

# Sessional Papers



1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 1 JULY, 1902.

No. 1.

LEGITIMATION BILL (Council Bill):—

Clauses 1 to 5 having been dealt with,—

Clause 3. Nothing in this Act shall have the effect of legitimating any child if at the time of the birth of such child there existed any legal impediment to the intermarriage of the parents of such child. (Read.) Limit to legitimation.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

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| Mr. Kidd,                 | Mr. Burgess,    |
| Mr. Coleman,              | Mr. Jones,      |
| Mr. Henry Clarke,         | Mr. Norton,     |
| Mr. Daley,                | Mr. Edden,      |
| Mr. Scobie,               | Mr. Nicholson,  |
| Mr. W. F. Hurley,         | Mr. Rose,       |
| Mr. Archer,               | Mr. Gilbert,    |
| Mr. McNeill,              | Mr. Fegan,      |
| Mr. Thomson,              | Mr. D. R. Hall, |
| Mr. Perry,                | Mr. Mahony,     |
| Mr. Waddell,              | Mr. McCoy,      |
| Mr. Nobbs,                | Mr. Holman,     |
| Mr. Broughton,            | Mr. Power,      |
| Mr. Hogue,                | Mr. Mackenzie,  |
| Mr. Crick,                | Mr. Law.        |
| Mr. Lonsdale,             |                 |
| Mr. Webster,              | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, | Mr. Sullivan,   |
| Mr. Morton,               | Mr. Collins.    |
| Mr. Brunker,              |                 |
| Mr. Barnes,               |                 |

Noes, 19.

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| Mr. Fleming,            |
| Mr. Davidson,           |
| Mr. Winchcombe,         |
| Mr. Oakes,              |
| Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick, |
| Mr. Dacey,              |
| Mr. Sleath,             |
| Mr. Quinn,              |
| Mr. Jessop,             |
| Mr. Meagher,            |
| Mr. E. M. Clark,        |
| Mr. Anderson,           |
| Mr. McLaurin,           |
| Mr. Byrne,              |
| Mr. Young,              |
| Mr. Estell,             |
| Mr. Levy.               |
| <i>Tellers,</i>         |
| Mr. John Hurley,        |
| Mr. Kelly.              |

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 2.

SAME BILL:—

Clause 7. When "any man" who claims to be the father of any illegitimate child, whose mother he has married since the birth of such child, produces to a registrar a statutory declaration in the form set out in the Schedule hereto, it shall be the duty of the registrar to register such child, whether dead or alive, as the lawful issue of such man and his wife, and the registrar shall make a note in the entry underneath his signature to the effect that such registration has been made under the authority of this Act. If the child has been previously registered as illegitimate, he shall also make in the register on the page on which the previous entry was made a note of the entry made under this Act, and shall intimate to the Registrar-General, if he is a deputy or district registrar, that such entries have been made. If such last-mentioned registrar has not in his possession the register containing the entry of illegitimacy, it shall be sufficient for him to intimate to the Registrar-General the fact of the new entry having been made. (Read.) Registrar to register such child.

Motion made (*Mr. Sleath*), to leave out from line 1 the words "any man"

The Chairman having called the attention of the Committee to continued irrelevance on the part of the Honorable Member for Wilcannia, Mr. Sleath, directed him to discontinue his speech.

Debate on the amendment continued.

The Honorable Member for Wilcannia, Mr. Sleath, again rose to address the Committee, and the Chairman refused to hear him,—

Whereupon Mr. Sleath moved,—That the Chairman leave the Chair to report a Point of Order, and ask leave to sit again so soon as the Point of Order has been decided by the House.

The Point of Order is:—The Chairman having ordered Mr. Sleath to discontinue his speech on an amendment moved by him on clause 7 of a Bill to amend the law by making provision for the Legitimation of Children born before marriage on the subsequent marriage of their parents,—The Chairman having, after Mr. Edden speaking, again refused Mr. Sleath the right to speak, on both occasions refusing to give reasons for his ruling,—

to which ruling of the Chairman objection is taken, and the Point referred for Mr. Speaker's decision.

Question put and Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Jessep,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Norton,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Edden.

Tellers,

Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Ferguson.

Nocs, 37.

Mr. Davidson,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Fleming,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Onkes,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Power.
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Levy,	Tellers,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Daley.
Mr. E. M. Clark,	

*Negatived.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And the Schedule having been dealt with,—

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

THURSDAY, 3 JULY, 1902.

No. 3.

AUDIT BILL.

Clauses 2, 3, and 4 having been dealt with,—

Clause 5. In this Act, unless the context or subject-matter otherwise indicates,—

"Consolidated revenue account" means an account of the cash, income, and current expenditure for or on behalf of the consolidated revenue fund "only."

"Financial year" means the period from the first day of July in one year to the thirtieth day of June in the next following year.

"General loan account" means an account of moneys directed by this Act to be carried to that account, and of moneys that have been carried to that account in pursuance of the Loans Fund Amalgamation Act of 1879.

"Loan Act" means Act passed before or after the commencement of this Act under which any money is authorised to be raised by loan and expended for any purpose therein specified.

"Loan service" means purpose specified in a Loan Act.

"Prescribed" means prescribed by this Act or the regulations.

"Public accountant" means person declared by this Act to be a public accountant.

"Public moneys" includes all revenue, loan, trust, and other moneys whatsoever, received by, for, or on account of, the State, and all moneys and fees declared by this Act to be public moneys.

"Regulations" means regulations in force under this Act.

"Revenue" means all moneys collected or received for or on account of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

"Special deposits account" means an account relating to sums held by or deposited with the Treasurer for store accounts, advance accounts, and moneys (not included in the consolidated revenue, general loan, or trust account), which the Treasurer directs to be carried to the special deposits account.

"The Treasurer" means the Colonial Treasurer.

"Trust

Definitions.

"Trust account" means an account of funds of which the Treasurer is, by statutory "obligation," a trustee and custodian, and of moneys that have been placed to the credit of the trust fund under the Audit Act, 1898, or the Audit Act of 1870, and of moneys directed to be paid into that account by this Act. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Lee*), to leave out from line 3 the word "only" and insert the words "within each financial year" instead thereof.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 4 JULY, 1902, A.M.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 43.

Mr. Kidd,	Sir John See,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Dacey,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Raymond,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Daley.
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. McNeill,	

Noes, 31.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Wood,
Mr. Ashton,	Mr. Moore,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Fleming,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Millard.
Mr. McCoy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Dick.
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Mackenzie,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Fullick,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Brunner,	
Mr. Norton,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. Ferguson,	

*Word stands.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 4.

SAME BILL:—

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Lee*), to further amend the clause by inserting, after the word "obligation" in the last paragraph, the words "or otherwise,"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Affleck.
Mr. Lonsdale,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dick,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Morton.
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Brunner,	
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. Oakes,	
Mr. Winchcombe,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Jessep,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 44.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Nelson,	Sir John See,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Daley,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Wood,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Norton,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Broughton,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Donaldson.
Mr. Holman,	

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 6 to 16 having been dealt with and clause 17 read,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 2.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 9 JULY, 1902.

No. 1.

## AUDIT BILL.

Clause 17. (1) A Public Accounts Committee shall be appointed as hereinafter provided, and such Committee shall—

Appointment and powers of public accounts committee.

- (a) ~~Determine all disputes, disagreements, and differences that may at any time arise between the Treasurer and the Auditor-General on any matter of account, or on any question arising out of the provisions of this Act. Either party to any such dispute, disagreement, or difference may submit the same for determination by such committee. The determination of the committee shall be final and binding on the Treasurer and the Auditor-General.~~

- (b) Enquire into and report to the Legislative Assembly upon any question which may have arisen in connection with the Public Accounts, and which may have been referred to the committee, either by a Minister of the Crown, or by the Auditor-General, or by a resolution of the Legislative Assembly.

- (c) Enquire into and report to the Legislative Assembly upon all expenditure by a Minister of the Crown made without Parliamentary sanction or appropriation.

(2) Such committee shall consist of five members, each of whom shall be a Member of the Legislative Assembly, not being a Minister of the Crown.

The members of the committee shall elect one of their number to be their chairman.

Three members shall be a quorum of the committee, and may exercise all the powers of the committee.

The ~~determination~~ report of the committee shall be by a majority of votes of the members present. Each such member shall have one vote, and, if the votes are equal, the chairman in addition to his original vote shall have a casting vote.

(3) No fees or other remuneration shall be paid to the members of the committee for their services on the committee.

(4) The committee shall have the same powers and authority to direct the attendance of and to examine witnesses, to send for and examine papers, records, and other documentary evidence, and to receive affidavits as are by section one hundred and forty of the Act fifty-six Victoria number thirty-eight conferred upon the Committee of Elections and Qualifications constituted by that Act; and all the provisions of this said section respecting persons summoned by the said committee or giving evidence before the said committee or on affidavit shall apply to persons summoned by the committee hereby constituted, or giving evidence before such committee or on affidavit as completely and effectually as if such witnesses had been summoned, and such evidence had been received by virtue or under the authority of the said section.

Committee to have same powers in respect of witnesses, &c., as are conferred upon the Parliamentary Elections and Qualifications Committee.

(5) The committee shall submit to the Legislative Assembly annually, appended to the annual report of the Auditor-General on the Public Accounts, a report on all matters submitted during the year for its ~~determination or inquiry~~. In such report the committee may lay before the Legislative Assembly any suggestions arising out of any matters submitted for its ~~determination or inquiry~~ which may appear desirable for the better conduct of the public business or keeping of the Public Accounts.

Committee to submit annual report to Legislative Assembly.

(6) The members of the Public Accounts Committee shall be appointed by election of the Legislative Assembly in the following manner, that is to say:—

Mode of election of members of committee.

“A Minister of the Crown shall,” within thirty days after the commencement of the first session of every Parliament, deliver to the Speaker, a nomination in writing under his hand of five members of the Legislative Assembly, not being Ministers of the Crown, for election and appointment as members of the Public Accounts Committee.

The Speaker shall submit to the Legislative Assembly for ~~vote~~, decision by open voting, one by one, and in alphabetical order of the first letter of each surname, the names of the five members so nominated.

In the event of the Legislative Assembly deciding in the negative on the question of the appointment of any one or more of the members so nominated, nominations shall then and there be made by a Minister of the Crown or other members as aforesaid **any member** in substitution for those not appointed, until the required number of five members is elected to form such committee.

(7) Every member of the committee appointed during the existence of a Parliament shall cease to be a member thereof on his handing to the Speaker his written resignation of such membership, or on the dissolution of such Parliament, or on its expiring by effluxion of time, or on his accepting office as a Minister of the Crown, or on his ceasing to be a member of the Legislative Assembly.

(8) Where a vacancy occurs in a committee appointed under this Act, the same shall be filled by nomination and election as aforesaid within thirty days after the occurrence of the vacancy if Parliament is then in session, or within thirty days after the next meeting of Parliament should such vacancy occur during any recess or adjournment.

(9) The nomination and election of the first committee to be appointed under the provisions of this Act shall take place in the manner aforesaid and within thirty days after the commencement of this Act. (*Further considered.*)

The clause having been amended as indicated,—  
And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 10 JULY, 1902, A.M.

Motion made (*Mr. Norton*), to leave out from subclause (6) the words "A Minister of the Crown shall" and insert the words "Any member may" instead thereof.

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

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Evans,	Mr. Macdonald,
Sir John See,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Young,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Hollie,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Power,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Collins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Wood,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Chapman.

Noes, 30.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Norton,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Clara.
Mr. Morton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Burgess.
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Daley,	

*Words stand.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

No. 2.

SAME BILL:—

*Same Clause.*

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

Ayes, 47.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Macdonell,
Sir John See,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Young,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Wood,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Donaldson,

Mr. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Barnes.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Nielsen.

Noes, 19.

Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Lee,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Moore,
Mr. Hogue,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Fleming,
Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Dacey.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Daley.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 3.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS.

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 16 JULY, 1902.

No. 1.

## AN AUDIT BILL.

Clauses 47 to 50 having been dealt with,—

Clause 51. (1) The Auditor-General—

- (a) may, whenever he thinks fit, and
- (b) shall, whenever required by the Treasurer so to do, inspect, examine, and audit, or cause some officer in the Public Service appointed by him in that behalf, to inspect, examine, and audit, the books and accounts of any public accountant, and of any other person who is in the Public Service or who is subject to the provisions of this Act into whose possession or under whose control any public moneys have come.

He shall also (if possible) once at least in every year make or cause to be made such inspection, examination, and audit in respect of the books and accounts of every public accountant, and of every such person as aforesaid.

(2) The Auditor-General, or the officer appointed by him as aforesaid, shall, for the purpose of such inspection, examination, and audit,—

- (a) ascertain whether the whole of the revenue and public moneys have been duly collected and accounted for in pursuance of this Act, and whether the moneys received from the Treasurer or issued under any credit in pursuance of this Act have been duly and properly paid to the several persons entitled to receive the same;
- (b) investigate and examine all contracts, accounts, invoice requisitions, books, bills of parcels, vouchers relating to the Public Service, and all documents relating to or concerning the same, and all circumstances affecting or attending the making of any such contract;
- (c) "once at least in every year inspect and examine all stores under the control of the State belonging to His Majesty, of whatsoever nature or description the same may be, and shall cause stock thereof to be taken";
- (d) ascertain the quantity, description, and price of all stores under the control of the State purchased on account of His Majesty, and of all stores supplied for the use of departments of the Public Service, and whether any person in the Public Service has requisitioned for or obtained any stores in excess of the reasonable requirements of his office such stores are, in his opinion, in excess of reasonable requirements; and
- (e) examine whether the proper quantities of such stores are remaining in stock in the proper store or building.

(3) The Auditor-General shall, as soon as practicable after any such inspection, examination, and audit, make and sign, and forward to the Treasurer a report of the result thereof, and of the manner in which the books, accounts, and other documents aforesaid, and the stores have been kept, and of the state of the several offices and stores, and a statement of all sums found to have been omitted to be collected, or not duly accounted for, and of all payments which have not been duly authorised, or properly made, or for which the necessary certificates, receipts, and vouchers have not been produced. (Read.)

Inspection and  
audit of accounts  
of public  
accountants.  
Com. 45.

Motion made (*Mr. Lee*), to leave out paragraph (b) of subclause (2) and insert "call for and  
 "examine all contracts or other documents relating to accounts of payments for the Public  
 "Service and, if such payments have been made under a special or unusual authority, also  
 "call for any papers that may appear to him to be necessary or desirable to explain why  
 "such authority was given" instead thereof.

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

Ayes, 46.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Carroll,
Sir John See,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Crick,	
Mr. McLaurin,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Wright,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Arthur Griffith.

Noes, 25.

Mr. Mackenzie,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ashton,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Gilbert.
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Wood,	
Mr. Daley,	
Mr. O'Connor,	
Mr. Haynes,	
Mr. Dick,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. Hogue,	
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Oakes,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Cohen,	

*Words stand.*

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Lee*), to leave out paragraph (c) and insert the words "once at least in  
 "every year see that every Department entrusted as one of its special functions with the  
 "purchase, custody, and distribution of stores, keeps proper accounts of the same, and that  
 "every year or half year stock is taken thereof at the expense of the Department by a duly  
 "qualified expert, whose report shall enumerate the description, quantities, and present  
 "condition and value of all stores then in possession of the Department in whose charge the  
 "stores have been placed. Whenever stock is about to be taken of stores, the Department  
 "in charge thereof shall give notice to the Auditor-General of its intention, and the Auditor-  
 "General shall thereupon appoint one of his officers to be present and to see that the state-  
 "ment of stores as taken and as made by the Departmental Stocktaker be signed by him  
 "after which he shall hand the statement, so signed, forthwith to the Audit officer, who shall  
 "as speedily as possible check the same with the Departmental records prior to its contents  
 "being communicated to the Department concerned" instead thereof.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 17 JULY, 1902, A.M.

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

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Edden,
Sir John See,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Dacey,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Power,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. O'Sullivan.
Mr. Donaldson,	
Mr. McLaurin,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Macdonald.

Noes, 19.

Mr. Coleman
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Lee,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Jessop,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Davidson,
Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Winchcombe
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Hogue.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Phillips.

*Words stand.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining clauses and Schedules and a new clause having been dealt with,—

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

THURSDAY,

THURSDAY, 17 JULY, 1902.

No. 3.

WOMEN'S FRANCHISE BILL. (*Resolution.*)

Sir John See moved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to extend the Parliamentary Franchise to "Women"; and for purposes consequent on, or incidental to, that object.

Motion made (*Mr. Affleck*),—That the Question be now put.

Question put,—That the Question be now put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.

Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Wright,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Norton

Tellers,

Mr. Affleck,  
Mr. McNeill.

Noes, 63.

Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Arthur Griffith,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Jessep,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Ashton,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Howarth,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,

Mr. Morton,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. O'Connor,  
Mr. Daley,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Nelson,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Webster,

Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. Carroll.

Tellers,

Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Ferguson.

*Negatived.*

No. 4.

## SAME BILL:—

*Same Resolution.*

Motion made (*Mr. Rose*),—after the word "Women" to insert the words "and to provide for the admission of Women to Parliament"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Jessop,  
Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. Nelson,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. MacMahon.

Tellers,

Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Nobbs.

Noes, 50.

Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Dick,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Moore,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,  
Mr. Norton,  
Mr. Daley,

Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Jones,  
\*Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Howarth,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Ferguson,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Estell,

\*So in Tellers' lists.

Mr. Power,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Ashton.

Tellers,

Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Kelly.

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

No. 5.

## SAME BILL:—

*Same Resolution.*

Question put,—That the Committee agree to the Resolution.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 51.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Norton,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Ashton,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. John Hurley,

Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Daley,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Ferguson,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Cohen,

Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Dick.

Tellers,

Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Jessep.

Noes, 10.

Mr. Lee,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Howarth,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Nelson.

Tellers,

Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Barnes.

*Agreed to.*

On motion of Sir John See, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Hogue, left the Chair to report that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

FRIDAY,

FRIDAY, 18 JULY, 1902, A.M.

No. 6.

## JUSTICES BILL. (Council Bill.)

Clauses 1 to 151 read.

The Honorable Member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, demanded that the clauses be proposed *seriatim*.

The Chairman, on the ground that the Bill was purely a consolidation Bill, refused to so propose the clauses.

Whereupon Mr. Levy moved,—That the Chairman leave the Chair to report a Point of Order, and ask leave to sit again so soon as the Point of Order has been decided by the House,—

The Point of Order is:—That during the consideration in Committee of the Justices Bill the Chairman having proposed that clauses 1 to 151 stand part of the Bill, Mr. Levy, the Honorable Member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, demanded that the clauses be proposed *seriatim* in accordance with Standing Order 258, when Chairman refused to put the clauses separately.

to which decision objection is taken,—and question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Ferguson.
Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Levy.
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Burgess,	
Mr. Power,	

*Negated.*

Clauses, as read, agreed to.

And the Schedule having been dealt with,—

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment to the House.

Noes, 22.

Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. John Storey,
Sir John See,	Mr. Howarth,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Anderson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Nielsen.

No. 7.

## PUBLIC HEALTH BILL (Council Bill.)

Question proposed—That Clauses 1 to 110, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (Mr. Hollis),—That the Honorable Member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Sir John See,	Mr. Bennett.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Archer,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Briner.
Mr. Anderson,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Lee,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Howarth,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. McNeill.
Mr. Coleman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Burgess.
Mr. Morton,	

The numbers being equal, the Chairman gave his Casting Vote with the *Noes* and declared the question to have passed in the *negative*.

No. 8.

## SAME BILL.

*Same Question.*

Motion made (Mr. Edden),—to leave out from clause 29 sub-clause (2) the word "five" and insert the word "one" instead thereof.

Mr. Nielsen moved,—That the Honorable Member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Estell,
Sir John See,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Power,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Archer,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. MacMahon,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Lee,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Fallick.
Mr. Ferguson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McNeill,	
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Howarth,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. John Hurley,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Brunker,	

*Agreed to.*

And Mr. Edden's amendment having been negated,

Clauses, as read, agreed to.

And the Schedule having been dealt with,—

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment to the House.

No. 9.

No. 9.

PUBLIC SERVICE BILL. (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That clauses 1 to 77, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Nielsen*),—That the Honorable Member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Lévy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Lee,	Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Jessep,	Mr. McNeill.
Sir John See,	Mr. Briner,	Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. J. F. Smith.	Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Kidd,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Howarth,	Mr. Webster.
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Power,	Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Jones.	Mr. John Hurley,	
Mr. Fegan,		Mr. Gilbert,	

Agreed to.

No. 10.

## SAME BILL.

Same Question:—

Motion made (*Mr. Edden*),—That the Honorable Member for Waverley, Mr. Jessep, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.		Noes, 18.	
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Lee,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Jones,	Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Edden,	Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Howarth.
Sir John See,	Mr. Briner,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. J. F. Smith.	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Anderson,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Morton,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Power,	Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. MacMahon.	Mr. Bruncker,	
Mr. Fegan,		Mr. Gilbert,	

Agreed to.

Clauses, as read, agreed to.

And the Schedule having been dealt with,—On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment to the House.

No. 11.

CONSTITUTION BILL. (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That clauses 1 to 47, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Hollis*),—That the Honorable Member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.		Noes, 17.	
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Power,	Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Archer,	Mr. Bruncker,	Mr. Howarth,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Webster,	Mr. John Hurley.
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Ferguson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. J. F. Smith.	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Lee,	
Sir John See,	Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Jessep,	
Mr. Nielsen,		Mr. Morton,	

Agreed to.

Clauses, as read, agreed to.

And the Schedules having been dealt with,—On motion of Sir John See, the Deputy-Chairman, Mr. Fegan, left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment to the House.

No. 12.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS BILL. (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That clauses 1 to 150, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Power*),—That the Honorable Member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Sir John See,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Power,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Anderson,	
Mr. Archer,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Briner
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. MacMahon,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Howarth.
Mr. Jessep,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Morton
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. John Hurley,	

*Agreed to.*

*Clauses, as read, agreed to.*

And the Schedules having been dealt with,—

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 13.

BILLIARDS AND BAGATELLE BILL (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That clauses 1 to 17, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Nielsen*),—That the honorable member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. McGowen,
Sir John See,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Anderson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. McNeill.
Mr. J. F. Smith,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Coleman.
Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Howarth,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Brunker,	

*Agreed to.*

*Clauses, as read, agreed to.*

And the Schedules having been dealt with,—

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 14.

USURY, BILLS OF LADING AND WRITTEN MEMORANDA BILL (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That clauses 1 to 12, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Hollis*),—That the honorable member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Anderson,
Sir John See,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. MacMahon,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Nielsen.
Mr. John Storey,	

Noes, 14.

Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Burgess.
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Jessep,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Howarth,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. Coleman,	

*Agreed to.*

*Clauses, as read, agreed to.*

And the Schedule having been dealt with,—

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 15.

GENERAL LEGAL PROCEDURE BILL (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That clauses 1 to 14, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Hollis*),—That the honorable member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.		Noes, 15.	
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. J. F. Smith,	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Howarth.
Sir John See,	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Davidson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Jones,	Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. Jessep.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Archer,	Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Briener,	Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Fegan.	Mr. Bruncker,	
Mr. MacMahon,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Morton,	
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Nielsen.	Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. W. F. Hurley,		Mr. Burgess,	
Mr. McGowen,		Mr. Edden,	

*Agreed to.*

*Clauses, as read, agreed to.*

And the Schedules having been dealt with,—

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 16.

SYDNEY CORPORATION BILL (*Council Bill*).

Clauses 1 to 217, having been dealt with,—

Question proposed,—That the Schedules 1 to 19, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Hollis*),—That the honorable member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.		Noes, 16.	
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Coleman,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Howarth.
Sir John See,	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Power,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Archer,	Mr. Lee,	Mr. Edden.
Mr. Briner,	Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Fegan.	Mr. Jessep,	
Mr. McNeill,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Jones.	Mr. Morton,	
Mr. J. F. Smith,		Mr. Webster,	
Mr. McGowen,		Mr. Bruncker,	

*Agreed to.*

*Schedules, as read, agreed to.*

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 17.

WIDTH OF STREETS AND LANES BILL (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That Clauses 1 to 6, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. MacMahon*),—That the honorable member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.		Noes, 14.	
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Miller,	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Jones,	Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Lee,	Mr. Coleman.
Mr. Briner,	Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Ferguson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Edden,	Mr. Levy.
Sir John See,	Mr. Bennett.	Mr. Burgess,	
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	<i>Tellers,</i>		
Mr. Power,	Mr. Anderson.		
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. J. F. Smith.		
Mr. O'Sullivan,			

*Agreed to.*

*Clauses, as read, agreed to.*

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 18.

PUBLIC PARKS BILL (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That Clauses 1 to 13, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Hollis*),—That the honorable member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Nielsen,
Sir John See,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Power,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Howarth,
Mr. Lee,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. Levy.
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Burgess,	

Agreed to.

Clauses, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 19.

CATTLE SLAUGHTERING AND DISEASED ANIMALS AND MEAT BILL (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That Clauses 1 to 58, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Mr. Power*),—That the honorable member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Archer,
Sir John See,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Power,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Coleman.
Mr. Levy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Ferguson.
Mr. Howarth,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Burgess,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Gilbert,	

Agreed to.

Clauses, as read, agreed to.

And the Schedule having been dealt with, on motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 20.

SYDNEY MINT BILL (*Council Bill*).

Question proposed,—That Clauses 1 to 5, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Motion made (*Sir John See*),—That the honorable member for Sydney-Fitzroy Division, Mr. Levy, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. McGowen,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. McNeill,
Sir John See,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Power,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Nielsen.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Archer,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Howarth.
Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Jessep,	
Mr. Burgess,	

Agreed to.

Clauses, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

FRICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 4.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

FRIDAY, 25 JULY, 1902, A.M.

No. 1.

## WOMEN'S FRANCHISE BILL.

Clause 1 having been dealt with;—

Clause 2. The right to vote at elections of members of the Legislative Assembly is hereby conferred upon "women." And for that purpose the expression "male person" in the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act of 1893 shall be read "male or female person," and the word "son" in the definition of natural-born subject in section four of that Act shall be read "son or daughter," and all alterations necessary to carry out the provisions of this section shall be made in the form of any documents as prescribed in that Act: Provided that the right so conferred shall not be exercised until the general election next happening after the commencement of this Act. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Rose*), after the word "women" in line 2, to insert the words "and provision shall be made for women voting at such elections by post."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Donaldson,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Nelson.

Tellers,

Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. MacMahon.

Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Nobb,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Coleman,

Noes, 45.

Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Archibald Campbell,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Norton,  
Mr. Broughton,  
Mr. Dight,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Jessop,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Clara,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Law,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. D. R. Hall.

Tellers,

Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Quirk.

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And Clause 3 having been dealt with,—

No. 2.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 4. Nothing in this Act shall be taken to enable or qualify a woman to be nominated as a candidate at any election or to be elected as a member. (*Read.*)

Female not to be  
a candidate at  
any election.

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Question

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 45.

Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Chara,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Young,
Sir John See,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. H. Linn,

Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Norton,
Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Collins,
Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Newman,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Miller.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Webster,
Mr. Thomson.

Noes, 14.

Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Jessop,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Lee,
Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Fallick.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Briner,
Mr. Lonsdale.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

On motion of Sir John See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 5.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

*(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)*

THURSDAY, 7 AUGUST, 1902, A.M.

No. 1.

## WATER AND DRAINAGE BILL.

Clause 2 having been dealt with,—

Clause 3. The Governor may raise in the year one thousand nine hundred and two, "and in each of the next four succeeding years," by the issue of debentures or the issue of inscribed stock, secured upon the Consolidated Fund of this State, and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per centum per annum, a sum not exceeding two hundred thousand pounds, for the purpose of carrying out works of water supply, water conservation or irrigation, or of drainage.

- (a) The loans so authorised may be negotiated wholly or in part in the form of debentures or inscribed stock in the State or in London, at such times and for such amounts as may be directed by the Governor. Power to raise £200,000 a year for five years for purposes of water supply.
- (b) Any stock issued within the State under this Act shall be styled "New South Wales Funded Stock," and shall, if sold otherwise than by tender, be purchasable at the Treasury upon any lawful day. Stock may be sold in London or Sydney.
- (c) The provisions of the Funded Stock Act of 1892 relating to the method of inscription and transfer of stock, and the regulations under such Act, and the forms prescribed in the said regulations, are hereby declared to be applicable to, and shall be followed and used mutatis mutandis, in connection with stock issued within the State under the provisions of this Act. Creation of stock.
- (d) In respect of any stock issued in London under the provisions of this Act, the Governor may make regulations, not being inconsistent with the provisions of the Inscribed Stock Act of 1883, for carrying this Act into effect; and such regulations shall be published in the Gazette and laid before Parliament within fourteen days of the publication thereof, if Parliament be then sitting, and if Parliament be not sitting, then within fourteen days of the commencement of the next Session thereof. Application hereto of certain provisions of Funded Stock Act of 1892 to stock sold in the State.
- (e) All moneys borrowed under this Act shall be paid to the Treasurer, and shall be by him carried to and form part of the General Loan Account, and be appropriated and applied, as required, to the works and services hereinbefore specified, or to any other duly authorised Loan Services, in terms of the Loans Fund Amalgamation Act of 1879. Regulations to be made in respect of stock sold in London.
- (f) Sums borrowed now to be accounted for and appropriated.

