (page 2) the following new paragraph: “In addition to the general deductions provided for in this section, the Commissioner shall during and every year for which land tax becomes payable, grant a further deduction from the unimproved value in the circumstances and to the extent mentioned hereunder—

where land belonging to any one owner is being use bona fide for the purpose of breeding sheep which, in the opinion of the commissioner are stud sheep and has been so used for a period of five years immediately prior to this Act, a further deduction of £600 shall be allowed in respect of every 500 stud sheep carried on the land.

The deduction under this paragraph shall not exceed £4,800 in respect of any estate or parcel.”

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

Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

On motion of Mr. Cahill, clause postponed.

No. 4.

SAME BILL:—

Clause 10. (1) Except where otherwise expressly provided in this Act the following lands shall be exempt from taxation under this Act:—

(a)	*	*	*	*	*
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Land exempted from tax.
 cf. Act No. 22, 1910 (Commonwealth), s. 18.

(f) land owned or in trust for any association of employees registered as an organisation ~~of employees~~ under the Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904 (as amended by subsequent Acts) of the Parliament of the Commonwealth, or any trade union of employees; ~~or any association of persons or of incorporated companies registered under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, as an industrial union of employers;~~

* * * * *

(g) land owned by the Returned Sailors, Soldiers and Airmen's Imperial League of Australia (New South Wales Branch) and being the site of Anzac House.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

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

Motion made (Mr. Ellis) to insert in line 8 after the word "employers" the words "and land owned by any company in which shares representing not less than three fourths of the paid up capital thereof are held by or in trust for any such association or trade union".

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

Committee divided. (Mr. Tully in the Chair.)

AYES, 37.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Pelly
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	Tellers,
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morton	Mr. Crawford
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Murden	Mr. Morris
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Padman	

NOES, 44.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crook	Mr. Laidá	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Leo Nott	Tellers,
Mr. Freeman	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Maher
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Powell	Mr. Murphy
Mr. Graham	Mr. Richshaw	
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson	

Amendment negatived.

No. 5.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause.

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

Motion made (Mr. Griffith) to leave out from lines 10, 11 and 12 all words after the word "owned" on line 10 with a view of inserting the words "by any Society, Club, Association or body of ex-Servicemen and/or women, including the site of Anzac House".

Question put,—That the words to be left out stand part of the clause.

Committee divided. (Mr. Tully in the Chair.)

AYES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Cahill
Mr. Coady
Mr. Connor
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Fowles
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green

Mr. Hawkins
Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills
Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Robertson

Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt

Tellers,

Mr. Mallam
Mr. Powell

NOES, 36.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Chapman
Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Easter
Mr. Ellis
Mr. Fitzgerald

Mr. Griffith
Mr. Hearnshaw
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Jordan
Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morris
Mr. Morton
Mr. Murden
Mr. Padman

Mr. Pelly
Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Mr. Willis

Tellers,

Mr. Cross
Dr. Parr

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

No. 6.

SAME BILL:—

Same Clause.

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

Motion made (*Mr. Stephens*) to insert after line 12 (p. 4) new paragraph as follows "(p) land owned by any producer co-operative society registered under the Co-operation, Community Settlement and Credit Act, 1923, as amended by subsequent Acts".

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

Committee divided. (*Mr. Tully* in the Chair.)

AYES, 37.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Chapman
Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cross
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Darby
Mr. Deane
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Easter

Mr. Evatt
Mr. Fitzgerald
Mr. Griffith
Mr. Hearnshaw
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Jordan
Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morris
Mr. Padman

Dr. Parr
Mr. Pelly
Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Mr. Willis

Tellers,

Mr. Ellis
Mr. Murden

NOES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Cahill
Mr. Coady
Mr. Connor
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Earl
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Fowles
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green
Mr. Hawkins

Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills
Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. Powell
Mr. Renshaw

Mr. Robertson
Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt

Tellers,

Mr. Downing
Mr. T. V. Ryan

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 7.

SAME BILL:—

Clauses 11 to 27 having been dealt with,—

Clause 28. Where separate parcels of land are owned by different persons, and such parcels are occupied, controlled, or used by such persons in partnership, such persons shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be joint owners of such parcels, and to hold such parcels in such shares or proportions as the Commissioner may determine.

Separate
parcels
used for
partnership
purposes.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Committee divided. (Mr. Freeman in the Chair.)

AYES, 43.

Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Green	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson	Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson	

NOES, 38

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hearnshaw	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Storey
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Treant
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Willis
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Deane	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morris	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Padman	

Agreed to.

No. 8.

SAME BILL:—

Clauses 29 to 34 having been dealt with,—

PART V.

OBJECTIONS AND APPEALS.

Clause 35. (1) Any taxpayer who is dissatisfied with an assessment made by the Commissioner under this Act or with any alteration in or addition to any assessment may, within thirty days after service of the notice of assessment or of the alteration in or addition to an assessment, or within such further time as the Commissioner may allow, post to or lodge with the Commissioner an objection in writing against the assessment, alteration, or addition, stating fully and in detail the grounds on which he relies.

Appeal.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. McCaw*) to insert in line 49 after the word "assessment" the words "or with any opinion or decision of the Commissioner or with the exercise by him of any discretion on which such assessment alteration or addition is based".

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

Committee divided. (Mr. Freeman in the Chair.)

AYES, 38

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Pelly
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hearnshaw	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Storey
Mr. Clough	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darby	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Easter
Mr. Deane	Mr. Morris	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Padman	

NOES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Robertson	

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

No. 9.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause.

Question again proposed,—That the clause, as read, stand part of the Bill.
Motion made (*Mr. Crawford*) to leave out from line 51 (page 6) the word “thirty” with a view of inserting the word “sixty”.

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

Committee divided. (Mr. Freeman in the Chair.)

AYES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	

NOES, 38.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Brain	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chapman	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Clough	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Deane	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morris	Mr. Cutler
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morton	Mr. Darby
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Padman	
Mr. Fitzgerald	Dr. Parr	

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 10.

SAME BILL:—

Recovery
of land tax.

Clauses 36 to 41 having been dealt with,—

Clause 42. (1) Any land tax shall be deemed, when it becomes due or is payable, to be a debt due to Her Majesty, and shall be collected and received by the Commissioner on account of and shall be paid into the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

It being 10.15 p.m. Mr. Freeman, Temporary Chairman, reported progress.

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

Motion made (*Mr. Chaffey*) to leave out from line 7 the words "Consolidated Revenue Fund" with a view of inserting the words "a special account in the Treasury to be known as the Local Government Development Fund and such Funds shall be used for allocation to local government on a population and area basis".

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 44.

Mr. Armstrong
Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Connor
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Fowles
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green

Mr. Hawkins
Mr. Heffron
Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Powell
Mr. Renshaw

Mr. Robertson
Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell

Tellers,

Mr. Hills
Mr. Wyatt

NOES, 41.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Chapman
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cross
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Darby
Mr. Deane
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Easter
Mr. Ellis
Mr. Evatt
Mr. Fitzgerald

Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Gamack
Mr. Griffith
Mr. Hearnshaw
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Jordan
Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morton
Mr. Murden
Mr. Padman
Dr. Parr

Mr. Pelly
Mr. Purdue
Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Mr. Willis

Tellers,

Mr. Clough
Mr. Morris

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

No. 11.

SAME BILL:—

Clauses 43 to 49 having been dealt with,—

Clause 50. (1) In any case where it is shown to the satisfaction of a Board consisting of the Commissioner, the Auditor-General and the Under Secretary of the Treasury that—

(a) a person liable to pay land tax has suffered such a loss, or is in such circumstances, that the exaction of the full amount of land tax will entail serious hardship; or

Remission
of land tax
in cases of
hardship.
cf. Act No.
48, 1941,
s. 330.

(b) owing to the death of a person who, if he had lived, would have been liable to pay land tax, the dependants of that person are in such circumstances that the exaction of the full amount of land tax will entail serious hardship;

the Board may waive the payment of the land tax either wholly or in part.

(2) The Commissioner shall make such alterations in the amount of land tax payable and shall make such refund of land tax already paid as is necessary to give effect to the decision of the Board.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Motion made (Mr. Clough) to insert in line 62 (page 9) after the word "loss" the words "of income or revenue on account of fire, flood, drought, locusts or other insects affecting his property, or on account of industrial disputes or adverse trading conditions in his business".

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 41.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Purdue
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hearshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Treant
Mr. Cross	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Welby
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Darby	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morris	Mr. Deane
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	Mr. Easter
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Padman	
Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Parr	

NAYES, 45.

Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	Mr. Sloss
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	

Amendment negatived.

No. 12.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause.

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

Motion made (Mr. Crawford) to insert after line 8 new sub-clause, as follows:—“(3) Any taxpayer who is dissatisfied with a decision made by the Board may, within sixty days after service of the notice of that decision or within such further time as the Board may allow, in writing, request the Board to treat his objection as an appeal and forward it to the Supreme Court and the Board shall within thirty days of the receipt by him of the request forward it accordingly.”

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Evatt	Mr. Padman
Mr. Brain	Mr. Fitzgerald	Dr. Parr
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Willis
Mr. Deane	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morris	Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morton	Mr. Lawson
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Murden	

NOES, 45.

Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	Mr. Mallam
Mr. Green	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson	

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 13.

SAME BILL:—

Clauses 51 to 81 and the Schedule having been dealt with,—

Postponed clause 9.

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

Motion made (*Lieut.-Col. Bruxner*) to insert after line 36 (page 2) new paragraph as follows:—“(iii) In addition to the general deductions provided for in this section, the Commissioner shall during and every year for which land tax becomes payable, grant a further deduction from the unimproved value in the circumstances and to the extent mentioned hereunder—

where land belonging to any one owner is being used bona fide for the purpose of breeding sheep which, in the opinion of the commissioner are stud sheep and has been so used for a period of five years immediately prior to this Act, a further deduction of £600 shall be allowed in respect of every 500 stud sheep carried on the land.

The deduction under this paragraph shall not exceed £4,800 in respect of any estate or parcel.”

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 41.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Pelly
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Willis
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Deane	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Ellis
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morris	Mr. Storey
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Murden	
Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Padman	

NOES, 47.

Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Crook	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Downing
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Powell
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson	

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 14.

SAME BILL:—

New Clause.

66. The Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Act, 1948, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended— Amendment of Act No. 25, 1948.

(a) by inserting next after subsection one of section twenty-one the following new subsection:—

Sec. 21.

(1A) Subject to section twenty of this Act a Fair Rents Board in determining the fair rent of prescribed premises used for business or commercial purposes shall in addition to the matters specified in subsection one of this section have regard to land tax payable in respect of the premises by the lessor under the Land Tax Management Act, 1956, and the Land Tax Act, 1956, or any Act amending or replacing any such Act, or where such land tax is payable by the lessor in respect of the premises together with other lands, to the extent to which such land tax would be payable were the premises the only land in respect of which the lessor was liable for any such land tax.

(Matters to be considered.)

(b) by inserting at the end of subsection three of section 24A the following new paragraph:—

Sec. 24A.

In the application of the foregoing provisions of this subsection to and in respect of premises to which this section applies and which are used for business or commercial purposes "rates" includes land tax payable in respect of the premises by the lessor under the Land Tax Management Act, 1956, and the Land Tax Act, 1956, or any Act amending or replacing any such Act, or where such land tax is payable by the lessor in respect of the premises together with other lands the land tax which would be payable were the premises the only land in respect of which the lessor was liable for any such land tax.

(Determination based on increased outgoings.)

Motion made (*Mr. Cahill*) and question proposed,—That the proposed new clause be inserted in the Bill.

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 46.

Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Maher
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Powell	Mr. Murphy
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruzner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Chapman
Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cross
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Easter
Mr. Ellis
Mr. Evatt

Mr. Fitzgerald
Mr. Gamack
Mr. Griffith
Mr. Hearnshaw
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Jordan
Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morris
Mr. Morton
Mr. Murden

Mr. Padman
Mr. Pelly
Mr. Purdue
Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Mr. Willis

Tellers,

Mr. Stewart Fraser
Dr. Parr

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

SAME BILL:—

Same Clause.

Question—That the proposed clause stand a clause of the Bill—put and voices given,—

The Chairman stated his opinion that the Ayes had it,—

Whereupon in accordance with Standing Order No. 213, Division called for, and there being only two members in the minority who had challenged his decision, the Chairman declared the determination of the Committee to be in the affirmative.

The following are the names of members in the minority, viz., Mr. Evatt and Dr. Parr.

New clause agreed to.

And the Title having been amended,—

No. 15.

SAME BILL:—

Question put,—That the Chairman leave and report the Bill with amendments and an amendment in the Title.

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 47.

Mr. Armstrong
Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Connor
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Fowles
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green

Mr. Hawkins
Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Powell
Mr. Purdue
Mr. Renshaw

Mr. Robertson
Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt

Tellers,

Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Ryan

NOES, 39.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruzner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Chapman
Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cross
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Easter
Mr. Ellis
Mr. Evatt

Mr. Fitzgerald
Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Gamack
Mr. Hearnshaw
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Jordan
Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morris
Mr. Morton
Mr. Padman

Dr. Parr
Mr. Pelly
Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Mr. Willis

Tellers,

Mr. Griffith
Mr. Murden

Agreed to.

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

No. 16.

WAYS AND MEANS (LAND TAX BILL):—

Resolved,—

(A) THAT towards raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty there shall, in respect of the taxable value of all the land owned by any person at midnight on the thirty-first day of October in any year including the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six, be charged, levied, collected and paid under the provisions of the Land Tax Management Act, 1956, and in the manner therein prescribed, for the use of Her Majesty and for the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, land tax for the period of twelve months commencing on the first day of November in that year and at the respective rates set out in the Schedule to this paragraph.

* * * * * [Read.]

Motion made (*Mr. Cahill*),—That the Resolution be agreed to.

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 46.

Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Maher
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Powell	Mr. Mannix
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Páir
Mr. Brain	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Pelly
Lieut.-Col. Bruzner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jofdán	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Willis
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morris	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	Mr. Cutler
Mr. Evtatt	Mr. Mufden	Mr. Dawson
Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Padman	

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

No. 17.

SAME RESOLUTION:—

Question put,—That the Resolution be agreed to.

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 46.

Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Green	Mr. Powell
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	Mr. Sloss
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Pelly
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Gamaek	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hearnshaw	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morris	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Padman	Mr. Murden

Agreed to.

On Motion of Mr. Cahill, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress; also that the Committee had come to a Resolution (No. 14).

No. 18.

LAND TAX BILL:—

Short title
and con-
struction.

Clause 1. This Act may be cited as the "Land Tax Act, 1956", and shall be read and construed with the Land Tax Management Act, 1956, in this Act hereinafter referred to as the Principal Act.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in Chair.)

AYES, 45.

Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Padman
Mr. Brain	Mr. Gamaek	Dr. Parr
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Easter	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morris	Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Morton	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Murden	

Agreed to.

No. 19.

SAME BILL:—

Commence-
ment.

Clause 2. This Act commences upon the first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

[Read.]

Question proposed,—That the clause, as read, stand part of the bill.

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 45.

Mr. Fred Cabill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Sciffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Maher
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Powell	Mr. Mannix
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Dr. Parr
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Pelly
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Darby	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Willis
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Morris	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morton	Mr. Hearnshaw
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Murden	Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Padman	

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

No. 20.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause.

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 45.

Mr. Fred Cabill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sciffert
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	
Mr. Green	Mr. Renshaw	

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Padman
Mr. Brain	Mr. Gamack	Dr. Parr
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Easter	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morris	Mr. Clough
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Morton	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Murden	

Agreed to.

No. 21.

SAME BILL:—

Levy of
land tax.

Clause 3. (1) In respect of the taxable value of all the land owned by any person at midnight on the thirty-first day of October in any year including the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six there shall be charged, levied, collected and paid under the provisions of the Principal Act and in the manner therein prescribed, land tax for the period of twelve months commencing on the first day of November in that year and at the respective rates set out in the Schedule to this Act.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 45.

Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Connor
Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Crook
Mr. Earl
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Fowles
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green
Mr. Hawkins

Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills
Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McGrath
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Powell
Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Robertson

Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt

Tellers,

Mr. Downing
Mr. Mannix

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin
Mr. Brain
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner
Mr. Chaffey
Mr. Chapman
Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford
Mr. Cross
Mr. Cutler
Mr. Darby
Mr. Dickson
Mr. Easter
Mr. Ellis
Mr. Evatt

Mr. Fitzgerald
Mr. Gamack
Mr. Bearnshaw
Mr. Hughes
Mr. Hunter
Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Jordan
Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Lawson
Mr. McCaw
Mr. Morris
Mr. Morton
Mr. Murden
Mr. Padman

Dr. Parr
Mr. Pelly
Mr. Purdue
Mr. Robinson
Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Stephens
Mr. Storey
Mr. Treatt
Mr. Weiley
Mr. Willis

Tellers,

Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Griffith

There being the necessary number in the majority,—

And it being after 10.15 p.m. the Chairman left the Chair to report progress.

THURSDAY, 18 OCTOBER, 1956.

No. 22.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause.

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 46.

Mr. Armstrong
Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Campbell
Mr. Coady
Mr. Connor
Mr. Crook
Mr. Downing
Mr. Earl
Mr. Enticknap
Mr. Ferguson
Mr. Fowles
Mr. Freeman
Mr. W. McC. Gollan
Mr. Graham
Mr. Green
Mr. Hawkins

Mr. Heffron
Mr. Hills
Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Kelly
Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Landa
Mr. McMahon
Mr. Maher
Mr. Mallam
Mr. Mannix
Mr. Murphy
Mr. Nott
Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Robertson

Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Ryan
Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Simpson
Mr. Sloss
Mr. Tonge
Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Wattison
Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Wyatt

Tellers,

Mr. Crabtree
Mr. Powell

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Evatt	Mr. Murden
Mr. Brain	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Padman
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Parr
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hearnshaw	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Cross	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cutler	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Darby	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Willis
Mr. Deane	Mr. Lawrence	Tellers,
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Morris
Mr. Easter	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	

Agreed to.

No. 23.

SAME BILL:—

Clause 4. (1) Where land owned by a mutual life assurance society includes land solely used or occupied by the society as offices for the conduct of its life assurance business there shall be deducted from the taxable value of all the land owned by the society an amount equivalent to the unimproved value of the land so used or occupied.

Partial exemption from land tax for life assurance societies.

* * * * * [Read.]

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

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 46.

Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crook	Mr. Maher	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Downing	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mannix	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Freeman	Mr. O'Sullivan	Tellers,
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Powell	Mr. Hills
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. McMahon
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Evatt	Mr. Morton
Mr. Brain	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Padman
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Parr
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hughes	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Cross	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Cutler	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Storey
Mr. Darby	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Deane	Mr. Lawrence	Tellers,
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Murden
Mr. Easter	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Willis
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morris	

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 24.

SAME BILL:—

Schedule.

Where the taxable value as assessed under Principal Act		Rates of Land Tax Payable.	
does not exceed £2,500		1d. for each £1 of the taxable value.	
exceeds £2,500 but does not exceed £5,000		£10 8s. 4d. plus 1½d. for each £1 of the taxable value in excess of £2,500	
„ £5,000 „ „ „ £10,000		£26 0s. 10d. „ 2d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£5,000
„ £10,000 „ „ „ £15,000		£67 14s. 2d. „ 2½d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£10,000
„ £15,000 „ „ „ £20,000		£119 15s. 10d. „ 3d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£15,000
„ £20,000 „ „ „ £25,000		£182 5s. 10d. „ 3½d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£20,000
„ £25,000 „ „ „ £30,000		£255 4s. 2d. „ 4d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£25,000
„ £30,000 „ „ „ £35,000		£338 10s. 10d. „ 4½d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£30,000
„ £35,000 „ „ „ £40,000		£432 5s. 10d. „ 5d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£35,000
„ £40,000 „ „ „ £45,000		£536 9s. 2d. „ 5½d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£40,000
„ £45,000 „ „ „ £50,000		£651 0s. 10d. „ 6d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£45,000
„ £50,000 „ „ „ £55,000		£776 0s. 10d. „ 6½d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£50,000
„ £55,000 „ „ „ £60,000		£911 9s. 2d. „ 7d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£55,000
„ £60,000 „ „ „ £65,000		£1,057 5s. 10d. „ 7½d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£60,000
„ £65,000		£1,213 10s. 10d. „ 8d. „ „ „ „ „ „	£65,000

[Read.]

Question proposed,—That the Schedule, as read, stand Schedule to the Bill.
Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 46.

Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Hefiron	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crook	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Downing	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. O'Sullivan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	Mr. Earl
Mr. Green	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Maher
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Padman
Mr. Brain	Mr. Gamaack	Dr. Parr
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Storey
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Deane	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morris	Mr. Cross
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Murden	

Agreed to.

No. 25.

SAME BILL:—

Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair to report the Bill without amendment.

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 46.

Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Lauda	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crook	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. Maher	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. O'Sullivan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	Mr. Connor
Mr. Green	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 40.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Padman
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Parr
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Purdue
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Cross	Mr. Jordan	Mr. Storey
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Deane	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morris	Mr. Cutler
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	Mr. Hughes
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Murden	

Agreed to.

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

I. P. K. VIDLER,
Clerk Assistant.

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(SECOND SESSION)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 11.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 30 OCTOBER, 1956.

No. 1.

ELECTRICITY COMMISSION (BALMAIN ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY PURCHASE) AMENDMENT BILL:—

Clause 1 having been dealt with,—

Clause 2. The Electricity Commission (Balmain Electric Light Company Purchase) Act, 1950, is amended—

(a)	*	*	*	*	Amendment of Act No. 40, 1950.
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[Read.]

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 45.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crabtree	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMahon	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Hills
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Powell	Mr. Maher
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 26.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Darby	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton	Mr. Clough
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Murden	Mr. Morris
Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Padman	
Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Parr	

Agreed to.

And clause 3 having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Renshaw, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment.

WEDNESDAY, 31 OCTOBER, 1956.

No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND CATTLE SLAUGHTERING AND DISEASED ANIMALS AND MEAT
(AMENDMENT) BILL:—

Clause 1 having been dealt with,—

Amendment
of Act No.
41, 1919.

Clause 2. The Local Government Act, 1919, as amended by subsequent Acts,
is amended—

(a) * * * * *
* * * * *

[Read.]

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

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put.—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided.

AYES, 40.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Crook	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Downing	Mr. Landa	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Earl	Mr. McGrath	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Murphy	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Green	Mr. Purdue	

NOES, 31.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morton
Mr. Brain	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Murden
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Dr. Parr
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Storey
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Lawrence	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Deane	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Griffith
Mr. Dickson	Mr. McCaw	Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Easter	Mr. Morris	

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 3.

SAME BILL:—

Amendment
of Act No.
36, 1902.

Clause 3. The Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act,
1902-1953, is amended—

(a) * * * * *
* * * * *

[Read.]

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

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put.—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided.

AYES, 40.

Mr. Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Hills	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Earl	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. McMahon	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Fred Cahill
Mr. Green	Mr. Purdue	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	

NOES, 31.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Ellis	Mr. McCaw
Mr. Brain	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Morton
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Murden
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Gamaek	Dr. Parr
Mr. Clough	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Hunter	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Deane	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Morris
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Lawrence	Mr. Willis
Mr. Easter	Mr. Lawson	

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Mid-night,—

THURSDAY, 1 NOVEMBER, 1956, A.M.

No. 4.

SAME BILL:—

Same Clause:—

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

Committee divided.

AYES, 40.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. Sciffert
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Coady	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sloss
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMahon	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wattison
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Purdue	
Mr. Graham	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson	

NOES, 31.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Morton
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Murden
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Gamaek	Dr. Parr
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Storey
Mr. Cross	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cutler	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Willis
Mr. Deane	Mr. H. E. Jackson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dickson	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Clough
Mr. Easter	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Lawrence
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Morris	

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Renshaw the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment.

I. P. K. VIDLER,
Clerk Assistant.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 12.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS.

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 9 APRIL, 1957.

No. 1.

MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

Clause 1 having been dealt with,—

Clause 2. The Medical Practitioners Act, 1938-1956, is amended—

(a) (i)

* * * * *

Amendment
of Act
No. 37,
1938.
Sec. 17.
(Qualifica-
tions for
future
registra-
tion.)

(c) (i) by omitting from subsection two of section 21A the words "Without prejudice to the generality of paragraph (b) of this subsection the board may require that in or towards proof of experience in the practice of medicine and surgery, the applicant shall satisfy the board that he has passed a test (not being a written test) of such nature as the board may specify either generally or in any particular case. Any such test shall be conducted by examiners approved by the board for the purpose."

Sec. 21A.
(Registra-
tion for
the practice
of medicine
and surgery
in certain
areas.)

(ii) by inserting next after subsection eight of the same section the following new subsection:—

(8A) Where the board has notified the Minister that it has decided that none of the applicants is suitable to be the holder of a certificate of regional registration in respect of the region, the Minister may direct the board to issue and if the board fails to comply with any such direction the Minister may issue a certificate of regional registration in respect of the region to a person who holds or is entitled to apply for a license under subsection four of section 21c of this Act.

A certificate issued under this subsection shall for all purposes of this Act be deemed to be a certificate issued under this section by the board and the provisions of subsections nine and ten of this section shall apply as if such certificate had been granted on the application of the person to whom the certificate is issued.

* * * * *

New sec.
21c.

Licenses
to practise
medicine or
surgery in
limited
circum-
stances.

(e) by inserting next after section 21b the following new section:—

21c. (1) Any person who—

* * * * *

(4) Where the holder of a license under subsection three of this section has completed to the satisfaction of the Minister a period of twelve months service as a medical officer under supervision in one of the institutions specified in subsection three of this section the board shall **upon such person passing the prescribed test (not being a written test) and** upon application by such person and upon payment of a fee of three pounds three shillings issue to such person a license—

(a) to practise in all branches of medicine and surgery; or

(b) to practise in such one or more branches of medicine or surgery or both as may be specified in the license,

but in either case only as a medical officer in such State hospital, mental hospital, public hospital, private hospital or other institution or as an assistant to such registered person, as the Minister may direct.

The prescribed test for the purposes of this subsection shall be a test as to such person's knowledge and skill to practise as a medical practitioner and shall be conducted by an examining committee consisting of three persons.

One of such persons shall be the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Sydney, one shall be a registered person who shall be appointed by the Board and the other shall be a registered person appointed by the Minister.

* * * * *

[Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Askin*) to leave out from lines 7 to 14 (p. 1) the words:—

“(c) (i) by omitting from subsection two of section 21A the words ‘Without prejudice to the generality of paragraph (b) of this subsection the board may require that in or towards proof of experience in the practice of medicine and surgery, the applicant shall satisfy the board that he has passed a test (not being a written test) of such nature as the board may specify either generally or in any particular case. Any such test shall be conducted by examiners approved by the board for the purpose.’”

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 43.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Hills	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Campbell	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Lamb	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Earl	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Maher	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Mannix	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	
Mr. Green	Mr. Robertson	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. J. H. Robson	
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan	

NOES, 34.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Easter	Mr. Padman
Mr. Jack Beale	Mr. Ellis	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Black	Mr. Evatt	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Brain	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Rose
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cross	Mr. Hunter	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cutler	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Darby
Mr. Deane	Mr. Morton	Mr. Storey
Mr. Doig	Mr. Murden	

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

No. 2.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause.

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

Motion made (*Mr. Askin*) to leave out from lines 15 to 30 (p. 1) the words:—

“(ii) by inserting next after subsection eight of the same section the following new subsection:—

(8A) Where the board has notified the Minister that it has decided that none of the applicants is suitable to be the holder of a certificate of regional registration in respect of the region, the Minister may direct the board to issue and if the board fails to comply with any such direction the Minister may issue a certificate of regional registration in respect of the region to a person who holds or is entitled to apply for a license under subsection four of section 210 of this Act.

A certificate issued under this subsection shall for all purposes of this Act be deemed to be a certificate issued under this section by the board and the provisions of subsections nine and ten of this section shall apply as if such certificate had been granted on the application of the person to whom the certificate is issued.”

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 42.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Coady	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Earl	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Downing
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	Mr. Hills
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson	
Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson	

NOES, 34.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Ellis	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Jack Beale	Mr. Evatt	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Black	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Rose
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Stephens
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Storey
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearshaw	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cutler	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darby	Mr. Morton	Mr. Clough
Mr. Deane	Mr. Murden	Mr. Doig
Mr. Easter	Mr. Padman	

*Agreed to.**Amendment negatived.*

Clause, as read, again proposed.

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

WEDNESDAY, 10 APRIL, 1957.

No. 3.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause.

And the clause having been amended as indicated.

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

Motion made (*Mr. Sheahan*) to insert after line 18 (p. 2) the following words:—

“The prescribed test for the purposes of this subsection shall be a test as to such person’s knowledge and skill to practise as a medical practitioner and shall be conducted by an examining committee consisting of three persons.

One of such persons shall be the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Sydney, one shall be a registered person who shall be appointed by the Board and the other shall be a registered person appointed by the Minister."

Question proposed,—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted.

Motion made (*Mr. Evatt*) that the amendment be amended by inserting after line 66 (p. 3) the words "Such prescribed test shall be conducted in all subjects of the Fourth, Fifth and Final Degree Examinations prescribed by the Senate of the University of Sydney for students in the Faculty of Medicine."

Question—That the words proposed to be inserted in the amendment be so inserted—put and voices given,—

The Chairman stated his opinion that the Noes had it,—

Whereupon in accordance with Standing Order No. 213, Division called for, and there being only one member viz., Mr. Evatt, in the minority who had challenged his decision, the Chairman declared the determination of the Committee to be in the affirmative.

Question put,—That the words (*Mr. Sheahan's* amendment) proposed to be inserted be so inserted,

Agreed to.

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 44.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Heffron	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMabon	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	Mr. Hills
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 34.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Evatt	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Black	Mr. Fitzgerald	Lieut.-Col. Robson
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Rose
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Gamack	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Storey
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Cross	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cutler	Mr. McCaw	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darby	Mr. Morton	Mr. Jack Beale
Mr. Doig	Mr. Murden	Mr. Clough
Mr. Ellis	Mr. Padman	

Agreed to.

And clauses 3 to 6 inclusive having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Landa, *on behalf* of Mr. Sheahan, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments.

No. 4.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

Clauses 1 to 4 having been dealt with,—

Clause 5. (1) The Principal Act is further amended—

(a) by inserting at the end of subsection ten of section 30A the words "The chairman shall be entitled to receive such remuneration by way of fees, travelling allowances or otherwise as may be prescribed by regulations made under this Act and until the regulations so prescribe remuneration at the rate of two hundred and fifty pounds per annum";

(b) by inserting next after section 53A the following new section:—

53B. Where a worker after receiving an injury makes any statement in writing in relation to that injury to his employer or to an insurer or to any person acting on behalf of such

Further amendment of Act No. 15, 1926. Sec. 30A. (Insurance Premiums Committee.)

New sec. 53B. Statements by injured workers.

employer or insurer, such statement shall not be admitted in evidence or used in any proceedings before the Commission unless the employer or insurer has at least fourteen days before the hearing furnished to the worker or to the solicitor or agent acting on behalf of the worker in the proceedings a copy in writing of such statement.

* * * * *

[Read.]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Black*) to leave out all words on lines 66 to 69 (p. 4) and lines 1 to 6 (p. 5) inclusive.

Question put,—That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the clause.
Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 42.

Mr. Fred Cahill	Mr. Green	Mr. Powell
Mr. Cahill	Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Hills	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. Landa	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. McGrath	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Maher	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Evatt	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	Mr. McMahon
Mr. W. McC. Gollan	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	

NOES, 32.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Easter	Mr. Morton
Mr. Jack Beale	Mr. Ellis	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Black	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Rose
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Stephens
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Gamaek	Mr. Storey
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Weiley
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Willis
Mr. Darby	Mr. Hunter	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Deane	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Chapman
Mr. Doig	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Murden

Agreed to.

Amendment negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

And clauses 6 and 7 having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Landa, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment.

THURSDAY, 11 APRIL, 1957.

No. 5.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

Clause 1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Industrial Arbitration (Amendment) Act, 1957".

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Short title and citation.

[Read.]

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

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put,—"That the Question be now put."

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 42.

Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Downing	Mr. Maher	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	Mr. McMahon
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Hills	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 29.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Darby	Mr. Morton
Mr. Jack Beale	Mr. Deane	Mr. Murden
Mr. Black	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Rose
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Willis
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Easter
Mr. Cross	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Robinson

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

No. 6.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause.

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 42.

Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Powell
Mr. Green	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	
Mr. Hills	Mr. Robertson	

NOES, 29.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Easter	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Jack Beale	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Black	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Rose
Mr. Brain	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hughes	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Clough
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Cross	Mr. McCaw	
Mr. Darby	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Deane	Mr. Murden	

Agreed to.

No. 7.

SAME BILL:—

Amendment
of Act No.
2, 1940.

Sec. 5
(Interpreta-
tion).

Clause 2. The Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended by subsequent Acts, is amended—

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Question proposed,—That the clause, as read, stand part of the Bill. [Read.]

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 42.

Mr. Cahill	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. Landa	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Connor	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Crook	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Downing	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Freeman	Mr. O'Sullivan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graham	Mr. Powell	Mr. R. J. Kelly
Mr. Green	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Mannix
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Robertson	
Mr. Hills	Mr. J. H. Robson	

NOES, 30.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Doig	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Jack Beale	Mr. Easter	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Black	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Rose
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Stephens
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Willis
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Deane
Mr. Crawford	Mr. McCaw	Mr. H. E. Jackson
Mr. Cross	Mr. Morton	
Mr. Darby	Mr. Murden	

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

No. 8.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause.

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 41.

Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Earl	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Maher	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Murphy	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Graham	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Green	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. O'Sullivan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hills	Mr. Powell	Mr. Connor
Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Wyatt

NOES, 30.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Deane	Mr. Murden
Mr. Jack Beale	Mr. Easter	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Black	Mr. Ellis	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Brain	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Rose
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Treatt
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Doig
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Griffith
Mr. Cross	Mr. McCaw	
Mr. Darby	Mr. Morton	

Agreed to.

No. 9.

SAME BILL:—

Clause 3. The Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1956, is amended by omitting section one hundred and twenty-six.

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Amendment
of Act
No. 34, 1912.
Sec. 126

[*Read.*] (Letting of
chairs in
hairdressers'
shops.)

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

Mr. Green moved, That the Question be now put.

Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 41.

Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Earl	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Murphy	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Leo Nott	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Graham	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Rex Jackson
Mr. Hills	Mr. Robertson	Mr. Maher

NOES, 31.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Doig	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Black	Mr. Easter	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Brain	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Rose
Lieut.-Col. Bruzner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Storey
Mr. Chapman	Mr. Hughes	Mr. Treutt
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Willis
Mr. Crawford	Mr. H. E. Jackson	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cross	Mr. McCaw	Mr. Jack Beale
Mr. Darby	Mr. Morton	Mr. Stewart Fraser
Mr. Deane	Mr. Murden	

And there being the necessary number in the majority,—

No. 10.

SAME BILL:—

Same clause

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

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 40.

Mr. Campbell	Mr. Kelly	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Coady	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Connor	Mr. Landa	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Crook	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Downing	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Earl	Mr. Maher	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Mallam	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mannix	Mr. Wattison
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Graham	Mr. Leo Nott	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Green	Mr. Powell	Mr. Hills
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. J. H. Robson	

NOES, 30.