Power to trustees and others to invest in debentures or stock.

(f) Debentures or stock sold or issued under this Act are hereby declared to be for all purposes Government securities; and all corporations and other persons whatsoever shall have power to invest in the purchase of such debentures and stock any property held by them, whether as trustees or otherwise, which they are not expressly forbidden to invest in Government stock or securities without on that account being liable as for a breach of trust or incurring any liability whatsoever, provided that such investment is in other respects reasonable and proper. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Ashton*), to leave out from lines 1 and 2 the words "and in each of the four succeeding years."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Price,	Mr. Law,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Jessop,
Mr. Richards,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,

Sir John See,
Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Collins,
Mr. Holman,
Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Bennett,

*Tellers,*

Mr. Clara,
Mr. Ferguson.

Noes, 6.

Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Millard.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Lonsdale
Mr. Cohen.

*Words stand.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining clauses of the Bill and new clauses having been dealt with,

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 6.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 12 AUGUST, 1902.

No. 1.

## REGISTRATION OF FIRMS BILL.

Clauses 1 to 7 having been dealt with,—

Clause 8. (1) Firms and persons required to be registered under this Act, who at the commencement of this Act are carrying on business in New South Wales, shall comply with the provisions of this Act within ~~three~~ <sup>Time for registration.</sup> six months after such commencement.

(2) Other firms and persons required to be registered under this Act shall register accordingly before they commence business. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Moore*), to leave out from line 3 the word "three" and insert the word "six" instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Young,  
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, *Tellers*;  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Hogue, Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Winchcombe, Mr. Broughton.  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Arthur Griffith,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Fullick,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. McCoy.

Nocs, 19.

Mr. Clara,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Williams,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
*Tellers*;  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Estell.

*Word left out.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 2.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 9. Where a change occurs in the constitution of a registered firm, the members of the firm as reconstituted shall, within "one month" after such change, send by post or deliver to the Registrar-General a statement thereof in the form in the Schedule to this Act or in any other prescribed form; and the same provision shall apply where a change occurs in the ownership of any business carried on by one person and required to be registered under this Act. (*Read.*)

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Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*), to leave out from line 2 the words "one month" and insert the words "two months" instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Young,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Gilbert,
Sir John See,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Moore,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Waddell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Fallick.
Mr. Winchcombe,	

Noes, 11.

Mr. Williams,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Macdonell.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. McNeill,	
Mr. Nielsen,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. J. F. Smith.	

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And Clauses 10 to 13 having been agreed to,—

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

Making false returns under this Act to be a misdemeanour.

Clause 14. Every person who wilfully makes signs acknowledges or sends or delivers to the Registrar-General any false statement purporting to be made under this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanour, and shall on conviction be liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years. (*Read.*)

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 17.

Mr. Broughton,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. McCoy.
Mr. Hogue,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Sir John See,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Morton.
Mr. Young,	
Mr. Gilbert,	

Noes, 7.

Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Thomson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Williams.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And Clauses 15 to 17 having been dealt with,—

Clause 18 read.

And notice being taken, and it appearing, that there was not a quorum present in the Committee, the Chairman left the Chair to report to the House accordingly.

FRIDAY, 15 AUGUST, 1902, A.M.

No. 4.

TEMORA TO BARELLAN RAILWAY BILL. (*Resolution.*)

Mr. O'Sullivan moved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to sanction the construction of a line of railway from Temora to Barellan; to amend the Public Works Act, 1900, so far as it relates to the duty of the Constructing Authority to make and maintain fences along the said line; to authorise the construction of the said line on public roads; to provide for the imposition of a tax on certain lands in connection with such line; and for other purposes.

Debate ensued.

The Honorable Member for Newcastle East, Mr. Dick, having stated "That it is a singular and suspicious circumstance that the Minister has only brought forward railway proposals affecting Government supporters' electorates,"—objection was taken to the words as being offensive,—

The Temporary Chairman (Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick) demanded the withdrawal of the words.

Whereupon Mr. Dick moved,—That the Chairman leave the Chair to report a Point of Order, and ask leave to sit again so soon as the Point of Order has been decided by the House.

The Point of Order is:—Mr. Dick objects to the ruling of Mr. Temporary Chairman Fitzpatrick—That a statement "That it is a singular and suspicious circumstance that the Minister has only brought forward railway proposals affecting Government supporters' electorates," on being objected to as offensive by any Honorable Member, must be withdrawn.

Question

Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Dacey,  
Mr. Dick,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Miller.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Holman.

Noes, 28.

Mr. Fleming,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Young.
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Est-ll,	Mr. MacMahon.

*Negatived.*

No. 5.

SAME BILL:—

*Same Resolution.*

Question put,—That the Committee agree to the Resolution.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Moore,
Mr. Richards,	Mr. D. R. Hall.
Mr. John Storey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. T. R. Smith,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Macdonell.
Mr. Anderson,	

Noes, 9.

Mr. Fleming,
Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Gilbert.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Dacey.

*Resolution agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. O'Sullivan, the Temporary Chairman left the Chair to report to the House that the Committee has come to a Resolution.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 7.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

*(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)*

THURSDAY, 4 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

No. 1.

TEMORA TO BARELLAN RAILWAY BILL.

Clauses 1 and 2 having been dealt with,—

Clause 3. (1) Within three months after the commencement of this Act, the Secretary for Lands by notification in the *Gazette* shall declare the district which, in his opinion, will be benefited by the construction or use of the said line of railway, and may alter or amend any such notification. Upon the opening of the line to traffic the said Secretary for Lands shall for the year, commencing on a day to be fixed by such Secretary for Lands, next following the opening of the line to traffic impose and collect in respect of land within the said district, not being land within ~~ten~~ three miles of the Temora Railway Station, a tax of—

- (a) one penny in the pound on the unimproved value of land within ten miles of the line; and
- (b) one half-penny in the pound on the unimproved value of land beyond ten and within fifteen miles of the line; and
- (c) one farthing in the pound on the unimproved value of land beyond fifteen and within twenty miles of the line.

And for every year thereafter and until the Railway Commissioners of New South Wales certify that the receipts for the line during the next preceding year are sufficient to meet the working expenses and interest, at the rate of three per centum per annum, on the cost of construction of the line, the said Secretary for Lands shall impose and collect a tax in respect of the said land, at a rate not exceeding that hereinbefore set out, so that the net proceeds of such tax, together with the receipts of the line during the then next preceding year, will amount to, but not exceed by more than ten per centum, the working expenses of that year and interest as aforesaid on the cost of construction of the line.

For the purposes of this section the unimproved value of any land shall be taken to be such value as assessed under the Land and Income Tax Assessment Act of 1895, or any Act amending the same.

The proceeds of such tax shall be paid into the Treasury and carried to the credit of the Revenue Account of the Railway Commissioners of New South Wales.

(2) For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this section the said Secretary for Lands may with the approval of the Governor, make regulations for the imposition, collection, payment, and recovery of any such tax; and may in those regulations impose any penalty not exceeding *ten* pounds for any breach of the same; and any such penalty may be recovered in a summary way before any Court of Petty Sessions.

All such regulations shall be published in the *Gazette*, and shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen days after such publication if Parliament is sitting, but if Parliament is not sitting then within fourteen days after the commencement of the next session.

(3) Any such tax shall be a charge on the land in respect of which it has been imposed, and may be recovered by the said Secretary for Lands in any Court of competent jurisdiction. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Eden George,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Estell,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Sir John See,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Norton,
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Edden,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Afleck,	Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Sleath,	Mr. D. R. Hall.
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Daley,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Holman.
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Pyers,	

Noes, 7.

Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. Brunner,  
Mr. Miller.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Gilbert.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining clauses, Schedule, and Preamble of the Bill having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. O'Sullivan, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, left the Chair to report the Bill with an amendment.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 8.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

*(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)*

TUESDAY, 9 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

No. 1.

## PROPERTY DETENTION BILL.

*(Resolution.)*

Mr. E. M. Clark moved, That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

*Resolved*,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to amend the law in relation to detention of goods in respect to time-payment agreements.

Question put,—That the Committee agree to the Resolution.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Estell,
Sir John See,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Pycers,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Oakes.
Mr. Williams,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Arthur Griffith.
Mr. Dight,	
Mr. Sleath,	

Noes, 14.

Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Chapman.
Mr. Young,	
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Quinn,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Nelson,	
Mr. Thomson,	
Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Carroll.	

*Agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. E. M. Clark, the Chairman left the Chair to report to the House that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

THURSDAY, 11 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

No. 2.

## MUNICIPAL BILL.

Clause 14. (1) Every municipality shall be governed by a council.

(2) Where the municipality contains a population amounting to five hundred but not exceeding two thousand and not exceeding one thousand five hundred persons the council shall consist of six nine members. Government of municipalities. Ibid. ss. 6, 7.(3) ~~Where the municipality contains a population exceeding two thousand and less than four thousand persons, the council shall consist of nine members.~~

(4) Where the municipality contains a population of four thousand or more persons, the council shall consist of twelve members.

(5) Where a municipality is not divided into wards the members of the council shall be elected by the electors of the municipality.

(6) Where a municipality is divided into wards there shall be three members for each ward, elected by the electors of the ward.

(7) The members of the council of a municipality shall be called aldermen. (*Further considered.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Mackenzie*), to leave out from sub-clause (2) the penultimate word "six" and insert the word "nine" instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Wood,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. McLaurin.
Mr. O'Connor,	
Mr. Morton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Phillips.
Mr. Mahony,	
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. David Storey,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Wright,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Frank Farnell,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Dacey,	
Mr. Law,	
Mr. Power,	

Noes, 50.

Mr. Lee,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Richards,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Walsh,
Sir John See,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Byrne,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Quinn,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Moore,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Brunner,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Reymond.
Mr. Chapman,	
Mr. Thomson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Briner.

*Word left out.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Arthur Griffith*), to add to the clause the words "Provided that the number of aldermen provided for in this section shall in each case be reckoned exclusive of the mayor."

And the Committee continuing to sit after midnight,—

FRIDAY, 12 SEPTEMBER, 1902, A.M.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Briner,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Holman,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Jones,
Mr. Miller.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Estell.

Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Perry,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Mahony,
Mr. Davis,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Phillips,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Hollis,

Noes, 41.

Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Law,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. MacMahon,
Sir John See,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Walsh,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Morton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Dacey.
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Wood,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Young,	
Mr. Richards,	
Mr. Pyers,	

*Addition of proposed words negatived.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

Qualification of  
alderman.  
*Ibid.*, s. 37.

Clause 15. Every person who is a male elector of a municipality or ward, and who is not incapable of holding office as hereinafter mentioned, may be elected as an alderman of such municipality or of any ward, as the case may be thereof.

Every person who has been elected as an alderman for a municipality or ward may act as an alderman for such municipality or ward until his office is vacated as hereinafter provided. (*Read.*)

Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Alexander Campbell*), to leave out from line 1 the words "person who is an" and insert the word "male" instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.		Noes, 40.	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Miller,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. McNeill,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Jones,	Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Morton,	Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Millard,	Mr. Perry,	Mr. Wood,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Quirk,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Richards,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Sir John See,	Mr. Pyers,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Fegan.	Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Young,	Mr. Jessep.
<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Walsh,	
Mr. Ferguson.	Mr. Davis,	Mr. Mahony,	
	Mr. Webster,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,	

*Words left out.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Webster*), to add to the clause the words "The Council may determine whether any and what remuneration shall be allowed any person holding the office of alderman."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.		Noes, 36.	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wood,	
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Morton,	Mr. Briner,	
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Mackenzie,	Sir John See,	
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. Perry,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,	
Mr. Millard,	Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Young,	
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Walsh,	Mr. Pyers,	
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Richards,	
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Edon George,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,	
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Hollis.	Mr. Phillips,	Mr. J. F. Smith,	
<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. McCoy,	Mr. O'Connor,	
Mr. Dacey,	Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Chapman.	
Mr. Webster.	Mr. Thomson,	<i>Tellers,</i>	
	Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Mahony,	
	Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Cohen.	
	Mr. Sleath,		

*Addition of proposed words negatived.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

- Clause 16. (1) A person elected to the office of alderman for a municipality or ward shall be incapable of holding or continuing to hold office if—
- (a) prior to the seventh clear day before the day prescribed as the day of nomination of candidates for such office, he has not paid all sums due in respect of rates upon land in the municipality, and in respect of charges lawfully made by the council of the municipality for the payment of which he is liable;
- (b) he has lost the qualification which entitled him to be placed on the prescribed roll for the municipality or ward for which he was elected, and if his name has at any revision of the said roll been removed from the said roll by reason of his loss of such qualification;
- (c) he is a Judge of the Supreme Court or of any District Court;
- (d) he is an officer on full pay or a non-commissioned officer or private in the naval or military service of His Majesty other than the volunteer force of the State;
- (e) he has his affairs under liquidation by any arrangement of his creditors;
- (f) he is an uncertificated bankrupt or insolvent;
- (g) he has been convicted of felony, unless he has received a free pardon or has served his sentence;
- (h) he is undergoing a sentence of imprisonment;
- (i) he is of unsound mind;
- (j) he holds any office or place of profit under or in the gift of the council of the municipality;
- (k)
- Disqualifications.  
Municipalities Act, 1897, ss. 38-41, 42, 44.  
Local Government Act, 1890 (Vic.), s. 50.  
Local Government Act, 1891 (Vic.), s. 16.

- (k) he is directly or indirectly by himself, or any partner engaged or interested (other than as a shareholder in an incorporated company, or in an association or partnership consisting of more than twenty persons) in any contract, agreement, or employment with, by, or on behalf of the council of the municipality, except in a contract or agreement for or in relation to—
- (i) the publication of advertisements in a public journal;
  - (ii) the supply by the council of water, gas, or electricity to premises.
  - (iii) the performance by the council of any work or services in connection with the paving or asphaltting of footways, or the kerbing or guttering of roads, the removal of nightsoil, or the carrying out by the council of other sanitary measures within the municipality;
  - (iv) the payment of money by any person for permission granted to him by the council to occupy footways in the municipality during the erection of buildings;
  - (v) the payment of a deposit of money as security for any damage to footways within the municipality;
  - (vi) relating to any lease already granted of any land belonging to or under the control of the council.
- (l) having been elected as an alderman he has not, within fourteen days from the date of his election, or, if he was absent from the municipality on such date, within fourteen days after his return thereto, made and subscribed the declaration in the form of the First Schedule, and delivered the same to the mayor or clerk. (*Read.*)

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 43.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. John Storey,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Perry,	Mr. Davidson,
Sir John See,	Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Labiner,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Morton,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Phillips,	Mr. D. R. Hull,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Holman.
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Frank Farnell,	
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Young,	Mr. Quirk,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Richards,	Mr. Jones,	Mr. Mahony.

Noes, 9.

Mr. Ferguson,  
Mr. Onkes,  
Mr. O'Conor,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Arthur Griffith,  
Mr. Pyers.

*Tellers,*

Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Briner.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

*Qualification of Electors.*

Clause 17. (1) Every person who is a natural-born or naturalised British subject, and of the full age of twenty-one years and upwards, shall be entitled to be placed on the prescribed roll of a municipality or ward, if such person—

- (a) on the day appointed by the Governor by any regulation made in that behalf is the owner in severalty of a freehold or leasehold interest in any ratable property in the municipality or ward;
- (b) on such day is jointly with any person or persons the owner of any such interest as aforesaid, and has been—
  - (i) chosen by the majority of such joint owners as aforesaid by writing under their hands delivered to the clerk within the time prescribed; or
  - (ii) where no such choice has been made, is the first of such joint owners, according to the alphabetical order of their surnames;
- (c) on such day is the manager, secretary, **representative**, or director of a public company or body corporate, or one of a body of trustees, which is such owner as aforesaid; and,
  - (i) has been nominated by the directors of such public company or body corporate or by such body of trustees as an elector in respect of such property; or,
  - (ii) where no such nomination has been made, is the manager, or, where there is no manager, is the secretary of such company, or is the trustee of such body of trustees whose name first appears on the instrument creating the trust, or, where the name of none of the existing trustees appears on such instrument, the trustee first appointed of the existing trustees;

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“(g) has continuously during such six months jointly or severally occupied as a lodger any lodgings in the same dwelling-house in the municipality or ward of a clear yearly value of ten pounds or upwards: Provided that only one of such joint lodgers shall be entitled to be placed on the roll, unless such lodgings are of the clear yearly value of twenty pounds, or upwards, in which case such number of the said lodgers shall be entitled to be placed on the roll as, when divided with the said yearly value, gives a quotient of ten pounds with a remainder of less than ten pounds. The joint lodgers who shall be so entitled shall be determined by a majority of the lodgers, evidenced by agreement signed by such majority and delivered to the clerk, or failing such agreement according to the alphabetical order of the surnames of the lodgers.”

(2)

(2) Every person whose name has been placed on the prescribed roll for a municipality or ward under the provisions of this section shall, during the time his name is on such roll but no longer, be an elector of, and shall be entitled to vote at any election of aldermen for such municipality or ward :

Provided that where a municipality is divided into wards—

- (a) an elector who is, as described in sub-paragraphs (a) (b) and (c) of the last preceding subsection, the owner of an interest in property in two or more wards, or the manager, secretary, director, or trustee representing such owner, shall be entitled to vote at any election of aldermen for any and every such ward ; but
- (b) an elector who is such owner, as aforesaid, of property in any ward, or person representing such owner as aforesaid, and is also an occupier as described in sub-paragraphs (d) (e) (f) or (g), in any other ward, shall not be entitled to vote in any ward in which he is such occupier ; and
- (c) an elector who is such occupier in two or more wards shall be entitled to vote only in such ward as he has notified by writing under his hand, delivered to the person and within the time prescribed, or, failing such notification, in such ward as has been notified by the clerk in the manner prescribed. (*Read.*)

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Alexander Campbell*), to leave out paragraph (g).

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Perry,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Sir John See,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Chapman.
Mr. Walsh,	
Mr. Richards,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Eden George.
Mr. Jones,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. McNeill.
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Wood,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Briner.
Mr. Frank Farnell,	
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. O'Conor,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Pyers,	
Mr. MacMahon,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Quirk,	

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clause 18 having been read,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that every entry should be supported by a valid receipt or invoice. This ensures transparency and allows for easy verification of the data.

In the second section, the author outlines the various methods used to collect and analyze the data. This includes both primary and secondary data collection techniques. The primary data was gathered through direct observation and interviews with key personnel. Secondary data was obtained from existing reports and databases.

The analysis of the data revealed several key trends and patterns. One of the most significant findings was the correlation between certain variables, which suggests a causal relationship. This insight is crucial for developing effective strategies and policies.

Finally, the document concludes with a series of recommendations based on the findings. These recommendations are designed to address the identified issues and improve the overall performance of the organization. It is hoped that these suggestions will be implemented and lead to positive outcomes.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 9.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

*(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)*

THURSDAY, 18 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

No. 1.

## MUNICIPAL BILL.

Clauses 18 to 25 having been dealt with,—

Clause 26. (1) Every council shall be presided over by a mayor.

(2) Every mayor shall be elected by the council from among its members in the manner and at the times prescribed.

Where the council fails to elect a mayor within the time prescribed, the Governor may appoint electors may elect a mayor from among the members of the council.

Where both the council and the electors fail to elect a mayor within the time prescribed, the Governor shall appoint a mayor from among the members of the council.

(3) A mayor shall be incapable of holding or continuing to hold office if he has not, within fourteen days after the date of his election, or, if at such date he is absent from the municipality, within fourteen days after his return thereto, made and subscribed before a justice or commissioner of the Supreme Court, a declaration in the form of the First Schedule, and delivered the same to the clerk.

(4) Every mayor shall hold office (unless such office is previously vacated) until the day prescribed for the election of his successor, being a day not later than thirty days after the third Tuesday in January succeeding his election or appointment, and shall then retire, but shall be eligible for re-election or reappointment, if a member of the council.

(5) The council may determine whether any and what remuneration shall be allowed any person holding the office of or acting as mayor. (*Read.*)Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*), to add to subclause (1) the words "who shall be elected by the rate-payers in the manner prescribed."*Point of Order.*—*Mr. Dacey* submitted that the amendment could not be entertained as being the same in substance and effect as an amendment already disposed of during the consideration of clause 14.The Temporary Chairman (*Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick*) sustained the objection taken and ruled that the amendment could not be entertained.*Mr. Arthur Griffith* moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair to report a Point of Order, and ask leave to sit again, so soon as the Point of Order has been decided by the House—(*Point of Order, as above, here stated.*)

Question put.

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Committee

Council to be  
presided over by  
mayor.  
Municipalities  
Act, 1897, ss. 50  
52 53.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Wood,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hogue,	
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Gillies.
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Macdonell,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	
Mr. Eden George,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. O'Connor,	
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	
Mr. Macdonald,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Gormly,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Holman.	

Noes, 45.

Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Young,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Phillips,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Dacey,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Moxham.
Sir John See,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Sullivan.
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Law,	

*Negatived.*

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (Mr. O'Connor), to leave out from the second paragraph of subclause (2) the words "Governor may appoint" and insert the words "electors shall elect" instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Brunker,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Wood,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Carroll.
Mr. Davidson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. Moxham.
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Quinn,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Richards,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Gormly,	
Mr. Wright,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	

Noes, 39.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Hawthorne,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Dacey,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Eden George,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. Anderson,
Sir John See,	Mr. Archibald Campbell,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. D. R. Hall.
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Macdonell,	
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Moore.
Mr. Jones,	

*Words left out.*

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Question put.—That the words "electors shall elect", proposed to be inserted be so inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Hawthorne,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Collins,
Sir John See,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Archibald Campbell,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Dacey,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. D. R. Hall.
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Eden George.

Noes, 25.

Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Phillips,	Mr. Gormly.
Mr. Mahony,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Mackenzie,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Quinn.
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Winchcombe,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Richards,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. J. F. Smith,	
Mr. Wood,	

*Words inserted.*

No. 4.

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Sir John See*), to insert as a third paragraph in subclause (2) the words "Where both the council and the electors fail to elect a mayor within the time prescribed the Governor shall appoint a mayor from among the members of the council."

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER, 1902, A.M.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Hollis,
Sir John See,	Mr. Keily,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Hawthorne,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Edden.
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Anderson.
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. Millard.
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Macdonnell,
Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. Estell.
Mr. Dacey,	
Mr. Oakes,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. O'Connor,	
Mr. Wood,	

*Words inserted.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 27 and 28 having been dealt with.

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

Clause 29. (1) If any person who is not qualified to act or is incapable of holding or continuing to hold office as an alderman or mayor, or whose office as an alderman or mayor has become vacant (except for the reason in the next following subsection mentioned) acts as an alderman or mayor knowing that he is disqualified so to act, or is incapable of holding or continuing so to hold office, or that his office has become vacant, he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.

(2) If the office of any alderman has become vacant by reason of his being concerned or participating in any contract or agreement with the council, he shall—

(a) be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds and not less than fifty pounds; and

(b) be for seven three years after the commission of the offence disqualified from being an alderman or holding any office in or under the council; and

(c) not be able to recover from the council any sums which are due to him by the council under such contract or agreement, and if he has received from the council any sums under such contract or agreement, the same may be recovered from him, with full costs of action or suit, by the council in any Court of competent jurisdiction within two years from the date of such receipt." (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated.—

Motion made (*Mr. O'Connor*), to leave out subclause (c).

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Sir John See,	Mr. Mahony,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Richards,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Latimer,

Mr. Collins,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Holman,
Mr. Jones.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick.

Noes, 9.

Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Millard.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Davidson.

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 30, 31, and 32 having been dealt with,—

No. 6.

No. 6.

## SAME BILL.

Power to council  
to appoint and  
remunerate  
officers.  
Municipalities  
Act, 1897, s. 126.

Clause 33. (1) Every council shall appoint such officers as they deem necessary for the execution of the powers and duties hereby vested in such council, and shall assign remuneration to such officers by way of salaries, allowances, or wages which shall be in lieu of all fees, perquisites, and other emoluments:

" Provided that where the council has failed to appoint a council clerk, the Governor may appoint a council clerk, who shall be deemed to have been appointed by the council."

(2) The council may make by-laws or pass resolutions prescribing the duties of officers appointed under this section. (*Read*)

Motion made (*Mr. Ashton*), to leave out the words, " Provided that where the council has failed to appoint a council clerk, the Governor may appoint a council clerk, who shall be deemed to have been appointed by the council."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Ferguson,
Sir John See,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Rdden,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Richards,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Gormly.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Anderson,	
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Phillips.

Noes, 12.

Mr. Morton,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Mahony,
Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. O'Conor,
Mr. Moxham.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Mackenzie.

*Words stand.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 34 to 40 having been dealt with,—

On motion of Sir John See, the temporary Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again on Wednesday next.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 24 SEPTEMBER, 1902, A.M.

No. 1.

## PUBLIC INSTRUCTION ACT AMENDMENT BILL.—

The clauses of the Bill having been dealt with,—

Mr. Arthur Griffith brought up the following new clause, to follow clause 1 of the Bill,—

This Act shall come into force on the first day of January, 1904 1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Williams*), to leave out the figures "1904" and insert the figures "1903" instead thereof.Commencement  
of Act.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Porry,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. John Storey.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Jones,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Arthur Griffith.
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	
Mr. W. E. Hurley,	
Mr. Tegan,	
Mr. Morton,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Wood,	Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Briner.
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Davison,	Mr. Cohen.

*Figures left out.*

No. 2.

## SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Edon George,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Bonnett,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Ferguson.
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Latimer,	Tellers,
Mr. Dick,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. Law,	

Noes, 12.

Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Jessep.
Tellers,
Mr. Moxham,
Mr. O'Connor.

*Figures inserted.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Arthur Griffith, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, left the Chair to report the Bill with an amendment to the House.

THURSDAY, 25 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

No. 3.

MUNICIPAL BILL.

Clause 50 having been dealt with,—

Clause 51. A council of a municipality other than a municipality within the metropolitan traffic district may make by-laws for or in respect of—

- (a) the regulation of the traffic of vehicles and animals upon public roads and places ;
- (b) the prohibition or regulation of the carrying or displaying of advertisements or placards by any persons or on any vehicles, or the carrying or using of noisy instruments on vehicles or horses "in public roads and places";
- (c) the prevention of cruelty to animals in public roads and places;
- (d) the prohibition of loitering or the obstruction of traffic generally upon any road, street, bridge, footway, or pavement;
- (e) the regulation and licensing of public vehicles, that is to say, of vehicles plying or standing in a public road or place for hire, or used or let for the conveyance for hire or for any consideration of goods or merchandise;
- (f) the regulation and licensing of the owners, drivers, and conductors of public vehicles defined as aforesaid;
- (g) the regulation and licensing of persons carrying on the business of carriers, carters, or water-drawers by means of any vehicles, and of porters;
- (h) providing for the custody and return of property left in public vehicles defined as aforesaid, and the payment of compensation for the same, and the sale and disposal of the proceeds of the sale of such property not claimed within the time prescribed;
- (i) The regulation of persons hiring or using public vehicles defined as aforesaid.

(Read.)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Arthur Griffith*), to leave out from subclause (b) the words "in public roads and places" and insert the words "within a municipality" instead thereof.

Mr. Affleck moved,—That the Question be now put,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Evans,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Affleck,
Sir John See,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Dacey,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Young,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Reymond,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. McNeill,	
Mr. John Storey,	Tellers,
Mr. Macdonald,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Edon George,	Mr. D. R. Hall.

Noes, 33.

Mr. Williams,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Wood,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Moxham,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. Morton.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Law,	Tellers,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Oakes.
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. McCoy,	

And it appearing from the Tellers' Lists that the requirement of Standing Order No. 175, that at least forty Members should vote in favour of the motion, had not been complied with,—  
Not decided in the affirmative. And

And the amendment moved by Mr. Arthur Griffith having been negatived,—

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Cohen*), to add to the clause the following words “(j) the regulations of the “width of tyres of vehicles.”

Mr. Sullivan moved,—That the Honorable Member for Rylstone, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.

Mr. Young,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Dacey.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Powe,  
Mr. Law.

Mr. Moore,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,  
Mr. O'Connor,  
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Co'eman,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. David Storey,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. Daley,

Noes, 53.

Mr. W. E. Hurley,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Eden George,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Oakes,  
Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. Byrne,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Nelson,  
Mr. Pyers,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. Moxham,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. McFarlane,

Mr. Dick,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Jessop,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Brice,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. Wright,  
Mr. Dight,  
Mr. Reymond.