Mr. Askin	Mr. Doig	Mr. Murden
Mr. Jack Beale	Mr. Easter	Mr. Pelly
Mr. Black	Mr. Fitzgerald	Mr. Robinson
Mr. Brain	Mr. Stewart Fraser	Mr. Rose
Lieut.-Col. Bruzner	Mr. Griffith	Mr. Stephens
Mr. Chaffey	Mr. Hearnshaw	Mr. Treutt
Mr. Clough	Mr. Hughes	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Crawford	Mr. Hunter	Mr. Chapman
Mr. Cross	Mr. H. E. Jackson	Mr. Willis
Mr. Darby	Mr. McCaw	
Mr. Deane	Mr. Morton	

Agreed to.

No. 11.

SAME BILL:—

Motion made (*Mr. Landa*) and Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair and report the Bill without amendment.

Committee divided. (Chairman in the Chair.)

AYES, 41.

Mr. Campbell	Mr. Rex Jackson	Mr. Robertson
Mr. Coady	Mr. Kelly	Mr. J. H. Robson
Mr. Connor	Mr. R. J. Kelly	Mr. Ryan
Mr. Crook	Mr. Landa	Mr. T. V. Ryan
Mr. Downing	Mr. McGrath	Mr. Seiffert
Mr. Earl	Mr. McMahon	Mr. Sheahan
Mr. Enticknap	Mr. Maher	Mr. Simpson
Mr. Ferguson	Mr. Mallam	Mr. Tonge
Mr. Fowles	Mr. Mannix	Mr. L. J. Tully
Mr. Freeman	Mr. Murphy	Mr. Wetherell
Mr. Graham	Mr. Nott	Mr. Wyatt
Mr. Green	Mr. O'Sullivan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hawkins	Mr. Powell	Mr. Leo Nott
Mr. Hills	Mr. Renshaw	Mr. Wattison

NOES, 30.

Mr. Askin
 Mr. Jack Bealc
 Mr. Brain
 Licut-Col. Bruxner
 Mr. Chaffey
 Mr. Chapman
 Mr. Clough
 Mr. Cross
 Mr. Darby
 Mr. Deane
 Mr. Doig

Mr. Easter
 Mr. Fitzgerald
 Mr. Stewart Fraser
 Mr. Griffith
 Mr. Hearnshaw
 Mr. Hughes
 Mr. Hunter
 Mr. H. E. Jackson
 Mr. McCaw
 Mr. Morton
 Mr. Murden

Mr. Pelly
 Mr. Robinson
 Mr. Rose
 Mr. Stephens
 Mr. Storey
 Mr. Treatt

Tellers,

Mr. Black
 Mr. Crawford

Agreed to.

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

I. P. K. VIDLER,

Clerk-Assistant.

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(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.
No. 1.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Notes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them.

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
File of papers.....	relating to the appeals to the Railways Appeals Board by H. S. Synold and A. Doyle against the Chief Traffic Manager's decision of 7th May, 1956, in dismissing them from the Department of Railways.	.....	Mr. Enricknap	1956. 23 May	Not to be printed.	
Copy of Certificate	of the Returning Officer under the Constitution (Legislative Council Elections) Act, 1932-1937, respecting the election of Gavin Hamilton Sutherland, Esquire, as a Member of the Legislative Council of New South Wales, together with <i>Gazette</i> Notice.	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Public Service Act, 1902, as amended.....	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Rules	under the Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended.....	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Joint Coal Board for the year ended 30th June, 1955 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	To be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Commonwealth Auditor-General on the Accounts of the Joint Coal Board, for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	To be printed.	
Report	of the Police Department, together with appendices for 1955 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	To be printed.	
Minute	recording Variation of Statute (Stamp Duties Act, 1920-1955) in respect of the exemption from stamp duty of cheques drawn by the Local Government Superannuation Board.	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Proclamations	under the Government Savings Bank Act, 1906, and the Government Savings Bank Amendment Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	Not to be printed.	
By-law	under the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954.	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Maritime Services Act, 1935-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Navigation Act, 1901-1954 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Public Trustee, together with Statement of Receipts and Disbursements, for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	To be printed.	
Report	of the Commissioners of the Rural Bank of New South Wales, together with Balance-sheets, Statements of Accounts and Appendices, for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Cahill	23 May	To be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
By-laws	of the University of Sydney under the University and University Colleges Act, 1900-1952.	.....	Mr. Heffron	1956. 23 May	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Bursary Endowment Board together with Annexures for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Heffron	23 May	To be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons as Teachers, Department of Technical Education.	.....	Mr. Heffron	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Technical Education and New South Wales University of Technology Act, 1949, at North Sydney.	.....	Mr. Heffron	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Dairy Industry Act, 1915-1955 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Dairy Products Act, 1933-1938 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Noxious Insects Act, 1934-1954 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Agricultural Seeds Act, 1921 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Plant Diseases Act, 1924 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Marketing of Primary Products Act, 1927-1940 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	under the Meat Industry Act, 1915-1952 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Pastures Protection Act, 1934-1955 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Stock Diseases Act, 1923-1934 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1902-1953.	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	together with statements of accounts of the New South Wales Dried Fruits Board for 1955.	.....	Mr. Graham	23 May	To be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land and easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-1954 :— (i) Substations : Carlingford, Ku-ring-gai, Castle Hill, Nebo, Moss Vale and Dapto. (ii) Radio Transmitter and Depot : Kurrajong. (iii) Electricity Transmission Lines : Carlingford and Lithgow. Port Kembla and Jamberoo. Carlingford and Lake Macquarie. Murrumburrah and Young. Homebush and Tallawarra. Lake Macquarie and Waratah. Blacktown and Lawson. Hamilton and Dungog. Canberra and Cooma. Marilba and Galong. Blacktown and Lawson. Temora and Barmedman. Yass and Dapto. Young and Cowra. Chullora and Canterbury, and Bankstown North.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	23 May	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Ordinances Regulation	under the Local Government Act, 1919 under the Wildflowers and Native Plants Protection Act, 1927-1945.	.....	Mr. Renshaw Mr. Renshaw	1956. 23 May 23 May	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Local Government.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	by V. J. F. Brain, Chairman of the Electricity Authority of New South Wales, on his visit overseas to attend the International Conference at Geneva in 1955, on the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations Copy Interim Report	under the Gas and Electricity Act, 1935-1955 by Ebasco Services Incorporated on the Northern New South Wales Power Supply.	.....	Mr. Renshaw Mr. Renshaw	23 May 23 May	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for Parramatta Mental Hospital and Campbell River Dam.	.....	Mr. McGrath	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of— (i) Public Hospitals Act, 1929-1943, Nimbin. (ii) Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for— (a) Service Reservoir—Mount Pleasant. (b) Water Main—Earlwood. (c) Water Supply Purposes—Warragamba Dam.	.....	Mr. McGrath	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations Regulation Statistics	(iii) Forestry Act, 1916-1951, Corunna State Forest No. 137. under the Industrial Arbitration Acts, 1940-1955 under the Textile Products Labelling Act, 1954 supplementary to the Report on the working of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1954, together with Appendices for 1954.	.....	Mr. Landa Mr. Landa Mr. Landa	23 May 23 May 23 May	Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Long Service Leave Act, 1955	.....	Mr. Landa	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations and Proclamation	under the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1954	.....	Mr. Landa	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Scaffolding and Lifts Act, 1912-1948	.....	Mr. Landa	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Workers' Compensation Commission, together with Copy Report of the Insurance Premiums Committee, for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Landa	23 May	To be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Public Health.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Opticians Act, 1930-1955	.....	Mr. Sheahan	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations and Proclamation	under the Poisons Act, 1952	.....	Mr. Sheahan	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Inspector-General of Mental Hospitals for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	23 May	To be printed.	
Form	under the Public Hospitals Act, 1929-1943	.....	Mr. Sheahan	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Public Trustee Act, 1913-1954	.....	Mr. Sheahan	23 May	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for works in connection with—	.....	Mr. Wetherell	1955. 23 May	Not to be printed.	
	(i) Dam across the Hunter River at Glenbawn.					
	(ii) Wakool Domestic and Stock Water Supply and Irrigation District.					
	(iii) Warrell Creek River Improvement District.					
	(iv) Berrigun Provisional Domestic and Stock Water Supply and Irrigation District.					
	(v) Denibootea Provisional Domestic and Stock Water Supply and Irrigation District.					
	(vi) Murrumbidgee Irrigation Areas.					
Regulations	under the Irrigation Act, 1912, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Wetherell	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons as Soil Conservationists, Department of Conservation.	.....	Mr. Wetherell	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Dumaresq-Barwon Border Rivers Commission for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Wetherell	23 May	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Closer Settlement Acts .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Prickly Pear Act, 1924-1944 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Western Lands Act, 1901 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 May	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the New South Wales University of Technology for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Heffron	29 May	To be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Technical Education and New South Wales University of Technology Act, 1949, at Griffith.	.....	Mr. Heffron	29 May	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the University of Sydney under the University and University Colleges Act, 1900-1952.	.....	Mr. Heffron	29 May	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Public Instruction Act, 1880, as amended, at—	.....	Mr. Heffron	29 May	Not to be printed.	
	Belgoolah North.					
	Bega West.					
	Blacktown North.					
	Brisbania.					
	Broken Bay.					
	Bundella.					
	Eastern Creek.					
	Eleebana.					
	Epping.					
	Grafton South.					
	Jesmond.					
	Liverpool West.					
	Macksville (Dudley-street).					
	Middleton (Parkes South).					
	Rooty Hill.					
	Toronto West.					
	Tuggerawong.					
	Ulong.					
	Wollongong.					

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Balance-sheets	<p>of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Ambulance Services, Lismore and District. Citizens' T. B. League of New South Wales, No. 11. Dubbo District Ambulance Service. Gilgandra Catholic Church. Holbrook and District War Memorial Fund. Legacy Club of Sydney. Lewisham Hospital. St. Mc's Presbytery, Narrandera. St. Patrick's College, Manly, Bursary Fund. Temora Spastic Council and Far West Children's Health Scheme.</p>		Mr. Kelly	1956. 29 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation Regulations Regulations Regulations Copy Report	<p>under the Bush Fires Act, 1949 under the Obscene and Indecent Publications Act, 1901-1955 under the Police Offences (Amendment) Act, 1908 under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949 by the Chief Secretary on Fisheries in New South Wales for the year ended 30th June, 1955. of the Board of Fire Commissioners of New South Wales for 1955, together with Appendices.</p>		Mr. Kelly Mr. Kelly Mr. Kelly Mr. Kelly	29 May 29 May 29 May 29 May	Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed. To be printed.	Appendices 1-6, 10, 13, 14, 15 only to be printed.
Regulations By-laws Notifications	<p>under the Centenary Celebrations Act, 1887 under the Public Parks Act, 1912 of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for—</p>		Mr. Graham Mr. Graham Mr. McGrath	29 May 29 May 29 May	Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Notification	<p>(i) Forestry Act, 1916-1951, Newry State Forest No. 487. (ii) Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, Warragamba Dam. (iii) Public Hospitals Act, 1929-1943, Macksville. of acquisition of land under the Land Acquisition (Charitable Institutions) Act, 1946, for the Royal Alexandra Hospital for Children.</p>		Mr. McGrath	29 May	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	<p>of acquisition of land and/or easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the following Railway purposes— (a) Maintaining traffic on the existing lines of Railway between— (i) Sydney and Albury—at Cunniffing. (ii) Condobolin and Broken Hill—near Meinindee. (iii) Sydney and Bourke—at Granville. (b) Confirming the Commissioner for Railways' title to land for the purposes of the following Railway Lines— (i) Condobolin—Broken Hill. (ii) Homebush—Waratah. (iii) Sydneyham—Botany. (c) Provision of access to, and construction of, Electric High-tension Transmission Lines between Lawson and Blaxland. (d) Laying of underground Electrical Cables from Argyle Substation to Circular Quay Station.</p>		Mr. Enticknap	29 May	Not to be printed.	

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By-laws Copy Report	under the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955 of the Commissioner for Railways for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	Mr. Enticknap	1956. 29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.
Copies of Reports Statements	of the Commissioner for Railways for the quarters ended 30th June and 30th September, 1955. of Traffic secured to Railway Transport by the exercise of the powers conferred on the Railways Commissioner under section 24 (3) and (4) of the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, for the months of October, November and December, 1955, and January, February and March, 1956.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.
Regulations Regulations	under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909, as amended under the Metropolitan Traffic Act, 1900, as amended	.....	Mr. Enticknap	29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.
Regulations Regulations Notifications	under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended, and the Transport (Division of Functions) Act, 1932, as amended. under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Ministry of Transport Act, 1932, as amended, at North Sydney.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1949, at— Adelong. Bathurst. Orange. North Gundagai.	.....	Mr. Landa	29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.
Proclamation Return	Berkeley. Byron Bay. Carinda. Condobolin. Cooma. Cowra. Dundas. Griffith. Gundagai. Kurrajong. Lismore. Macksville. Maitland. under the Coal Industry (Amendment) Act, 1955 to an Order made on the 21st October, 1884. Authorities to Mine issued since January, 1882, under the Mining Act, 1874.	.....	Mr. Nott	29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.
Regulations	under the Mining Act, 1906-1952	.....	Mr. Nott	29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.
Proclamation	under the Mining Act, 1906-1952	.....	Mr. Nott	29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.
Proclamation and Regulations	under the Petroleum Act, 1955	.....	Mr. Nott	29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Mines.	.....	Mr. Nott	29 May	Not to be printed.	Not to be printed.

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Report	of the Trustees of Captain Cook's Landing Place for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Nott	1956. 29 May	To be printed.	
Gazette Notices	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with certain lands under section 25 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	29 May	Not to be printed.	
Abstracts	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated for public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 24 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	29 May	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of the Government's proposed Legislative Programme for the present Session.	.....	Mr. Cahill	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Trustees of the Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences for 1955.	.....	Mr. Heffron	30 May	To be printed.	
By-laws	of the University of New England under the University of New England Act, 1953.	.....	Mr. Heffron	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons as Teachers, Department of Technical Education.	.....	Mr. Heffron	30 May	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the University of Sydney under the University and University Colleges Act, 1900-1952.	.....	Mr. Heffron	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Obscene and Indecent Publications Act, 1901-1955.	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Lord Howe Island Act, 1953 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Disbursements of the National Relief Fund of New South Wales for 1955.	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 May	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 May	Not to be printed.	
By-law	under the Fire Brigades Act, 1909-1955 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for— (a) Sewerage Purposes—Port Kembla. (b) Water Main—Mount Nebo—Berkeley. (c) Water Supply Purposes—Warragamba Dam.	.....	Mr. McGrath	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for— (a) Bathurst Water Supply—Campbell River Dam. (b) Gaol at Cooma.	.....	Mr. McGrath	30 May	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Port Kembla Inner Harbour Construction and Agreement Ratification Act, 1955.	Mr. McGrath	30 May	Not to be printed.	

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Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Albury Football Club. Armidale Police-Citizens Boys' Club. Catholic Club for Seafarers. Cootamundra Cycle Club. Eaglehawk Catholic Building. Eastwood-Epping Olympic Pool. Oberon Boys Sports Club. Monaro-South Coast District Legacy. North Albury Sacred Heart War Memorial Church. St. Francis Association.	Mr. Kelly	1956. 31 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	by C. J. Barnett, Esquire, the Commissioner appointed to inquire into a proposal to extend the Boundaries of the Municipality of Wentworth and to convert the Municipality into a Shire.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	31 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	by C. J. Barnett, Esquire, the Commissioner appointed to inquire into a proposal to extend the Boundaries of the Municipality of Wilcannia and to convert the Municipality into a Shire.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	31 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the River Murray Commission for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. McGrath	31 May	To be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for Education Department Area Office, Armidale.	.....	Mr. McGrath	31 May	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of— (i) Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924—1954, for— (a) Stormwater Drainage—Marrickville. (b) Water Supply Purposes—Warragamba Dam. (c) Water Main—Matraville. (ii) Forestry Act, 1916-1951, for— (a) Wetuppa State Forest. (b) Big Plateau State Forest. (iii) Soil Conservation Act, 1938-1949, for Soil Conservation Depot—Murrumbidgee. (iv) Hunter District Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1938-1952, for Water Pipeline—Lookout Reservoir—Charles-town.	.....	Mr. McGrath	31 May	Not to be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons as Soil Conservationists, Department of Conservation.	.....	Mr. Wetherell	31 May	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Trustees of the National Art Gallery of New South Wales for 1955.	.....	Mr. Heffron	5 June	To be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Technical Education.	Mr. Heffron	5 June	Not to be printed.	

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Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Coffs Harbour and District Cot Fund. Cooibohn District Ambulance Service. Cootamundra Sub-Branch, Legion of Ex-Servicemen and Women. Grenfell Ambulance Service, Cowra District. Mater Misericordiae Hospital, North Sydney. Murwillumbah Lions Club Children's Playhouse. Port Macquarie Surf Life Saving Club. Postal Institute. St. George Floral Festival for various Charities. St. George-Sutherland Shire District Ambulance Service. Tweed District Ambulance Service. Watt Street Mental Hospital for Children. Western Suburbs District Ambulance Service.	Mr. Kelly	1956. 5 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	5 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Electricity Development Act, 1945-1948 .....	.....	Mr. Renshaw	5 June	Not to be printed.	
Report	of Commissioner appointed to inquire into proposal to extend the Boundaries of the Municipality of Balranald and to convert the Municipality into a Shire.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	5 June	Not to be printed.	
Notification	for Tarce-Wingham Water Supply—Service Reservoir.	.....	Mr. McGrath	5 June	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land and/or easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of— (i) Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for— (a) Water Supply Purposes—Warragamba Dam; (b) Water Main—Engadine. (c) Water Reservoir—Windsor. (ii) Forestry Act, 1916-1951, for— (a) Jenolan State Forest No. 631. (b) Nalbough State Forest No. 129. (iii) Public Hospitals Act, 1929-1943, for Albury Base Hospital.	.....	Mr. McGrath	5 June	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Associated Catholic Charities. Beverley Park Crippled Children's Home, Campbelltown. Burruga Catholic Church. Citizens' T.B. League of New South Wales. Maitland and District Police-Citizens Boys' Club. St. George-Sutherland District Ambulance. St. Stanislaus' College War Memorial. Tamut District Ambulance. Wagga District Ambulance and 2WG Old People's Homes. Western Suburbs District Ambulance.	.....	Mr. Kelly	6 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Stock Diseases Act, 1923-1934	Mr. Graham	6 June	Not to be printed.	