*Tellers,*

Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Holman.

*Negatived.*

And Mr. Cohen's amendment having been withdrawn,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 52 to 68 having been dealt with,—

On motion of Sir John See, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again on Wednesday next.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that every entry should be supported by a valid receipt or invoice. This ensures transparency and allows for easy verification of the data.

In the second section, the author outlines the various methods used to collect and analyze the data. This includes both manual and automated techniques. The goal is to ensure that the data is as accurate and reliable as possible.

The third part of the document provides a detailed breakdown of the results. It shows that there is a significant correlation between the variables being studied. This finding is supported by statistical analysis and is consistent with previous research in the field.

Finally, the document concludes with a series of recommendations for future research. It suggests that further studies should be conducted to explore the underlying causes of the observed trends. This will help to develop more effective strategies for addressing the issues at hand.

APPENDIX A

Item	Quantity	Unit Price	Total
Item 1	10	5.00	50.00
Item 2	20	3.00	60.00
Item 3	5	10.00	50.00
Item 4	15	4.00	60.00
Item 5	8	6.00	48.00
Item 6	12	5.50	66.00
Item 7	3	15.00	45.00
Item 8	7	7.00	49.00
Item 9	9	6.50	58.50
Item 10	4	12.00	48.00
Item 11	6	8.00	48.00
Item 12	11	5.00	55.00
Item 13	14	4.50	63.00
Item 14	2	20.00	40.00
Item 15	10	6.00	60.00
Item 16	18	3.50	63.00
Item 17	5	11.00	55.00
Item 18	13	4.80	62.40
Item 19	7	8.50	59.50
Item 20	9	7.00	63.00
Item 21	4	14.00	56.00
Item 22	6	9.00	54.00
Item 23	11	5.50	60.50
Item 24	15	4.20	63.00
Item 25	3	18.00	54.00
Item 26	8	7.50	60.00
Item 27	12	5.20	62.40
Item 28	5	12.50	62.50
Item 29	7	9.50	66.50
Item 30	10	6.50	65.00
Item 31	14	4.50	63.00
Item 32	2	22.00	44.00
Item 33	9	7.00	63.00
Item 34	13	5.00	65.00
Item 35	6	10.50	63.00
Item 36	8	8.00	64.00
Item 37	11	5.80	63.80
Item 38	16	4.00	64.00
Item 39	4	16.00	64.00
Item 40	7	9.00	63.00
Item 41	10	6.50	65.00
Item 42	14	4.50	63.00
Item 43	3	21.00	63.00
Item 44	6	10.50	63.00
Item 45	9	7.00	63.00
Item 46	12	5.20	62.40
Item 47	5	12.50	62.50
Item 48	8	8.00	64.00
Item 49	11	5.80	63.80
Item 50	15	4.20	63.00

1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 11.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN:

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

*(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)*

THURSDAY, 16 OCTOBER, 1902.

No. 1.

WAYS AND MEANS (*Financial Statement*):—(2) *Resolved*,—

“That” towards making good the supply granted to His Majesty for the Service of the year 1902-3, there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of New South Wales the sum of £985, for Executive Council, for the year 1902-3. (*Further considered.*)

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 17 OCTOBER, 1902, A.M.

Motion made (*Mr. Price*), to leave out all the words after “That” and insert the words “before granting supply the Committee desires that there shall be a change in the administration of forestry in view of the present unsatisfactory administration of the same and the prejudicial effect upon the timber industry therefrom, and that such change should be in the nature of a transfer of administrative work from the Lands Department to the Department of the Chief Secretary or the Department of Agriculture.

“That such a change is advisable so that provision be made for the collection of Royalties upon hewn timber at the port of shipment or place of entrainment and upon sawn timber upon the output of the mills.

“That such a change is advisable so that the Royalties upon hewn timber, girders, piles and sleepers should be equalized.”—instead thereof.

The Chairman ruled the amendment out of order on the ground of its irrelevance to the Resolution under consideration,—

Whereupon, *Mr. Price* moved,—“That the Chairman leave the Chair to report a Point of Order, and ask leave to sit again so soon as the Point has been decided by the House,—

(The Point of Order being stated as above.)—

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Moxham,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. O'Connor,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Price,  
Mr. J. O. L. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Affleck,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Norton,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Dight,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Carroll.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Davison,  
Mr. Jessop.

Noes, 40.

Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Njelsen,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Brimer,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Richards,	
Mr. Thomson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Power.
Mr. Gillies,	
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Broughton,	
Sir John See,	
Mr. Anderson,	
Mr. Davis,	

*Negatived.*

And the Committee having agreed to the Resolution as proposed,—

On Motion of Mr. Perry, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again,—and also to report that the Committee has come to a Resolution.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 12.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 21 OCTOBER, 1902.

No. 1.

SUNDAY OBSERVANCE BILL—(Resolution):—

Mr. Affleck moved, That the Committee agree to the following Resolution,—  
*Resolved*,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to provide for the better observance of the Sunday, for the closing of business places, and prohibiting the sale of goods in those places during certain hours; to amend the Liquor Act, 1898; and for purposes incidental to, or consequent on, those objects.

Question put,—That the Committee agree to the Resolution.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Morton,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Affleck,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Davieon,	Mr. D. R. Hall.
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Labimber,	Mr. Rose.
Mr. Oakes,	

Noes, 12.

Mr. Daley,
Mr. Levien,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Meagher,
Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Carroll.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Norton,
Mr. Chapman

*Resolution agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Affleck, the Chairman left the Chair to report to the House that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

WEDNESDAY, 22 OCTOBER, 1902.

No. 2.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1902-1903.

*Schedules A, B, and C to Schedule I.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £1,328 for Supplement to Schedule B for the year 1902-1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Edden*), to omit item, "Colonel Warner Wright Spalding, C.M.G., £275,"—and Question put.

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Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 47.

Mr. Holman,	Mr. Norton,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Broughton,
Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Byrne,
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Evans,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Price,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Law,	Mr. Macdonald.
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Eden George,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Ferguson.
Mr. Sleath,	

Noes, 40.

Mr. Phillips,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. W. F. Hurley.
Mr. Frank Farnell,	
Mr. Brunker,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Wright,	
Sir John See,	
Mr. Crick,	
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	

*Item omitted.*

No. 3.

*Same Estimate.*Motion made (*Mr. Haynes*), to omit item, "Colonel George John Airey, £250,"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 45.

Mr. Holman,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Jessop,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Eden George,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Daley,
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Norton,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. D. R. Hall.
Mr. Pyers,	
Mr. Byrne,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nielsen.
Mr. T. H. Griffith,	

Noes, 39.

Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Phillips,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Nowman,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Quinn,	Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Davidson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fleming,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. John Hurley.
Mr. Frank Farnell,	
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	
Mr. Perry,	
Sir John See,	
Mr. Wright,	
Mr. Crick,	
Mr. Dight,	

*Item omitted.*

No. 4.

*Same Estimate.*Motion made (*Mr. Frank Farnell*), to omit item, "J. W. Hofflick, 1st Garrison Division Artillery (1s. 6d. per diem), £28,"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Briner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Jessop.
Mr. T. H. Griffith,	
Mr. Pyers,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Miller,	

Noes, 39.

Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	Mr. Millard,
Sir John See,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Winchcombe.
Mr. Norton,	
Mr. Coleman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fleming,	Mr. Phillips,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Oakes.
Mr. Quinn,	

*Omission of Item negatived.*

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY,

THURSDAY, 23 OCTOBER, 1902, A.M.

*Reduced Estimate, Supplement to Schedule B (£803) agreed to.*

And the Estimates for Vice-President of the Executive Council &c., Legislative Council, and Legislative Assembly, having been dealt with,—

No. 5.

*Legislative Council and Assembly.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,780 for Legislative Council and Assembly, for the year 1902–1903.

And the Estimate having been reduced by £145,—

Motion made (*Mr. Sleath*),—That the Estimate be further reduced by £265—and Question put. Committee divided.

Ayes, 54.

Mr. Fallick,	Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Nicholson,
Sir John See,	Mr. Crick,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Clarn,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Price,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Bennett,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Quirk,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Fleming,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Millard,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Nelson,	Mr. Jessop,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Edden,	Mr. Mackenzie.
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Webster,	

Noes, 6.

Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Carroll.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. McNeill.

*Further Reduction agreed to.*

*Reduced Estimate, Legislative Council and Assembly (£4,370), agreed to.*

No. 6.

*Parliamentary Library.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £2,018 for Parliamentary Library for the year 1902–1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*), to reduce item, Librarian £176, by £76,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Clarn,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Carroll.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Power,  
Mr. McNeill.

Noes, 47.

Mr. Cohor,	Sir John See,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Evans,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Jessop,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Millard,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Young,

Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Phillips,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. Oakes.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. Sullivan.

*Reduction of Item negatived.*

*Estimate, Parliamentary Library, agreed to.*

And the Estimates for Parliamentary Reporting Staff, and Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, having been dealt with,—

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

THURSDAY, 23 OCTOBER, 1902.

No. 7.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1902–1903.

*Colonial Secretary:—*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £8,675 for Colonial Secretary for the year 1902–1903.

And the item "Special Clerk to Minister and Permanent Head, £350" having been reduced by £150,—

Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*) to omit item "Clerk to Private Secretary, State Governor, £290" and Question put,—

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.		Noes, 66.	
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Morton,	Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Evans,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Briner,	Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Dacey,	Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Law,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Williams,	Mr. Quin,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Crick,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Affleck,	Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Holman,	Mr. Fleming,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Davis,	Mr. Perry,
<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Estell,	Sir John Sec,	Mr. Raymond,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Rose.	Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Hogue,
	Mr. Daley,	Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Cohen,
	Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Dight,	Mr. Carruthers,
	Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Quirk,	Mr. Young,
	Mr. Moxham,	Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Fegan,
	Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Gormly,	Mr. O'Connor,
	Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,	Mr. Mackenzie.
	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
	Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. Collins,	Mr. Hollis,
	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Macdonald,	Mr. Thomson.
	Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. Nicholson,	
	Dr. Ross,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	

*Omission of Item negatived.*

*Reduced Estimate, Colonial Secretary (£8,525), agreed to.*

And the Estimates for Auditor-General, Aborigines Protection Board, Police, Lunacy, Master-in-Lunacy, Medical Board, The Medical Advisor to the Government, and Government Statistician having been dealt with.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 24 OCTOBER, 1902, A.M.

No. 8.

*Agent-General for New South Wales.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £6,790 for the Agent-General for New South Wales for the year 1902-1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Ashton*),—That the Estimate be reduced by the sum of £1,000,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.		Noes, 40.	
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Evans,	
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Fleming,	Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Anderson,	
Mr. Ashton,	Mr. Edden,	Mr. Young,	
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,	
Mr. Dick,	Sir John Sec,	Mr. Nielsen,	
Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Sleath,	
Mr. Carroll,	Mr. Hollis,	Mr. T. R. Smith,	
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Clara,	Mr. Macdonald,	
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Crick,	Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Collins,	Mr. McNeill,	Mr. J. F. Smith,	
<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Dacey,	Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.	Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Holman.	
	Mr. Donaldson,	<i>Tellers,</i>	
	Mr. Nelson,	Mr. D. R. Hall,	
	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Macdonell.	
	Mr. Thomson,		

*Reduction of Estimate negatived.*

*Estimate, Agent-General for New South Wales, agreed to.*

No. 9.

*Government Asylums for the Infirm.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £42,503 for Government Asylums for the Infirm for the year 1902-1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Jessop*), to omit item "Chaplains, Church of England and Roman Catholic, at Parramatta Asylums at £50 each—£100."

Mr. Leyien moved, "That the Question be now put,"—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.

Mr. Evans,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Anderson,
Sir John See,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Eyers,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Raymond,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Quirk,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Young,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Meagher,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. Thomson,	
Mr. Donaldson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Affleck,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Gillies.
Mr. Hollis,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Williams
Mr. Phillips,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Millard.
Mr. Jessop,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. McCoy.
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Dacey,	
Mr. Howarth,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Dick,	
Mr. Law,	
Mr. E. M. Clark,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. McNeill,	
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Burgess,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 10.

*Same Estimate.*

Question put,—That the item "Chaplains, Church of England and Roman Catholic, at Parramatta Asylums at £50 each—£100," be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.

Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Affleck,
Mr. Law,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Jones,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Dacey.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Jessop.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. Crick,
Mr. Sleuth,
Mr. Carruthers,
Sir John See,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Meagher,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Webster,
Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Anderson,
Dr. Ross,
Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Howarth,

Noes, 60.

Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Evans,
Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Perry,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Levien,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. Davis,
Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Carroll,
Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Collins,
Mr. Millard,

Mr. Young,
Mr. Pycers,
Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Briner,
Mr. Power,
Mr. Archer,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Daley,
Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Holman.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Broughton,
Mr. Davidson.

*Omission of item negatived.*

*Estimate, Government Asylums for the Infirm, agreed to.*

No. 11.

*State Children Relief Department.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £64,122 for State Children Relief Department for the year 1902-1903.

Mr. Hollis moved,—That the Honorable Member for St. Leonards, Mr. E. M. Clark, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Crick,
Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Perry,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Jones,
Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Young.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Dacey.

Mr. Davidson,
Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Jessop,
Mr. Broughton,
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Evans,
Mr. Gilbert,
Dr. Ross,
Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Howarth,
Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Morton,

Noes, 43.

Mr. Webster,
Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Briner,
Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Law,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Holman,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Byrne,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Thomson,

Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Pycers,
Mr. Nelson,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Archer,
Mr. Raymond,
Mr. J. F. Smith.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Power,
Mr. Daley.

*Negatived.*

*Estimate, State Children Relief Department, agreed to.*

And the Estimate, To recoup Consolidated Revenue Fund under State Children's Relief Act, Fisheries Commission, and Fire Brigades, having been dealt with,—

No. 12.

*Botanic Gardens.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £9,832 for Botanic Gardens for the year 1902-1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Carruthers*),—That the Estimate be reduced by £500,—and Question put. Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Moxham,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Dacey,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Jessep,  
Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Coleman.

Tellers,

Mr. Ferguson,  
Mr. Davidson.

Noes, 37.

Mr. Davis,	Mr. Burgers,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Waddell,
Sir John See,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Law,	Mr. Meagher.
Mr. Byrne,	
Mr. Quinn,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Thomson.
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Pyers,	
Mr. Nelson,	
Mr. Anderson,	
Mr. Macdonald,	

*Reduction of Estimate negatived.*

*Estimate, Botanic Gardens, agreed to.*

And the Estimates for Nursery Garden Campbelltown, Government Domains, Garden Palace Grounds, Centennial Park, Electoral Office, Registrar-General and Examiner of Patents, Registrar of Copyright, Sydney Harbour Trust, and Commercial Agents, having been dealt with,—

No. 13.

*Charitable Allowances.*

Question proposed—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £68,875 for Charitable Allowances for the year 1902-1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Jessep*),—That the Estimate be reduced by £1,350—and Question put. Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Howarth,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Estimer,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Gilbert,	• Mr. Law.
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. John Hurley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. Mahony.
Mr. Fallick,	

Noes, 39.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Jones,
Sir John See,	Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Miller,	Dr. Ross,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Hogue,
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Byrne,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Dacey.
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Pyers,	Mr. Burgess.
Mr. Nelson,	

*Reduction of Estimate negatived.*

*Estimate, Charitable Allowances, agreed to.*

And the Estimate for Miscellaneous Services having been dealt with,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 13.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 29 OCTOBER, 1902.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1902-1903.

The Estimates for Treasury, Stamp Duties, Land and Income Tax, Gold Receivers, Gold and Escort, and Government Printer having been dealt with.

*Public Service Tender Board and Government Stores.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £69,754, for Public Service Tender Board and Government Stores for the year 1902-1903.

Mr. E. M. Clark moved "That the Question be now put,"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Power,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Law,  
Mr. Dacey,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. T. H. Griffith,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. E. M. Clark.

Tellers,

Mr. Daley,  
Mr. Jones.

Noes, 57.

Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Oakes,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Price,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Donaldson,  
Mr. Quinn,  
Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Brunner,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Millard,

Mr. Ashton,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. Lalimer,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Pyers,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Thomson,

Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Neilsen,  
Mr. Bruer,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Nelson.

Tellers,

Mr. Jessep,  
Mr. Lonsdale

*Negatived.*

And the item "Secretary and Executive Member, £600" having been reduced by £100,—

*Reduced Estimate, Public Service Tender Board and Government Stores (£69,654), agreed to.*

And the remaining Estimates of the Department of the Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade having been dealt with,—

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

THURSDAY, 30 OCTOBER, 1902.

No. 2.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1902-1903.

*Railways.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £2,812,460 for Railways and Tramways—Existing Lines—Working Expenses for the year 1902-1903.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 31. OCTOBER, 1902, A.M.

Motion made (*Mr. Sullivan*), to reduce item, "Chief Mechanical Engineer, £1,200," by £200,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 11.

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Young.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Nielsen.

Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. J. O. L. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. Oakes,  
Mr. Fillick,

## Noes, 40.

Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,

Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Donaldson,  
Mr. Dacey.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Evans,  
Mr. Hollis.

*Proposed reduction negatived.*

*Estimate, Railways, agreed to.*

No. 3.

*Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice:—*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £55,380 for Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice for the year 1902-1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Carruthers*), That the Estimate be postponed,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 18.

Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. J. O. L. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. E. M. Clark.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Ashton,  
Mr. Oakes.

## Noes, 32.

Mr. Waddell,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Donaldson,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. D. R. Hall,

Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Gillies.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. T. R. Smith.

*Postponement negatived.*

No. 4.

*Same Estimate:—*

Motion made (*Mr. Ashton*),—That the item "Attorney-General and Minister of Justice, £320," be postponed.

The Chairman ruled that the motion could not be entertained, the postponement of the whole Estimate (which included this item) having been negatived.

Whereupon, Mr. Ashton moved, "That the Chairman leave the Chair to report a *Point of Order*, and ask leave to sit again so soon as the *Point of Order* has been decided by the House,—

(The *Point of Order* is here stated as above.)—

Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Gormly.
Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Oakes.
Mr. Cohea,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. John Hurley,	
Mr. Mackenzie,	
Mr. Hogue,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Pegan,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Dick,	
Mr. Millard,	

*Negatived.*

Noes, 30.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Anderson,
Sir John See,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Davis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Holman.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Law,	
Mr. Sullivan,	

No. 5.

*Same Estimate:—*

Mr. Gillies moved, "That the Question be now put,"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Sir John See,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Macdonell.
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Byrne,	
Mr. J. F. Smith,	
Mr. Nelson,	

*Negatived.*

Noes, 39.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Ferguson,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Ashton,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. O'Conor,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Millard,	Mr. Gormly.
Mr. Affleck,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Whiddon,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Edden.
Mr. Daley,	
Mr. Hawthorne,	

No. 6.

*Same Estimate:—*

Motion made (Mr. Moore); to reduce item "Attorney-General and Minister of Justice, £320," by £50.

Mr. D. R. Hall moved,—That the Honorable Member for Sydney-Phillip Division be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Jones,
Sir John See,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Young,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Davis.
Mr. Levien,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Law,	Mr. Dacey.
Mr. Donaldson,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	

Noes, 31.

Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Whiddon,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Pyers.
Mr. Edden,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Power.
Mr. Affleck,	Mr. McNeill.
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Ashton,	

The numbers being equal, the Chairman gave his casting vote with the *Noes*, and declared the question to have passed in the *negative*.

No. 7.

No. 7.

*Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice—continued:—*

Mr. Fegan moved, "That the Question be now put,"—and Question-put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 45.

Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Gillies,
Sir John See,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Byrne,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Quinn,	Mr. Barnes,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. MacMahon,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Power,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Davis.
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Sleath,	
Mr. Burgess,	
Mr. Levien,	

Noes, 31.

Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Gilbert
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Mackenzie.
Mr. Levy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Ferguson.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Whiddon,	
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	
Mr. John Hurley,	
Mr. O'Connor,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. Carroll,	
Mr. Gormly,	
Mr. Millard,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 8.

*Same Estimate:—*

Mr. Moore claimed the right to reply under Standing Order No. 175.

The Temporary Chairman, Mr. Meagher, ruled that no reply could be claimed in Committee.

Whereupon Mr. Ashton moved, "That the Temporary Chairman leave the Chair to report a *Point of Order*, and ask leave to sit again so soon as the *Point of Order* has been decided by the House."

The *Point of Order* is,—

"That the Temporary Chairman of Committees, Mr. Meagher, is in error in ruling that the mover of an amendment in Committee is not entitled, under Standing Order No. 175, to reply before the Question is put from the Chair."

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Affleck,	Mr. Collins,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Ashton,
Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Whiddon,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Dacey.
Mr. Oakes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. Morton.
Mr. E. M. Clark,	

Noes, 40.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Sir John See,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Quinn,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Archer.
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Byrne,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Donaldson.
Mr. Davis,	

The numbers being equal, the Chairman gave his casting vote with the *Ayes*, and declared the Question to have been resolved in the *affirmative*.

The Chairman left the Chair accordingly.

The Committee resumed,—

Mr. Speaker having upheld the ruling of the Temporary Chairman.

No. 9.

No. 9.

*Same Estimate :—*

Question put,—To reduce item “Attorney-General and Minister of Justice, £320,” by £50.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Hawthorne,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Millard.
Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Mahony.
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. O'Connor,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Whiddon,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. John Hurley,	
Mr. Oakes,	
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Law,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Winchcombe,	
Mr. Carroll,	

Noes, 49.

Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Anderson,
Sir John See,	Mr. Evans,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Levien,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Crick,	Dr. Ross,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Raymond,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. McNeill.
Mr. Quirk,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Byrne,	Mr. Brinsley Hall.
Mr. Young,	
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	

*Proposed reduction negatived.*

No. 10.

*Same Estimate :—*

Motion made (*Mr. Affleck*), to reduce item “Salary of Acting Chief Justice, £3,500,” by £900.  
Mr. Crick moved,—That the Honorable Member for Rylstone, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 44.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Byrne,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Sir John See,	Mr. Meagher,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Burgess
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Daley,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. McNeill,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. D. R. Hall.
Mr. Kelly,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Law,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Donaldson.
Mr. Bennett,	

Noes, 25.

Mr. John Hurley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Whiddon,	Mr. Briner.
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Oakes,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Coher,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Mahony,	
Mr. Mackenzie,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Hawthorne,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Gormly,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. Williams,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 11.

*Same Estimate :—*

Mr. Gillies moved,—“That the Question be now put,”—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Byrne,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Ferry,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Williams,
Sir John See,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. D. R. Hall.
Mr. Webster,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Chapman.
Mr. Sleath,	
Mr. Law,	

Noes, 25.

Mr. Moore,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Arthur Griffith.
Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Sullivan.
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Oakes,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. John Hurley,	
Mr. Mackenzie,	
Mr. Whiddon,	
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Hawthorne,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Briner,	
Mr. Dacey,	

And it appearing from the Tellers' Lists that the requirement of Standing Order No. 175, that at least forty members should vote in favour of the motion, had not been complied with,—

*Not decided in the affirmative.*

No. 12.

*Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice—continued:—*

Question put,—to reduce the item "Salary of Acting Chief Justice, £3,500," by £900.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Dr. Ross,
Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Affleck,
Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Gormly,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Millard,
Mr. Moore,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Williams.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Dacey.

Noes, 37.

Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hawthorne,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Quinn,	Mr. Morton.
Sir John See,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Hogue,	
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Crick,	
Mr. Archer,	

*Proposed reduction negatived.*

No. 13.

*Same Estimate:—*

Motion made (Mr. Arthur Griffith), to reduce item, "Salary of Acting Chief Justice, £3,500," by £500,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Affleck,
Mr. Chapman,
Dr. Ross,
Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Gormly,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. McNeill,
Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Millard,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Moore,
Mr. Sullivan.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Arthur Griffith.

Noes, 37.

Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Young,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Hawthorne,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. Quinn,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Sir John See,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Levy.
Mr. Hogue,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Crick,	
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Archer,	
Mr. Kidd,	

*Proposed reduction negatived.*

No. 14.

No. 14.

*Same Estimate :—*

Motion made (*Mr. Dacey*), to reduce item, "Clerk of the Peace, £750," by £350,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Daley,  
Mr. Afleck,  
Mr. Hollie,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Sullivan.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Dacey,  
Mr. Arthur Griffith.

Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. David Storey,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Byrne,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Rose,

Noes, 52.

Mr. Archer,  
Mr. O'Conor,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Ashton,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. Moxham,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Quinn,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Farnell,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Perry,

Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Nelson,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Oakes.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. McMahon.

*Proposed reduction negatived.*

No. 15.

*Same Estimate :—*

Motion made (*Mr. Dacey*), to reduce item, "Clerk of the Peace, £750," by £100,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Daley,  
Mr. Dacey,  
Mr. Afleck,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Oakes.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Chapman.

Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. David Storey,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Ashton,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. Moxham,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Quinn,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Nielsen,

Noes, 50.

Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Nelson,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Byrne,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. O'Conor,

Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Pyers,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Davis.

*Proposed reduction negatived.**Reduced Estimate, Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice, £55,090, agreed to.*

And the remaining Estimates under the Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice having been dealt with,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 14.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 6 NOVEMBER, 1902.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1902-1903.

The Estimate for Public Instruction having been dealt with,—  
And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 7 NOVEMBER, 1902, A.M.

The Estimate for Industrial Schools was dealt with.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,434 for  
Observatory for the year 1902-1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Sullivan*), to omit item "Contingencies, £610,"—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Macdonald.

Tellers,

Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. Sullivan.

Noes, 82.

Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. Gillie,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. Wood,	Sir John See,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Richards,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. Bennett.
Mr. Briner,	
Mr. Kidd,	Tellers,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. MacMahon.

Omission of item negatived.

Estimate, Observatory, agreed to.

And the Estimates for Australian Museum, Public Library of New South Wales, National Art  
Gallery, and Labour and Industry Branch having been dealt with,—

No. 2.

Grants in aid of Public Institutions.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £15,900 for  
Grants in aid of Public Institutions for the year 1902-1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Nielsen*), to omit item "Royal Society—amount in proportion of £1 to every  
£1 raised by private contributions, £500"—and Question put.

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Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Power.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Nicholson.

Mr. Ferguson  
Mr. Gillics,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Haynes,

Noes, 33.

Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Alexander Campbell,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Richards,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Donaldson,  
Mr. Gormly,  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. Kelly.

*Omission of item negatived.*

No. 3.

*Same Estimate:—*

Motion made (*Mr. Sullivan*), to omit item, "The Royal Geographical Society of Australasia—amount in proportion of £1 to every £1 raised by private contributions, £100"—and Question put.

Committee divided. -

Ayes, 11.

Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Power.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Eddon,  
Mr. Miller.

Mr. Ferguson,  
Mr. Gillics,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Anderson,

Noes, 34.

Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Richards,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Alexander Campbell,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Donaldson,  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Estell.

*Omission of item negatived.*

*Estimate, Grants in aid of Public Institutions, agreed to.*

And the Estimate for Miscellaneous Services, and all the Estimates under the Secretary for Mines and Agriculture having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Kidd, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 15.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 11 NOVEMBER, 1902.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1902-1903.

*Sydney Harbour Trust* :—

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £71,240 for Sydney Harbour Trust for the year 1902-1903.

Motion made (*Mr. Sullivan*), to reduce item "Secretary and Chief Accountant, £700," by £100.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 12 NOVEMBER, 1902, A.M.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. J. O. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Fleming,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Dick.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Law.
Mr. Briner,	
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Estell,	

*Reduction negatived.*

Noes, 18.

Mr. Evans,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Pyers.
Mr. Perry,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Richards,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Price.
Mr. Thomson,	

No. 2.

*Same Estimate* :—Motion made (*Mr. Briner*), to reduce item, "Clerks, £2,450," by £500—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 10.

Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Jones,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fleming,
Mr. Edden.

*Tellers,*

Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Briner.

*Reduction negatived.*

Noes, 21.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Richards,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Price,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Dick.
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Thomson.
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Waddell,	

No. 3.

*Same Estimate:—*

Motion made (*Mr. Sullivan*), to reduce item "Paymaster, Examiner, Receiver, Clerks and Collectors £3,860," by £360,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McNeill,	
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Chapman.
Mr. Jessop,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Jones,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Richards,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Pyers.
Mr. Anderson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Price,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Power.

*Reduction negatived.**Estimate, Sydney Harbour Trust, agreed to.*

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

WEDNESDAY, 12 NOVEMBER, 1902.

No. 4.

WATER AND DRAINAGE BILL:—

*(Consideration of the Legislative Council's amendments referred to in Message of 17 September, 1902.)*

The amendment in the Title having been dealt with.

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendment in page 2, clause 2, line 3, which omits the word "and"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Macdonell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. MacMahon.
Mr. Hollis,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Oakes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Mackenzie,	
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Cohen.
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Jessop,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Winchcombe,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. Bruker,	
Mr. Gormly,	
Mr. Carroll,	

*Agreed to.*

And the remaining amendments made by the Legislative Council having been dealt with,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 13 NOVEMBER, 1902, A.M.