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Notifications	of acquisition of easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-1954, for the construction and maintenance of Electricity Transmission Lines between— (i) Junee and Temora. (ii) Homebush and Tullawarra (Homebush-Lugarno Section). (iii) Carlingford and Lithgow.	Mr. Renshaw	6 June	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended for the purposes of the Ministry of Transport Act, 1932, as amended, confirming the Commissioner for Railways' title to land acquired and used in connection with the line of railway from Flemington to Belmore and Wardell-road to Glebe Island and Darling Island.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	6 June	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land and easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of— (i) Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for— (a) Water Reservoirs—Windsor. (b) Duck River Sewer Submain Extension. (ii) Forestry Act, 1916-1951, for State Forest—Cravens Creek. (iii) Public Hospitals Act, 1929-1943, for Rachael Forster Hospital for Women and Children.	.....	Mr. McGrath	6 June	Not to be printed.	
By-law	under the Hunter District Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1938-1952.	.....	Mr. Cahill	7 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Maritime Services Act, 1955-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	7 June	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	under the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924-1954.	.....	Mr. Cahill	7 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the State Lotteries Act, 1930 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	7 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	7 June	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Bourke War Memorial Olympic Swimming Pool. Canterbury-Bankstown District Ambulance. Cathedral of St. Michael and St. John, Bathurst—Restoration Fund. Cooma District Hospital and Commercial Travellers' Club Fund. Goulburn Catholic Churches Building Fund. Grace Bros. Employees Hospital Fund. Loreto Home of Compassion Auxiliary, Wagga. Mercy Hospital Building Fund, Albury. Molong Catholic School and Church Building Fund. Mullumbimby Apex Club. Norwegian Seamen's Church Fund. Royal South Sydney Hospital—Rehabilitation Centre. St. Brigit's Convent Building Fund, Temora. St. George Festival of Flowers for various Charities. St. Mary's Athletic Society. Smith Family.	Mr. Kelly	7 June	Not to be printed.	

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Balance-sheets— <i>continued</i>	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Wagga Wagga and District Chamber of Commerce Community Advancement Fund. Wee Waa Catholic Church Building Fund. Western Suburbs District Ambulance. West Wyalong Rotary Club.	Mr. Kelly	7 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Enticknap	7 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Enticknap	7 June	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended, and the Transport (Division of Functions) Act, 1932, as amended, of acquisition of land and easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for— (a) Water Main—South Randwick. (b) Water Supply Purposes—Warragamba Dam.	.....	Mr. McGrath	7 June	Not to be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain primary school teachers, Department of Technical Education.	.....	Mr. Heffron	12 June	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Technical Education and New South Wales University of Technology Act, 1949, at Daceyville.	.....	Mr. Heffron	12 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Co-operation Act, 1923-1954 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	12 June	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Leston District Ambulance. Lewisham High School War Memorial. Maitland Dominican Sisters' Novitiate. Maitland Spastic Centre Bus Appeal. Murray Valley District Ambulance. North Coast and Tablelands Ex-Servicemen's Rest and Convalescent Home. Red Cross Christmas Appeal. St. Catherine's Villa Building Fund. St. Francis War Memorial and Retreat House, Wahroonga (No. 4). Temora Soldiers' Memorial Band.	.....	Mr. Kelly	12 June	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Commissioner for Railways for the quarter ended 31st December, 1955.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	12 June	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Traffic secured to Railway Transport by the exercise of the powers conferred on the Railway Commissioner under section 24 (3) and (4) of the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, for the month of April, 1956.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	12 June	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for Water Supply Purposes—Warragamba Dam.	.....	Mr. McGrath	12 June	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Citizens' T.B. League Limited. City of Maitland Elsteddfod. House that Jack Built, No. 6, for various Charities. Orange Cherry Blossom Festival Association. St. Joseph's Poor School. St. Vincent's Church Building Fund, Collarenebri. South Moulamain Recreation Reserve. Tamworth Police-Citizens Boys' Club. Winter Olympic Ice Skating and Ice Hockey Fund. Woollahra Lions Club Ambulance Fund.	.....	Mr. Kelly	13 June	Not to be printed.	
Rules of Court	made by the Judges of the Supreme Court .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	13 June	Not to be printed.	
Rule of the Barristers Admission Board	under the Legal Practitioners Act, 1898-1954 .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	13 June	Not to be printed.	
By-law	under the Sydney Corporation Act, 1932-1947, deemed to be an Ordinance under the Local Government Act, 1919 .....	.....	Mr. Renshaw	13 June	Not to be printed.	
Ordinances	under the Local Government Act, 1919 .....	.....	Mr. Renshaw	13 June	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1949, at Maitland .....	.....	Mr. Lands	13 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Nott	13 June	Not to be printed.	
Proclamation	under the Police Offences (Amendment) Act, 1908, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	14 June	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Blayney Catholic Church. Hub of the West No. 3 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	14 June	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-1954, for Ku-ring-gai to Warringah Transmission Line .....	.....	Mr. Renshaw	19 June	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for Coolabah Water Supply .....	.....	Mr. McGrath	19 June	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for Water Supply Purposes—Warragamba Dam .....	.....	Mr. McGrath	19 June	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 21 June, 1956.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

1956.
(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 2.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 1, dated 21st June, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Burwood Police-Citizens Boys' Club and Children's Homes. Passionist Fathers, New Guinea Missions. War Veterans' Home (No. 9).	.....	Mr. Kelly	1956. 3 July	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Pharmacy Board for 1955 .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	3 July	To be printed.	
Report	of the Public Accountants' Registration Board for 1955 .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	3 July	To be printed.	
Rules of Court	on the working of the Companies Act, 1936, for 1955 .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	3 July	To be printed.	
Notifications	made by the Judges of the Supreme Court .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	3 July	Not to be printed.	
	of acquisition of easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-54, for Electricity Transmission Lines between— (i) Maitland and Singleton. (ii) Penrith and Warragamba. (iii) Fairfield and Blacktown.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	3 July	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	under the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955 .....	.....	Mr. Enticknap	3 July	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended, and Transport (Division of Functions) Act, 1932, as amended. under the Mines Inspection Act, 1901-1945 .....	.....	Mr. Enticknap	3 July	Not to be printed.	
Proclamation	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with certain lands under section 25 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	3 July	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices	of the Lord Howe Island Board for 1955 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	3 July	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Finley War Memorial Swimming Pool. Maitland and District Police-Citizens Boys' Club. Sub-Normal Children's Welfare Association.	.....	Mr. Kelly	4 July	To be printed.	
Balance-sheets .....		.....	Mr. Kelly	4 July	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
By-laws Statements	under the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, of Traffic secured to Railway Transport by the exercise of the powers conferred on the Commissioner for Railways under section 24 (3) and (4) of the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, for the month of May, 1956.	.....	Mr. Enticknap Mr. Enticknap	1956. 4 July 4 July	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	.....
Regulations Regulations Notification	under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended under the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1954 of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1949, at Lismore.	.....	Mr. Enticknap Mr. Landa Mr. Landa	4 July 4 July 4 July	Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	.....
Regulation Copy Minutes	under the Closer Settlement Acts of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments of probationers of certain persons as Medical Officers, Department of Public Health.	.....	Mr. Nott Mr. Sheahan	4 July 5 July	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	.....
Copy Statement	of Estimated Expenditure by the Maritime Services Board of New South Wales from the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund in excess of that appropriated by Parliament during the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill	10 July	Not to be printed.	.....
Proclamation	under the Government Savings Bank Act, 1906, and the Government Savings Bank Amendment Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Cahill	10 July	Not to be printed.	.....
Copy Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointment of probationers of Mr. D. W. Hain, B.Sc., Department of Local Government.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	10 July	Not to be printed.	.....
Notifications	of acquisition of easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-1954, for— (a) Cowra-Grenfell Electricity Transmission Line. (b) Carlingford-Lithgow Electricity, Transmission Line and Carlingford-Lake Macquarie Electricity Transmission Lines Nos. 1 and 2.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	10 July	Not to be printed.	.....
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for Sewage Treatment Works—South Wollongong.	Mr. McGrath	10 July	Not to be printed.

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 12th July, 1956.

HOWARD FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 3.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 2, dated 12th July, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulation	under the Lord Howe Island Act, 1953 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	1956.	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheet.....	of Art Union under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of Cootamundra Citizens' Organisation.	.....	Mr. Kelly	11 July	Not to be printed.	
Report	by the Minister for Co-operative Societies respecting Agreements entered into by the Colonial Treasurer with Co-operative Building Societies under section 17A of the Co-operation Act, 1923-1950, for the quarters commencing 1st October, 1955, and 1st January, 1956.	.....	Mr. Kelly	17 July	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, confirming the Commissioner for Railways' title to land at Picton.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	17 July	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Commissioner for Railways for the quarter ended 31st March, 1956.	Mr. Enticknap	17 July	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 19th July, 1956.

HOWARD FOWLES,
Chairman.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 4.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 3, dated 19th July, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy of Statement	of Estimated Expenditure from the Government Railways Fund in excess of that appropriated by Parliament during the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill	1956. 24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Maritime Services Act, 1936-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the University of Sydney under the University and University Colleges Act, 1900-1952.	.....	Mr. Hefron	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
Copy of Minute	of the Public Services Board respecting the appointments, on promotion, of certain persons as Teachers, Department of Public Instruction.	.....	Mr. Hefron	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Public Instruction Act, 1880, at— Bellingen. Belmont South. Blacktown North. Bulla burra. Cabramatta. Canterbury. Cringila. Crow's Nest. Dee Why. Dungog. Fairvale. Fern Bay. Frederickton. Gosford East. Hay. Henwood Park. Leppington. Lenmeah. Liverpool (Marsden-road). Mountain View. Narellan. Penrith South. Quaker's Hill. Rooty Hill. Sodwalls. Tumut. Walcha. Wallsend South (Jubilee-road).	.....	Mr. Hefron	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulation	under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	1956	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Theatres and Public Halls Act, 1908-1954 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Albury Concert Hall. Bega Apex Club (Swimming Pool Fund). Civilian Maimed and Limbless Association of New South Wales. Griffith District Ambulance and Griffith Sub-Branch of the R.S.A.I.L.A. Liverpool District Ambulance.	.....	Mr. Kelly	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
Proclamation	under the Milk Act, 1931-1942 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Pastures Protection Act, 1934-1955 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
Ordinances	under the Local Government Act, 1919 .....	.....	Mr. Renshaw	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
By-law	under the Sydney Corporation Act, 1932-1947, deemed to be an Ordinance under the Local Government Act, 1919.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	
Copy of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons as Soil Conservationists, Department of Conservation.	Mr. Wetherell	24 July, 1956	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 26th July, 1956.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 5.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 4 dated 26th July, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Notifications	of acquisition of land and/or easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of—	.....	Mr. McGrath	1956. 29 July	Not to be printed.	
	(i) Land Acquisition (Charitable Institutions) Act, 1948—University of New England.					
	(ii) Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924—1954—Narrabeen Sewer Submain.					
Notification	of acquisition of easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended—Fish River Water Supply Scheme—Pipeline to Lidsdale Service Reservoir.	.....	Mr. McGrath	26 July	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1949, at— Coonabarabran. Coctanundra. Orange.	.....	Mr. Landa	26 July	Not to be printed.	
Proclamation	under the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1954					
Regulations	under the Scaffolding and Lifts Act, 1912-1948					
Copy Report	of the Industrial Registrar for 1954					
Copy Report	of the Department of Labour and Industry on the working of the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1954, for 1955.					
Regulations	under the Harbour and Tonnage Rates Act, 1920-1953					
Regulations	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900-1953, and the Maritime Services Act, 1935-1953.					
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended for the purposes of the Technical Education and New South Wales University of Technology Act, 1948, for Technical College at Woy Woy.	.....	Mr. Cahill	31 July	Not to be printed.	
			Mr. Cahill	31 July	Not to be printed.	
			Mr. Heffron	31 July	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Report Minutes Notification	of the Council of the University of New England for 1955..... of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Public Instruction of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended for— (i) Mount Penang Training School for Boys; and (ii) Fish River Water Supply Scheme.	..... ..... .....	Mr. Heffron Mr. Heffron Mr. McGrath	31 July 31 July 31 July	To be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Regulation Notifications	under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949..... of acquisition of land and/or easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-1954, for— (i) Greensacre Park Substation. (ii) Jemalong West Substation. (iii) Lawson-Wallerawang Electricity Transmission Line	..... ..... .....	Mr. Kelly Mr. Renshaw	1 August 1 August	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 2nd August, 1956.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

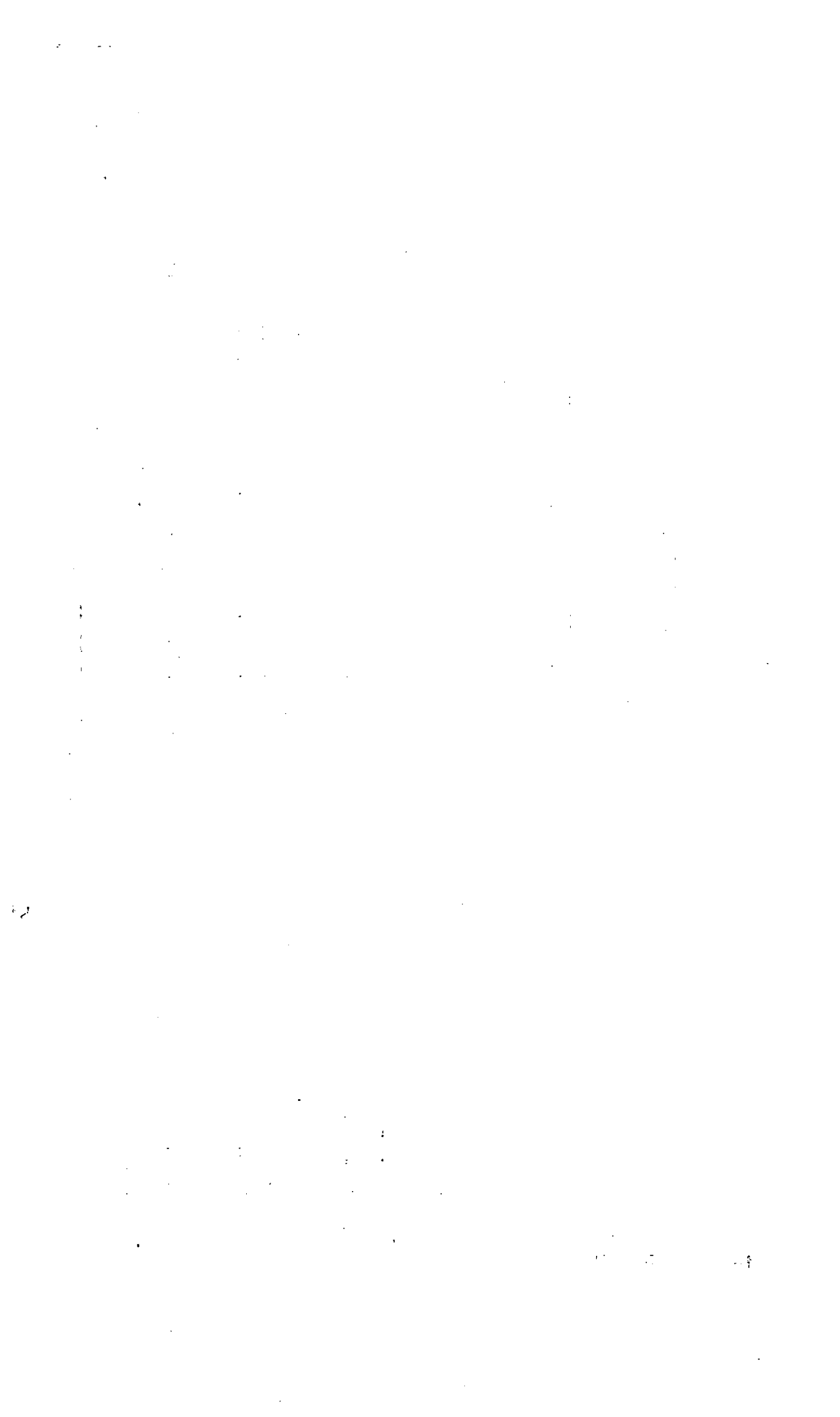
REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sesssional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 5 dated 2nd August, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointment, on probation, of Mr. K. G. Wood, B.Sc., as Assistant Geologist, Department of Mines.	.....	Mr. Nott	1956. 7 August	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers Superannuation Fund and the Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers Compensation Subsidy Fund, together with Statements of Accounts and Balance-sheets, for the year ended 30th June, 1955.	.....	Mr. Nott	7 August	To be printed.	
Official Visitors' Report	upon Frederick Mander, whose admission to Callan Park Mental Hospital was the subject of an article published in "The Sun" Newspaper on 31st July, 1956.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	8 August	Not to be printed.	
Official Visitors' Report	upon Joseph Patrick Coffey who was admitted to Callan Park Mental Hospital on 25th August, 1953.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	8 August	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Associated Catholic Charities. Central Broken Hill Football Club Building Fund. St. George Branch of the Sub-Normal Children's Welfare Association.	.....	Mr. Kelly	8 August	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Accounts and Balance-sheet of the State Brickworks for the year ended 31st March, 1956.	Mr. McGrath	8 August	To be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 9th August, 1956.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.