On motion of Mr. O'Sullivan, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had agreed to some, including the amendment in the Title, disagreed to others, and amended others of the Legislative Council's amendments in the Bill.

FRIDAY, 14 NOVEMBER, 1902, A.M.

No. 5.

CLOSER SETTLEMENT ACT AMENDMENT BILL (No. 2).

*(Resolution.)*

Mr. Crick moved, That the Committee agree to the following resolution:—

*Resolved*,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to amend the Closer Settlement Act, 1901, and to provide for the resumption of land for the purposes of the said Act.

Debate ensued.

Motion made (*Mr. Meagher*), That the Honorable Member for Rylstone, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Williams,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. John Storey.
Mr. Archer,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Meagher,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Dacey.
Mr. Sullivan,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Ashton,	Mr. Fleming,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Coleman.
Mr. Carruthers,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Wood,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Ferguson.
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. O'Connor,	
Mr. Millard,	

*Agreed to.*

*Resolution, as moved, agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Crick, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee has come to a Resolution.

FRIDAY, 14 NOVEMBER, 1902.

No. 6.

LIQUOR BILL:—

(Resolution.)

Mr. Waddell moved, That the Committee agree to the following resolution,—

*Resolved*:—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to consolidate, amend, and extend the law relating to publicans and other persons engaged in the sale of liquor; to regulate the sale of liquor by clubs and co-operative societies; to regulate the places in which liquor is sold, and persons frequenting such "places;" and for other purposes connected therewith or incidental thereto.

Motion made (*Mr. Affleck*), after the word "places;" to insert the words "to provide for the application of the principle of local option; to restrict the employment of barmaids;"

Upon which Mr. Kelly moved that the amendment be amended by adding the words "and to regulate the hours of Sunday trading."

Which amendment Mr. Temporary Chairman O'Connor ruled out of order as being too wide to be considered relevant to the amendment or to the original resolution.

Whereupon Mr. Kelly moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair to report a *Point of Order*, and to ask leave to sit again, so soon as the *Point of Order* has been decided by the House.

[The *Point of Order* is here stated as above recorded]

And Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Eden George,
Mr. Crick,
Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Moore,
Mr. Fleming,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. MacMahon.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Sleath.

Noes, 31.

Mr. Mahony,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Evans,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. Affleck,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Dight,
Sir John See,	Mr. Archer.
Mr. Hogue,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Gillies.
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Briner,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	

*Negated.*

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*), to add to the proposed amendment the words "and to regulate the hours of sale of liquor on Sundays";

And it being five minutes to Eleven o'clock, the Chairman (under Sessional Order agreed to on 29th October, 1902,) left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again on the next sitting day.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 16.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 18 NOVEMBER, 1902.

No. 1.

LIQUOR BILL:—

(Resolution.)

*Resolved*:—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to consolidate, amend, and extend the law relating to publicans and other persons engaged in the sale of liquor; to regulate the sale of liquor by clubs and co-operative societies; to regulate the places in which liquor is sold, and persons frequenting such "places"; and to restrict, modify, and in some cases render null and void bonds and contracts in reference to what is known as Tied Houses—and to, more equitably, regulate the powers of mortgages or other securities existing between brewer and licensee; and for other purposes connected therewith or incidental thereto. (*Further considered.*)

And certain amendments proposed at the previous sitting having been dealt with,—

Motion made (*Mr. Meagher*), after the word "places" to insert the words "and to restrict, modify, and in some cases render null and void bonds and contracts in reference to what is known as Tied Houses—and to, more equitably, regulate the powers of mortgages or other securities existing between brewer and licensee"

*Mr. Davis* moved, "That the Question be now put,"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Williams,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Elden,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Quinn,
Sir John See,	Mr. Evans,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Porry,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Arthur Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Briner.

Noes, 38.

Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Fleming,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Ashton,	Mr. Hogue,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Wood,	Mr. Attock,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. John Hurley,
Mr. Bruncker,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Millard,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Jessop,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. David Storey.

The Chairman stated that, though the numbers were equal, inasmuch the number required by Standing Order No. 175 to decide the vote in the affirmative had not voted with the ayes, it would not be necessary for him to give a casting vote, but accordingly he declared the question—*not decided in the affirmative.*

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 19 NOVEMBER, 1902, A.M.

The amendment moved by Mr. Meagher was agreed to.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

*Same Resolution.*

Motion made (*Mr. Wood*), to insert after words just inserted the words "and to provide for an equitable system 'of' compensation"

Whereupon Mr. David Storey moved that the amendment be amended by the insertion after the word "of" of the word "time"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. Lévy,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Jessep,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. David Storey,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. Ferguson,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Ashton,  
Mr. Nobbs.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Oakes.

Noes, 44.

Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Broughton,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Brunner,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Eden George,  
Mr. Arthur Griffith,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. Quinn,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Collins.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Chapman.

*Insertion of word negatived.*

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

*Same Resolution.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Broughton,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Gormly.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Quinn,  
Mr. Macdonell.

Noes, 50.

Mr. Oakes,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. David Storey,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Brunner,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Eden George,  
Mr. Arthur Griffith,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,

Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Jessep,  
Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Ashton,

Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Ferguson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Williams.

*Insertion of words negatived.*

*Resolution, as amended, agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Waddell, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee has come to a Resolution.

THURSDAY,

THURSDAY, 20 NOVEMBER, 1902.

No. 4.

## BOILERS REGULATION BILL.

Clauses 1, 2, and 3 having been dealt with,—

Clause 4. This Act (unless the context otherwise indicates) applies only to and in respect of <sup>Boilers to which this Act applies.</sup> boilers used within districts, but in no case (except where otherwise expressly stated) applies to or in respect of—

- (a) boilers used in any ship of war or any boat forming part of the equipment of a ship of war; or  
 (b) boilers subject to survey by an engineer surveyor in pursuance of the Navigation Act of 1877 1901 or any Act amending that Act; or  
 (c) boilers subject to the provisions of the Mines Inspection Act, 1901.  
 (e) ~~boilers the property of the Crown and used on a Government railway, tramway, or other public work; or~~  
 (d) ~~boilers exempted or coming within a class of boilers exempted by the Governor from the operation of this Act. (Read.)~~

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Dight*), to add to the clause the words, “(d) Boilers of four-horse power and “under, used for dairying purposes.”

Mr. E. M. Clark moved, “That the Question be now put,”—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Young,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Lovien,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Nielsen,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Quian,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Piers,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Afleck,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Nelson,	Mr. E. M. Clark.
Mr. Bennett,	

Noes, 31.

Mr. Morton,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Dight.
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Briner,	Mr. McLauin,
Mr. Careuthers,	Mr. Mackenzie.
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Hawthorne,	

And it appearing from the Tellers' Lists that the requirement of Standing Order No. 175, that at least forty members should vote in favour of the motion, had not been complied with,—

*Not decided in the affirmative.*

And the proposed addition of certain words having been negatived,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 5.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 7. There shall be so many inspectors as the Governor thinks fit to appoint.

Any person desirous of being appointed an inspector under this Act shall pass the prescribed examination according to the rules and regulations herein-after mentioned, and shall satisfy the examiner of his competency as follows:— He must have a sound knowledge of the principles of modern boiler construction, and be able to calculate the stresses and strains to which the various parts are subjected. He must be well versed in the strength of materials, and thoroughly understand the mechanical properties of iron and steel as used for this special purpose. He must be able to work out all classes of riveting, check and calculate dead weight, lever, and spring loaded safety valve pressures. He must know the standard proportions of the various parts, how they should be stayed, and be competent to make a plain drawing or a good working sketch of any boiler. His testimonials must also show, to the satisfaction of the examiner, that he is a person of considerable practical experience, sobriety, and general fitness for the position. His age shall not be less than twenty-five years. One of such inspectors may be appointed chief inspector.

~~Every inspector, before his appointment, shall furnish proof that he possesses the qualifications necessary for the discharge of the duties of his office, or shall pass such examination as may be prescribed.~~

Each inspector shall be appointed for and shall administer this Act within the district or districts mentioned in his appointment, and shall be furnished with a certificate of his appointment, signed by the Minister, to be produced in pursuance of this Act. (*Read.*)

Appointment, qualification, and jurisdiction of inspectors.  
 Examination of inspectors.

And

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Nelson*), after the words already inserted, to insert the words "One of such inspectors may be appointed chief inspector."—

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. O'Conor,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Nelson,	Mr. Levien,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Young.
Mr. Richards,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Thomson.
Mr. Evans,	
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Latimer.
Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Burgess.
Mr. Macdonell,	
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Sullivan,	
Mr. Briner,	
Mr. McLaurin,	
Mr. Millard,	

*Words inserted.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining clauses and Schedule of the Bill having been dealt with,—

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

FRIDAY, 21 NOVEMBER, 1902.

No. 6.

FISHERIES BILL.

Clauses 1 to 4 having been dealt with,—

Clause 5. (1) There shall be an executive board to act with the Commissioner Chairman in all matters of administration, and with him to deal with all matters connected with or concerning the better regulation of the fisheries, or any class, group, or portion thereof; the closure or opening of any tidal or inland fisheries; the supervision and protection thereof; the determination of the weight or sizes of marketable fishes; the size of marketable oysters; the dimensions, meshes, and mode of hauling of nets, and the employment of any other implements for the catching of fish; the acclimatisation of fish; the cultivation of fish and oysters; the development of the fishing industry; the exploration of offing grounds suitable for trawling; the improvement and cheapening of the supply of fish to the consumers; the protection of the interests of fishermen, and generally on all matters pertaining to the development and regulation of the fisheries within the territorial limits of New South Wales.

(2) Such board shall consist of five members, to be appointed by the Governor, of whom

(a) one shall be elected as representative member of the coast fisheries a licensed fisherman who has held a license for five years and who shall be nominated by the licensed fishermen's Union;

(b) one shall be elected as representative of lessees of Crown lands leased for oyster culture a lessee who has held an oyster lease for five years and who shall be nominated by the oyster lessees; and

(c) three shall be appointed by the Governor as representatives of the Crown.

(3) The Commissioner shall give effect to any decision of the said board.

(4) The Commissioner shall be entitled to a free pass on the Government railways and tramways of New South Wales during his term of office; and every member of the board who is not a member of either House of Parliament shall be entitled to be paid at the rate of fifteen shillings per diem for every day on which he attends at a meeting of the board, together with such travelling expenses as may be prescribed by regulations made under this Act. Three members of such board at any meeting shall form a quorum.

(5) The term of office of every member of such board shall be "three years"; but any such member shall be eligible for re-election or reappointment as the case may be.

(6) The mode of resigning office as a member of the board, what shall constitute an extraordinary vacancy in the office of such member, and the mode of filling up the same, the places and times of meeting of the board, and all details in furtherance of the provisions of this Part relating to the said board, in respect to the election, nomination, or appointment of members of such board, and the conduct of its business, shall be prescribed by the regulations. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*), from sub-clause (5) to leave out the words "three years" and insert the words "one year" instead thereof.

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

Committee

Establishment of board of advice.

Constitution of board.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Quinn,	Mr. Daley.
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Richards,	Mr. Williams.
Mr. Archer,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Phillips,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Macdonell.
Mr. Mahony,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Dacey,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. Burgess,	
Mr. Sullivan,	
Mr. Millard,	

*Words stand.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 6 to 10 having been dealt with,—

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

Clause 11. (1) The Commissioner Board may, by notice in the *Gazette* from time to time, declare that any specified tidal or inland water or portion thereof shall be closed against

- (a) The taking of any species of trout or salmon by any means whatever ;  
 (b) Fishing generally, and by any method of capture ;  
 (c) The use of fishing-nets and fishing-lines; or of either of such methods of catching fish,

during any specified time in any year: Provided that the Commissioner Board may, in like manner, rescind or vary any such notice.

(2) All water so specified shall be termed "close fisheries," and the months during which the same are so declared to be closed, "close months."

(3) If any person shall, in any close fishery closed against fishing generally, during any close month, haul any net or fix or place or use any line, implement, weir, or other structure or thing whatsoever, for the purpose of catching, taking, or enclosing fish, or in such manner that fish might be caught, taken, or enclosed thereby, or is in possession of fish taken from such close fishery, such person and every person aiding or assisting him, or being in any boat with him during the commission of the offence, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ~~ten~~ fifteen pounds and not less than two pounds. And the like penalty shall be incurred by any person who, in any close fishery closed against the use of fishing-nets, shall during any close month haul or fix or place any net, or who, in any close fishery closed against the use of fishing-lines, shall use any fishing-line for the purpose of catching, taking, or enclosing fish, or in such manner that fish might be caught, taken, or enclosed thereby. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Cohen*), from line 7 of sub-clause (3) to leave out the word "ten" and insert the word "forty" instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Dight.
Mr. Archer,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Byrne,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Collins.
Mr. Dacey,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Anderson,	
Mr. Hawthorne,	
Mr. Quinn,	
Mr. Lintimer,	
Mr. McFarlane,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Daley,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Affleck,	Mr. Evans,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. W. F. Hurley.
Mr. Moore,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. Millard,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Jessop.

*Word left out.*

And the insertion of the word "forty" having been negatived.

No. 8

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Cohen*), to fill the blank with the word "twenty-five"—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 10.

Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Daley,  
Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Eden George,  
Mr. Mackenzie.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Affleck,  
Mr. Nobbs.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Jessep,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Quinn,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Dacey,  
Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,

Noes, 33.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Byrne,  
Mr. McLaurin, Mr. J. F. Smith.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Sullivan.

*Insertion of word negatived.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clause 12 having been dealt with,—

No. 9.

SAME BILL.

Penalty for  
fishing in closed  
waters.

Clause 13. If any person shall in contravention of any proclamation under the next preceding section, haul any net or place any fishing-line for the purpose of taking or capturing fish, or by which fish may be taken or captured within the limits of the waters or area defined or described in such proclamation, such person shall be liable for the first offence to a penalty not exceeding ten **fifteen** pounds and not less than forty shillings, and for the second or any subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding "twenty" pounds and not less than five pounds; and every person aiding or assisting in the hauling or otherwise fixing of such net or placing such fishing-line, or being in any boat from which any net or fishing-line shall be hauled or placed in contravention of any such proclamation shall be liable to like penalties. Any inspector may, with or without warrant, apprehend and take before one or more justices any person found offending against the provisions of this section, to be dealt with as hereinafter provided. ~~Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act it shall be lawful for the Commissioner to authorize by the issue of a permit the use of a net of prescribed length and dimensions for the purpose of catching prawns only, and to issue a similar authority for the purpose of catching crayfish only, in waters closed against fishing generally and by any method of capture or the use of fishing nets and fishing lines, or either of such methods of catching fish, and if any person shall in such waters catch and take any fish other than prawns and crayfish, or shall attempt to catch any prawns or crayfish without holding such permit, he shall be liable to a penalty of five pounds, and his permit shall on conviction be cancelled, and he shall not be eligible to obtain another permit to catch prawns or crayfish. (Read.)~~

Prawn-net  
may be used  
under  
certain  
conditions.

Motion made (*Mr. Cohen*), to leave out from line 6 the word "twenty" and insert the word "thirty" instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Byrne,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Dacey,  
Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Dight,

Mr. Eden George,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Wright,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Jessep.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. Quinn.

Noes, 15.

Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Daley,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Mackenzie,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Affleck,  
Mr. Carroll.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Latimer.

*Word stands.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 14 and 15 having been dealt with,—

No. 15.

No. 10.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 16. All persons selling or exposing for sale fish or oysters at any Fish Market shall furnish in writing to the Commissioner Board a weekly statement of all fish and oysters consigned to or received by them, and shall state the quantity of each species of fish, the waters they were captured in, the maximum and minimum prices obtained for each species of fish, the total amount received for the sale of such fish, and the quantity of fish condemned as unfit for food, and any person failing to furnish such statement every week shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding two pounds. (*Read.*)

Persons to  
furnish returns  
of fish.

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

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

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 18.

Mr. Daley,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Collins.
Mr. Thomson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Asbeck,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Williams.

## Noes, 18.

Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Fleming.
Mr. Hawthorne,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Anderson,	
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Quinn.

The numbers being equal, the Temporary-Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, gave his casting vote with the *Noes*, and declared the question to have passed in the *negative*.

Clause, as amended, *negatived*.

No. 11.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 17. All persons other than those specified in the preceding section who receive fish for sale from fishermen, or from the waters they are taken from, and do not sell them through a fish market, shall comply with the requirements of the preceding section, and shall be liable to a similar penalty if such requirements are not complied with. (*Read.*)

Other persons to  
supply returns.

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

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 13.

Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Jones,
Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Wright,
Mr. Briner,
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Archer,
Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. D. R. Hall.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Dacey.

## Noes, 22.

Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Carroll.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Anderson.
Mr. Hawthorne,	
Mr. Fleming,	
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Ashton,	

*Negatived.*

And clauses 18, 19, and 20 having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. O'Sullivan, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Tuesday next.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 17.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 25 NOVEMBER, 1902.

No. 1.

## FISHERIES BILL:—

Clause 21 to 26 having been dealt with,—

Clause 27. Whosoever attempts to frighten fish around which nets are being set by any fisherman, or who, on being informed by any fisherman that nets are being set around any fish, wilfully makes or produces any sound calculated to frighten such fish shall be guilty of an offence under this Act. (*Read*) Penalty for frightening fish in process of being caught with nets.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Dacey,  
Mr. Price,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Affleck,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Daley,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. Henry Clarke.

Tellers,

Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 40.

Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Reymond,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Rose,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Byrne,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Fleming,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Estell.
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Hayes,	

Clause, as read, *negatived*.

And clauses 28 and 29 having been dealt with,—

No. 2.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 30. No person shall "buy," sell, or expose for sale, or have in his possession any salmon or trout during any period in which the taking of salmon or trout is prohibited, and any person acting in contravention of this section, shall forfeit any fish so bought, sold, or exposed for sale or in his possession, and shall incur a penalty not exceeding *two* pounds; but this section shall not apply to any person buying, selling, or exposing for sale, or having in his possession salmon cured, pickled, or dried. (*Read*) Penalty for buying, selling, &c., salmon or trout during prohibited periods.

Motion made (*Mr. Latimer*), from line 1 to leave out the word "buy"

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

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Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Evans,	Mr. Pvers,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Nelsen,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Price,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Byrne,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Raymond,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Briner.
Mr. McFarlane,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. Winchcombe,
Dr. Ross,
Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Mahony,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Fleming,
Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Jessop,
Mr. Carroll.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Affleck,
Mr. Dight.

*Word stands.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And clauses 31 to 47 having been dealt with,—

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

Protection of  
leased areas.

Clause 48. It shall not be lawful for any person other than the lessee, his agents or servants, to do any of the following acts, namely:—

- (1) To take or in any way disturb or interfere with any oysters upon any leased area without the consent of the lessee.
- (2) ~~To allow cattle to stray upon any leased area.~~
- (3) To cut or lop or remove mangroves or any timber from any leased area.
- (4) To deposit upon or remove from any leased area any stone, ballast, rubbish, or substance, or to dredge or drag upon any leased area with any implement, unless by direction or authority of the **Commissioner Board**, or the proper officer of the Department of Harbours and Rivers, or the Navigation Department.
- (5) To place upon any leased area any implement or thing likely to injure oysters, except for a lawful purpose of navigation or anchorage.

Penalties.

Every person who does any act in contravention of this section shall be liable for the first offence to a penalty not exceeding *five* pounds, and for the second offence to a penalty not exceeding *ten* pounds and not less than *five* pounds, and for the third and any subsequent offence to a penalty of *twenty* pounds; and every such person shall be liable to make compensation to the lessee for all damage sustained by such lessee by reason of the unlawful act of such person, and in default of payment the same may be recovered by the lessee in any Court of competent jurisdiction. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Frank Farnell*), to leave out sub-clause (2).

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.

Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Lonsdale.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fleming,
Mr. Carroll.

Noes, 40.

Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Briner,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Perry,	Mr. Pvers,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Price,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Quinn,	Mr. Dight,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Hogue,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. Mahony.
Mr. Millard,	Mr. McLaurin,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Young,	
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. J. F. Smith,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Evans,	Mr. Collins.

*Words left out.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 49 to 54 having been dealt with,—

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

Imprisonment  
may be imposed  
in lieu of  
pecuniary  
penalty.

Clause 55. It shall be lawful for any police or stipendiary magistrate, or for any justices before whom any proceedings may be taken in respect of any offence against the provisions of this Act, or any regulation, for which a pecuniary penalty only is imposed, to impose in lieu of any such pecuniary penalty a term of imprisonment not exceeding *thirty* days. (*Read.*)

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Webster,
Sir John See,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. McFarlane.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Williams.
Mr. Chapman,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Jessop,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Fleming,	Mr. Quinn,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. O'Conor,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Holman.
Mr. Hogue,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Price,	
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Power.
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Clause, as read, agreed to.

And clauses 56 to 61 having been dealt with,—

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

Clause 62. Whenever a person shall be charged with taking oysters from any lease which may be contiguous to another or others, it shall be sufficient in alleging and proving the place from which such oysters were taken, to allege and prove that such oysters were taken from one or other of such such lease or from some contiguous leases, and that the same belonged to, and were in the lawful possession of, one or other of the lessees thereof. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Hogue*), from line 4 to leave out the words "one or other of such" and insert the words "such lease or from some" instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Power,
Mr. Webster,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Millard,
Mr. Dick.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Jessop.

Noes, 30.

Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Ashton,	Mr. O'Conor.
Mr. Carruthers,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Thomson.
Mr. Waddell,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Bennett,	
Mr. Wright,	
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Frank Farnell,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Evans,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Young,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Dacey,	

Words left out.

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Williams,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Dacey.

Noes, 13.

Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Jessop,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Power,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. O'Conor.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Dick.

Words inserted.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

And the remaining clauses and schedules of the Bill having been dealt with,—

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

WEDNESDAY,

WEDNESDAY, 26 NOVEMBER, 1902.

No. 7.

## PASTURES PROTECTION BILL.

Postponed clauses 2, 4, 6, 8, and 11 having been dealt with,—

Inspector,  
*Ibid.*, s. 12.

Clause 13. The Governor may appoint a chief inspector for New South Wales, and inspectors for any one or more districts. Such inspectors shall be under the control of the Minister and shall be paid such salaries as he may from time to time determine. When an inspector is appointed for one district only, the Board shall pay his salary out of the pastures protection fund, and when an inspector is appointed for two or more districts, the boards of such districts shall pay his salary out of their said funds in such proportions as the Minister directs. The chief inspector, and inspectors so appointed shall be inspectors under and within the meaning of the unrevoked provisions of the Stock Act, 1901. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Hayes*), after "Minister" in line 2 insert the words "and shall be paid such salaries as he may from time to time determine. When an inspector is appointed for one district only, the Board shall pay his salary out of the pastures protection fund, and when an inspector is appointed for two or more districts, the Boards of such districts shall pay his salary out of their said funds in such proportions as the Minister directs."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 47.

Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Dight,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. T. B. Smith,	Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Webster,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Richards,	Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Wood,
Mr. Dacey,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. D. K. Hall,
Mr. Quinn,	Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Raymond,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. T. H. Griffith,	Mr. Moore,	Mr. Macdonell.
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Donaldson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Newman,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Levy.
Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Burgess,	
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Estell,	

Noes, 15.

Dr. Ross,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Fricke,
Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Fleming,
Mr. Affleck,
Mr. Millard,
Mr. Collins,
Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Jessop.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Oake,
Mr. Morton.

*Words inserted.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 8.

## SAME BILL.

Rate.  
*Ibid.*, s. 11.

Clause 16. (1) Every Board shall in each year make or cause to be made an estimate of the probable sum which will be acquired (in addition to fines, penalties, and other revenues) for the effective administration of this Act in its district; and the said sum shall be raised by a rate upon sheep and large stock within the district.

Subject to the provisions hereinafter contained, the amounts levied under the rate shall be determined by the Board in respect of the holdings within its district, and the Board shall assess and rate every owner or occupier who has ten head or more of large stock or one hundred sheep or "more." Such assessment shall not exceed in the annual aggregate ~~expense~~ **fourpence** per head of large stock and ~~one~~ **two-thirds** of a penny per head of sheep:

Provided that in the case of unstocked or partly stocked land, whatever may be the actual number of stock on such land, there shall, for the purpose of the said assessment and rate, be deemed to be one sheep on every three acres—land, the Board shall assess it according to its carrying capacity to be determined by the Board after taking evidence on oath in open Court. Provided also that in the case of agricultural land it shall be assessed at one sheep to three acres.

Provided also that only *half* rates shall be levied in respect of any holding or portion of a holding enclosed by a fence, erected before or after the commencement of this Act, which, in the opinion of the Board, is rabbit-proof.

(2) The Board shall have access as prescribed to—

- (a) returns of sheep or large stock heretofore made under this or any other Act; and
- (b) returns collected by the police or other authorised persons for statistical or other purposes. (*Read.*)

Inspection of  
returns.

Motion made (*Mr. Nielsen*), in line 8 after the word "more" to insert the words "or an amount of land capable of carrying such number of cattle or sheep,"—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Holli,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Raymond,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. Arthur Griffith,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Briner.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 43.

Mr. Nobbs, Dr. Ross, Mr. Wright, Mr. Moore, Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Moxham, Mr. Morton, Mr. Perry, Mr. McCoy, Mr. Levy, Mr. Price, Mr. Latimer, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick, Mr. Dight, Mr. Bennett, Mr. T. H. Griffith, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Broughton, Mr. Crick, Mr. Newman, Mr. Oakes, Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Evans, Mr. Colman, Mr. Davidson, Mr. Fleming, Mr. Afleck, Mr. Alexander Campbell, Mr. Millard, Mr. Collins, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Donaldson, Mr. Archer, Mr. Brinsley Hall, Mr. Richards, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Pyers, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Carroll.
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*Tellers,*

Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Thomson.

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

No. 9.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Dight*), to leave out from line 9 the word "sixpence" and insert the word "fourpence" instead thereof.

Mr. Crick moved, That the Honorable Member for Moruya, Mr. Millard, be not further heard,—  
and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Ferry,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Richards.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. Anderson.

Mr. Nobbs,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Moxham,  
Mr. Oakes,  
Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Arthur Griffith,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Coloman,  
Mr. Fleming,

Noes, 44.

Mr. Afleck,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Dight,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Burgess,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Wright,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Alexander Campbell,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. T. H. Griffith,

Mr. Donaldson,  
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Broughton,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Pyers,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. D. R. Hall.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Price,  
Mr. Newman.

*Negatived.*

And the clause having been further amended as proposed by Mr. Dight and indicated,—

No. 10.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Dight*), to leave out from the same line the word "one" and insert the words "two-thirds of a" instead thereof.

And the word proposed to be left out having been left out,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 50.

Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Evans, Mr. Anderson, Mr. MacMahon, Mr. Miller, Mr. Alexander Campbell, Mr. McLaurin, Mr. T. H. Griffith, Mr. McNeill, Mr. Arthur Griffith, Mr. Coleman, Mr. Hollis, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Perry, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dight, Mr. Webster, Mr. Archer,	Mr. Nielsen, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Burgess, Mr. Raymond, Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick, Mr. Quinn, Mr. Wright, Mr. Donaldson, Mr. Thomson, Mr. Holman, Mr. Newman, Mr. Macdonald, Mr. D. R. Hall, Mr. John Storey, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Pyers, Mr. Brinsley Hall, Mr. Broughton, Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Millard, Mr. Moxham, Mr. Gillie, Mr. Collins, Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Richards, Mr. Estell, Mr. Power.
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*Tellers,*

Mr. McCoy,  
Mr. Briner.

Noes, 18.

Mr. Nobbs,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Oakes,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Fleming,  
Mr. Afleck,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Price,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Carroll.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Rose.

*Words inserted.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

No. 11.

No. 11.

## SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Hayes*), to insert after the words last inserted, the words "Provided also that in the case of agricultural land it shall be assessed at one sheep to three acres."—  
and Question put:

Committee divided.

Ayes, 60.

Noes, 18.

Mr. Hayes,	Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Edden,	Mr. Fallick,
Sir John See,	Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Rose,	Dr. Ross,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Afleck,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Macdonald,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Estell,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. Onkes,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Ferguson,	Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Moore,
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. Hohnan,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Wood,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Raymond,	Mr. Miller,	Mr. Winchcombe,	Mr. Cohen,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Archer,	Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Daley,	Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Richards,	Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Flewing,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Pvers,	Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Price.
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Barnes,		
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Burgess,	<i>Tellers,</i>	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. T. H. Griffiths,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Quinn,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Quirk,	Mr. Briner.	Mr. Dick.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Nicholson,		

*Words inserted.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining postponed clauses and Schedule having been dealt with,—

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

No. 12.

FISHERIES BILL (*Recommittal for reconsideration of Clause 5*).

Clause 5 having been negatived,—

Mr. O'Sullivan brought up a new clause to follow clause 4 of the Bill.