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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 7.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 6 dated 9th August, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulations Notification	under the Ambulance Transport Service Act, 1919-1951, as amended, for the purpose of easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purpose of maintaining the traffic on the existing line of railway between Sydney and Kiama at Wollongong.		Mr. Sheahan Mr. Enticknap	1956. 9 August 9 August	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	by the Minister for Co-operative Societies respecting Agreements entered into by the Colonial Treasurer with Co-operative Building Societies under section 171 of the Co-operation Act, 1923-1954 for the quarter commencing 1st April, 1956.		Mr. Kolly	21 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulations Ordinances Copy of Statement	under the Marketing of Primary Products Act, 1927-1940, under the Local Government Act, 1919, of Accounts and Balance-sheet of the Sydney County Council for 1955.		Mr. Graham Mr. Renshaw Mr. Renshaw	21 August 21 August 21 August	Not to be printed. Not to be printed. To be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-1954, for Orange-Dubbo Electricity Transmission Line under the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955.		Mr. Renshaw	21 August	Not to be printed.	
By-law Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the erection of a Court House and Police Station and Residence at Belmont.		Mr. Enticknap Mr. McGrath	21 August 21 August	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the River Murray Waters Act, 1915-1949, for Hume Reservoir.		Mr. McGrath	21 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Irrigation Act, 1912, as amended, at Moree.		Mr. Wethersall	21 August	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.	
Abstracts	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated for public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 24 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913. setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with certain land under section 25 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913. under the Mine Subsidence Act, 1928-1951 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	1956. 21 August	Not to be printed.		
Gazette Notices		of the proceedings of the Conference of Commonwealth and State Ministers, held at Canberra on 28th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Nott	21 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulations Copy Report		of Inquiry by Electoral Commissioner into allegations that absentee votes in the Electoral District of Young were not counted in the General Election, 1956.	.....	Mr. Nott Mr. Cahill.....	21 August	Not to be printed. To be printed.	
Copy Report		of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of Forestry Act, 1916-1951—Mount Royal State Forest No. 297.	.....	Mr. Kelly	22 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	Mr. McGrath	22 August	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 23rd August, 1956.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 8.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 7 dated 23rd August, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Statement .....		.....	Mr. Sheahan	1956. 23 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	by the Director-General of Public Health on the production and distribution of the Salk Poliomylitis Vaccine.	.....	Mr. Nott	23 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Closer Settlement Acts .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 August	Not to be printed.	
Report	under the Prickly Pear Act, 1924-1944 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	28 August	To be printed.	
	of the Commissioner of Taxation on the working of the several Taxation Acts covering (a) State Income Tax; (b) Unemployment Relief Tax and Social Services Tax; and (c) Special Income Tax and Wages Tax, for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Graham	28 August	Not to be printed.	
By-law	under the Meat Industry Act, 1915-1952 .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	28 August	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the New South Wales State Nutrition Committee for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	28 August	Not to be printed.	
Copy of Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Public Health.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	28 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Enticknap	28 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended, and the Transport (Division of Functions) Act, 1932, as amended.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	28 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the State Transport (Co-ordination) Act, 1931, as amended...	.....	Mr. Enticknap	28 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Motor Vehicles (Third Party Insurance) Act, 1942 as amended.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	28 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Long Service Leave Act, 1955 .....	.....	Mr. Landa	28 August	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	together with Statement of Accounts, of the Mine Subsidence Board for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Nott	28 August	To be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of—	.....	Mr. Kelly	1956? 29 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	Citizens' T.B. League Ltd. Coombs District Ambulance Service. Hub of the West (No. 4) .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	29 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	Eastern Suburbs Police-Citizens Boys' Club. Furlough House, Narrabeen. New South Wales Society for Crippled Children and Motion Picture Industry Benevolent Society.	.....	Mr. Kelly	29 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	under the Sunday Trading (Refreshment Rooms) Act, 1916. under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949. of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Land Acquisition (Charitable Institutions) Act, 1946, for Royal Alexandra Hospital for Children. of acquisition of easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Metropolitan Water Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for Water Main—Thirroul. relating to the Clarence River Basin Oil Exploration Co., N.L. by the Public Service Board under Section 9 of the Public Service Act, 1902, into the circumstances surrounding the severance of the amalgamation of certain mineral leases held by Broken Hill South Limited and their transfer to Barrier Central Pty. Limited.	.....	Mr. McGrath	29 August	Not to be printed.	
Departmental Files .....		.....	Mr. Nott	29 August	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	Mr. Nott	29 August	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 30th August, 1956.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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NEW SOUTH WALES

No. 9.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 8 dated 30th August, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Report Regulations Rule Balance-sheets	of the Broken Hill Water Board for 1955 under the Public Service Act, 1902 under the Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended. of Art. Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Broken Hill Apex Club—Aged Persons Rest Centre. Hay War Memorial Hall. Kiama Surf Life Saving Club. Royal Blind Society of New South Wales.		Mr. McGrath Mr. Cahill Mr. Cahill Mr. Kelly	1956. 30 August 4 September 4 September 4 September	To be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Regulations Notifications	under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949 of acquisition of easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity (Commission) Act, 1950-1954, for Electricity Transmission Lines between— (i) Blacktown and Lawson; (ii) Carlingsford and Lithgow.		Mr. Kelly Mr. Renshaw	4 September 4 September	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Proclamation Notification	under the Local Government Act, 1919 of acquisition of easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for works in connection with Buronga Irrigation Ages.		Mr. Renshaw Mr. Wetherell	4 September 4 September	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Regulation Regulations Notification	under the War Service Land Settlement Act, 1941. under the Public Service Act, 1902 of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, and the Ministry of Transport Act, 1932, as amended, for the purpose of maintaining traffic on the existing line of railway between Central and Tempe, at Alexandria.		Mr. Nott Mr. Cahill Mr. Enticknap	4 September 5 September 5 September	Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Statement	of Traffic secured to Railway Transport by the exercise of the powers conferred on the Commissioner for Railways under section 24 (3) and (4) of the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, for the month of July, 1956. of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1949, at Unanderra and Yass. together with msp, of the Department of Mines for 1955..... together with Statements of Accounts, of the Hunter Valley Conservation Trust for 1955.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	1956. 5 September	Not to be printed.	
Notifications .....		.....	Mr. Landa	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Report .....		.....	Mr. Nott	5 September	To be printed.	
Copy Report .....		.....	Mr. Wetherell	5 September	To be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,

Sydney, 6th September, 1956.

W. A. CHAFFEY,
Acting Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 9, dated 6th September, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Statement	of Receipts and Payments of the Police Superannuation and Reward Fund for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	1956, 11 September	To be printed.	
Rules	under the Totalizator Act, 1916-1952 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	11 September	Not to be printed.	
Copy of Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointment, on probation, of Mr. S. W. Mann, B.A., Department of Public Health.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	11 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Pure Food Act, 1908-1953, together with departmental file relating thereto.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	11 September	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for Water Supply Purposes at— (i) Warragamba Dam. (ii) French's Forest.	.....	Mr. McGrath	11 September	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with certain land under section 25 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Noté	11 September	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Australian Rifle Team for Bisley, England. Mother of Mercy Novitiate, Parkes. Newcastle Police-Citizens Boys' Club. Quirindi District Ambulance. Royal Prince Alfred Hospital Auxiliary. Doctor's Residence, Urana.	.....	Mr. Kelly	12 September	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 13th September, 1956.

JOHN McMAHON,
Acting Chairman.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 10, dated 13th September, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1949, at Woollahra.	.....	Mr. Lands	1956. 13 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-1954, for Electricity Transmission Line between Carlingford and Lake Macquarie.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	13 September	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Expenditure from the Government Railways Fund in excess of that appropriated by Parliament during the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	18 September	Not to be printed.	
Rules of Court	made by the Judges of the Supreme Court .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	18 September	Not to be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons as Teachers, Department of Technical Education.	.....	Mr. Heffron	18 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Technical Education and New South Wales University of Technology Act, 1949, at Manly.	.....	Mr. Heffron	18 September	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the University of Sydney under the University and University Colleges Act, 1900-1952.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	18 September	Not to be printed.	
Copy of Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointment, on probation, of Mr. C. H. Packham, Department of Local Government.	.....	Mr. McGrath	18 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended for the purposes of the Forestry Act, 1916-1951, for Whiporie State Forest No. 928.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	21 August	To be printed.	
Report	of the Hospitals Commission of New South Wales, together with Appendices, for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....			

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 20 September, 1956.

JOHN McMAHON,
Acting Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES,

No. 12.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 11 dated 20th September, 1956 as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Report	of the Trustees of the Public Library of New South Wales for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Heffron	1956. 20 September	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Enticknap	20 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Metropolitan Traffic Act, 1900, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Enticknap	20 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended, and Transport (Division of Functions) Act, 1932, as amended.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	20 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	25 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Bookmakers (Taxation) Act, 1917-1952 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	25 September	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Fauna Protection Panel for the year ended 30th June, 1956 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	25 September	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Fire Brigades Act, 1909-1956 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	25 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	25 September	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Blakehurst Parish Building Fund. De La Salle College Armidale Building Appeal. Mount Keira Diggers' Rest Home. St. Joseph's College War Memorial Swimming Pool.	.....	Mr. Kelly	25 September	Not to be printed.	
By-law	under the Meat Industry Act, 1915-1952 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	25 September	Not to be printed.	
Copy of Minute	of the Public Services Board respecting the appointment, on probation, of Mr. F. W. Ross, M.B., B.S., Department of Public Health.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	25 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Forestry Act, 1916-1951, at Sunny Corner State Forest No. 806.	.....	Mr. McGrath	25 September	Not to be printed.	
Certified copy	of a Supplementary Agreement between G. C. Brown and Company and Tumut Shire Council relating to a Franchise under the Local Government Act, 1919, granted by the said Council to the said G. C. Brown and Company for the supply of electricity and power within portion of the Shire of Tumut.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	26 September	Not to be printed.	
Ordinances	under the Local Government Act, 1919	Mr. Renshaw	26 September	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 27th September, 1956.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 13.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 12, dated 27th September, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Report	by the Superintendent of Traffic upon an application by the Orange Cherry Blossom Carnival Committee for permission to conduct motor racing on the Crook Blas Circuit on 1st October, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill	1956. 27 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Theatres and Public Halls Act, 1908-1954 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	27 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Stock Diseases Act, 1923-1934 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	27 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the following Railway purposes— (a) Confirming the Commissioner for Railways' title to land between Lidcombe and Regents Park. (b) Maintaining traffic on the existing line of railway between Central and Tempo—at Alexandria. (c) Construction of a Radio-Telephone Repeater Station at Newnes Junction.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	27 September	Not to be printed.	
Report	by Commissioner appointed to inquire into a proposal to divide the Shires of Coonabarabran, Coolah, Gulgong and Cudgong into three Shires.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	2 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	3 October	Not to be printed.	
Balances-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Casino Branch Country Women's Association. Golden West (No. 2)—Ambulance Services at Forbes and Parkes. North Dubbo Catholic Church Parochial Funds. Oaklands Memorial Hall.	.....	Mr. Kelly	3 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Physiotherapists Registration Act, 1945-1947 .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	3 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Enticknap	3 October	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulation	under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended, and the Transport (Division of Functions) Act, 1932, as amended.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	1956. 3 October	Not to be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Conservation.	.....	Mr. Enticknap, on behalf of Mr. Wetherell.	3 October	Not to be printed.	
Abstracts	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated for public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 24 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	3 October	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with certain land under section 25 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	3 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Mining Act, 1906-1952 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	3 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Petroleum Act, 1955	Mr. Nott	3 October	Not to be printed.	

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Sydney, 4th October, 1956.*

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 14.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 13, dated 4th October, 1956, as follows :—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Report	of the New South Wales Dairy Products Board, together with Statement of Accounts and Balance-sheet, for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Graham	1956. 9 October	To be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land and/or easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1949, at— Gilgandra. Goulburn. North Ryde.	.....	Mr. Landa	9 October	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Blayney Catholic Church. Hamling Appeal Fund. Mount Alverna Memorial Chapel and Retreat House. Roseville Sub-Branch of the R.S.S.A.I.L.A. Waverley College War Memorial Chapel Fund.	.....	Mr. Kelly	10 October	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Department of Agriculture for the year ended 30th June, 1956	.....	Mr. Graham.....	10 October	To be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Forestry Act, 1916-1951, for Billpaloola State Forest No. 817.	.....	Mr. McGrath	10 October	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1949, at Kingsford and Narrabri.	Mr. Landa	10 October	Not to be printed.	

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 15.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 14, dated 11th October, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Reports	of the Committee of Advice on Flood Control and Mitigation:— (v) Interim Report No. 5—The incidence and behaviour of the record flood in the Hunter Valley, February, 1955.	.....	Mr. Wetherell	1956. 10 October	Not to be printed.	Consideration deferred 11 October, 1956.
Report	of the Public Service Board for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill	16 October	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Public Service Act, 1902 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	16 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Stamp Duties Act, 1920-1956 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	16 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Harbour and Tonnage Rates Act, 1920-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill	16 October	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land and/or easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-1954, for— (a) Electricity Transmission Lines between— (i) Blacktown and Lawson. (ii) Chullora and Canterbury. (b) Sub-station at Condobolin.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	10 October	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Traffic secured to Railway Transport by the exercise of the powers conferred on the Railway Commissioner under section 24 (3) and (4) of the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, for the month of August, 1956.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	16 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1956 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	17 October	Not to be printed.	
Pre-Project Report	by Associate Professor R. Klar, Dr. R. H. Buchanan and Dr. G. H. Roper, together with Copy Report by the Joint Coal Board, upon Coal as a Raw Material in the Australian Chemical Industry, under the Local Government Act, 1919.	Mr. Nott	17 October	To be printed.	
Ordinance	Mr. Renshaw	17 October	Not to be printed.	

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Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 16.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 15, dated 18th October, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulation	under the Workers' Compensation Act, 1926-1954 .....	.....	Mr. Landa	1956. 18 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1954 .....	.....	Mr. Landa	18 October	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Proceedings of the Conference of Commonwealth and State Ministers, held at Canberra, on 16th and 17th August, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	23 October	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Crown Employees Appeal Board Act, 1944-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons as Teachers, Department of Technical Education.	.....	Mr. Heffron	23 October	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the University of Sydney under the University and University Colleges Act, 1900-1952.	.....	Mr. Heffron	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Library Board of New South Wales for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Heffron	23 October	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Marketing of Primary Products Act, 1927-1940.....	.....	Mr. Graham.....	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Pastures Protection Act, 1934-1955 .....	.....	Mr. Graham.....	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Copy of Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Public Health.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	23 October	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Report	of the Commissioner for Railways for the quarter ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	1956. 23 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the War Service Land Settlement Act, 1941 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Abstract	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated for public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 24 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with certain land under section 25 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Mining Act, 1906-1952 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Petroleum Act, 1955 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	23 October	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Commissioner for Government Transport for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	24 October	To be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Murrumbidgee Irrigation Area Resumption Act, 1910, as amended, for Gogeldrie Main Southern Drain, Yanco No. 1 Irrigation Area.	Mr. Wetherell	24 October	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 25th October 1956.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 17.
REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 16 dated 25th October, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Notifications	of acquisition of land and/or easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912, as amended, at Dundas and Tamworth.	.....	Mr. Landa	1956. 25 October	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the State Mines Control Authority, together with Statement of Accounts and Balance-sheets, and copies of Reports by the Managers of the State Coal Mines at Lithgow, Awaba, Liddell and Oakdale, for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Nott	25 October	To be printed.	
Second Report	Public Accounts Committee during the currency of the Thirty-eighth Parliament, together with Minutes of the Meeting held on 24th October, 1956.	.....	Mr. Murphy	25 October	To be printed.	
Police Report	Statements by certain persons and Crown Solicitor's Advising relating to an investigation into allegations of bribery respecting the lease of the Waratah Hotel, King's Cross, and franchise and rights of National Park amenities.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	30 October	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 October	To be printed.	
Regulation	under the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1953.....	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Fauna Protection Act, 1948 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 October	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Canterbury-Baukstown District Ambulance Service. Citizens T.B. League Limited. Griffith Waterwheel Festival. Manning District Ambulance Service.	.....	Mr. Kelly	30 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Milk Act, 1931-1942 .....	.....	Mr. Graham.....	30 October	Not to be printed.	
Statements	of Traffic secured to Railway Transport by the exercise of the powers conferred on the Railway Commissioner under section 24 (3) and (4) of the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, for the months of June and September, 1956.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	30 October	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Report	of the Sydney Harbour Transport Board, together with Statement of Accounts and Balance-sheet, for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Enticknap.....	1956. 30 October	To be printed.	
Report	of the Conservation Authority of New South Wales, together with Appendices, for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Wetherall	30 October	To be printed.	
Regulation	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913, as amended.....	.....	Mr. Nott	30 October	Not to be printed.	
Report	by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly upon discussions with the Clerk and Officers of the House of Commons on certain matters relating to Parliamentary Law and Procedure.	.....	Mr. Speaker	31 October	To be printed.	
Minute	recording Variation of Statute (Stamp Duties Act, 1920, as amended) in respect of the exemption from stamp duty of Bills of Exchange drawn outside New South Wales and lodged for credit of an account under control of either the Commonwealth Government or State Government.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Auditor-General on the Accounts of the University of Sydney for 1955.	.....	Mr. Heffron	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Auditor-General on the Accounts of the Council of the University of New England for 1955.	.....	Mr. Heffron	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons as Teachers, Department of Public Instruction.	.....	Mr. Heffron	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Public Instruction Act, 1880, at— Armidale East. Banksstown North. Panania, North. Pendle Hill. Birrong. Penrith North. Queanbeyan. Ryde. Camden. Cessnock North. Shoal Bay. Sylvania (Holt Road). Concord West. The Oaks. Glenroi Heights. Halekulani. Lane Cove West. Tuggerawang. Wollongong. Macaqurie Fields.	.....	Mr. Heffron	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Co-operation Act, 1923-1954 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Aborigines Protection Act, 1909-1943 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Lord Howe Island Act, 1953 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Aborigines Welfare Board for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Kelly	31 October	To be printed.	
Report	of the New South Wales Ambulance Transport Service Board, together with the Balance-sheet and Statement of Accounts, for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	Mr. Gollan	31 October	To be printed.	