(1) The chairman of the board shall be appointed by the Governor, and shall hold office for a term of ~~five~~ **three** years, but shall be eligible for reappointment.

He shall receive a salary of five hundred pounds per annum, and such salary shall be charged to the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which, to the extent required for the payment of such salary, is hereby permanently appropriated.

(2) The ~~five~~ **six** other members of the board shall also be appointed by the Governor.

Of such members—

- (a) "one shall be a licensed fisherman who has held a license" for five years, and who shall be nominated by the Licensed Fishermen's Union;
- (b) one shall be a lessee who has held an oyster lease for five years, and who shall be nominated by the holders of such leases;
- (c) **one shall be appointed by the Governor as representative of the inland fisheries.**
- (d) three shall be representatives of the Crown.

Every such member of the board shall be entitled to be paid at the rate of fifteen shillings per diem for every day on which he attends a meeting of the board, in addition to such travelling expenses as may be prescribed. Three members of the board other than the chairman shall constitute a quorum at any such meeting.

(3) The term of office of every such member of the board shall be three years; but any such member shall be eligible for reappointment.

(4) The Minister of the Crown for the time being holding the office of Colonial Secretary may appoint a deputy chairman, who shall have the same powers as the chairman, during the absence of the chairman through illness or any other cause.

(5) The mode of resigning office as a member of the board, what shall constitute an extraordinary vacancy in the office of such member, and the mode of filling up the same, the places and times of meeting of the board, and all details in furtherance of the provisions of this Part relating to the said board, in respect to the nomination and appointment of members of such board, and the conduct of its business, shall be as prescribed. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Brunner*), from paragraph (a) of subclause (2) to leave out the words "one shall be a licensed fisherman who has held a license" and insert the words "two shall be licensed fishermen who have held licenses" instead thereof,—

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Maedonell,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Young,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Daley,
Mr. Brinor,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Slentz,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Quirk,

Mr. Holman.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Nicholson

Noes, 10.

Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Bruncker,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. J. P. Smith.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Thomson.

*Words stand.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. O'Sullivan the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with further amendments to the House.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 18.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 10 DECEMBER, 1902, A.M.

No. 1.

## TREASURY BILLS BILL:—

Clauses 1 to 9 having been dealt with,—

Clause 10. "All" such sums of money as shall be raised by Treasury Bills issued under the authority of this Act shall be carried to the General Loan Account by the Colonial Treasurer, and be appropriated and applied, as required, towards the purpose of any Loan Service specified in any Loan Act, in terms of section 35 of the Audit Act, 1902. (*Read*). Application of moneys raised

Motion made (*Mr. Ashton*), to leave out the first word "All"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Evans,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Pyers,
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Richards,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Donaldson,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Williams,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Egan,	Mr. Thomson.
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Sleath,	

Noes, 14.

Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Davison,
Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Dick,
Mr. Hogue,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Jessep,
Mr. Alleck,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. O'Conor.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Phillips.

*Word stands.**Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And the remaining clause of the Bill and a new clause having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Waddell, the Chairman left the chair to report the Bill with amendments to the House.

FRIDAY, 12 DECEMBER, 1902, A.M.

No. 2.

SUPPLY—ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES, 1902-3.

*Supplement to Schedule B.*

Question—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £525, to defray additional charge for the year 1902-3 under the head "Military Pensions,"—put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 44.

Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Mahony,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Moore,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Wood,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. Brunner,	
Mr. John Hurley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. W. F. Hurley.

Noes, 16.

Mr. Afleck,
Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Willis,
Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Hollis.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Webster,
Mr. Briner.

*Estimate agreed to.*

And the estimate for "Executive and Legislative" having been dealt with,—

No. 3.

*Colonial Secretary.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £32,901, to defray additional charge for the year 1902-3, under the head "Colonial Secretary."

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*), to omit item "Bathurst Musical and Literary Association—Special Grant, £250,"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Willis,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Afleck,
Mr. Clara,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Briner,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Millard.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Moxham.

Noes, 32.

Mr. Moore,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Gilbert,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Hollis.
Mr. Waddell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Donaldson
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. MacMahon,	
Mr. T. H. Griffith,	
Mr. Archer,	
Mr. Collins,	

*Omission of item negatived.*

No. 4.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick*), to reduce the item "Bathurst Musical and Literary Association—Special Grant—£250" by £150—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Collins.
Mr. Afleck,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. Phillips.
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Dick,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Gilbert,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Moore,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Brinsley Hall.
Mr. Anderson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Webster.
Mr. Estell,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 5.

*Same Estimate:—*

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*), to omit item, "Special Grant to Albury Fire Brigade Demonstration, £500"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.

Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Webster,
Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Collins,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Millard.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Clara.

Noes, 35.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Afleck,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Bennett.
Mr. MacMahon,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Gillies.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. T. R. Smith,	

*Omission of item negatived.*

*Estimate (Colonial Secretary, £32,901) agreed to.*

And the remaining Additional Estimates, and the Estimate "Statement of Payments, from Vote 'Advance to Treasurer, 1901-2,'" having been dealt with,—

No. 6.

SUPPLY.

Mr. Waddell moved,—That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again, and also to report that the Committee has come to certain resolutions—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Millard.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Webster,	
Mr. Macdonell,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Moore,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Afleck,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Carroll.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Phillips.

*Agreed to.*

The Chairman left the Chair accordingly.

No. 7.

No. 7.

## SUPPLY—LOAN ESTIMATES, 1902-3.

*Colonial Secretary :—*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty, for the year 1902-3, to be raised by Loan, a sum not exceeding £120,000 for Colonial Secretary.

Motion made (*Mr. Price*), to reduce item, "Sydney Harbour Trust, £50,000," by £30,000.

Mr. Kelly moved,—“That the Question be now put”—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 51.

Mr. Williams,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Miller,
Sir John See,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Quirk,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Jones,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Wright,	
Mr. Anderson,	

Noes, 30.

Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Moore,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. John Hurley,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Hogue,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Jessep,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. Mackenzie,	
Mr. Wood,	
Mr. Dick,	
Mr. Carroll,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Whiddon,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Hawthorne,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. Oates,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 8.

*Same Estimate :—*

Question put,—That the item, "Sydney Harbour Trust, £50,000," be reduced by £30,000.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Whiddon,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Carruthers,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Mahony,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Wright,	
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Wood,	
Mr. Oates,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Hogue,	
Mr. Jessep,	
Mr. John Hurley,	

Noes, 52.

Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Levien,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Sir John See,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Raymond,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Hawthorne,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Anderson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Clara,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 9.

No. 9.

Same Estimate:—

Motion made (Mr. Carruthers), to reduce item, "Sydney Harbour Trust, £50,000," by £20,000.

Mr. Waddell moved,—“That the Question be now put”—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 52.

Noes, 32.

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| Mr. Evans,         | Mr. Dight,              |
| Mr. Macdonell      | Mr. Thomson,            |
| Sir John See,      | Mr. Willis,             |
| Mr. O'Sullivan,    | Mr. Fegan,              |
| Mr. Waddell,       | Mr. Dacey,              |
| Mr. Perry,         | Mr. Hollis,             |
| Mr. Crick,         | Mr. Davis,              |
| Mr. Levien,        | Mr. Estell,             |
| Mr. Power,         | Mr. Young,              |
| Mr. Hayes,         | Mr. Quirk,              |
| Mr. Gillies,       | Mr. Nelson,             |
| Mr. Eden George,   | Mr. Scobie,             |
| Dr. Ross,          | Mr. Donaldson,          |
| Mr. Archer,        | Mr. MacMahon,           |
| Mr. Williams,      | Mr. Barnes,             |
| Mr. Anderson,      | Mr. John Storey,        |
| Mr. Brinsley Hall, | Mr. McNeill,            |
| Mr. Henry Clarke,  | Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick, |
| Mr. McGowen,       | Mr. Kelly,              |
| Mr. Kidd,          | Mr. J. F. Smith,        |
| Mr. Broughton,     | Mr. T. R. Smith,        |
| Mr. Wright,        | Mr. W. F. Hurley,       |
| Mr. Sullivan,      | Mr. Raymond.            |
| Mr. Clara,         | <i>Tellers,</i>         |
| Mr. Macdonald,     | Mr. Miller,             |
| Mr. Bennett,       | Mr. Briner.             |
| Mr. McFarlane,     |                         |

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| Mr. McCoy,                | Mr. Ferguson,   |
| Mr. Daniel O'Connor,      | Mr. Carroll,    |
| Mr. Cohen,                | Mr. Jones.      |
| Mr. Moore,                | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Phillips,             | Mr. Latimer,    |
| Mr. Mahony,               | Mr. Oakes.      |
| Mr. Carruthers,           |                 |
| Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, |                 |
| Mr. Fallick,              |                 |
| Mr. Davidson,             |                 |
| Mr. Mackenzie,            |                 |
| Mr. Morton,               |                 |
| Mr. Coleman,              |                 |
| Mr. Jessep,               |                 |
| Mr. Millard,              |                 |
| Mr. Affleck,              |                 |
| Mr. Ashton,               |                 |
| Mr. Dick,                 |                 |
| Mr. Levy,                 |                 |
| Mr. Moxham,               |                 |
| Mr. Wood,                 |                 |
| Mr. Hogue,                |                 |
| Mr. John Hurley,          |                 |
| Mr. Gilbert,              |                 |
| Mr. Hawthorne,            |                 |
| Mr. Whiddon,              |                 |
| Mr. Price,                |                 |

Agreed to.

No. 10.

Same Estimate:—

Question put,—That the item, "Sydney Harbour Trust, £50,030," be reduced by £20,000.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Noes, 50.

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| Mr. Coleman,              | Mr. Whiddon,    |
| Mr. McCoy,                | Mr. Carroll,    |
| Mr. Levy,                 | Mr. Sullivan,   |
| Mr. Mahony,               | Mr. Jones.      |
| Mr. Carruthers,           | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Hogue,                | Mr. Mackenzie,  |
| Mr. Moore,                | Mr. Moxham,     |
| Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, |                 |
| Mr. Davidson,             |                 |
| Mr. Affleck,              |                 |
| Mr. Ashton,               |                 |
| Mr. Wright,               |                 |
| Mr. Morton,               |                 |
| Mr. Wood,                 |                 |
| Mr. Oakes,                |                 |
| Mr. Dick,                 |                 |
| Mr. Latimer,              |                 |
| Mr. Price,                |                 |
| Mr. Phillips,             |                 |
| Mr. Ferguson,             |                 |
| Mr. Gilbert,              |                 |
| Mr. Daniel O'Connor,      |                 |
| Mr. Cohen,                |                 |
| Mr. John Harley,          |                 |
| Mr. Fallick,              |                 |
| Mr. Millard,              |                 |

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| Mr. Evans,         | Mr. Hollis,             |
| Dr. Ross,          | Mr. Crick,              |
| Mr. Fegan,         | Mr. Young,              |
| Mr. Waddell,       | Mr. Donaldson,          |
| Mr. Perry,         | Mr. Nelson,             |
| Mr. Broughton,     | Mr. Quirk,              |
| Mr. Henry Clarke,  | Mr. Eden George,        |
| Mr. O'Sullivan,    | Mr. Estell,             |
| Mr. Macdonell,     | Mr. Dacey,              |
| Sir John See,      | Mr. McGowen,            |
| Mr. Davis,         | Mr. Briner,             |
| Mr. Brinsley Hall, | Mr. MacMahon,           |
| Mr. Anderson,      | Mr. McNeill,            |
| Mr. Archer,        | Mr. John Storey,        |
| Mr. Williams,      | Mr. Barnes,             |
| Mr. Hayes,         | Mr. Scobie,             |
| Mr. Gillies,       | Mr. J. F. Smith,        |
| Mr. Macdonald,     | Mr. T. R. Smith,        |
| Mr. Miller,        | Mr. W. F. Hurley,       |
| Mr. Kidd,          | Mr. Raymond,            |
| Mr. Dight,         | Mr. Kelly,              |
| Mr. McFarlane,     | Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick. |
| Mr. Bennett,       | <i>Tellers,</i>         |
| Mr. Thomson,       | Mr. Power,              |
| Mr. Levien,        | Mr. Willis.             |
| Mr. Clara,         |                         |

Reduction negatived.

No. 11.

Same Estimate:—

Motion made (Mr. Carruthers), To reduce item, "Sydney Harbour Trust, £50,000," by £1,500.

Mr. Perry moved, "That the Question be now put,"—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

And the Tellers not agreeing as to the numbers, the Chairman appointed other Tellers.

Ayes, 53.

Mr. Willis,	Mr. Davis,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Broughton,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Power,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Eden George,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Reymond,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Wight,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick.
Mr. Thomson,	
Sir John See,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. McFarlane.
Mr. Macdonald,	

Noes, 30.

Mr. Hogue,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Oakes.
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. E. M. Clark,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Alleck,	
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Mahony,	
Mr. McCoy,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Dick,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Wood,	
Mr. Moxham,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Whiddon,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Mackenzie,	
Mr. Carroll,	
Mr. Jones,	

Agreed to.

No. 12.

SUPPLY—LOAN ESTIMATES, 1902-3.

Same Estimate:—

Question put,—That the item "Sydney Harbour Trust, £50,000," be reduced by £1,500.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 42.

Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Dick,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Hawthorne,
Mr. Josep,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Dacey,
Mr. Alleck,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Whiddon,
Mr. Ashton,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Wood,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Latimer,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Ferguson.

Noes, 42.

Mr. Evans,	Mr. Anderson,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Young,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Eden George,
Sir John See,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Reymond,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick.
Mr. Macdonald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dight,	
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. MacMahon.

The numbers being equal, the Chairman, stating that he would vote to allow the Committee an opportunity of further consideration, gave his casting vote with the *Noes*, and declared the question to have passed in the *negative*.

No. 13.

Same Estimate:—

Motion made (*Mr. Carruthers*), to reduce item, "Sydney Harbour Trust, £50,000," by £1,000. Mr. O'Sullivan moved, "That the Question be now put,"—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 52.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Kelly,
Sir John See,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Sullivan,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Power,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Eden George,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Reymond,
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Anderson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Dacey.

Noes, 33.

Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Phillips,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Moxham.
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Affleck,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Davidson,	
Mr. Mackenzie,	
Mr. E. M. Clark,	
Mr. Hogue,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. John Hurley,	
Mr. Coleman,	
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Oakes,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Wood,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Dick,	
Mr. Hawthorne,	
Mr. Whiddon,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 14.

*Same Estimate.*

Question put,—That the item, "Sydney Harbour Trust, £50,000," be reduced by £1,000.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Coleman,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Whiddon,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Affleck,	Mr. Wood,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Ashton,
Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Broughton,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Hogue.
Mr. Cohen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Dick.
Mr. Hawthorne,	
Mr. Gilbert,	
Mr. Phillips,	
Mr. Winchcombe,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. Dacey,	
Mr. Morton,	

Noes, 45.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Evans,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Donaldson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Sir John See,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Eden George,
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Reymond.
Mr. Crick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Power,	Mr. Gillies.
Mr. Levien,	
Mr. Kidd,	

*Reduction negatived.*

*Estimate (Colonial Secretary, £120,000) agreed to.*

And the Estimates for "Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade," "Railways and Tramways," and "Attorney-General and Justice," having been dealt with,—

No. 15.

*Secretary for Lands.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty for the year 1902-3, to be raised by Loan, a sum not exceeding £113,000 for Secretary for Lands.

Motion made (*Mr. Ashton*), to omit item "Closer Settlement Act—To provide for the acquisition of land for the purposes of Closer Settlement, £100,000,"—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Coleman,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Ashton,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Dick,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Wright,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Carroll.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Rose.

Noes, 47.

Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Broughton,  
Mr. Meagher,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Jessop,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. McGowen,

Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. Levien,  
Mr. Archibald Campbell,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Dight,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Raymond,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Donaldson,  
Mr. Phillips,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. Quirk.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Ferguson.

*Omission of item negatived.*

No. 16.

SUPPLY—LOAN ESTIMATES, 1902-3.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Macdonald*), to reduce item "Closer Settlement—To provide for the acquisition of land for the purposes of Closer Settlement, £100,000," by £50,000—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16:

Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Mahony,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Rose.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Macdonell.

Noes, 46.

Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. Broughton,  
Mr. Meagher,  
Mr. Perry,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Ferguson,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Kelly,

Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Levien,  
Mr. Archibald Campbell,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Dight,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Donaldson,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Phillips,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Raymond,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. McNeill.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Jessop,  
Mr. Williams.

*Reduction negatived.*

*Estimate (Secretary for Lands, £113,000) agreed to.*

And the remaining Loan Estimates having been dealt with,

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

SATURDAY, 13 DECEMBER, 1902, A.M.

On motion of Mr. Waddell the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again, and also to report that the Committee had come to certain Resolutions.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 19.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 16 DECEMBER, 1902.

No. 1.

## LOAN BILL:—

Clause 1. "It shall be lawful for" the Governor to raise by the issue of Debentures or Inscribed Stock, secured upon the Consolidated Revenue of the State, and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per centum per annum, such sums of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Three millions and seventy thousand four hundred and seventy-two pounds, as are respectively set against the following Public Works and Services, that is to say:—

Governor may raise money by issue of debentures or stock.

## PERMANENT AND REPRODUCTIVE WORKS.

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(Here follow particulars of Public Works and Services.)

(Read.)

Motion made (*Mr. Affleck*), to leave out from line 1 the words "It shall be lawful for" and insert "As already authorised" instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 50.

Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Sullivan,
Sir John See,	Mr. Anderson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Evans,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Richards,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Archibald Campbell,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Raymond,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. J. F. Smith.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Collins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Power,
Mr. Nielsen,	Mr. Davis.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Moore,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Hogue,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. O'Connor,
Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Mackenzie,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Affleck,
Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Millard,
Mr. Jersep,
Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Morton.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Law,
Mr. Phillips.

Words stand.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

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No. 2.

No. 2.

## SAME BILL.

Stock may be  
sold in London  
or Sydney.

Clause 2. The Loans so authorised as aforesaid for permanent and reproductive "works" and repayment of loans may be negotiated wholly or in part in the form of Debentures or Inscribed Stock in the State or in London at such times and for such amounts as may be directed by the Governor. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Carruthers*), in line 1, after the word "works" to insert the words "and for land and other purchases."

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

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Ashton,  
Mr. Wood,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,  
Mr. Fallick,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Phillips,  
Mr. Afleck,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Law,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Millard.

Tellers,

Mr. O'Connor,  
Mr. Jessep.

Noes, 45.

Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Davis,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Archibald Campbell,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Edden.

Tellers,

Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Dight.

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And the remaining clauses of the Bill having been dealt with,—

No. 3.

## SAME BILL.

Mr. Carruthers brought up a new clause to follow clause 7 of the Bill:—

Nothing in this Act when read with the Treasury Bills Act of 1902 shall be deemed to authorise the increase of the State Debt by a greater amount than Four million pounds sterling. (*Read.*)

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 17 DECEMBER, 1902, A.M.

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

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Jessep,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Ashton,  
Mr. O'Connor,  
Mr. Afleck,  
Mr. Hogue,  
Mr. Phillips,  
Mr. Law,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Archibald Campbell,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Gilbert,  
Mr. Fallick.

Tellers,

Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Lonsdale.

Noes, 41.

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Power,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Evans,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Bennett,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Dight,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,  
Mr. Thomeon,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Macdonald,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. J. F. Smith.

Tellers,

Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Macdonell.

*Clause, as read, negatived.*

On motion of Mr. Waddell, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments to the House.

WEDNESDAY, 17 DECEMBER, 1902.

No. 4.

MUNICIPALITIES RELIEF BILL (*Resolution*).

Sir John See moved, That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

*Resolved*, That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to grant monetary assistance to municipalities in making, maintaining, curbing, and guttering of streets, and asphaltting footpaths.

Mr. O'Sullivan moved, "That the Question be now put,"—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 51.

Mr. Perry,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Evans,
Sir John See,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Clara,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Macdonald,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Webster,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Archibald Campbell,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. J. R. Smith,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Power.
Mr. Waddell,	
Mr. Wright,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. MacMahon.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Briner,	
Mr. Collins,	

Noes, 27.

Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Mahony,
Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Moore,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Hawthorne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Gormly,
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Macdonell.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least forty Members,"—

*Agreed to.*

*Resolution, as proposed, agreed to.*

On motion of Sir John See, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Hogue, left the Chair to report that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

No. 5.

**MUNICIPALITIES RELIEF BILL.**

Clause 1 having been dealt with,—

Clause 2. For the purpose of making, maintaining, curbing, and guttering streets and asphaltting footpaths within municipalities there may be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund in respect of the municipal year commencing in February, one thousand nine hundred and three, to the council of each municipality a sum equal to two shillings and sixpence in each pound sterling actually raised in the municipality by rates, assessments, and subscriptions during the last preceding municipal year.

Endowment of Municipalities for 1903.

Such payment shall be made half-yearly upon receipt of the account mentioned in subsection one of section one hundred and fifty-seven of the Municipalities Act, 1897:

Provided that no such payment shall be made in respect of a municipality which during such municipal year is in receipt of endowment under section one hundred and fifty-seven aforesaid. (*Read.*)

Mr. Crick moved, "That the Question be now put,"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 46.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Archer,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Fegan,
Sir John See,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. McCoy,	Mr. Meagher,
Mr. Quirk,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Briner,	
Mr. Nicholson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Estell.
Mr. Young,	
Mr. Evans,	
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	

Noes, 25.

Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Mahony,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. Moore,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Archibald Campbell,
Mr. Phillips,
Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Millard,
Mr. Moxham,
Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Macdonell,
Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Hollis.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Webster,
Mr. Nielsen.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least forty Members,"—

*Agreed to.*

No. 6.

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 56.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Evans,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Young,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Clara,
Sir John See,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Thomson,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Moxham,	Mr. Davidson,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Burgess,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Mahony,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Millard,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Phillips,	Mr. Meagher.
Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Hollis.
Mr. Estell,	

Noes, 11.

Mr. Ferguson,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Wood,
Mr. Moore,
Mr. Ashton,
Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Webster,
Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Briner,
Mr. Macdonell.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

On motion of Sir John See, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Hogue, left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment to the House.

THURSDAY, 18 DECEMBER, 1902.

No. 7.

CITY OF SYDNEY STREETS LOAN BILL (*Resolution*).

Sir John See moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

*Resolved*,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to enable the Municipal Council of Sydney to raise by Debentures a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate one hundred thousand pounds, for the wood-blocking of public ways within the city of Sydney; and for other purposes.

Mr. Sullivan moved,—That the Honorable Member for Sydney—Belmore Division, Mr. Eden George, be not further heard,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.

Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Clara,
Mr. Meagher,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. T. H. Griffith,
Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Archer,
Mr. John Storey.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sullivan,
Mr. Macdonald.

Noes, 64.

Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Whiddon,	Mr. T. R. Smith,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. John Hurley,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Hawthorne,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. Moore,	Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Archibald Campbell,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Morton,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Williams,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Broughton,	Mr. O'Conor,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Mahony,
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	Mr. Perry,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Evans,	Mr. McCoy,
Mr. Price,	Mr. Wood,	Mr. Moxham,
Sir John See,	Mr. Dight,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Coleman,	Mr. Afleck,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Millard,	Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick.
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Edden,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Nelson,	Mr. Anderson.
Mr. Brunner,	Mr. McFarlane,	

*Negatived.*

No. 8.

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

*Same Resolution:—*

Mr. O'Sullivan moved,—“That the Question be now put”—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 42.

Mr. Evans,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Thomas Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Sir John See,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. McLaurin,	Mr. Nelson,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. T. H. Griffith,	Mr. McNeill,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Archer,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Reymond,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. Macdonell,	Mr. Davidson.
Mr. Anderson,	
Mr. McGowen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clara,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Gillies.

Noes, 29.

Mr. Mackenzie,	Mr. Williams,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Mr. Asleck,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. O'Connor,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Wood,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Eden George,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Price.
Mr. Law,	
Mr. Jessop,	
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. John Hurley,	
Mr. Brunner,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Mahony,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Oakes,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Carroll,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least forty Members,”—

*Agreed to.**Resolution, as proposed, agreed to.*

On motion of Sir John See, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, left the Chair to report that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

No. 9.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

Clauses 1 to 8 having been dealt with,—

Clause 9. The returning officer for any district may in his discretion at any time cause separate booths to be erected, or rooms to be hired, or otherwise provided, for taking the votes of women, at any place at which a polling-place is appointed under the Principal Act. And the provisions of the said Act with respect to polling-booths shall apply to booths erected or provided under this section. (*Read.*)

Mr. Haynes moved,—“That the Question be now put”—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 46.

Mr. Anderson,	Mr. Dight,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Collins,
Sir John See,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. John Storey,	Mr. MacMahon,
Mr. McNeill,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Young,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. Winchcombe,
Mr. T. R. Smith,	Mr. Briner,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Sullivan,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Davis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Power,	Mr. Arthur Griffith,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Williams.
Mr. Macdonell,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. John Hurley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Davidson,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Brunner,	Mr. Morton.
Mr. Hawthorne,	
Mr. Millard,	
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,	
Mr. Ferguson,	
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Moore,	
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Broughton,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Law,	
Mr. Hogue,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. Carroll,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Ashton,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Gormly,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least forty Members,”—

*Agreed to.*

No. 10.

No. 10.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Levy,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,  
Mr. John Hurley,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Archibald Campbell,  
Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Collins.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Chapman.

Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Latimer,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Broughton,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Sullivan,  
Sir John See,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Law,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Brinsley Hall,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Alexander Campbell,  
Mr. T. E. Smith,

\* So in Tellers' Lists.

Noes, 53.

Mr. Ferguson,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. McNeill,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Nielsen,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Price,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Ashton,

Mr. Dight,  
Mr. Arthur Griffith,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Crick,\*  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Hollis,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Winchcombe,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Thomson,  
Mr. Crick,\*  
Mr. Briner.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. Power.

*Clause, as read, negatived.*

And the remaining Clauses, Schedules, and Title of the Bill having been dealt with,—

On motion of Sir John See, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments and an amended Title.

No. 11.

FISHERIES BILL :—

*(Consideration of the Legislative Council's amendments referred to in Message of 17 December, 1902.)*

Motion made (Mr. O'Sullivan), That the Committee agree to the Legislative Council's amendments in the Bill,—

Mr. Kidd moved, "That the Question be now put,"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Sir John See,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Broughton,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. MacMahon,  
Mr. W. F. Hurley,  
Mr. Archer,  
Mr. T. R. Smith,  
Mr. Alexander Campbell,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Anderson,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. McLaurin,  
Mr. Hawthorne,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Thomson,

Mr. D. R. Hall,  
Mr. J. F. Smith,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Briner,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Holman,  
Mr. Webster,  
Mr. Macdonell,  
Mr. Bennett.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Dight.

Noes, 21.

Mr. Jensep,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Davidson,  
Mr. Moore,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Daniel O'Connor,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Cohen,  
Mr. Sleath,  
Mr. Carroll,  
Mr. Millard,  
Mr. Howarth,  
Mr. Archibald Campbell,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Law,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Price,  
Mr. Estell.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Levy.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the requirement of Standing Order No. 175, that at least forty Members should vote in favour of the motion, had not been complied with,—

*Not decided in the affirmative.*

No. 12.

No. 12.

SAME BILL:—

Question put,—That the Committee agree to the Legislative Council's amendments in the Bill.

Committee divided:

Ayes, 51.

Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Moore,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Daniel O'Connor,
Sir John See,	Mr. Thomson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Nielsen,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Broughton,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Coleman,
Mr. Anderson,	Mr. J. F. Smith,
Mr. Dight,	Mr. Gilbert,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. MacMahon,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. W. F. Hurley,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Sleath,
Mr. Howarth,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Alexander Campbell,	Mr. Carroll,
Mr. Jessep,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. McLaurin,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Webster,
Mr. Archibald Campbell,	Mr. Macdonell.
Mr. Law,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hawthorne,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Davidson,	

Noes, 6.

Mr. Levy,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Millard.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Price.

*Legislative Council's amendments agreed to.*

On motion of Sir John See, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, left the Chair to report that the Committee had agreed to the Legislative Council's amendments in the Bill.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

REGISTER OF PUBLIC BILLS ORIGINATED IN THE ASSEMBLY DURING THE SESSION OF 1902.