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Sydney, 31st October, 1956.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 18.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 17, dated 31st October, 1956, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Report	of the Proceedings of the Conference of Commonwealth and State Ministers held at Canberra on 13th and 14th November, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	1957. 27 February	To be printed.	
Minutes	recording Variations of Statute (Stamp Duties Act, 1920-1956) in respect of the exemption from stamp duty of:— (a) Cheques issued by the Agricultural Societies' Council of New South Wales and affiliated Societies. (b) Personal Accident Policies covering flood rescue volunteers of the South Grafton Volunteer Water Brigade whilst engaged in carrying out rescue work.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Statement	respecting exemptions from stamp duty of any cheque or order drawn on the Rural Bank of New South Wales by or on behalf of non-profit making organisations.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheet.....	and Statement of Accounts of the Maritime Services Board for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	To be printed.	
Report	of the Commonwealth Auditor-General on the Accounts of the Joint Coal Board for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Land Tax Management Act, 1956	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act 1924-1954.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	under the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-1954.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Maritime Services Act, 1935-1953	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Harbour and Tonnage Rates Act, 1920-1953	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900-1953	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the State Lotteries Act, 1930	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Stamp Duties Act, 1920-1956	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Public Service Act, 1902	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Rule	under the Police Regulation Act, 1899, as amended	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Library Act, 1930-1952	.....	Mr. Heffron	27 February	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Report	of the Bursary Endowment Board for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. Heffron	1957. 27 February	To be printed.	
Copies of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Technical Education, of the Registrar of Friendly Societies for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. Heffron	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Report	by the Minister for Co-operative Societies respecting Agreements entered into by the Colonial Treasurer with Co-operative Building Societies under section 17A of the Co-operation Act, 1923-1954, for the quarters commencing 1st July, and 1st October, 1956.		Mr. Kelly	27 February	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949.		Mr. Kelly	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	by the Chief Secretary on Fisheries in New South Wales for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. Kelly	27 February	To be printed.	
Balance-sheet	and Statement of Accounts of the Metropolitan Meat Industry Board for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. Graham	27 February	To be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Grain Elevators Board for the period 1st March to 31st October, 1955.		Mr. Graham	27 February	To be printed.	
Report	of the Milk Board for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. Graham	27 February	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Marketing of Primary Products Act, 1927-1940.		Mr. Graham	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Plant Diseases Act, 1924		Mr. Graham	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Swine Branding Act, 1940		Mr. Graham	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Pastures Protection Act, 1934-1955		Mr. Graham	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Cattle Slaughtering and Diseased Animals and Meat Act, 1902-1953.		Mr. Graham	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Cattle Compensation Act, 1951-1956		Mr. Graham	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Fruit Cases Act, 1912-1936		Mr. Graham	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Hospitals Commission for the year ended 30th June, 1956		Mr. Sheahan	27 February	To be printed.	
Report	of the New South Wales State Cancer Council for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. Sheahan	27 February	To be printed.	
Copy of Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Public Health, under the Ambulance Transport Service Act, 1919-1956.		Mr. Sheahan	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Medical Practitioners Act, 1938-1956		Mr. Sheahan	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	and Proclamation under the Poisons Act, 1952-1956.		Mr. Sheahan	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Public Hospitals Act, 1929-1943		Mr. Sheahan	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Pure Food Act, 1908-1953		Mr. Sheahan	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Rules	made by the Members of the Baristers Admission Board under the Matrimonial Causes Act, 1899-1954		Mr. Sheahan	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Rules	under the Local Government Act, 1919		Mr. Sheahan	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Ordinances	under the Dividing Fences Act, 1951		Mr. Renshaw	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointment, on probation, of Mr. C. O'Connell, Department of Local Government of acquisition of land and/or easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the following Railway purposes:—		Mr. Renshaw	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Copy Minute	(a) Maintaining traffic on the existing line of Railway between Sydney and Albury at Moss Vale.		Mr. Renshaw	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	(b) Confirming the Commissioner for Railways' title to land at Kogarah.		Mr. Renshaw	27 February	Not to be printed.	
	(c) Constructing and maintaining an Electric High-tension Transmission Line between Lawson and Blaxland.		Mr. Enticknap	27 February	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
By-laws Statement	under the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955 of Traffic secured to Railway Transport by the exercise of the powers conferred on the Railway Commissioner under section 24 (3) and (4) of the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, for the months of October, November and December, 1956.		Mr. Enticknap Mr. Enticknap	1957. 27 February 27 February	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Commissioner for Railways for the quarter ended 30th September, 1956.		Mr. Enticknap	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Commissioner for Railways for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. Enticknap	27 February	To be printed.	
Regulation	under the Scaffolding and Lifts Act, 1912-1948		Mr. Landa	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1940, as amended		Mr. Landa	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Scheme	under the Workmen's Compensation (Broken Hill) Act, 1920-1953		Mr. Landa	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1954		Mr. Landa	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for water supply purposes—Warragamba Dam.		Mr. McGrath	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Broken Hill Water and Sewerage Act, 1938-1954, for water supply purposes—Broken Hill.		Mr. McGrath	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Forestry Act, 1916-1951, at Kiwarraak State Forest, No. 298.		Mr. McGrath	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Dumaresq-Barwon Border Rivers Commission for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. Wetherell	27 February	To be printed.	
Return	of amount expended under provisions of section 13 of the Forestry Act, 1916-1951, for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. Wetherell	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Hunter Valley Flood Mitigation Act, 1956.		Mr. Wetherell	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Irrigation Act, 1912, as amended		Mr. Wetherell	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	and Forms under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913, as amended.		Mr. Nott	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Closer Settlement Acts		Mr. Nott	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Returned Soldiers Settlement Act, 1916, as amended.		Mr. Nott	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Kosciuszko State Park Act, 1944-1952		Mr. Nott	27 February	Not to be printed.	
Proclamation	under the Police Offences (Amendment) Act, 1908, as amended		Mr. Kelly	28 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915, as amended		Mr. Kelly	28 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915, as amended, prepared by Edward Bennetts, Electoral Commissioner, in connection with the General Election held 3rd March, 1956.		Mr. Kelly	28 February	Not to be printed.	
Statistical Returns	under the provisions of the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act, 1912-1952.		Mr. Kelly	28 February	To be printed.	
Proclamation	under the Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers (Superannuation) Amendment Act, 1956.		Mr. Nott	28 February	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Explosives Act, 1905		Mr. Nott	28 February	Not to be printed.	
Return	to an Order made on 21st October, 1884—Authorities to Mine issued since January, 1882, under the Mining Act, 1874.		Mr. Nott	28 February	Not to be printed.	
Proclamations	under the Mining Act, 1906-1952		Mr. Nott	28 February	Not to be printed.	
Particulars	respecting the proposed acquisition by the Government for Closer Settlement purposes, of (a) "The Cuan Estate"; (b) Part "Fairview (b)" Estate; (c) "Mulgowrie" and part "Funny Hill" Estates; and (d) part "Red Hill" Estate.		Mr. Nott	28 February	Not to be printed.	Consideration deferred.

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Albury City Band. Ambulance Transport Services in the Crafston, Gunnedah, Kyogle, Kempsey, Tamworth and Lismore Districts. Citizens' T.B. League Limited (No. 16). Coff's Harbours Women's Auxiliary—Bellingen District Ambulance. Do La Salle Brothers Building Appeal. Eastern Suburbs and South Sydney Sub-normal Children's Welfare Association. Gileandra Catholic Church Funds. Murray Valley District Ambulance. Orange Catholic Hall Building Fund. Our Lady of Fatima School, Carlingbah. Pymont and Ultimo Catholic Parents and Friends Association. St. Catherine's Villa Building Fund. St. John of God Hospital, Belmont Park. St. Joseph's Convent Building Fund, Guildford. St. Joseph's School Building Fund, Narrandera. St. Mary's Reconstruction Building Fund, Adamantina. St. Mary's College Building Fund and Christian Brothers College Renovation Fund, Wollongong. Taree Cot Fund Organisation (Ambulance and Hospitals). Temple Emanuel War Memorial. War Veterans' Home (No. 10).	.....	Mr. Kelly	1957. 5 March	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Ministry of Transport Act, 1932, as amended, and for constructing and maintaining an Electric High-tension Transmission Line between Lawson and Blaxland.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	5 March	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Traffic secured to Railway Transport by the exercise of the powers conferred on the Railway Commissioner under section 24 (3) and (4) of the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, for the month of January, 1957.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	5 March	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1955, at— Canley Vale. Casino. Chullora. Cootamundra. Ernington. Gunnedah. Riverstone. Rydalmere. Seven Hills. Unanderra. Villawood. Ycoval.	.....	Mr. Landa	5 March	Not to be printed.	
Copy Minute	of the Executive Council respecting the acquisition of land under the Land Acquisition (Charitable Institutions) Act, 1946, for St. Margaret's Hospital, Sydney.	.....	Mr. Landa	5 March	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Technical Education and New South Wales University of Technology Act, 1949, at Sydney.	.....	Mr. Heffron	6 March	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Minutes	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointments, on probation, of certain persons as Teachers, Department of Public Instruction.	.....	Mr. Heffron	6 March	Not to be printed.	
By-law	of the University of Sydney under the University and University Colleges Act, 1900-1952.	.....	Mr. Heffron	6 March	Not to be printed.	
Copy Minute	probation, of Mr. A. A. Racek as Biologist, Chief Secretary's Department.	.....	Mr. Kelly	6 March	Not to be printed.	
Report	on the working of the Companies Act, 1936, for 1956.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	6 March	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1956	.....	Mr. Landa	6 March	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Department of Public Works for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	Mr. McGrath	6 March	To be printed.	

*Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 7th March, 1957.*

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 19.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 18, dated 28th February, 1957, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Particulars	respecting the proposed acquisition by the Government for Closer Settlement purposes, of (a) "The Cuan" Estate; (b) Part "Fairview (6)" Estate; (c) "Mulgowrie" and part "Funny Hill" Estates; and (d) part "Red Hill" Estate.	.....	Mr. Nott	1957. 28 February	To be printed	Consideration deferred from 28 Feb., 1957.
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Barrier Industrial Unions' Band. Forrest Hill Tennis Club Improvement and Building Programme. Marriekville Sub-Branch of the R.S.S.A.I.L.A. Building Fund. Mudgee Ambulance Transport Service. St. Fiaccres Church, Leichhardt. St. Johns College, Woodlawn. St. Mary's School, Corowa. Sub-normal Children's Welfare Association (No. 3). The Smith Family. Wagga Wagga District Ambulance and 2WG Old People's Homes.	.....	Mr. Kelly	7 March	Not to be printed.	
Copy Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointment, on probation, of certain persons, Department of Public Health.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	7 March	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the University of Sydney under the University and University Colleges Act, 1900-1952.	.....	Mr. Heffron	12 March	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
By-laws	of the University of New England under the University of New England Act, 1953, of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, and the Murrumbidgee Irrigation Area Resumption Act, 1910, as amended, for the purposes of the Murrumbidgee Irrigation Area. of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for works in connection with— (a) Construction of a water-conserving storage at Menindee. (b) Berrigun Provisional Domestic and Stock Water Supply and Irrigation District.	.....	Mr. Hefron	1957. 12 March	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....		.....	Mr. Wetherell	12 March	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	Mr. Wetherell	12 March	Not to be printed.	

*Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 14th March, 1957.*

H. T. FOWLES;
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 20.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 19 dated 14th March, 1957, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure of the New South Wales State Lotteries for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Heffron	1957. 14 March	To be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Joint Coal Board for the year ended 30th June, 1956 .....	.....	Mr. Heffron	14 March	To be printed.	
By-laws	under the Technical Education and New South Wales University of Technology Act, 1949-1955.	.....	Mr. Heffron	14 March	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Disbursements of the National Relief Fund of New South Wales for 1956.	.....	Mr. Kelly	14 March	To be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Armidale Police-Citizens Boys' Club. Associated Catholic Charities (No. 4). Bathurst Police-Citizens Boys' Club Building Fund. Citizens' T.B. League Limited (No. 17). Culcairn-Holbrook Catholic Schools. Macarthur District Ambulance, Fairfield Branch Building Fund. Our Lady of the Snows Convent Novitiate Building Fund. St. Stanislaus' College, Bathurst (No. 2). St. Joseph's Convent School, Engowra. St. Michael's and St. John's Cathedral, Bathurst, Restoration (No. 2). Sub-normal Children's Welfare Association (No. 2). Tamworth Senior Citizens' Centre. Taree Municipal Council River Bank Improvement Scheme. The Entrance-Long Jetty and District Community Hospital Appeal. Wee Wee Catholic Church. Western Suburbs' District Ambulance.	.....	Mr. Kelly	14 March	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
<p>Notifications</p>	<p>of acquisition of land and/or easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Commission Act, 1950-1954, for— (a) Electricity Transmission Lines between— (i) Blacktown and Lawson. (ii) Burringuck and Port Kembla, and Canberra and Goulburn. (iii) Canterbury and Bunnerong. (iv) Homebush and Tallawarra, No. 2. (v) Homebush and Tallawarra (Homebush-Lugarno Section). (vi) Ku-ring-gai and Warringah No. 1. (vii) Lake Macquarie and Waratah. (viii) Lake Macquarie and Waratah, No. 1. (ix) Ryde, Carlingford and Hornsby No. 2. (x) Wagga Wagga and Griffith, No. 1 and No. 2. (xi) Wagga Wagga and Hume. (b) Sub-stations at— (i) Balmain-Rozelle Zone. (ii) Castle Hill. (iii) Dubbo. (iv) Sydney North Zone. (v) Wagga Wagga. (vi) Yass.</p>	<p>.....</p>	<p>Mr. Renshaw</p>	<p>1957. 14 March</p>	<p>Not to be printed.</p>	
<p>Notification</p>	<p>(c) Canterbury-Homebush Underground Pilot Cables. of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended and the Ministry of Transport Act, 1932, as amended, for the purpose of maintaining traffic on the existing line of Railway between Sydney and Newcastle, at Cockle Creek. under the Government Railways Act, 1912, as amended under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909, as amended under the Metropolitan Traffic Act, 1900, as amended under the Transport Act, 1930, as amended under the Metropolitan Traffic Act, 1900, as amended recording variation of Statute (Motor Vehicles (Taxation) Act, 1951) in respect of reduction in the amount of tax payable by primary producers on tractors and trailers. of acquisition of land and/or easements under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended for the purposes of— (i) Fish River Water Supply Scheme—Rydal Storage Reservoir. (ii) Public Hospitals Act, 1929-1943, for Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital. (iii) Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for Sewerage purposes at Earlwood. (iv) Hunter District Water Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1938-1952, for Water Main at Charlestown. (v) Forestry Act, 1916-1951, for Bernagui State Forest No. 142.</p>	<p>.....</p>	<p>Mr. Enticknap</p>	<p>14 March</p>	<p>Not to be printed.</p>	
<p>By-law Regulations</p> <p>Regulations</p> <p>Regulations</p> <p>Minute</p>	<p>.....</p>	<p>.....</p>	<p>Mr. Enticknap</p>	<p>14 March</p>	<p>Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed.</p>	
<p>Notification</p>	<p>.....</p>	<p>.....</p>	<p>Mr. McGrath</p>	<p>14 March</p>	<p>Not to be printed.</p>	
<p>Gazette Notices</p>	<p>setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with certain land under section 25 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.</p>	<p>.....</p>	<p>Mr. Nott</p>	<p>14 March</p>	<p>Not to be printed.</p>	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid on Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by Committee.	Remarks.
Abstracts	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated for public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 24 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	14 March	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Trustees of Captain Cook's Landing Place for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Nott	14 March .....	.....	Consideration deferred.
Regulations	under the Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935-1949 .....	.....	Mr. Kelly .....	.....	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Australian Postal Institute (No. 2).	.....	Mr. Kelly	27 March	Not to be printed.	
Notification	Berrina District Agricultural, Horticultural and Industrial Society. Grace Bros. Pty. Ltd. Employees' Hospital Ball Appeal. Mullumbimby Apex Club (No. 4). Queanbeyan District Ambulance. Wahroonga Nursery School.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	27 March	Not to be printed.	
By-law	of acquisition of land under the Ministry of Transport Act, 1932 as amended, and the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purpose of maintaining traffic on the existing line of Railway between Sydney and Bourke—near Wellington.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	27 March	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Traffic secured to Railway Transport by the exercise of the powers conferred on the Commissioner for Railways under section 24 (3) and (4) of the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955, for the month of February, 1957.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	27 March	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1956 .....	.....	Mr. Landa	27 March	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Seafolding and Lifts Act, 1912-1948 .....	.....	Mr. Landa	27 March	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land and easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for Fish River Water Supply Scheme—Hydral Storage Reservoir.	.....	Mr. McGrath	27 March	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land and/or easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of— (i) Public Hospitals Act, 1929-1943, for Corowa Hospital. (ii) Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for Stormwater Drain—Marriekville. (iii) Hunter District Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1938-1952, for Water Main—Kotaru.	.....	Mr. McGrath	27 March	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with certain land under section 25 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	27 March	Not to be printed.	
Abstract	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated for public purposes in accordance with the provisions of section 24 of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Nott	27 March	Not to be printed.	
Report	by the Registrar upon the Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers' Superannuation Fund, and the Coal and Oil Shale Mine Workers' Compensation Subsidy Fund, together with Statements of Accounts and Balance-sheets, for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	Mr. Nott	27 March	To be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 28th March, 1957.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 21.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 20, dated 28th March, 1957, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Report	of the Trustees of Captain Cook's Landing Place for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Nott	14 March	To be printed.	Consideration deferred from 28 March, 1957.
Notification	of acquisition of easement under the Public Works Act, 1912 as amended, for Griffith Water Supply Service Reservoir.	.....	Mr. McGrath	28 March	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended for the purposes of— (i) Public Hospitals Act, 1929-1943, for— (a) Royal Newcastle Hospital. (b) Bateman's Bay District Hospital. (ii) Metropolitan Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1924-1954, for Water Storage Reservoir—Warragamba Dam.	.....	Mr. McGrath	28 March	Not to be printed.	
Copy Report	of the Industrial Registrar for 1955 .....	.....	Mr. Landa	28 March	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Nott	28 March	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the University of Sydney under the University and University Colleges Act, 1900-1952.	.....	Mr. Heffron	2 April	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Brigidine Convent St. Ives Novitiate (No. 1). Cronulla Apex Club Charities Account. Jerilderie (Eastern Park) Public Recreation Reserve Fund. Moree Amateur Swimming Club Building Fund. Mudgee Police-Citizens Boys' Club. Parramatta War Memorial Swimming Centre Appeal Fund. Tweed District Ambulance. West Pyrmble War Memorial Community Centre.	.....	Mr. Kelly	2 April	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Copy Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointment, on probation, of Mr. N. T. Yeomans, M.B., B.S., B.Sc., as Medical Officer, Department of Public Health.	.....	Mr. Sheahan	1957. 2 April	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Justices Act, 1902-1955 .....	.....	Mr. Sheahan	2 April	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Dried Fruits Act, 1939-1951 .....	.....	Mr. Graham	2 April	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land and/or easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of— (i) Forestry Act, 1916-1951, for— (c) Green Hills State Forest No. 657. (b) Narrandera State Forest No. 786. (ii) Hunter District Water Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1938-1952, for Stormwater Channel—Monash Street, New Lambton.	.....	Mr. McGrath	2 April	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Trustees of Ku-ring-gai Chase Trust for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Nott	2 April	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Forestry Act, 1916-1951 .....	.....	Mr. Wetherell	2 April	Not to be printed.	
Regulation	under the Irrigation Act, 1912, as amended .....	.....	Mr. Wetherell	2 April	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Rivers and Foreshores Improvement Act, 1948, as amended, at Muswellbrook.	.....	Mr. Wetherell	2 April	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land and easement under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of— (i) Forestry Act, 1916-1951, for Moryia State Forest No. 907. (ii) Hunter District Water, Sewerage and Drainage Act, 1938-1952, for Stormwater Channel—Newcastle.	Mr. McGrath	3 April	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 4th April, 1957,