Short Titles.	By whom initiated.	Originated in Committee of the Whole.	Message from Governor recommending pro- vision for.	Ordered.	Presented and read 1 <sup>st</sup> .	Preceded with under Standing Orders.	Read 2 <sup>nd</sup> and Committed.	Reported.	Recommitted.	Reported.	Report adopted.	Read 3 <sup>rd</sup> .	Passed, and sent to Council for conser- rence.	Agreed to by Council without Amendment.	Agreed to by Council with Amendment.	Council's Amendments agreed to.	Council's Amendments disagreed to.	Order of the Day discharged and Bill withdrawn.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent.	Number of Act.	Remarks.
Advances to Settlers (Amendment) ..	Mr. Crick .....	2 Dec.	29 Nov.	2 Dec.	2 Dec.	5 Dec. a.m.	5 Dec. a.m.	5 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	6 Dec. a.m.	5 Dec.	5 Dec.	13 Dec. a.m.	17 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	Bill not brought in.	
Agricultural Tenants Holdings Act Amendment ..	Mr. Pritch .....	5 Dec.	5 Dec.	27 Aug.	5 Dec.	12 Dec. a.m.	12 Dec. a.m.	12 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	12 Dec. a.m.	17 Dec. a.m.	17 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	Title amended.	
Appropriation ..	Mr. Waddell .....	16 Dec.	16 Dec.	16 Dec.	16 Dec.	17 Dec. a.m.	17 Dec. a.m.	17 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	17 Dec. a.m.	17 Dec. a.m.	17 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	Founded on Resolutions of Ways and Means.	
Artesian Wells (Leasing) ..	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	19 June	26 June	19 June	19 June	5 July a.m.	17 July a.m.	17 July a.m.	.....	.....	17 July a.m.	17 July a.m.	17 July a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	Bill not brought in.	
Audit ..	Mr. Waddell .....	19 June	19 June	19 June	19 June	4 Sept. a.m.	4 Sept. a.m.	4 Sept. a.m.	.....	.....	4 Sept. a.m.	9 Sept. a.m.	9 Sept. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14 Aug.	.....	
Bogan Gate to Bulboodny Railway ..	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	20 Aug.	20 Aug.	20 Aug.	20 Aug.	13 Nov. a.m.	21 Nov. a.m.	21 Nov. a.m.	.....	.....	21 Nov. a.m.	21 Nov. a.m.	21 Nov. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 Nov.	.....	
Bollers Regulation ..	Mr. Perry .....	19 June	19 June	19 June	19 June	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	.....	.....	25 June a.m.	26 June a.m.	26 June a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	Not returned by Council.
Borough of Drumbyrne Enabling ..	Mr. See .....	10 June	10 June	10 June	10 June	30 Oct. a.m.	30 Oct. a.m.	30 Oct. a.m.	.....	.....	30 Oct. a.m.	4 Nov. a.m.	4 Nov. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 July	.....	
Burwood Municipal Loan Valuation ..	Sir John See .....	.....	.....	12 Dec.	12 Dec.	19 Dec. a.m.	19 Dec. a.m.	19 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	19 Dec. a.m.	19 Dec. a.m.	19 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 Nov.	.....	
Do (No. 2) ..	do .....	.....	.....	18 Dec.	18 Dec.	18 Dec. a.m.	18 Dec. a.m.	18 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	18 Dec. a.m.	18 Dec. a.m.	18 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	117	Standing Orders Suspended, 17th December, 1902.	
Capital Punishment Abolition ..	Mr. Haynes .....	.....	.....	18 Dec.	18 Dec.	18 Dec. a.m.	18 Dec. a.m.	18 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	18 Dec. a.m.	18 Dec. a.m.	18 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	113	Standing Orders Suspended 18th December, 1902.
City of Sydney Streets Loan ..	Sir John See .....	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Closer Settlement Act Amendment ..	Mr. Crick .....	.....	.....	14 Nov. a.m.	14 Nov. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do (No. 2) ..	do .....	.....	.....	14 Nov. a.m.	14 Nov. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coal Mines (Payment of Wages) ..	Mr. Fagan .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coal Mines Regulation (Further Amendment) ..	Mr. See .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coal Mines Regulation (Certificates of Service and Inspection of Mines) Amendment ..	Mr. Estell .....	.....	.....	9 Oct.	16 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coal Mines Regulation (Use of Safety Lamps and Explosives) Amendment ..	Mr. Kidd .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Colbart to Willemanna Railway ..	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	20 Aug.	2 July	20 Aug.	20 Aug.	4 Sept. a.m.	4 Sept. a.m.	4 Sept. a.m.	.....	.....	4 Sept. a.m.	9 Sept. a.m.	9 Sept. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30 Sept.	.....	.....
Consolidated Revenue Fund ..	Mr. Waddell .....	.....	.....	31 July a.m.	31 July a.m.	31 July a.m.	31 July a.m.	31 July a.m.	.....	.....	31 July a.m.	31 July a.m.	31 July a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	85	Standing Orders suspended 30 July, 1902. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means.
Do (No. 2) ..	do .....	.....	.....	25 Sept. a.m.	25 Sept. a.m.	25 Sept. a.m.	25 Sept. a.m.	25 Sept. a.m.	.....	.....	25 Sept. a.m.	25 Sept. a.m.	25 Sept. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	Standing Orders suspended, 24 September, 1902. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means.
Constitution Convention ..	Sir John See .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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No. 1.—REGISTER OF PUBLIC BILLS—continued.

Short Titles.	By whom initiated.	Originated in Committee of the Whole.	Message from Governor recommending provision for.	Ordered.	Presented and read 1 <sup>st</sup> .	Proceeded with under Standing Orders.	Read 2 <sup>d</sup> and Committed.	Reported.	Recommitted.	Reported.	Agreed to by Council without Amendment.	Agreed to by Council with Amendment.	Council's Amendments agreed to.	Council's Amendments disagreed to.	Order of the Day discarded and Bill withdrawn.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent.	Number of Acts.	Remarks.
Conveyancing Coroners Act Amendment.	Mr. Sullivan. Mr. Conen.	4 Nov.		4 Nov. 8 July	5 Nov. 8 July										9 Sept.			1902.	Stopped by Prorogation. Billed out of Order, not having been preceded by a Message. 9 September, 1902. Stopped by Prorogation.
Country Towns Water and Sewerage (Amendment).	Mr. O'Sullivan.		20 June			120 Aug.													do
Crown Lands Act Amendment	Mr. Chick	17 Dec.	10 Dec. 17 Dec.	17 Dec. 19 Sept.	17 Dec. 19 Sept.														do
Dairy Industry	Mr. Kidd	19 Sept.	2 Sept. 19 Sept.	19 Sept. a.m.	19 Sept. a.m.														do
Defamation (Amendment)	Mr. O'Sullivan.	13 Nov.	20 Oct. 13 Nov.	13 Nov. a.m.	13 Nov. a.m.														do
Drainage Promotion Act Amendment.	Mr. Brunker	19 June	10 June 19 June	19 June 5 July	18 June						6 Aug.						19 Aug.	28	Title amended. Nos returned by Council.
Early Orphanage	Mr. Perry	19 June	10 June 19 June	19 June 5 July	18 June														Stopped by Prorogation.
Factories and Shops Fertilizer's Adulteration	do		24 June 24 June	15 Aug. 15 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.														do.
Fire Brigades (Amendment)	Mr. Kelly	15 Aug.	24 June 24 June	15 Aug. 15 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.														a
Fisheries	Mr. Kelly	15 Aug.	7 Aug. 15 Aug.	15 Aug. 15 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.														including an amendment in the Title.
Forestry	Mr. Chick	26 Nov.	13 Aug. 20 Nov.	20 Nov. a.m.	27 Nov. a.m.														Stopped by Prorogation.
Friendly Societies Acts Amendment	Mr. Frank Farrell	a.m.		30 July 23 Aug.															b
Gold-Dredging Leases Modification	Mr. Kidd	5 Sept.	24 June 5 Sept.	5 Sept. a.m.	5 Sept. a.m.														including an amendment in the Title.
Gold and Mineral Dredging (Amending)	do	5 Sept.	24 June 5 Sept.	5 Sept. a.m.	5 Sept. a.m.														Bill not brought in.
Gun License	Sir John See	a.m.		17 Dec. a.m.															do
Henry Waite Bequest	do			20 Aug.															do
Juvenile Smoking Suppression	Dr. Ross	9 Sept.	17 Dec. 17 Dec.	9 Sept. 2 Dec.	9 Sept. 2 Dec.														Stopped by Prorogation.
Land and Income Tax (Amendment).	Mr. Waddell	23 Nov.	11 Nov. 23 Nov.	23 Nov. 2 Dec.	23 Nov. 2 Dec.														do
Land Tax (Leases)	do	23 Nov.	11 Nov. 23 Nov.	23 Nov. 2 Dec.	23 Nov. 2 Dec.														do
Law of Evidence	Mr. See			18 June 18 June	23 May 13 June														Pro forma Bill.
Legal Practitioners	Mr. Meagher			18 June 18 June	23 May 13 June														Restored to paper, 10 Sept., 1902.
Legal Profession Practice	Mr. Levy			19 Aug. 17 July	19 Aug. 17 July														Stopped by Prorogation.
Life Assurance Companies Investing	Mr. Meagher			19 Aug. 19 Nov.	19 Aug. 19 Nov.														do
Liquor	Mr. Waddell	10 Nov.	11 Nov. 19 Nov.	19 Nov. a.m.	19 Nov. a.m.														do
Loan	do	a.m.		13 Dec. 13 Dec.	13 Dec. a.m.														do
Medical Practitioners (Amending)	Mr. E. M. Clark			15 June 15 June	16 Dec. 17 Dec.														do
Metropolitan Sewerage Validating	Mr. O'Sullivan.																		Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means.
Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts Amendment.	do		26 June 26 June			19 Sept.													Motion made for 2 <sup>d</sup> and amendment moved to refer to Select Committee. Motion to leave out all words after "That" carried.
Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts Amendment (No. 2).	do		26 June																Motion to insert words negatived 15 July, 1902.
Miners Accident Relief	Mr. Kidd	5 Dec.	25 Nov. 5 Dec.	5 Dec. a.m.	5 Dec. a.m.														Bill not brought in.
Miners Accident Relief (Bull's Fund)	Mr. Fegan	a.m.				129 July													do

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Savings Bank of New South Wales (No. 2).	Mr. Arthur Griffith.	.....	.....	25 Oct. ....	29 Oct. ....	118 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16 July	.....	.....	.....	3 Dec.	91	1902.	Stopped by Prorogation.		
Scaffolding and Lifts	Mr. See	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Serravallo's Registry.	Mr. Anderson.	9 Sept. ....	.....	9 Sept. ....	9 Sept. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stage Carriages Act Amendment	Mr. Nielsen.	13 Dec. a.m.	.....	13 Dec. a.m.	13 Dec. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stock Act Amendment	Mr. Kidd	.....	13 Aug.	9 Sept. ....	9 Sept. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sunday Observance	Mr. Atteck	.....	.....	21 Oct. ....	21 Oct. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Do	do	.....	.....	31 July	31 July	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sunday Trading	Mr. Meagher	.....	.....	9 Oct. ....	9 Oct. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sydney Corporation (Amendment)	Sir John See	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sydney Mint (Amendment)	do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sydney Water Supply (Cataract River Dam)	Mr. O'Sullivan.	5 Sept. ....	.....	5 Sept. ....	5 Sept. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Temora to Barollan Railway.	do	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	15 Aug. a.m.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Timber Licenses	Mr. Crick	1 July	.....	1 July	1 July	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totalizator	Mr. F. M. Clark	.....	.....	3 Sept. ....	3 Sept. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Trade Union Amending	Mr. Kelly	.....	.....	14 Oct. ....	14 Oct. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Travelling Stock	Mr. Crick	.....	.....	5 Dec. ....	5 Dec. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Treasury Bills	Mr. Waddell	.....	.....	5 Dec. ....	5 Dec. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tuekian Flood Escape Scheme.	Mr. O'Sullivan.	.....	.....	20 Aug. ....	20 Aug. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
University and University Colleges (Amendment)	Mr. Perry	5 Sept. ....	.....	5 Sept. ....	5 Sept. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vines and Vegetation Diseases (Amendment)	Mr. Kidd	.....	.....	15 July	15 July	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vines and Vegetation Diseases (Amendment)	do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vines and Vegetation Diseases (Amendment)	Mr. Gornally	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wages Warren Cattle Driving	Mr. O'Sullivan.	.....	.....	2 July	2 July	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Water and Drainage	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wine Adulteration	Mr. Kidd	28 Nov. a.m.	.....	28 Nov. a.m.	28 Nov. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Women's Franchise	Sir John See	17 July	.....	17 July	17 July	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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No. 2.—REGISTER OF PRIVATE BILLS INTRODUCED UPON PETITION TO THE ASSEMBLY DURING THE SESSION OF 1902.

Short Titles.	By whom and when Petition presented.	Ordered.	Presented and read 1 <sup>st</sup> .	Referred to Select Committee.	Reported by Select Committee.	Read 2 <sup>nd</sup> and committed.	Reported.	Read 3 <sup>rd</sup> , passed, and sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council without amendment.	Assent.	Remarks.
Goulburn Roman Catholic Church Land Sale.	Mr. Ashton.	11 Dec. 16 Dec.	16 Dec. 17 Dec.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.
North Sydney Brick and Tile Company's Tramway.	Mr. Frank Farnell.	4 Nov. 5 Nov.	5 Nov. 6 Nov.	14 Nov. 19 Dec.	19 Dec. 19 Dec.	19 Dec. 19 Dec.	19 Dec. 19 Dec.	19 Dec. 19 Dec.	19 Dec. 19 Dec.	*	Standing Orders suspended as a matter of urgency, 19th December, 1902.

\* Assent not reported.

No. 3.—REGISTER OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BILLS BROUGHT FROM THE COUNCIL DURING THE SESSION OF 1902.

Short Titles of—		Brought up and read 1 <sup>st</sup> .	Referred to Select Committee.	Reported by Select Committee.	Read 2 <sup>nd</sup> and committed.	Reported.	Read 3 <sup>rd</sup> , passed without amendment, and returned to Council.	Read 3 <sup>rd</sup> , passed with amendment, and sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent reported.	Number of Acts.	Remarks.
Public Bills.	Private Bills.	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	18 Aug. 7 Aug.	13 Aug. 7 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	14 Aug. 13 Aug.	4 Sept. 31 Aug.	58 45	
Agreements Validating		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	18 July 18 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	19 Aug. 31 July	20 24	Motions to amend Title after 3 <sup>rd</sup> , and to add words to Message, negatived 6th August, 1902.
Agricultural Society		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	18 July 18 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.
Arbitration		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	18 July 18 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.
Arrest on Mesne Process		29 Oct.	.....	.....	18 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	4 Sept.	61	
Assignment of Debts and Choses in Action.		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	.....	.....	
Australian Museum		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	.....	.....	
	Australian Mutual Provident Society's Acts Amendment.	17 Sept.	.....	.....	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	10 Sept.	73	
Balranald Irrigation		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	10 Sept.	73	
Benevolent Society of New South Wales.		12 June	.....	.....	28 Nov. 28 Nov.	28 Nov. 28 Nov.	28 Nov. 28 Nov.	28 Nov. 28 Nov.	28 Nov. 28 Nov.	28 Nov. 28 Nov.	10 Dec.	97	Sessional Order "Order of Business" suspended, 28th November, 1902
Billiards and Bagatelle		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	18 July 18 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	20 Aug.	33	
Butchers' Shops Sunday Closing		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	18 July 18 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	20 Aug.	50	
Cattle Slaughtering, and Diseased Animals and Meat.		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	18 July 18 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	20 Aug.	36	
Children's Protection		10 July a.m.	.....	.....	18 July 18 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	13 July 13 July	20 Aug.	47	
Coal Mines Regulation	Church of England Constitutions Act Amendment.	26 Nov. 10 July a.m.	.....	.....	19 Dec. 19 Dec.	10 Dec. 10 Dec.	10 Dec. 10 Dec.	10 Dec. 10 Dec.	10 Dec. 10 Dec.	10 Dec. 10 Dec.	Sept.	73	

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Public Bills.	Private Bills.													
Common Carriers.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	7 Aug.	7 Aug.	7 Aug.	13 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	20 Aug.	1902. 48	.....
.....	Commonwealth Portland Cement Com- pany Railway.	25 June	20 Aug.	24 Sept.	28 Nov.	23 Nov.	28 Nov.	2 Dec.	.....	.....	.....	10 Dec.	.....	Motion made for 2 <sup>nd</sup> , and amendment to refer to Select Committee carried, 23 August, 1902. Chairman having refused to sign report, another Member appointed to do so. Sessional Order, "Order of Business," suspended 23 November, 1902.
Constitution.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 July a.m.	13 July a.m.	13 July a.m.	6 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	10 Aug.	32	.....
Dedication by User Limitation.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	7 Aug.	7 Aug.	7 Aug.	13 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	21 Aug.	46	.....
Dentists Acts Amendment.....	.....	13 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Districts Courts and Small Debts Re- covery Acts Amending.....	.....	13 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dividing Fences.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	4 Sept.	63	.....
Explosives.....	.....	26 Nov.	.....	.....	28 Nov.	28 Nov.	28 Nov.	2 Dec.	.....	.....	.....	16 Dec.	56	.....
Fines and Forfeited Recognizances Recovery.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	11 Sept.	75	.....
Fire Brigades.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	10 Sept.	80	.....
General Legal Procedure.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	20 Aug.	34	.....
Government Savings Bank.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	9 Sept.	72	.....
Government Railways (Fencing).....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	11 Sept.	76	.....
Grants for Public Worship Prohibition.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	9 Sept.	70	.....
Hay Irrigation.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	14 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	3 Sept.	57	.....
Takeyers Liability.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	4 Sept.	64	.....
Inscribed Stock.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	16 Sept.	79	.....
Issue of Process at Country Towns Jury (Amendment).....	.....	12 Nov.	.....	.....	19 Dec.	19 Dec.	19 Dec.	19 Dec.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Justices.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	14 Aug.	.....	.....
Justices (Fees).....	.....	31 July	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Law of Property Amendment.....	.....	24 Sept.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Labour Settlements.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	7 Aug.	7 Aug.	7 Aug.	13 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	21 Aug.	44	.....
Legitimation.....	.....	29 May	.....	.....	1 July	1 July	1 July	.....	.....	.....	.....	23 July	23	.....
Life, Fire, and Marine Insurance.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	7 Aug.	7 Aug.	7 Aug.	13 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	26 Aug.	49	.....
Maidland Cattle Driving.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	4 Sept.	62	.....
Masters and Servants.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	14 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	4 Sept.	50	.....
Methodist Union.....	.....	30 July	.....	.....	21 Oct.	21 Oct.	21 Oct.	22 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	28 Oct.	.....	.....
Moore Estate Act Further Amendment.....	.....	12 June	.....	.....	1 July	1 July	1 July	2 July	.....	.....	.....	10 July	.....	.....
Newcastle Laying and Public Vehicles Regulation.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	9 Sept.	67	.....
Noxious Trades.....	.....	10 July a.m.	.....	.....	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.	.....	.....	.....	16 Sept.	82	.....
Official Shortland Writers Parliamentary Electorates and Elections	.....	23 July	.....	.....	18 July a.m.	18 July a.m.	18 July a.m.	6 Aug.	.....	.....	.....	10 Aug.	33	.....

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Public Bills.	Private Bills.													
Pawnbrokers		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.			13 Aug.	4 Sept.	60	
Petty Sessions Fees		10 July a.m.						15 Aug. a.m.						
Piracy Punishment		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.				9 Sept.	69	
Poisons		10 July a.m.						15 Aug. a.m.				4 Sept.	65	
Presbyterian Church Property Management Amendment.		25 June a.m.												Taken up by the Government, and placed with Orders of the Day of Government business. Stopped by Prorogation.
Prince Alfred Hospital		10 July a.m.			7 Aug. 7 Aug.	7 Aug. 7 Aug.	7 Aug. 7 Aug.	13 Aug. a.m.				26 Aug.	52	
Public Health		10 July a.m.			18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	6 Aug. a.m.				10 Aug.	30	
Public Health (Night-soil Removal)		13 Dec. a.m.			19 Dec. 19 Dec.	19 Dec. 19 Dec.	19 Dec. 19 Dec.	19 Dec. a.m.				*	110	
Public Loans		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.				16 Sept.	81	
Public Parks		10 July a.m.			18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	6 Aug. a.m.				20 Aug.	40	
Public Roads.		26 Nov. a.m.			23 Nov. 23 Nov.	23 Nov. 23 Nov.	23 Nov. 23 Nov.	2 Dec. a.m.				16 Dec.	95	
Public Service		10 July a.m.			18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	0 Aug. a.m.				19 Aug.	31	
Savings Bank of New South Wales.		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	14 Aug. a.m.				26 Aug.	53	
Savings Bank of New South Wales (Amendment).		19 Nov. a.m.			10 Dec. 10 Dec.	10 Dec. 10 Dec.	10 Dec. 10 Dec.	11 Dec. a.m.				17 Dec.	90	
Sheriff (Amendment)		16 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	16 Aug. a.m.				16 Sept.	77	
Smoke Nuisance Amendment.		10 July a.m.			18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	6 Aug. a.m.				21 Aug.	42	
Standard Time		12 Nov. a.m.												Stopped by Prorogation.
State Children's		3 Dec. a.m.												do
Statute of Limitations		10 July a.m.												do
Supreme Court Trust Moneys		10 July a.m.												
Survey Marks		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	14 Aug. a.m.				3 Sept.	56	
Sydney Abattoir and Nuisances Provision.		10 July a.m.			18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	6 Aug. a.m.				20 Aug.	37	
Sydney Corporation.		10 July a.m.			18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	0 Aug. a.m.				20 Aug.	35	
Sydney Female School of Industry		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.				4 Sept.	60	
Sydney Mint		10 July a.m.			18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	6 Aug. a.m.				21 Aug.	41	
Trustee Act Amendment.		18 June a.m.			28 Nov. 28 Nov.	28 Nov. 28 Nov.	28 Nov. 28 Nov.	3 Dec. a.m.				16 Dec.	93	Sessional Order "Order of Business" suspended 23 November, 1902.
Trustees of Schools of Arts Enabling.		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.				9 Sept.	68	
Usury Bills of Lading and Written Memoranda.		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.				21 Aug.	43	
Vagrancy		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.				11 Sept.	74	
Water Rights.		10 July a.m.			7 Aug. 7 Aug.	7 Aug. 7 Aug.	7 Aug. 7 Aug.	13 Aug. a.m.				26 Aug.	51	
Whitney Estate		10 July a.m.			9 Sept. 9 Sept.	9 Sept. 9 Sept.	9 Sept. 9 Sept.	10 Sept. a.m.				17 Sept.		
Width of Streets and Lanes		10 July a.m.			18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	18 July 18 July	6 Aug. a.m.				20 Aug.	39	
Women's College		10 July a.m.			13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	13 Aug. 13 Aug.	15 Aug. a.m.				9 Sept.	71	

\* Assent not reported.

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## RECAPITULATION.

Number of Public Bills originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY shown on Register No. 1	108			
Number of Private Bills do do shown on Register No. 2	2			
Number of Public Bills brought from the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL shown on Register No. 3	75			
Number of Private Bills do do do	7			192
		Public.	Private.	Total.
Passed and assented to	93	0	105	
Passed and reserved for Royal assent	1	.....	1	
<i>Pro forma</i> Bill	1	.....	1	
Not returned by Legislative Council	5	.....	5	
Stopped by Prorogation	48	.....	48	
Otherwise disposed of	52	.....	52	192

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## APPENDIX.

SHOWING stage which Bills, reintroduced under Standing Orders, had reached in former Session.

## 1.—PUBLIC BILLS—ASSEMBLY.

Capital Punishment Abolition Bill; ordered for second reading.  
 Coal Mines (Payment of Wages) Bill; ordered for second reading.  
 Coal Mines Regulation (Further Amendment) Bill; sent to Legislative Council.  
 Country Towns Water and Sewerage (Amendment) Bill; ordered for second reading.  
 Drainage Promotion Act Amendment Bill; ordered for second reading.  
 Factories and Shops Bill; ordered for second reading.  
 Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts Amendment Bill; ordered for second reading.  
 Miners' Accident Relief (Bulli Fund) Bill; ordered for second reading.  
 Mining on Private Lands (Amendment) Bill; sent to Legislative Council.  
 Moore-street Improvement (Amendment) Bill; ordered for second reading.  
 Public Instruction (Amendment) Bill; ordered for second reading.  
 Scaffolding and Lifts Bill; sent to Legislative Council.  
 Wagga Wagga Cattle Driving Bill; ordered for second reading.

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REGISTER OF ADDRESSES AND ORDERS FOR PAPERS DURING THE SESSION OF 1902.

NO. OF ADDRESS OR ORDER.	WHEN PASSED.		ON WHOSE MOTION.	PAPERS APPLIED FOR.		RETURN TO ADDRESS OR ORDER.	REGISTER NUMBER.	IF TO BE PRINTED.	
	VOTES.			By Address.	By Order.			Date of Order.	When given to Clerk of Printing Branch.
	No.	Date.							
7	22	17 July 1902.	Mr. Levy			1902. 24 July	1902. 444	1902. 12 Aug.	1902. 12 Aug.
23	82	28 Nov.	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.			4 Dec.	982	16 Dec.	16 Dec.
5	79	25 "	Mr. Pyers	Case of Charles H. Olive, lately tried at Casino.		16 "	1041		
18	52	25 Sept.	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.			14 Oct.	769	23 Oct.	23 Oct.
3	12	25 June	Mr. Edden			9 July	322	10 July	10 July
15	43	4 Sept.	Mr. Estell			9 Sept.	658	10 Sept.	10 Sept.
11	27	30 July	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.			9 "	660	18 "	18 "
10	27	30 "	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.			9 "	661	18 "	18 "
26	76	19 Nov.	Mr. E. M. Clark			2 Dec.	959		
16	46	11 Sept.	Mr. Raymond			17 Dec.	1061	17 Dec.	19 Dec.
22	66	29 Oct.	Mr. Jessep						
24	71	11 Nov.	Mr. Daley						

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NO. OF ADDRESS OR ORDER.	WHEN PASSED.		ON WHOSE MOTION.	PAPERS APPLIED FOR.		RETURN TO ADDRESS OR ORDER.	REGISTER NUMBER.	IF TO BE PRINTED.	
	VOTES.			By Address.	By Order.			Date of Order.	When given to Clerk of Printing Branch.
	No.	Date.							
13	40	1902. 23 Aug.	Mr. Raymond		Forbes Gaol	1902. 7 Oct.	1902. 747	1902. 9 Oct.	1902. 9 Oct.
27	77	20 Nov.	Mr. Carroll		Garbage Tip between Wellington and Ocean streets, Bondi	9 Dec.	1001	11 Dec.	11 Dec.
25	75	18 Nov.	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.		Inebriates Asylum				
2	9	18 June	Mr. Gilbert		Melville-street Swamp Nuisance, Newcastle				
8	23	22 July	Mr. E. M. Clark		Milson Island, as a site for an Inebriate Asylum	28 Oct.	803		
17	50	23 Sept.	Dr. Ross		Molong Cottage Hospital	16 Dec.	1010	18 Dec.	18 Dec.
14	42	3 "	Mr. Nobbs		Night Watchmen employed by the Government				
6	21	16 July	Mr. Wright		Officers transferred by the Public Service Board	3 Dec.	968	4 Dec.	4 Dec.
9	23	22 "	Mr. Wright		Ports of Sydney and Newcastle				
20	63	22 Oct.	Mr. Briner		Proposed North Shore Bridge				
5	13	26 June	Mr. Levy		Public Works in each Electoral District				
1	8	17 "	Mr. Hollis		Railway Appeals Board	5 Aug.	479	12 Aug.	12 Aug.
12	35	19 Aug.	Mr. Affleck		Resumptions at Darling Harbour, The Rocks, and Devon-shire Cemetery, &c.	7 Oct.	745	7 Oct.	7 Oct.
23	69	5 Nov.	Mr. Levien		Road, Currabubula to Lamworth, Werris Creek, or Duri to Tamworth.	3 Dec.	563		
21	64	23 Oct.	Mr. Davidson		Sleepers for Railway construction				
4	13	26 June	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.		State Government House, Macquarie-street, Sydney	30 July	461	12 Aug.	12 Aug.
19	63	22 Oct.	Mr. Meagher		Sydney Ferries Company (Limited)—Land at Mosman and Milson's Point.				

REGISTER OF ADDRESSES AND ORDERS FOR PAPERS DURING FORMER SESSIONS, 1902.