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 22.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 21, dated 4th April, 1957, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulation Regulation Notifications	under the Land Tax Management Act, 1956 under the Justices Act, 1902-1955 of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1955, at Gunnedah and St. Mary's.		Mr. Cahill Mr. Sheahan Mr. Landa	1957. 4 April 4 April 4 April	Not to be printed. Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Report	of the River Murray Commission for the year ended 30th June, 1956.		Mr. McGrath	4 April	To be printed.	
Balance-sheets	of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Catholic Club for Seafarers (No. 3). Holy Cross College, Ryde. Kempsey District Ambulance. Port Macquarie Surf Life Saving Club.		Mr. Kelly	9 April	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Dried Fruits Board together with statement of accounts for 1956.		Mr. Graham	9 April	To be printed.	
By-law Balance-sheets	under the Government Railways Act, 1912-1955 of Art Unions under the Lotteries and Art Unions Act, 1901, as amended, in aid of— Garrie Surf Life Saving Club Building and Boat Fund. Lewisham Hospital. St. Anne's Primary School, North Albury. St. George District Eisteddfod Society (No. 1). St. Monica's School, Parramatta (No. 1). The Smith Family, Cootamundra.		Mr. Enticknap Mr. Kelly	9 April 10 April	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Rule of Court	made by the Judges of the Supreme Court under the provisions of the Matrimonial Causes Act, 1899-1954.		Mr. Sheahan	10 April	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulation	under the Factories and Shops Act, 1912-1956 .....	.....	Mr. Landa	1957.	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900-1953 .....	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	10 April	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Commissioners of the Rural Bank of New South Wales for the year ended 30th June, 1956.	.....	Mr. Cahill.....	11 April	To be printed.	
Ordinances	under the Local Government Act, 1919 .....	.....	Mr. Renshaw	11 April	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of acquisition of easement under the Electricity Commission Act, amended, for the purposes of the Electricity Transmission Act, 1950-1954, for Liverpool-Minto Electricity Transmission Line.	.....	Mr. Renshaw	11 April	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of rescission of resumption of easement under the Ministry of Transport Act, 1932, as amended, and the Public Works Act 1912, as amended, for the purposes of the Government Railways Act, 1912, as amended, at Kotara.	.....	Mr. Enticknap	11 April	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of acquisition of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, as amended for the purposes of the Housing Act, 1912-1955, at Cootamundra, Goulburn and Windsor.	Mr. Enticknap	11 April	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 11th April, 1957.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 23.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 19th June, 1956, Votes No. 12, Entry 8, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 22, dated 11th April, 1957, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulations Minutes	under the Public Service Act, 1902, as amended recording Variations of Statute (Stamp Duties Act, 1920-1956) in respect of the exemption from stamp duty of— (a) receipts for payments of boarding-out allowances to foster parents of wards of the Aborigines Welfare Board. (b) Tenancy agreements with Housing Commission tenants of the Public Service Board respecting the appointment, on probation, of Mr. W. B. Grant, M.B., B.S., as medical officer, Department of Public Health.	..... .....	Mr. Cahill..... Mr. Cahill.....	1957. 16 April 16 April	Not to be printed. Not to be printed.	
Copy Minute	Mr. Sheahan	16 April	Not to be printed.	

Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 17th April, 1957.

H. T. FOWLES,
Chairman.

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PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES

Parliamentary Law and Procedure

Report by the Clerk of the Legislative
Assembly upon discussions with the Clerk
and Officers of the House of Commons
on certain matters relating to Parliamentary
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PARLIAMENTARY LAW AND PROCEDURE.

Report upon Discussions between the Clerk of the House of Commons, Sir Edward Fellowes, K.C.B., C.M.G., M.C., and his Officers and the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, Mr. Allan Pickering, M.B.E., M.Ec., on certain matters relating to Parliamentary Law and Procedure and Observations upon the Working of the House of Commons.

May-June, 1956.

To The Honourable

The Speaker of the

Legislative Assembly of New South Wales.

During my recent official visit to the House of Commons, discussions were held with the Clerk of the House of Commons and his Officers on matters relating to Parliamentary Law and Procedure and observations made at sittings of the House. Some details of the information and experience gained by me are here recorded by way of report to you as Speaker and in the hope of being of value to Honourable Members and Officers of the Legislative Assembly.

It can properly be said that the full value of close contact with the Parliament of Great Britain will come to bear in the future, a feeling supported by all Honourable Members who have visited the Mother of Parliaments.

The approval of The Honourable the Premier to your recommendation that an official visit be made by me to the House of Commons was greatly appreciated, coming at the appropriate time, just prior to my taking up the position of Clerk of the House. The real significance of the opportunity so afforded, however, was not fully manifest until the privilege of discussing questions of parliamentary procedure with such recognised and distinguished authorities as the Clerk of the House of Commons, Sir Edward Fellowes, and three of his colleagues was actually experienced.

It was therefore with a sense of responsibility and regard for the impartiality demanded of a Parliamentary Clerk that the task of conferring upon various selected subjects with the Officers of the House of Commons was accepted by me with the object of making a comparative study of the trends of practice and interpretation of rules of procedure as between the House of Commons and the New South Wales Legislative Assembly.

In such a study the forms of procedure and developed practice need to be subjected to the tests of the law laid down in the text "May's Parliamentary Practice". And in regard to "May" it might be said that those who over the years have influenced the shaping of the Standing Orders and precedents of the New South Wales Legislative Assembly have adopted it as the standard treatise on the law, privileges, proceedings and usages of Parliament.

Further, it might be placed on record here that the accomplishments of our Legislative Assembly in the sphere of parliamentary procedure were found worthy of note by Sir Gilbert Champion who, after completing his visit to many Parliaments of the British Commonwealth in 1948 as the then retiring Clerk of the House of Commons, expressed the opinion that, "New South Wales leads the way in procedure among State Legislatures, which is only natural as it takes procedure more seriously and has a better official set-up than elsewhere."

SUMMARY.

To summarise my views after observation at sittings of the House of Commons and its Standing Committees, and using the value of the talks with its Officers as a measuring stick, it might justly be claimed that the standards of dignity, decorum, conduct of procedure and forcefulness of debate in the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales are of a very high order.

Some notable New South Wales cases of Rulings over the past twenty years which had involved dissent motions either in the House or in Committee were cited in my discussions and created the keen interest of House of Commons' officers who regarded the bases and quality of the rulings as being of a high standard.

Particular mention should be made of the fact that the New South Wales Legislative Assembly imposes upon its Ministers and its Presiding Officers, in the Speaker and Chairman of Committees, some procedural tasks not countenanced in the House of Commons. The two most important of these are in relation to the moving of amendments to motions and clauses of a bill, and to the asking of questions

without notice. When the procedure on these two matters as practised in our Legislative Assembly was outlined by me, officers of the House of Commons expressed the view that it was most exacting and placed heavy responsibilities upon Ministers and Presiding Officers.

In the House of Commons prescribed notice is given of nearly all amendments and questions. Thus Ministers have the opportunity of considering the import of amendments and of having answers to questions prepared by Departmental Officers. The Speaker and the Chairman of Committees are afforded ample time (a minimum of forty-eight hours) to carefully consider whether amendments are in order, and whether questions conform to the rules. In our Legislative Assembly the Presiding Officers have, at most, only the very brief space of time during the debate upon a Point of Order in which to determine their rulings.

To have the experience of even a short period of study within the precincts of the House of Commons and to confer with officers who are called upon to tender advice to European and Colonial Legislatures was a valued privilege and it is hoped that the results, as detailed in the following paragraphs, will merit satisfaction and the visit be deemed of benefit to the Legislative Assembly. In my own view the visit proved of immense value and all the Lower Houses of Australian Parliaments would find it repay tenfold to extend to a senior officer, the Clerk Assistant preferably, the opportunity of visiting the Mother of Parliaments.

OFFICERS OF HOUSE OF COMMONS WITH WHOM DISCUSSIONS HELD AND SUBJECTS.

My sincere appreciation is recorded to the officers who made so much of their valuable time available to me and who imparted information on such a high plane upon the more difficult of the problems submitted by me.

In my first series of talks the following subjects were dealt with by the officers named:—

With Sir Edward Fellowes, K.C.B., C.M.G., M.C., Clerk of the House of Commons—

- (1) Privilege;
- (2) Urgency Motions; and
- (3) Dissent Motions.

With Mr. Douglas Gordon, C.B., Clerk Assistant—

- (1) *Sub judice* Rule;
- (2) Questions based upon Debates; and
- (3) Irregular and unbecoming Motions.

With Mr. R. A. W. Dent, C.B., Clerk of Public Bills—

- (1) Amendments to Bills;
- (2) Procedure in Committee of the Whole House and in Standing Committees; and
- (3) Financial Debates.

With Mr. David Lidderdale, Fourth Clerk at the Table—

- (1) Certain Rules of Debate; and
- (2) Amendments to Motions.

During a second series of talks some aspects of the foregoing subjects were reviewed and some further matters were also discussed, viz.—

- Previous Question;
- Questions seeking Information;
- Ministerial Statements;
- Application of Closure;
- Ceremonial Procedure and Presiding Officers;
- Staff Organisation; and
- Presentation and Publication of Annual Reports and Hansard.

NOTATIONS UPON SUBJECTS.

In the following paragraphs notations are made upon each of the foregoing subjects indicating the results of the discussions upon and the analyses of the practice and rulings of our Legislative Assembly over the past twenty years in particular. This Report is not deemed to be the proper place to develop the advantages and disadvantages of this or that form of procedure. Honourable Members who comprise the Standing Orders Committee will debate these at meetings of the Committee prior to which submissions arising from careful consideration and research upon the proposals will be presented to Members of the Committee.

(1) Privilege.

In the light of the method of determining matters of privilege and the courses of action adopted in the House of Commons, it would be advisable to leave the position as it now stands in New South Wales, that is, "undefined". The House may have greater strength under its present attitude to matters of privilege. When the Press is involved in a question of privilege, the practice prevailing in New South Wales might be regarded as effective, viz., Motion deprecating action. (See Leg. Assbly. V. & P. 1929-30, p. 336.)

(2) Urgency Motions.

It is proper to disallow an "urgency motion" when the substantive motion sought to be discussed is deemed to be out of order. The subjection of the House to statements upon "urgency" and to a vote which would prove fruitless at the next stage would thus be avoided. (See Leg. Assbly. V. & P. 1946-47, p. 3 and 59; 1948-50, p. 67.)

It is not in order for a private Member to move as a matter of urgency that an item of Government Business be considered forthwith.

In the House of Commons it is not possible to move an Urgency Motion unless arrangement is made between the Leader of the House, the Leader of the Opposition and the Speaker. In the New South Wales Legislative Assembly private Members have greater privileges under the Standing Orders which permit of any Member moving a Motion of Urgency during Question Time.

(3) Dissent Motions.

It is a matter of rare occurrence in the House of Commons to have a motion of dissent upon a Speaker's Ruling or a Chairman's Decision. Such motions are regarded as censure upon the Presiding Officers. This position may be expected to be a corollary to the requirement of notice and also to tradition surrounding the Chair and the prestige accorded it in the House of Commons. Motions of dissent in our House arise from the keen interest and concern of Honourable Members in regard to procedure, and their feeling that Rulings given so soon after the Point of Order is raised should be subjected to scrutiny by way of dissent. It may prove desirable to consider some form of procedure which might greatly lessen the number of such motions and extend greater regard for the Speakership. Provision may be made in Standing Orders for the ready review of Rulings, before the matter under consideration is further advanced.

(4) Sub Judice Rule.

The practice of the House of Commons upon the debate of matters regarded as *sub judice* was cited in the following terms:—

"Insofar as it is conceded that there are rulings against the discussion of *sub judice* matters, it is clear that they are very narrow. To be ruled out of order matters must be—

"(1) under consideration by a Court of Law. It is not enough for it to be under consideration by a judicial or quasi judicial tribunal; or

"(2) actually before or pending in the Courts. It is not sufficient that legal proceedings are possible, e.g., it is not enough that the time for appeal should still be running; an appeal must actually have been entered.

"Only specific cases have been ruled out of order. There seems no objection to debating a general proposition of law despite the fact that a particular affiliation of it is before the Courts."

(5) Questions Based on Debates in the Current Session.

Questions have been asked which have had as their foundation something said in a Debate of the current Session. When no words have been used linking the question with a debate, no action by the Speaker, or point of order, has been taken to disallow the question.

When, by definite reference, it is declared that a question refers to a Debate, it becomes an inadmissible question according to "May" as it belongs to the type of question—"Referring to debates or answers to questions in the current session."

In this matter the fact that questions are asked without notice in our Legislative Assembly has rendered it very difficult to strictly apply the rule set out by "May". As it is accepted that the object of May's rule is to prevent the re-opening of matters about which some finality has been reached, the view in the N.S.W. Legislative Assembly has been that a question which might be regarded in the nature of a supplementary question might be permitted—as most supplementary questions are in reference to an answer to an original question.

Further it has been ruled in our Legislative Assembly that Debate, as referred to in our Standing Order 143, did not include debate on the Budget or Estimates which were "open" debates, not arriving at resolutions on specific subjects.

As the elimination of words such as—"in reference to" or "alluding to" would admit questions which have their foundation in a debate of the current session, it would seem that our practice and Standing Orders lend support to the admissibility of questions upon matters with respect to which the House has not arrived at a conclusion.

(6) Irregular and Unbecoming Motions.

Apart from cases of technical irregularities, the scope of ruling on irregularities in motions in the House of Commons is extremely narrow. Reflections upon decisions of the House have been ruled as irregular. There are several cases of motions being regarded as unbecoming, but as the number of precedents are limited, the interpretation and application of the Rule thus far in our Legislative Assembly cannot be given adequate comparison with cases in the House of Commons. (See Leg. Assbly. V. & P. 1952-53, p. 164.)

(7) Amendments to Bills.

After a Bill is introduced, notice may be given of amendments proposed by any Member. These are published from day to day and upon the completion of the second reading debate, all amendments are collated and published in chronological order of the clauses affected. These amendments are then considered by a special Committee which includes the Chairman of Committees, the Clerk Assistant, the Clerk of Public Bills and officers of the Crown Law and Parliamentary Draftsman's Departments. This Committee makes "selections" of amendments and decides which amendments are out of order, making the relevant notations on the printed list for the guidance of the Chairman.

This procedure has much to recommend it. From the viewpoint of the Chairman, time would be afforded to examine amendments, especially those presenting some difficulty on the question of order. Ministers would gain the opportunity of considering proposals from the Opposition. Members generally would be notified in advance of proposed amendments.

When amendments are moved to Clauses of a Bill without any notice—as is done in the N.S.W. Legislative Assembly—there are many occasions when debate proceeds upon amendments which are sooner or later ruled out of order on grounds such as "being subversive of the principle of the Bill as read a second time", "beyond the order of leave", "outside the scope of the bill" or "increasing the expenditure contemplated by the Message from the Governor".

Such proceedings could be avoided by adopting the procedure of the House of Commons in regard to amendments. It may be questionable as to whether this procedure would be acceptable in full measure, but there may be wisdom and benefit in a substantial application of this rule.

(8) Procedure in Committee of the Whole and in Standing Committees.

Consideration of Bills in detail may, under House of Commons' procedure, take place in Committee of the Whole House or in a Standing Committee. My observations upon this stage are recorded.

At the beginning of the Session several Standing Committees are constituted, the Chairmen of which are drawn from a panel. Members of Standing Committees are elected by the Committee of Selection, firstly a nucleus of twenty, later to which is added up to another thirty members, regarded as "specialists" for the consideration of particular Bills. The procedure is formal as in the House and the Chairman has wide power including the selection of amendments and the putting of the closure. As each Bill arrives at the Committee stage, the Speaker allots it to one or other of the Standing Committees unless the House, by specific motion, refers it to a Committee of the Whole. Under either proceeding only amendments of which notice has been given are entertained.

Having attended sittings of two Standing Committees, my impressions are that this system is designed to expedite business in the House of Commons, consisting of 625 Members, and that it may act in reverse in a smaller Assembly. In any case some may take the view that many Honourable Members who would wish and be very capable of taking part in debate on certain Bills are precluded from so doing, not being a member of the Standing Committee to which such Bills are referred.

Particular mention must here be made of the "Report Stage" in connection with Bills, as this form of procedure is not followed in New South Wales. After a Bill is reported from either a Standing Committee or a Committee of the Whole, it is set down as an Order of the Day for "Report Stage". Notices of proposed amendments for consideration at this stage may be given and these are dealt with in the House, not in Committee.

The Speaker has power of selection of amendments and this may be used to stop the submission again at the "Report Stage" of an amendment which had been given fair consideration in Committee.

In my opinion neither the system of Standing Committees on Bills nor the Report Stage would be of any advantage to our Legislative Assembly, as, with a membership of ninety-four, ample opportunity is afforded to every Honourable Member

to speak and vote on all clauses and amendments. And on this aspect one does feel, whether rightly or wrongly, that there may be occasions when the opinion of the majority of the House would have been different to the decision of a Standing Committee. In many cases it would be a difficult line of procedure to obtain a test vote, and legislation is in the hands of the comparatively small number of Members on the Standing Committees.

(9) Financial Debates.

Whilst the forms of procedure upon Finance and Taxation Bills differ widely between the House of Commons and the N.S.W. Legislative Assembly, they are founded on the same basic rules.

In the House of Commons the Budget Debate is confined strictly to discussion upon policy and the general financial and economic structure. It then follows that the Estimates Debate is limited to administration. The Chairman's task is made lighter if Honourable Members apply this Rule when preparing their speeches on the Budget and Estimates.

Consideration might be given to the adoption of some procedure to overcome what has come to be regarded as cumbersome technique in respect to Supply, Loan and Appropriation Bills, by combining the Resolutions of Supply and of Ways and Means.

On the function of the Committee of Ways and Means authorising the issue of funds out of the Consolidated Fund equal to the sums voted by the Committee of Supply, in his "Introduction to the Procedure of the House of Commons" Campion says, "This function of the Committee of Ways and Means has been objected to by critics as unnecessary. No doubt it has become a mere formality."

Whilst this form of financial procedure has been discussed from time to time, no advance has been made towards a definite decision to dispense with it. This and other points in respect to procedure on Taxation Bills were deferred to be the subject of future correspondence with the Clerk of the House of Commons.

(10) Certain Rules of Debate.

Greater latitude is allowed in the House of Commons than in the Legislative Assembly regarding quotations from Hansard of the current Session. This especially was the case as referring to the subject under discussion. Restrictions in the N.S.W. Standing Orders might be reviewed to advantage.

Recent cases involving the Anticipation Rule were studied and also the attitude towards the question of the Reading of Speeches. In both matters it was found that the practice of our Legislative Assembly was along the same lines as that adopted in the House of Commons.

An unusual course in debate in the House of Commons—so far as our procedure here in New South Wales goes—was the acceptance of interruption of speeches upon, say, a second reading of a Bill, or upon a substantive motion in a somewhat formal manner. An Honourable Member addressing the House would give way to another Honourable Member who wished to ask that the speaker might amplify the point he was making or ask him to more clearly state his opinion. The Member speaking resumed his seat and the Member questioning rose. Then the speaker resumed his speech.

The orderly nature of this proceeding and its apparently accepted advantages do suggest it as one worthy of consideration for adoption in the N.S.W. Legislative Assembly.

(11) Amendments to Motions.

Talks were had in respect to the tests upon the relevancy of certain amendments and also upon "whitewashing" amendments. The practice established by precedents in our Legislative Assembly is quite sound. (See Leg. Assby. V. & P. 1948-50, p. 141 and p. 223 and V. & P. 1948-50, p. 226.)

Limitations to the acceptance of amendments upon amendments was also discussed and some cases presenting difficulties were noted.

Having in view the rule that the determination of the terms of a Royal Commission is the prerogative of the Crown, it is not good procedure to include the proposed terms of reference in a motion dealing with other aspects of the matter, because as part of the motion they would become subject to amendment under the normal rules of procedure.

(12) "Previous Question."

With the more modern approach in dealing with difficult situations and the greater use of the form of "Adjournment of the Debate" the procedure known as "The Previous Question" has been almost discarded in the House of Commons.

The keen interest of the Officers of the Commons was shown in the case of the application of the Previous Question when an adverse amendment was made to the Address-in-Reply in the N.S.W. Legislative Assembly. It was conceded that the use of that form of procedure was the only way out of the difficult position in which the House found itself. (See Leg. Assbly. V. & P. 1950-52, pp. 20-23.)

(13) Questions Seeking Information.

The asking of questions to Ministers is regarded in the House of Commons, as it is here in New South Wales, as a most important part of each day's proceedings. Question time, if wisely used by Honourable Members, is an effective and practical form of procedure through which Parliament may keep a watchful eye upon administrative activities and bring to public notice the trends in Government policy.

As stated in my introduction to this Report, the answering of questions without notice was regarded by House of Commons' officers as a form which imposed an exacting task upon Ministers. It was suggested to me that our system permitted of the frequent breaking of the rules governing Questions to Ministers and that as the question was oral the damage was done before the Speaker could deal with the matter, and it then may be unfair to Ministers to be denied the right to answer. That this position had developed in our Legislative Assembly had to be admitted, although not without notice and concern.

In the interests of all Members—especially those who lose the opportunity to ask a question because of time being taken up by questions which should rightly be asked "upon notice"—and also in order to preserve Question Time in its proper character, it may be necessary to clearly define the types of questions which may be asked without notice.

An alternative form of procedure may be that obtaining in the House of Commons which requires all questions to be on notice for oral or written reply. The Speaker may permit a question without notice provided both he and the Minister are notified at least two hours beforehand. All questions asked by the Leader of the Opposition are under this head—called "Private Notice Questions".

In the House of Commons the phrase "Is it a fact that" is regarded as incorrect in prefacing a question. The Speaker allows quite a number of supplementary questions when the Minister reads his reply to a question as listed on the Business Paper, the first of these supplementaries going to the Member who asked the original question. Notice Papers and Hansards illustrating the matter of questions have been secured for future reference.

(14) Ministerial Statements.

The method of delivering a Ministerial Statement in the Commons and the subsequent proceeding was a matter for interest. Not only the Leader of the Opposition, but a number of other Members were permitted to address the House on the content of the Statement by way of making short observations combined with asking questions upon it—almost involving the House in a small scale debate. The Minister was found to address the House two or three times in reply to the points raised, the proceeding being brought to an end by the intervention of the Speaker.

There would seem to be a good deal of merit in this procedure on Ministerial Statements. The practice followed in our Legislative Assembly could present unfair reactions to both the Minister making the Statement, inasmuch as he has no right of reply, and the Leader of the Opposition, inasmuch as when he is called upon to confine himself to a Statement in counter of Government policy, it may not be as well considered as it would be if he had the right to study the Ministerial Statement. Further the Leader of any substantial party other than the official Opposition is not given the right to address the House upon a Ministerial Statement and this may be considered too restrictive.

Maybe that a form of procedure combining features of the House of Commons' practice and our own would be regarded as an improvement in the interests of Ministers and Leaders of the Opposition Parties.

(15) Application of Closure.

The Speaker and the Chairman of Committees of the House of Commons have the right to accept or withhold the putting of the Closure; in fact they display a general reluctance to accepting the Closure, unless notice by the Government is given as to its intention to complete certain business within a specified time.

The Legislative Assembly Standing Orders provide for the moving of the Closure whether a Member is speaking or not, and technically this provision is necessary in case the Mover of the Closure misses the call. But since the adoption of the "Time Limit of Speeches" Standing Order, the Closure has rarely been moved when a Member has advanced in his speech.

The use of the form of Closure known as the "Guillotine" as applied to Bills, if used scientifically, may be regarded as giving greater preservation of the rights of the minority whilst it naturally ensures that the Government controls its business.

Where there is an effective Opposition there is generally to be found a fair state of balance in the gaining of procedural rights, but when the Opposition becomes obstructive beyond certain limits, there is to be found justification for a Government using the Closure.

(16) Ceremonial Procedure and Presiding Officers.

In general our ceremonial procedure of the Legislative Assembly follows that of the House of Commons, with the exception of the taking of the Chair by Mr. Speaker at the commencement of each Sitting, when the Clerks and Strangers are not present.

Prayers are said after the Speaker enters the House accompanied by the Serjeant-at-Arms and the Chaplain, the Speaker and Chaplain kneeling at the Clerks' Table—chairs being removed.

The Speaker of the House of Commons presides at meetings of the House and may be relieved in that duty by either the Chairman of Ways and Means or Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means acting as Deputy Speaker. Selection of amendments and the decision to accept or reject the Closure are powers granted the Speaker, but the Chairmen do not have these powers when acting as Deputy Speaker, unless they are acting during the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker.

Consideration might be given by the Standing Orders Committee to making provision for a Deputy Chairman to facilitate, on occasions, relief for the Chairman when he is acting as Deputy Speaker and in respect to the certification of Bills for Assent.

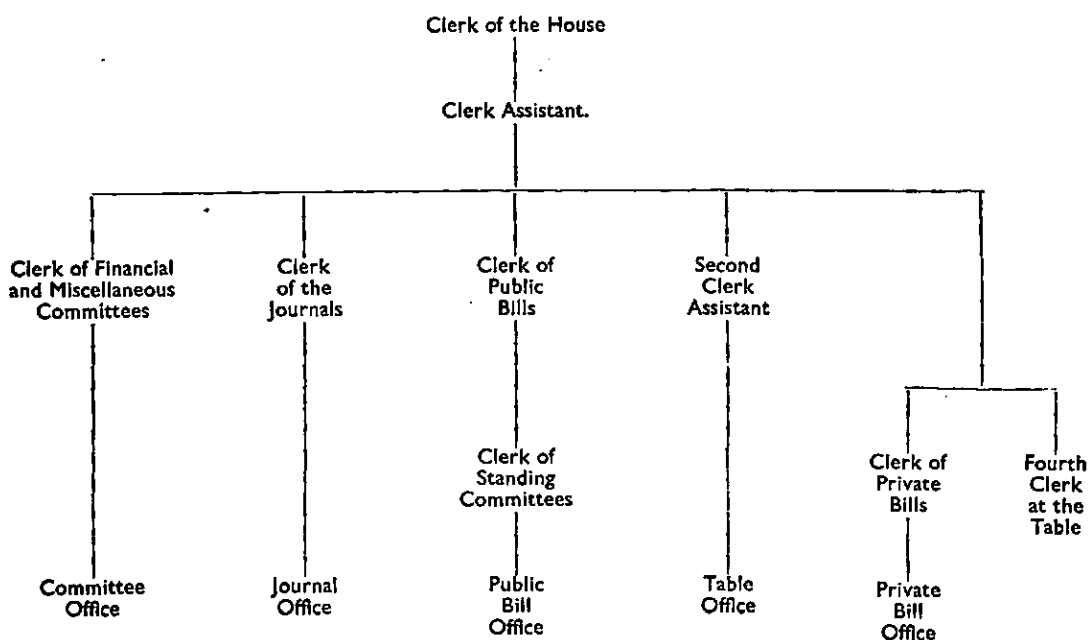
(17) Staff Organisation.

The recruitment and training of staff at the House of Commons is upon similar lines to our plan in the Legislative Assembly. Young men may find in the Parliamentary Offices a career of a character very different to the clerical posts in the Government Departments.

Of course the staff of the House of Commons is numerically much stronger than our staff. The Legislative Assembly Office must therefore be so organised as to ensure that officers are capable and can be readily available to execute the duties of more than any one position. The Clerks at the Table carry out the same duties in our Assembly as they do at the Commons, and our House is one of the very few in the British Commonwealth where this is the case. The limited source from which are to be selected the three Table Officers is ordinarily a male staff of five in training and performing duties in the various sections of the office. Composition of the Legislative Assembly staff, however, in respect to age, qualifications and experience is at present a question of concern, and my observations at the House of Commons have indicated to me the necessity for the early and careful assessment of the trainee staff and the planning of its education.

The following diagram of the organisation of the Staff of the House of Commons is worth recording and must be of interest to Speakers and Parliamentary Officers:—

ORGANISATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.
Diagram Prepared by the Fourth Clerk at the Table for the Information of Visiting Clerks.



(18) Presentation and Publication of Annual Reports and Hansard.

Provision is made at the House of Commons for the presentation of Annual Reports of Departments of State to the Parliament during Recess periods. Such an arrangement for the N.S.W. Legislative Assembly would have many advantages and would facilitate the publication and availability at any period of the year of information upon Governmental activities.

Members of the Printing Committee would be able to devote themselves to close study upon the question of printing documents and bring about worthwhile economies.

House of Commons' Hansard is published in pamphlet form each day and is received by Members in the morning delivery. About five days are given for the notification of corrections. The opinion of the Standing Orders Committee might be sought as to whether this scheme may be adopted in New South Wales.

REVIEW OF STANDING ORDERS AND EDITING OF A "MANUAL OF PROCEDURE".

Arising from the results of my discussions as recorded in the foregoing Report, several matters might be chosen by you as Speaker for submission to the Legislative Assembly Standing Orders Committee. In addition there are many proposals which have been noted as worthy of debate by the Committee, such proposals arising from observations during recent years by Honourable Members of our House.

In the House of Commons a Select Committee is appointed approximately at each decade to review Standing Orders to endeavour to provide for an up-to-date approach to procedure. The three Reports of the last such Select Committee submitted during the period 1945 to 1947 proposed important procedure changes.

Some printed documents of the House of Commons were secured by me to illustrate the forms of procedure in relation to Bills, amendments, questions and Standing Committees on Bills.

In any review of Standing Orders it is essential to guard against injuring the rights of the minority when establishing the rights of the majority to control business. Thus the Standing Orders Committee has an important and highly technical task to perform when it embarks upon any revision of the machinery of Parliamentary Government.

It is twenty-six years since publications were issued as compilations of Speakers' Rulings and Chairmen's Decisions. Before visiting the House of Commons, an arrangement of Speakers' Rulings in alignment with the Chapters of the Standing Orders was commenced by me.

Whilst in the House of Commons there is no official publication of Speakers' Rulings, a Manual of Procedure does give a valuable lead to Honourable Members as to the requirements of the Standing Orders, the practice of the House and references to "May's Parliamentary Procedure".

To meet the demands and interest of Members of our House an immediate start will be made by me upon the editing of a "Manual of Procedure in the Legislative Assembly" to contain Speakers' and Chairmen's Rulings, Precedents of classic cases in our own Assembly, References to "May" and a Commentary on our Procedure and Practice.

This endeavour in the publication of a "Manual", it is hoped, will clear up many doubts as to whether the correct interpretations have been given to Standing Orders and to Rules as set forth in "May", and further, will record the practice which has grown up under the influence of many wise and experienced Parliamentarians who have contributed over the years since 1856 so much to the effective Representative Democracy of this State.

CONCLUSION.

Parliamentary Law and Procedure might well be regarded as the framework of an ordered form of democratic government within which opposing forces may express themselves with vigour, passion and tolerance. Its structure is a delicate piece of mechanism. It has provided the motive power for the maintenance of British Parliamentary institutions.

Side by side with the Parliaments of the British Commonwealth of Nations is the Congress of the United States of America. It is a matter to place on record that in London one found that the British-American Parliamentary Group had been established under the constitution of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association. This Group has done much to bring into closer contact two Nations with common parliamentary traditions and relationships.

During my thirty-four years' service as an officer of the N.S.W. Legislative Assembly, of which twenty years have been spent as a Clerk at the Chamber Table, many changes in procedure have been instituted. These have emanated from the combined thought of those whose duty it is to become expert in the applied technique of procedure, and those who, as Members of Parliament, have tested proposals for change with forbearance, wise understanding and logical sense of fair play.

The visit such as the one recently experienced by me to the Mother of Parliaments, does fortify one's faith in Parliamentary Democracy and calls for one's best effort to make some valued contribution towards its future sound working. To become an authority upon parliamentary law and procedure is a life-time job. Demanding as it must a total absorption in the subject, with a comprehensiveness of outlook and the keenest sense of impartiality, it is an ambition attained by very few. In the humble contribution of this Report and my own service, my colleagues in the N.S.W. Legislative Assembly and officers in other Australian Houses of Parliament may find some information of value.

The preparation and submission by me of material for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly Standing Orders Committee in the revision of Standing Orders and Forms of Procedure, will be a task of special interest following upon my observations at the House of Commons.

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