NO. OF ADDRESS OR ORDER.	WHEN PASSED.		ON WHOSE MOTION.		PAPERS APPLIED FOR.		DATE OF PRESENTATION.	RETURN TO ADDRESS OR ORDER.	REGISTER NUMBER.	IF TO BE PRINTED.	
	VOTES.				By Address.	By Order.				Date of Order.	When given to Clerk of Printing Branch.
	No.	Date.	No.	Entry.							
29	57	1901. 3 Dec.	6	Mr. Nielsen		Case of E. L. Warton, Fettler's Ganger, Government Railways	1902. 11 June	1902. 152	1902. 3 July	1902. 3 July	
104	103	1892. 17 March	5	Mr. Garrard		Convictions under the Licensing Act.	1902. 17 June	166			
26	49	1901. 14 Nov.	12	Mr. McFarlane		Leave of Absence to Civil Servants before being Retrenched	(In Part) (Incompletion.)	529	21 Aug.	21 Aug.	
16	16	1898. 21 Sept.	10	Mr. Smith		Monthly Returns of Accidents.	9 Sept.	662	10 Sept.	10 Sept.	
"	"	"	"	"		"	10 "	93	25 June	25 June	
"	"	"	"	"		"	10 "	125	25 "	25 "	
"	"	"	"	"		"	10 July	388	16 July	16 July	
"	"	"	"	"		"	22 "	423	24 "	24 "	
14	21	1901. 5 Sept.	9	Mr. Ashton		Retirements from the Public Service.	1 "	287	3 "	3 "	
23	40	23 Oct.	7	Mr. Daley		Remodelling of the Rocks' Resumed Area	26 Aug.	581			

REGISTER OF SEPARATE AND JOINT ADDRESSES (NOT BEING FOR PAPERS) TO THE GOVERNOR, DURING THE SESSION OF 1902.

SUBJECT OF ADDRESS.	ORIGINATED IN THE ASSEMBLY.			WHEN PASSED OR AGREED TO.			WHEN AND HOW PRESENTED.			WHEN AND HOW ANSWERED.			REMARKS.
	VOTES.			VOTES.			VOTES.			VOTES.			
	No.	Date.	Entry	No.	Date.	Entry	No.	Date.	Entry	No.	Date.	Entry	
Address of Sympathy with His Most Gracious Majesty The King.	12	1902. 25 June	5	Mr. See	12	1902. 25 June	5		Mr. Speaker.		1902.		See Votes and Proceedings, No. 14, 1st July, 1902, and No. 46, 25th October, 1902.
Appointment of Sir Harry Holdsworth Rawson, Vice-Admiral in the Royal Navy, K.C.B., as Governor of the State.	13	"	11	Sir John See	13	"	11	14	Mr. Speaker.	14	1 July	2	His Excellency The Governor.
Congratulatory Address to His Majesty the King on the Restoration of Peace in South Africa.	3	"	6	Mr. See	3	"	6		"	"			See Votes and Proceedings, No. 5, 10 June, 1902.
Congratulatory Address to His Majesty the King on the occasion of His Coronation.	1	28 May	11	"	1	28 May	11		The President and Speaker.				See Votes and Proceedings, No. 33, 13th August, 1902.
The Governor's Opening Speech.	1	28 "	13	Mr. Henry Clarke.	7	13 June a.m.	5	9	Mr. Speaker, accompanied by the House.	1	18 June	1	His Excellency the Governor.

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Sydney, 20th December, 1902.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES APPOINTED DURING THE SESSION OF 1902.

No. of COMMITTEE	DESIGNATION OF COMMITTEE.	WHEN AND HOW APPOINTED.	MEMBERS.	CHAIRMAN.	No. of MEETINGS.		No. of WITNESSES EXAMINED.	WHEN REPORTED.
					Called.	Held.		
1	The Governor's Opening Speech .....	28 May, 1902. Votes No. 1. Entry 13 (On motion of Mr. Henry Clarke.)	{ Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Dight, Mr. Brassey Hall, Mr. Broughton, Mr. Archer, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Hogne, Mr. Macdonald,	Mr. Henry Clarke...	1	1	.....	1902. 28 May.
2	Elections and Qualifications .....	29 May, 1902. Votes No. 2. Entry 2..... (By Mr. Speaker's Warrant.)	{ Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Hogne, Mr. Macdonald,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	Library <sup>1</sup> .....	17 June, 1902. Votes No. 8. Entry 9. .... (On motion of Mr. See.)	{ Mr. Speaker, Mr. Wright, Mr. Quinn, Dr. Ross, Mr. Hogue,	.....	6	5	.....	.....
4	Standing Orders <sup>2</sup> .....	17 June, 1902. Votes No. 8. Entry 10 ... (On motion of Mr. See.)	{ Mr. Speaker, Mr. Lee, Mr. Crick, Mr. Meagher, Mr. O'Connor,	.....	1	No Quorum.	.....	.....
5	Refreshment <sup>3</sup> .....	17 June, 1902. Votes No. 8. Entry 11..... (On motion of Mr. See.)	{ Mr. Speaker, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Dacey, Mr. Alex. Campbell, Mr. Sleath,	Mr. Henry Clarke...	1	1	.....	.....
6	Printing <sup>3</sup> .....	17 June, 1902. Votes No. 8. Entry 12 ... (On motion of Mr. See.)	{ Mr. Gormly, Mr. Dight, Mr. Macdonald, Mr. Phillips, Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Gormly .....	33	20	.....	25 June; 3, 10, 16, 17, 24 July; 12, 14, 21, 28 August; 4, 10, 18, 25 September; 2, 9, 23, 30 October; 6, 13, 20, 27 Novem- ber; 4, 11, 16, 17, 18, 19 December.

<sup>1</sup> This Committee acts in conjunction with a similar Committee of the Legislative Council. <sup>2</sup> Confers on subjects of mutual concernment with a similar Committee appointed by the Legislative Council. <sup>3</sup> Leave given to sit during the sittings of the House, 17 December, 1902.

## STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES APPOINTED DURING THE SESSION OF 1902—continued.

No. of Committee.	Designation of Committee.	When and how appointed.	Members.	Chairman.	No. of Meetings.		No. of Witnesses Examined.	When Reported.
					Called.	Held.		
7	Lease of the Kensington Racecourse.	17 June, 1902. Votes No. 8. Entry 15. (On motion of Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.)	{ Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick Mr. Ashton, Mr. Crick, Mr. Brunker, Mr. Gormly, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Briner, Mr. Raymond, Mr. Hawthorne, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Dacey, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Mahony, Mr. Hogue, Mr. Hollis, Mr. Waddell, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Brunker, Mr. Hogue, Mr. Latimer, Mr. Norton, Mr. Waddell, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Gillies, Mr. Dacey, Mr. Arthur Griffith, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Daley, Mr. Newman, Mr. Mackenzie, Mr. Meagher, Mr. John See, Mr. Eams, Mr. Briner, Mr. Hawthorne, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dick, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	7	5	5	1902. 31 July.
8	Claim of Mr. John Leonard against the Public Works Department.	17 June, 1902. Votes No. 8. Entry 17. (On motion of Mr. Holman.)	{ Mr. McNeill, Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Dick, Mr. D. R. Hall, Mr. Holman, Mr. John See, Mr. J. F. Smith, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Quinn, Mr. Webster, Mr. Hollis, Mr. Waddell, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Gillies, Mr. Dacey, Mr. Arthur Griffith, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Daley, Mr. Newman, Mr. Mackenzie, Mr. Meagher, Mr. John See, Mr. Eams, Mr. Briner, Mr. Hawthorne, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dick, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Holman	9	6	6	19 December.
9	System of Municipal Government for Greater Sydney.	20 June, 1902, a.m. Votes No. 10. Entry 14. (On motion of Mr. Dacey.)	{ Mr. John See, Mr. J. F. Smith, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Quinn, Mr. Webster, Mr. Hollis, Mr. Waddell, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Gillies, Mr. Dacey, Mr. Arthur Griffith, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Daley, Mr. Newman, Mr. Mackenzie, Mr. Meagher, Mr. John See, Mr. Eams, Mr. Briner, Mr. Hawthorne, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dick, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Dacey	36	27	17	.....
10	Carrriage of Newspapers on Government Railways.	20 June, 1902, a.m. Votes No. 10. Entry 15. (On motion of Mr. Arthur Griffith.)	{ Mr. John See, Mr. J. F. Smith, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Quinn, Mr. Webster, Mr. Hollis, Mr. Waddell, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Gillies, Mr. Dacey, Mr. Arthur Griffith, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Daley, Mr. Newman, Mr. Mackenzie, Mr. Meagher, Mr. John See, Mr. Eams, Mr. Briner, Mr. Hawthorne, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dick, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Arthur Griffith	33	25	14	19 December.
11	Claim of William Richard Gainsford against the Department of Navigation.	22 July, 1902. Votes No. 21. Entry 12. (On motion of Mr. E. M. Clark.)	{ Mr. John See, Mr. Eams, Mr. Briner, Mr. Hawthorne, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dick, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue,	Mr. E. M. Clark	4	4	1	.....
12	Claim of Robert Roberts, late book-binder in the Registrar-General's Office.	19 August, 1902. Votes No. 35. Entry 8. (On motion of Mr. E. M. Clark.)	{ Mr. John See, Mr. Eams, Mr. Briner, Mr. Hawthorne, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dick, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue,	Mr. E. M. Clark	10	8	10	14 November.
13	Conditional Purchase by Mrs. Ann Rouse, in the Parish of Kabilah.	19 August, 1902. Votes No. 35. Entry 9. (On motion of Mr. Edden.)	{ Mr. John See, Mr. Eams, Mr. Briner, Mr. Hawthorne, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dick, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Edden	8	7	3	9 October.
14	Commonwealth Portland Cement Company Railway Bill.	26 August, 1902. Votes No. 38. Entry 8. (On motion of Mr. Sleath.)	{ Mr. John See, Mr. Eams, Mr. Briner, Mr. Hawthorne, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dick, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Sleath	6	6	2	24 September.

\* Leave given to sit during any adjournment of the House.

† Discharged 4 September, 1902.

‡ Adjudged 4 September, 1902.

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No. of COMMITTEE.	DESIGNATION OF COMMITTEE.	WHEN AND HOW APPOINTED.	MEMBERS.	CHAIRMAN.	No. of MEETINGS.		No. of WITNESSES EXAMINED.	WHEN REPORTED.	
					Called.	Held.			
15	Land, fronting Throsby and Cottage Creeks, sold by A. A. Dangar, Esq.	2 September, 1902. Votes No. 41. Entry 10. (On motion of Mr. Fegan.)	{ Mr. Crick, Mr. Thomson, Mr. Estell, Mr. John Hurley, Mr. Sleath, (Sir John See, Mr. Ashton, Mr. Jones, Mr. Quinn, Mr. Levy, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Briner, Mr. Morton, Mr. Fallick, Mr. Jones, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Nobbs, Mr. Davidson, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Crick, Mr. Nielsen, Mr. Millard, Mr. Archer, Mr. Nobbs, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Archd. Campbell, Mr. Hogue. Mr. Holman, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Carroll, Mr. Davidson, Mr. Hawthorne.	Mr. Fegan	3	3	2	1902.	
16	Condition of the Blind Workers of the State.	9 September, 1902. Votes No. 44. Entry 25. (On motion of Mr. Arthur Griffith.)	{ Mr. Whiddon, Mr. Millard, Mr. Briner, Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Arthur Griffith. Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Thomson, Mr. John Hurley, Mr. Nielsen.						
17	Dismissal from the Railway Service of Fettle's Ganger, E. L. Warton.	30 October, 1902, a.m. Votes No. 66. Entry 13. (On motion of Mr. Nielsen.)	{ Mr. McCoy, Mr. Morton, Mr. Wood, Mr. Dick. Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Dick, Mr. Edden, Mr. Nicholson.	Mr. Nielsen	9	6	2	18 December.	
18	Claim of James Ross, Pilot Boatman	30 October, 1902, a.m. Votes No. 66. Entry 17. (On motion of Mr. Dick.)	{ Mr. Waddell, Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Nobbs, Mr. Davidson, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Gilbert.	Mr. Dick	5	4	5	17 December.	
19	North Sydney Brick and Tile Company's Tramway Bill.	6 November, 1902. Votes No. 70. Entry 4. (On motion of Mr. Frank Farnell.)	{ Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Dick, Mr. Edden, Mr. Nicholson. Mr. Fiddon, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Archd. Campbell, Mr. Hogue. Mr. Holman, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Carroll, Mr. Davidson, Mr. Hawthorne.	Mr. Frank Farnell	3	2	3	14 November, a.m.	
20	Miners' Accident Relief (Bulli Fund Bill).	28 November, 1902. Votes No. 82. Entry 21. (On motion of Mr. Hogue.)	{ Mr. Fiddon, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Archd. Campbell, Mr. Hogue. Mr. Holman, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Carroll, Mr. Davidson, Mr. Hawthorne.	Mr. Fegan	2	2	1		
21	Proposed Government Alignment of Flood-street, Leichhardt.	28 November, 1902. Votes No. 82. Entry 22. (On motion of Mr. Nobbs, for Mr. Hawthorne.)	{ Mr. Crick, Mr. Nielsen, Mr. Millard, Mr. Archer, Mr. Nobbs, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sleath, Mr. Archd. Campbell, Mr. Hogue. Mr. Holman, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Carroll, Mr. Davidson, Mr. Hawthorne.	Mr. Hawthorne	1	1		9 December.	

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them, 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 .....	No. 16 under the Prisons Act, 1893 .....	.....	.....	1902.	.....	.....
Rules and Regulations .....	under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1901 .....	.....	.....	28 May .....	.....	Not to be printed.
Report .....	of Public Service Board, in reference to the appointment of an Assistant Parliamentary Draftsman in the Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice. ....	.....	.....	28 " .....	.....	" "
Report .....	of Public Service Board, in reference to the appointment of an Assistant Parliamentary Draftsman in the Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice. ....	.....	.....	28 " .....	.....	" "
Rules .....	of the Supreme Court (Matrimonial Causes Jurisdiction) .....	.....	.....	28 " .....	.....	" "
Annual Returns .....	under the 26th section of the District Courts Act, 1901 .....	.....	.....	28 " .....	.....	" "
Commission .....	appointing Sir Harry Holdsworth Rawson, Vice-Admiral in the Royal Navy, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, to be Governor of the State of New South Wales and its Dependencies, in the Commonwealth of Australia. ....	.....	.....	29 May .....	.....	To be printed.
By-law .....	of the Borough of Alexandria .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	Not to be printed.
By-law .....	of the Borough of Richmond .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Borough of Goulburn .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Borough of Wollalaha .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Borough of Balmain .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Borough of Enfield .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Borough of West Maitland .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Borough of Randwick .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Borough of Petersham .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Borough of Newcastle .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Municipal District of Manly .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-law .....	of the Municipal District of Carrington .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-laws .....	of the Borough of Drummoyno .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-laws .....	of the Borough of Willoughby .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-laws .....	of the Borough of Albury .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-laws .....	of the Borough of North Sydney .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Canterbury .....	.....	.....	29 " .....	.....	" "

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By-laws	of the Municipal District of Penrith		Mr. See	29 May 1902.		
By-laws	of the Municipal District of Manilla		"	29 "	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-laws	of the Municipal District of Forbes		"	29 "	"	
Regulations	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900		"	29 "	"	
Regulations	under the State Children Relief Act, 1901		"	29 "	"	
Regulations	of the Shaftesbury Reformatory, under the Reformatory and Industrial Schools Act, 1901.		"	29 "	"	
Regulations	under the Metropolitan Traffic Act, 1900		"	29 "	"	
Returns	under the several Acts of Parliament administered by the Registrar-General, for the year 1901.		"	29 "	"	
Reasons	for granting extended leave of absence to Mr. E. A. C. Smith, Examiner of Titles, Registrar-General's Office.		"	29 "	"	
Reasons	for granting further leave of absence to Mr. A. M. Solomon, Draftsman, Registrar-General's Office.		"	29 "	"	
Reply	to despatch forwarding Address respecting the visit to New South Wales of His Royal Highness the Duke of Cornwall and York (now Prince of Wales).		"	29 "	"	
Report	of the Goulburn Fire Brigades Board for the year 1901		"	29 "	"	
Report	of Mr. J. Barling on Commercial Agents		"	29 "	To be printed.	
Return	of cost of Sunday Labour in the Public Service		"	29 "	"	
First Report	of the Sydney Harbour Trust		"	29 "	"	
Report	of the completion of the Johnstone's Creek Stormwater Channel—Orphan-school Creek Branch.	Mr. O'Sullivan		4 June	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the "Wharfage and Tonnage Rates Act, 1880"	"	"	4 "	"	
Report	of the completion of the Easton Park Stormwater Channel—Barr-street Extension.	"	"	4 "	"	
Report	of the completion of the Chatswood-Willoughby Outfall Works	"	"	4 "	"	
Regulations	under the "Artesian Wells Act, 1897"	"	"	4 "	"	
By-laws	under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1889—(a) Double Bay Low-level Sewerage Works; (b) Manly Sewerage Works; (c) Chatswood-Willoughby Sewerage Works; (d) Manly Water Supply; (e) Gordon, South Colah, and Field of Mars Water Supply.	"	"	4 "	"	
Statement	of Accounts of the South Head Roads Trust for the half-year ended 31st December, 1901.	"	"	4 "	"	
Return ( <i>in part</i> ) to an Order	"Monthly Returns of Accidents" (Public Work Department, November, 1901, to March, 1902).	Mr. Samuel Smith		4 "	To be printed.	
Minute	respecting special sick leave of absence to Mr. E. O. Friend, Draughtsman, Water Supply and Sewerage Construction Branch, Department of Public Works.	"	"	4 "	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the completion of the Homebush Creek Branch Stormwater Channel—Emu-street Branch and Minna-street Branch.	Mr. Kidd		4 "	"	
Regulations	under Stock Diseases (Tick) Act, 1901	"	"	4 "	"	
Proclamations	respecting disease known as "Tick Fever or Texas Fever"; also Regulations under the Stock Act, 1901.	"	"	4 "	"	
Proclamation	prohibiting importation of swine from New Zealand for a period of twelve months.	"	"	4 "	"	
Proclamations	respecting sheep introduced from Victoria, and destruction of foxes in the Molong Sheep District.	"	"	4 "	"	
Proclamation	respecting annual contribution on sheep for the year 1902	"	"	4 "	"	
Proclamation	setting apart that piece of ground situated in South-street, Double Bay, and known as "Yerton," as a quarantine ground for Imported Stock.	"	"	4 "	"	

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Proclamation.....	prohibiting the introduction or importation of cattle and certain horses from specified portions of Queensland.	.....	.....	1902.	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	respecting coal mined from Crown Lands, Illawarra District, from 1891 to 1900.	.....	.....	4 June.....	" "	" "
Regulations .....	under the Miners' Accident Relief Act, 1900, and the Miners' Accident Relief (Amendment) Act, 1901.	.....	.....	4 "	" "	" "
Report .....	of the Department of Agriculture for the year 1901	.....	.....	4 "	.....	Postponed for further consideration.
Report .....	of the New South Wales Miners' Accident Relief Board for the year 1901.	.....	.....	4 "	To be printed.	
Report .....	from the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendix, relating to the proposed bridge over the Hawkesbury River at Richmond.	.....	.....	4 "	" "	
Notifications .....	of resumptions, under Public Works Act of 1900, of land for Public School purposes at Ashbridge, Bereen, Bellview, Beaufort, Corenbob, Darkes Forest, Edenderry, Elderbury, Ebenezer, Glencardie, Gulgullendah, Glen Martin, Gladesville, Glenfield, Greystanes (Harper-street, Merrylands), Galore, Hillmont, Hollymount, Hulton, Howell, Killingworth, Lawson's Creek, Middle Dural, Mountain View, Moilacco, Malee Plains, North Benumbed, Never Never, Pallabooka, Sonnmarra, South Bowan Park, Innorrana Propet, Tilbuster, Tabragar (Barragan), and Wanboynne.	.....	.....	5 "	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Trustees of the National Art Gallery for the year 1901.....	.....	.....	5 "	To be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Western Lands Act, 1901 .....	.....	.....	5 "	Not to be printed.	
Copies.....	of Gazette Notices, setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, in accordance with the provisions of the 105th section of the Act 48 Victoria No. 18.	.....	.....	5 "	" "	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from sale for the Preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, in accordance with the 101st, 109th, and 112th sections of the Act 48 Victoria No. 18.	.....	.....	5 "	" "	
Abstract.....	of Alterations and Cancellations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the 107th section of the Act 48 Victoria No. 18.	.....	.....	5 "	" "	
Abstract.....	of Sites for Cities, Towns, and Villages, declared under the 4th and 101st sections of the Act 48 Victoria No. 18.	.....	.....	5 "	" "	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to Public Purposes, in accordance with the 104th section of the Act 48 Victoria No. 18.	.....	.....	5 "	" "	
Notifications .....	of resumptions under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land at Towradgi Creek, county of Camden, and at Branxton, county of Northumberland, for Public Parks.	.....	.....	5 "	" "	
(a) Amended Regulations .....	Nos. 157A, 213, 215, 227, 260, 323-6 under the Crown Lands Acts; (b) Additional Regulations Nos. 57A, 57B, 157C, and 157D, also Additional Form No. 10A under the Crown Lands Acts; (c) Regulations and Forms under the Western Lands Act, 1901;	.....	.....	5 "	" "	
Notification .....	(d) Regulations and Forms under the Advances to Settlers Acts; and (e) Regulations and Forms under the Rabbit Act, 1901, of withdrawal from Pastoral Lease, No. 125, for settlement by other holdings.	.....	.....	5 "	" "	
Statement .....	showing the receipts and expenditure of the Hay Irrigation Trust for the year ended 31st December, 1901.	.....	.....	5 "	To be printed.	

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Minutes .....	Copies of, of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and the Executive Council—	.....	Mr. Deputy Speaker.....	1902. 5 June.....	Not to be printed.	
(a) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Department of Lands, Salaries," to supplement the Vote "Compensation for land resumed for roads under Public Roads Act."	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Stock and Brands Branch, Contingencies," to supplement the Vote "Vine Diseases Act, Miscellaneous."	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Interest on Advances by Banks in London" to supplement the Vote "For the Transmission of Telegraphic Messages."	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(d) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Interest on Advances by Banks in London" to supplement the Vote "Coast Hospital."	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(e) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "His Excellency the Governor" to supplement the Vote "Freight, Insurance, &c."	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(f) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Interest on Advances by Banks in London" to supplement the Vote "To meet Unforeseen Expenses to be hereafter accounted for."	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(g) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Survey of Lands, Contingencies," to supplement the Vote "Department of Lands, Contingencies."	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(h) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Interest on Advances by Banks in London" to supplement the Votes "To pay Municipal Rates on Government Buildings" and "To pay Interest on Special Deposits by the Savings Bank of New South Wales."	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Report of Sewerage Works Ventilation Board	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Return (in part) to Order	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
By-laws	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Regulations	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amended Regulation	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
By-laws	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Notification	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Annual Report	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Statement	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
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By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Parkes under the Nuisances Prevention Act, 1897.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	1902. 11 June.....	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Gosford under the Nuisances Prevention Act, 1897.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Hunter's Hill under the Nuisances Prevention Act, 1897.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for extending Station-yard at Towrang.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for improving the traffic on the Great Southern Railway by crection of Gate-house at Minto.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for extension of Station-yard at Wallendbeen.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for extension of Station-yard at Morpeth.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for extending the Siding accommodation at Eulonogo.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for extension of Station-yard at Geurie.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for providing access to the Station-yard at Garland.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for improvement of Station-yard at Tamworth.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for improvement of Station-yard at Wambool.	.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	
Return to an Order .....	"Case of E. L. Warton, Fettler's Ganger, Government Railways."	Mr. Nielsen.....	" .....	11 " .....	" .....	Postponed for further consideration.
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to public purposes, in accordance with the 10th section of the Act 48 Victoria No. 18.	.....	Mr. Ronnett .....	12 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	of Officers of this State borrowed by the Federal Government respecting the appointment of Mr. Nahum Kapken to the Commission of the Peace.	.....	Mr. See .....	17 " .....	To be printed.	
Correspondence .....	respecting the appointments of Thomas and William Cronin to the Commission of the Peace.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Papers .....	of the Police Department for the year 1901	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Report .....	"Convictions under the Licensing Act"	.....	" .....	17 " .....	To be printed.	
Return (in part) to an Order .....	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900	Mr. Garrard .....	" .....	17 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	Nos. 1 and 2, and 5 to 13, respecting, the Census of New South Wales.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Bulletins .....	of the Municipal District of Cobar	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
By-law .....	of the Royal Commission, together with Minutes of Evidence, Appendix, &c., on the Sydney Water Supply.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	To be printed.	
First Report .....	relating to the first Report of the Royal Commission on the Sydney Water Supply.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Plans .....	together with a return giving a record of the Committees inquiries, and Minutes of Proceedings of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Nineteenth General Report .....	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 30th September, 1901.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	17 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Statement .....	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 31st December, 1901.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Statement .....	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 31st March, 1902.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Statement .....	of Public Companies' Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 30th September, 1901.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	

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Statement .....	of Public Companies' Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 31st December, 1901.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	17 June.....	Not to be printed.	
Statement .....	of Public Companies' Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 31st March, 1902.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Certificate .....	of the Public Service Board in regard to the appointment of Mr. John Fraser McEachran as travelling Veterinary Inspector, Department of Public Health.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Certificate .....	of the Public Service Board in regard to the appointment of Mr. Thomas G. Doyle, M.R.C.V.S., as travelling Veterinary Inspector, Department of Public Health.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for duplicating the Great Western Railway, near Springwood.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for improving the Locomotive Water Supply on the Great Northern Railway at Tenterfield.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for duplicating the Great Western Railway at Valley Heights.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for a residence for the Station-master at Nundah.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of an Inebriate Asylum at Milson's Island, Hawkesbury River.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of the Daysdale Tank.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of a Wharf at Central Macdonald.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of a Tank for Water Supply purposes at Watson's Bay.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of a Reservoir for the supply of Water to the town of West Wallsend.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of a Tank for Water Supply purposes at Gobondry.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of a Tank for Water Conservation purposes on the road from Mulwala to Severnake.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of certain Drainage Works for the Western Suburbs of Sydney.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land in connection with Supply of Water to Tumut.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land in connection with Improvements to Lake Cargelligo.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of the Booberoi Creek Weir and Channel.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of a Roadway on the eastern side of the Stormwater Channel at Double Bay.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land in connection with the Supply of Water to Blayney.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of an approach to the Public Wharf at Cockle Creek.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of certain Sewerage Works for Lismore.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" .....	

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Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the erection of a Court-house at Kangaroo Valley.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	17 June, 1902.	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the erection of a Reception House for Insane, at Newcastle.	.....	" .....	17 "	" "	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the erection of a Police Station at Bangalow.	.....	" .....	17 "	" "	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction and establishment of a Camping Reserve at McKane's Falls.	.....	" .....	17 "	" "	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of certain Drainage Works for the Western Suburbs of Sydney.	.....	" .....	17 "	" "	
By-laws .....	of the Free Public Library, Manly .....	.....	Mr. Perry .....	18 "	" "	
Minute Paper .....	recommending sick leave for three months to Mr. Frederick Bridges, Chief Inspector of Schools.	.....	" .....	18 "	" "	
Report .....	of the Trustees of the Sydney Grammar School for the year 1901.	.....	" .....	18 "	To be printed.	
Amended By-laws .....	of the Trustees of the Free Public Library for the year 1901 .....	.....	" .....	18 "	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Senate of the University of Sydney for the year 1901 .....	.....	" .....	18 "	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the working of the Factories and Shops Act and Early Closing Acts for the year 1901.	.....	" .....	18 "	" "	
Report .....	of the Superintendent of the Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta, for the year 1901.	.....	" .....	18 "	" "	
Report .....	of the Superintendent of the Carpenterian Reformatory for the year 1901.	.....	" .....	18 "	" "	
Copies of Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, in accordance with provisions of the 105th section of the Act 48 Victoria No. 18, the 41st section of the Act 53 Victoria No. 21, and section 7, Public Trusts Act, 1897.	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	18 "	Not to be printed.	
Abstract .....	of Sites for Cities, Towns, and Villages, declared under the 4th and 101st sections of the Act 48 Victoria No. 18.	.....	" .....	18 "	" "	
Abstract of Crown Lands .....	reserved from sale for the Preservation of Water Supply or for other Public Purposes, in accordance with the 101st, 109th, and 112th sections of the Act 48 Victoria No. 18.	.....	" .....	18 "	" "	
Minute .....	Copy of, of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and the Executive Council, authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "His Excellency the Governor" to supplement the Vote "Police."	.....	Mr. Speaker .....	19 "	" "	
Regulations .....	under the Wharfrage and Tonnage Rates Act, 1901 .....	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	24 "	" "	
Timber and Quarry Regulations .....	under the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889 .....	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	24 "	" "	
Report .....	on Prisons for the year 1901 .....	.....	Mr. See .....	24 "	To be printed.	
Papers .....	in connection with the case of Mr. James Johnston, Sydney Harbour Trust.	.....	" .....	24 "	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	from Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, together with the Minutes of Evidence and plans relating to the proposed removal of the Public Abattoir from Glebe Island.	.....	Mr. McFarlane .....	24 "	To be printed.	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly, 25th June, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.



REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 1, dated 25th June, 1902, as follows:—

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Report .....	of the Department of Agriculture for the year 1901 .....	Mr. Nielsen .....	Mr. Kidd .....	4 June .....	To be printed.	
Return to an Order .....	" Case of E. L. Varon, Fetter's Ganger, Government Railways " .....	Mr. Nielsen .....	Mr. Waddell .....	11 " .....	"	
Return .....	respecting Toll Exemptions .....	Mr. Nielsen .....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	25 " .....	Not to be printed.	
List .....	of stoneasons registered at State Labour Board, Chancery Square .....	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	"	
Proclamation .....	proposing to extinguish a street through Ashfield Park, in accordance with the provisions of the 7th section of the Public Parks Act of 1884.	Mr. Nielsen .....	Mr. Crick .....	25 " .....	"	
Copies of Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, in accordance with the provisions of the 105th section of the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	"	
Abstract of Crown Lands .....	authorised to be dedicated to public purposes, in accordance with the 104th section of the Act 48 Victoria, No. 13.	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	"	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for duplicating the Great Western Railway at Medlow.	Mr. Nielsen .....	Mr. Waddell .....	25 " .....	"	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for duplicating the Great Western Railway at Valley Heights.	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	"	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for duplicating the Great Western Railway at Hazelbrook.	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	"	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for duplicating the Great Western Railway at Blaxland.	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	"	
Report .....	on the Botanic Gardens and Domains for the year 1901 .....	Mr. Nielsen .....	Mr. See .....	25 " .....	To be printed.	
Rule of Court .....	under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1901 .....	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	and Minutes of Evidence of the Conference of Attorneys-General, held at Hobart, January, 1902, to consider the question of reciprocal admission of Legal Practitioners in the several States.	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	To be printed.	
Regulation .....	under the Dentists Act .....	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Bulletin .....	No. 14, respecting the Census of New South Wales .....	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	"	
Return .....	respecting hours of attendants of Hospitals for Insane .....	Mr. Nielsen .....	" .....	25 " .....	To be printed.	

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Return .....	respecting the Insanitary Condition of Dairies .....	.....	Mr. Sec .....	25 June.....	To be printed.	
Return .....	respecting University Bursaries .....	.....	Mr. Perry .....	26 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Minister of Public Instruction for the year 1901 .....	.....	" .....	26 " .....	To be printed.	
Papers .....	respecting the case of prisoner William Bros .....	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	1 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Return to an Order .....	Retirements from the Public Service .....	.....	" .....	1 " .....	To be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land in connection with Approaches to the New Central Railway Station, Sydney.	Mr. Ashton .....	" .....	2 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for a Technical College at Wollongong.	.....	" .....	2 " .....	" "	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for a Tank at Domboy for water supply purposes in connection with the Moree to Inverell Railway.	.....	" .....	2 " .....	" "	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for a Weir on the Nepean River, near Penrith.	.....	" .....	2 " .....	" "	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for certain Drainage Works for the Western Suburbs of Sydney.	.....	" .....	2 " .....	" "	
Report .....	of the Wollongong Fire Brigades Board .....	.....	Sir John See .....	2 " .....	To be printed.	
Report .....	on Vaccination for the year 1901 .....	.....	" .....	2 " .....	" "	
Report .....	on the Coast Hospital, Little Bay, for the year 1901 .....	.....	" .....	2 " .....	" "	
Memorial .....	of Grievances concerning the 2nd and 3rd New South Wales Mounted Rifles and Bushmen's Contingents .....	.....	" .....	2 " .....	" "	
Return .....	respecting the Appointment of Messrs. Angus and Robertson as Booksellers to the Public Library, the Parliamentary Library, and the University Library.	.....	" .....	2 " .....	" "	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly, 3rd July, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 2, dated 3rd July, 1902, 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.
By-laws .....	for the sanitary area of Tocumwal, under the Public Health Act, 1896.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	1902. 3 July .....	Not to be printed.	
Proclamation .....	declaring the Molybdenite to be a "Mineral" within the Mining Act of 1889.	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	3 " .....	" "	
Report .....	of Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, together with Minutes of Evidence and Plan, relating to the proposed deviation on the Great Western Railway Line to avoid the Lithgow Zigzag.	.....	Mr. McFarlane .....	8 " .....	To be printed.	
Return .....	respecting Pitt Town Labour Farm .....	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	8 " .....	" "	
Appendices .....	Nos. 15 to 22 to the Report of the Minister of Public Instruction for the year 1901.	.....	Mr. Perry .....	8 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	respecting the Expenditure on the Parliamentary Buildings from 1st January, 1891, to 30th June, 1902.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	9 " .....	To be printed.	
Copies of Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands under the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889 and the Public Trusts Act, 1897.	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	9 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract of Crown Lands .....	reserved from sale for the Preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	" "	
Statement .....	of Receipts and Expenditure of the Sydney Cricket Ground for the year ended 30th September, 1901.	.....	Sir John Sec .....	9 " .....	To be printed.	
Reports .....	respecting Law Notices sent by Court officials to newspaper offices showing amount of fines paid into the City Police Courts for certain offences.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	" "	
Return to an Order .....	" Committal of Elizabeth Smith, of Cook Hill, Newcastle, to Gladsville Asylum."	Mr. Edden .....	" .....	9 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	showing the total amount of counsel's fees in cases decided by the Courts relating to the Rocks and Darling Harbour resumpions.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	To be printed.	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly, 10th July, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 4.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 3, dated 10th July, 1902, 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.
Minutes .....	Copies of, of His Excellency the Governor and the Executive Council, transmitted to the Legislative Assembly by the Auditor-General, under the directions contained in the 23rd section of the Audit Act, 1898.—	.....	Mr. Speaker .....	1902. 10 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Return (in part) to an Order... Notification .....	(a) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Head Office, Contingencies," to supplement the Vote "Petty Sessions, Contingencies,—Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice." (b) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Public Works Revenue, Miscellaneous, Schedule D," to supplement the Vote "Police Department Revenue Vote, Contingencies, 1901-2." (c) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Colonial Secretary, Salaries," to supplement the Vote "Freight, Insurance, &c." (d) Authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Prothonotary, Contingencies," to supplement the Vote "Probate and Intestate Estates Office, Contingencies."	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	10 ; .....	To be printed.	
Letter .....	"Monthly returns of accidents" .....	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	10 ; .....	Not to be printed.	
Papers .....	Improving the Locomotive Water Supply at Barber's Creek. from Chief Medical Officer to the Government respecting certain findings of the Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly on the removal from the Public Service of Mr. Frederick Glynn. in connection with grievances of cabmen and vanmen respecting the Metropolitan Traffic Regulations.	.....	Sir John See .....	15 ; .....	.....	Postponed for further consideration.
		.....	," .....	15 ; .....	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.
Return .....	respecting prosecutions and convictions for Sunday trading in the Metropolitan District for the year ended 30th June, 1902, showing number of tradespeople prosecuted for Sunday trading, from 1st January, 1900, to 30th June, 1902.	.....	Sir John See .....	1902, 15 July .....	Not to be printed.	
Return .....		.....	" .....	15 " .....	" "	
Second Report .....		of the Royal Commission on the Sydney Water Supply .....	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	15 " .....	To be printed. Not to be printed.
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for Water Supply at Charlton in connection with the Byrock to Brewarrina Railway.	.....	.....	15 " .....		
Return .....	respecting the Board for Export .....	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	15 " .....	To be printed.	
Report .....	from Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, together with Minutes of Evidence, relating to the proposed concrete dam across the Cataract River.	.....	Mr. McFarlane .....	15 " .....	" "	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly, 16th July, 1902.

THOMAS ROSE,  
Chairman *pro tem*.

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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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 4, dated 16th July, 1902, 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.
Letter.....	from Chief Medical Officer to the Government respecting certain findings of the Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly on the removal from the Public Service of Mr. Frederick Glynn.	.....	Sir John See .....	1902. 15 July .....	To be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for duplicating the Great Western Railway near Karabar.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	16 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Copies.....	of Gazette Notices, setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, in accordance with the provisions of the 105th section of the Crown Lands Act of 1884, and the 41st section of the Crown Lands Act of 1889.	.....	Mr. Crick.....	16 " .....	" "	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to public purposes, in accordance with the 104th section of the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	16 " .....	" "	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for a Public Cemetery at South Head.	.....	" .....	16 " .....	" "	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
 Legislative Assembly, 17th July, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
 Chairman.



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 6.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 5, dated 17th July, 1902, 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.
Copies.....	of Minutes relating to the granting of special sick leave to Mr. E. M. de Burgh, Engineer for Bridges—Roads, Bridges, and Public Watering Places Branch, Department of Public Works.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan	1902. 17 July	Not to be printed.	
By-law .....	of the Borough of Albany.....	.....	Sir John See	17 "	"	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Nowra .....	.....	"	17 "	"	
Amended Regulations .....	under the Metropolitan Traffic Act, 1900.....	.....	"	17 "	"	
Additional Regulations .....	of Procedure, made by the Court of Arbitration, under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1901.....	.....	"	17 "	"	
Rules .....	of a Minute of His Excellency the Governor and the Executive Council, transmitted to the Legislative Assembly by the Auditor-General under the directions contained in the 23rd section of the Audit Act, 1898, authorising the transfer of an amount from the Vote "Department of Lands—Salaries," to supplement the Vote "Survey of Lands—Contingencies."	.....	Mr. Speaker	22 "	"	
Copy .....	"Monthly Returns of Accidents" (Public Works Department, June, 1902).	.....	.....	22 "	"	
Return (in part) to an Order.....	of the Trustees of the Australian Museum for the year 1901 .....	Mr. Samuel Smith	Mr. O'Sullivan	22 "	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the Royal Commission to inquire into all questions raised with regard to the conduct of Municipal affairs at Wyalong, together with Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence.	.....	Mr. Perry	22 "	"	
" .....	of Royal Commission to inquire into a charge against Sergeant James Hogg, of the Police Force, together with Evidence, &c.	.....	Sir John See	22 "	"	Postponed for further consideration.
Return .....	respecting employees in the Hospital for the Insane, Parramatta .....	.....	"	22 "	To be printed.	
" .....	respecting the movement of Population during 1900, 1901, and to 31st March, 1902.	.....	"	22 "	"	
" .....	respecting the Board of Exports.....	.....	Mr. Kidd	22 "	"	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for water supply for the Borough of Wollongong.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan	23 "	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from sale for the preservation of water supply or other public purposes, in accordance with the 101st, 103th, and 112th sections of the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Bennett	23 "	"	
" .....	of sites for cities, towns, and villages, declared under the 4th and 101st sections of the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	"	23 "	"	
" .....	of alterations of designs of cities, towns, and villages, under the 107th section of the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	"	23 "	"	

No. 1 Committee Room.  
Legislative Assembly, 24th July, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.



REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 6, dated 24th July, 1902, 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.
Papers.....	in connection with the case of Mr. James Johnston, Sydney Harbour Trust.	.....	Sir John See .....	1902. 24 June.....	To be printed .....	Reported on on 25th June, 1902; referred back to Committee for reconsideration, 25th July, 1902.
" .....	in connection with grievances of cabmen and vanmen respecting the Metropolitan Traffic Regulations.	.....	" .....	15 July .....	" .....	Reported on on 18th July, 1902; referred back to Committee for reconsideration, 29th July, 1902.
Report .....	of Royal Commission to inquire into all questions raised with regard to the conduct of municipal affairs at Wyalong, together with Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence.	.....	" .....	22 " .....	" .....	
Statement .....	of receipts and expenditure of the Sydney Cricket Ground for the year ended 30th September, 1901.	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	24 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Stock and Brands Branch of the Department of Mines and Agriculture for the year 1901.	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	24 " .....	To be printed.	
Return to an Order .....	" Actions brought against the Railway Commissioners "	Mr. Levy .....	Mr. Waddell .....	24 " .....	" .....	
Return .....	showing amounts paid for salary, allowances, and travelling expenses of Acting Judges appointed to the Supreme and District Court Benches.	.....	Sir John See .....	24 " .....	" .....	
Report .....	of the Department of Mines for the year 1901	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	29 " .....	" .....	
Abstract .....	of the Court of Investigation, Greta Colliery fire .....	.....	Mr. Perry .....	29 " .....	" .....	
By-laws .....	of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to public purposes, in accordance with the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	30 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Additional By-law .....	of the Municipal District of Penrith .....	.....	Sir John See .....	30 " .....	" .....	
By-law .....	of the Borough of Annandale .....	.....	" .....	30 " .....	" .....	
" .....	of the Borough of New Lambton .....	.....	" .....	30 " .....	" .....	
" .....	of the Municipal District of Wallendbeen .....	.....	" .....	30 " .....	" .....	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Information	respecting postal premises in Castlereagh-street, Sydney		Sir John See	1902.	To be printed.	
Return	respecting the Consolidation of the Statutes showing number, names, and salaries of Police Magistrates appointed during 1901.		"	30 July	"	
"	"		"	30 "	"	
Return to an Order	" State Government House, Macquarie-street, Sydney "	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	"	30 "	"	
Report	of the Fire Brigades Board, Sydney, for the year, 1901	"	"	30 "	"	
Notification	of resumption, under the Public Works Act of 1900, of land for a residence for the night-officer at Ravensworth.		Mr. Waddell	30 "	Not to be printed.	
"	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for widening New South Head Road, Sydney.		Mr. O'Sullivan	31 "	"	
Return	respecting the value of kangaroo, wallaby, and opossum skins placed on the market during 1901.		Mr. Kidd	31 "	To be printed.	
"	respecting number of ex-students from the Agricultural Colleges who have settled upon the land as farmers.		"	31 "	"	
Report	of the Railway Commissioners on Railways and Tramways for quarter ended 30th June, 1902.		Mr. Waddell	5 August	"	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1900, for duplicating the Great Western Railway at Wentworth Falls.		"	5 "	Not to be printed.	
"	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1900, for railway station yard at Orelida.		"	5 "	"	
"	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1900, for duplicating the Great Western Railway at Springwood.		"	5 "	"	
Return to an Order	" Railway Appeal Board "	Mr. Hollis	Mr. Bennett	5 "	To be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1900, for tank at Crookwell for railway water-supply purposes.		Mr. Bennett	5 "	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Blockholders' Act		Mr. Crick	6 "	"	
Amended Regulations	Timber and quarry		"	6 "	"	
Return	respecting eight-hours system on Railways and Tramways		Mr. Waddell	6 "	To be printed.	
Return	showing coal hauled from Elernore Vale Colliery, 21st to 26th July, 1902, and weighted at Hamilton.		"	6 "	"	
By-law	of the Municipal District of Rockdale.		Sir John See	6 "	Not to be printed.	
Return	showing number of wharf labourers killed or injured during the last five years while following their occupation.		"	6 "	To be printed.	
Regulation	under the Fisheries Act, 1902		"	6 "	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Fisheries Commissioners for the year 1901		"	6 "	To be printed.	

J. W. COLEMAN,  
Chairman, pro tem.

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly, 12th August, 1902.

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No. 8.

## REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

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THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 7, dated 12th August, 1902, 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.
By-laws .....	of the Borough of Tamworth .....	.....	Sir John See .....	12 August .....	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Borough of Wagga Wagga .....	.....	" .....	12 " .....	" .....	
Extract .....	from the <i>Contemporary Review</i> , of October, 1900, entitled "A Colonist's Views on Army Reform."	.....	" .....	12 " .....	" .....	
Return .....	showing number of Stipendiary and Police Magistrates over 60 and 65 years of age.	.....	" .....	12 " .....	" .....	
Amended By laws .....	under the Public Health Act, 1896, for the regulation of Common Lodging-houses in the City of Sydney.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	13 " .....	" .....	
Papers .....	and correspondence respecting the imposition of duties upon the products of Norfolk Island imported into New South Wales.	.....	Sir John See .....	13 " .....	To be printed.	
Reports .....	respecting the condition of the s.s. "Quiraing" .....	.....	" .....	13 " .....	" .....	
Return .....	respecting accidents that have occurred in saw-mills and timber- yards in the Metropolitan District during the past two years.	.....	Mr. Perry .....	13 " .....	" .....	
Copies .....	of <i>Gazette</i> Notices, setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, in accordance with the provisions of the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889, and the Public Trusts Act, 1897.	.....	Mr. Crick .....	13 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Alterations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	13 " .....	" .....	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from sale for the preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	13 " .....	" .....	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly, 14th August, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 9.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 8, dated 14th August, 1902, 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.
Return .....	respecting life-saving appliances and safety-lamps used at the Mount Kembra Colliery.	.....	Mr. Kidd.....	1902. 14 August	To be printed .....	
Return .....	respecting the Standard Text Book on Agriculture .....	.....	" .....	14 "	Not to be printed.	
Abstract .....	of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to public purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Crick.....	14 "	" "	
Return .....	respecting the promotions of officers in the Police and Detective Department.	.....	Sir John See .....	14 "	To be printed.	
Return (in part) to an Order.....	" Leave of Absence to Civil Servants before being retrenched" .....	Mr. McFarlane .....	" .....	14 "	" "	
Return .....	showing the names of pensioners under Schedule B of the Constitution Act, and the amounts payable to them annually.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	19 "	" "	
Reports, &c. ....	of Engineer-Surveyor and Shipwright-Surveyor in connection with the s.s. "Balmain."	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	19 "	" "	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the erection of a fire brigade station at Pymont.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	19 "	Not to be printed.	Postponed for further consideration.
" .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the diversion of Lavender Creek, Murwillumbah, South.	.....	" .....	19 "	" "	
" .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for Railway Departmental residences at Rocky Ponds.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	20 "	" "	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly, 21st August, 1902.  
  
S. PHILLIPS,  
Chairman, pro tem.



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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 9, dated 21st August, 1902, 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.
Extract .....	from the <i>Contemporary Review</i> , of October, 1900, entitled "A Colonel's Views on Army Reform."	.....	Sir John See .....	1902. 12 August .....	Not to be printed.	Referred back to the Printing Committee for reconsideration, 28th August, 1902.
Reports, &c. ....	of Engineer-Surveyor and Shipwright-Surveyor in connection with the s.s. "Balmuir."	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	19 .....	.....	Postponed for further consideration.
Return .....	respecting travelling expenses of Supreme Court Judges, District Court Judges, Crown Prosecutors, and Judges' Associates.	.....	Sir John See .....	21 .....	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the Railway Commissioners on Railways and Tramways for the year ended 30th June, 1902.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	26 .....	"	
Return .....	respecting accidents in the Broken Hill District during the last ten years.	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	26 .....	"	
Return .....	respecting inspection of abandoned workings of Coal Mines	.....	.....	26 .....	"	
Correspondence .....	respecting special leave of absence to Mr. John Dettmann, Inspector of Schools.	.....	Mr. Perry .....	26 .....	Not to be printed.	
Letter .....	from Mr. Norman Seife, relating to the plans prepared by him, and which were laid upon the Table on 17th December, 1901,— "Remodelling of the Rocks' Resumed Area."	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	26 .....	.....	Postponed for further consideration.
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the extension to Lands and Survey Office at Tamworth.	.....	" .....	26 .....	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	respecting buildings rented by the Government.	.....	Sir John See .....	26 .....	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the President of the State Children Relief Board for the year ended 5th April, 1902.	.....	" .....	26 .....	"	
Return .....	respecting Commission paid to Auctioneers by the Curator of Intestate Estates on the sale of real estate.	.....	" .....	26 .....	"	
Correspondence .....	relative to the recognition by Commissioners for Railways of Industrial Unions under the Industrial Arbitration Act, and the Attorney-General's opinion thereon.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	27 .....	"	
Additional Regulations .....	under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1901.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Further papers .....	respecting dismissal of Mr. James Stephen Inch, Clerk, Registrar-General's Office, from the Public Service.	.....	Sir John See .....	27 .....	Not to be printed.	
.....	.....	.....	" .....	27 .....	"	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly, 28th August, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 11.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 10, dated 28th August, 1902, 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, &c.	of Engineer-Surveyor and Shipwright-Surveyor in connection with the s.s. "Balmain."	.....	Mr. Waddell	1902 10 August	Not to be printed.	
Letter	from Mr. Norman Selfe, relating to the plans prepared by him, and which were laid upon the Table on 17th December, 1901.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan	26 "	To be printed.	
Information	"Remodelling of the Rocks Resumed Area."	.....	Sir John See	28 "	Not to be printed.	
Further papers	respecting the Domain Gymnasium	.....	"	2 September	"	
Police Reports	respecting the dismissal of Mr. James Stephen Inch, clerk, Registrar-General's Department, from the Public Service.	.....	"	2 "	"	
By-laws	respecting case of Constable Spicer.	.....	"	2 "	"	
By-laws	of the Borough of Erskineville.	.....	"	2 "	"	
Regulations	of the Borough of Paddington.	.....	Mr. Kidd	2 "	"	
Proclamations	under the Stock Act, 1901.	.....	"	2 "	"	
Statement	respecting (a) crossing-places for sheep between New South Wales and Queensland, South Australia, and Victoria; (b) introduction of sheep from Victoria and South Australia; (c) the dressing of Coast District sheep, under the Stock Act, 1901.	.....	Mr. Waddell	2 "	"	
Statement	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 30th June, 1902.	.....	"	2 "	"	
Amended By-law	of Public Companies' Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 30th June, 1902.	.....	"	2 "	"	
By-laws	of the Borough of Orange, under the Nuisances Prevention Act, 1897.	.....	"	2 "	"	
Additional Regulation	of the Municipal District of Tenterfield under the Public Health Act, 1896.	.....	"	2 "	"	
By-laws	under the Wentworth Irrigation Act.....	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan	2 "	"	
	respecting (a) White's Creek Stormwater Drain; (b) White's Creek Stormwater Drain, Brennan-street Branch; (c) Johnstone's Creek Stormwater Channel.	.....	"	2 "	"	

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 .....	from Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works relating to proposed Tramway from Oxford-street to Bellevue Hill.	.....	Mr. McFarlane .....	1902 2 September .....	To be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown lands reserved from Sale for the Preservation of Water Supply or other public purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Crick.....	3 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of alteration of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	3 " .....	" "	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889, and the Public Trusts Act, 1897.	.....	" .....	3 " .....	" "	
Abstract.....	of Crown lands authorised to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	3 " .....	" "	
Regulation.....	under the Pharmacy Act, 1897 .....	.....	Mr. Waditell .....	3 " .....	" "	
Rules .....	of the Supreme Court in Equity .....	.....	Sir John See .....	3 " .....	" "	

*Legislative Assembly,  
No. 1 Committee Room,  
4th September, 1902.*

JAMES GORMLY,  
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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 11, dated 4th September, 1902, 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.
Return .....	respecting unexpended balances on votes and grants for Wagga Wagga Electric within Wagga Wagga Road District.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	1902. 4 September .....	To be printed.	
Return .....	showing the total number of Officers employed in the Public Service on 31st December, 1895, and on 30th June, 1902.	.....	Sir John See .....	4 " .....	" "	
Return .....	respecting the detention of vessels in Newcastle Harbour, during six months ended 31st July, 1902.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	9 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1900, for the duplication of the Great Western Railway at Katoomba.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	" "	
Report .....	nineteenth annual, under the Inscribed Stock Act of 1883 .....	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	9 " .....	To be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land parishes of Erudgere and Munna, county of Wellington, for the construction of a Bridge over McDonald's Creek.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land, parish of Gootoo, county of Lincoln, for the erection of a fence in lieu of a cattle-stop in connection with the Dubbo-Coonambie Railway.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	" "	
Accounts .....	of the South Head Roads Trust for the half-year ended 30th June, 1902.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	To be printed.	
Return to an Order .....	"Co-operative Colliery, Plattsburg"	Mr. Estell .....	Mr. Kidd .....	9 " .....	" "	
Return to an Order .....	"Dismissal of Claude Solomon, late Staff Paymaster, Military Forces."	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick .....	Sir John See .....	9 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Return to an Order .....	"Dismissal of John Ernest Humphries, late Clerk, Botanic Gardens"	" .....	" .....	9 " .....	" "	
Return to an Order .....	"Leave of absence to Civil Servants before being reappointed" .....	Mr. McFarlane .....	Sir John See .....	9 " .....	To be printed.	
Returns .....	respecting the Census of New South Wales, 1901—(a) Education of the People; (b) Comparative Statement of the Habitations in the six States of Australia and in New Zealand.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Reasons .....	for granting further special sick leave to Mr. C. A. Callaghan, Clerk, State Children's Relief Department.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	" "	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
10th September, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.

WATER CONTROL

NO.	NAME	ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	DATE	AMOUNT	REMARKS
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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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 12, dated 10th September, 1902, 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.
Return to an Order .....	"Dismissal of Claude Solomon, late Staff Paymaster, Military Forces."	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	Sir John See	1902, 9 September .....	To be printed.	Reported on, on 9th September, 1902; referred back for further consideration, 17th September, 1902.
Return to an Order .....	"Dismissal of John Ernest Humpries, late Clerk, Botanic Gardens."	"	"	9 "	"	"
Summary .....	of information respecting, and photographic views of, the proposed Federal Capital Sites.	"	"	10 "	"	"
Return .....	respecting Rate of Wages paid on Harbour and River Entrance Works on the Northern Coast carried out by day-labour.	Mr. O'Sullivan	"	11 "	"	"
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land, for erection of Train-car Shed at Rozelle Bay.	Mr. Waddell	"	16 "	Not to be printed.	"
Correspondence .....	respecting the retirement of Mr. George Lynn Little from the Public Service.	"	"	16 "	"	"
Return .....	of Free Tramway Passes, other than Parliamentary and Departmental, now current.	Mr. Waddell	"	17 "	To be printed.	"
Report .....	of the completion of the Botany-road Stormwater Channel.	Mr. O'Sullivan	"	17 "	Not to be printed.	"
Report .....	of the completion of the Mosman Sewerage, Second Division.—Aqueduct over head of Mosman's Bay.	"	"	17 "	"	"
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889 and the Public Trusts Act, 1897.	Mr. Bennett	"	17 "	"	"
Abstract .....	of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to Public Purposes under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	"	"	17 "	"	"

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
18th September, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 13, dated 18th September, 1902, 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.
Further papers.....	respecting the dismissal of Mr. James Stephen Inch, Clerk, Registrar-General's Department, from the Public Service.	.....	Sir John See .....	1902. 2 September .....	To be printed .....	Reported on, on 4th September, 1902; referred back to the Committee for further consideration, 18th September, 1902.
Report .....	from Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, relating to the proposed Tramway from Eumore-road to the Dulwich Hill Terminus.	.....	Mr. McFarlane .....	18 .....	" .....	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 307 under the Crown Lands Acts .....	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	18 .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Form.....	No. 51 under the Crown Lands Acts .....	.....	" .....	18 .....	" .....	
Additional Regulations .....	under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1901 .....	.....	Sir John See .....	23 .....	" .....	
Report .....	of the Public Service Board for the year 1901 .....	.....	" .....	24 .....	To be printed	
Amendment to General Rule.....	No. 3 of the Australian Museum Regulations .....	.....	Mr. Perry .....	24 .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from sale for the Preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	24 .....	" .....	
Abstract.....	of Sites for Cities, Town, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	24 .....	" .....	
Abstract .....	of Alterations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	24 .....	" .....	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	24 .....	" .....	
Report .....	of the completion of Iron Cove Creek Stormwater Channel—Joseph-street to Queen-street Extension.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	24 .....	" .....	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
25th September, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.

The following table shows the results of the experiments conducted on the 15th and 16th of August 1900. The first column gives the date, the second the time of day, the third the direction of the wind, the fourth the force of the wind, the fifth the direction of the current, the sixth the force of the current, the seventh the direction of the surface current, the eighth the force of the surface current, the ninth the direction of the bottom current, and the tenth the force of the bottom current.

Date	Time	Wind Direction	Wind Force	Current Direction	Current Force	Surface Current Direction	Surface Current Force	Bottom Current Direction	Bottom Current Force
15th Aug	10.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	11.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	12.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	13.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	14.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	15.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	16.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	17.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	18.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	19.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	20.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	21.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	22.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	23.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	24.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	25.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	26.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	27.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	28.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	29.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	30.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
15th Aug	31.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	00.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	01.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	02.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	03.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	04.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	05.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	06.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	07.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	08.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	09.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	10.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	11.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	12.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	13.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	14.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	15.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	16.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	17.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	18.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	19.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	20.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	21.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	22.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	23.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	24.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	25.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	26.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	27.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	28.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	29.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	30.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5
16th Aug	31.00	SE	3	SE	1.5	SE	1.0	SE	0.5

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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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 14, dated 25th September, 1902, 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.
Proclamations .....	under the Stock Act, 1901, Part IV, Imported Stock .....	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	1902.	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Stock Act of 1901, Part IV, Imported Stock .....	.....	" .....	25 "	" "	
Regulations .....	under the Pastures and Stock Protection Act, 1898 .....	.....	Mr. Crick .....	25 "	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the Department of Lands for the year 1901 .....	.....	Sir John See .....	25 "	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Peak Hill .....	.....	" .....	25 "	" "	
" .....	of the Borough of the Glebe .....	.....	" .....	25 "	" "	
" .....	of the Borough of Balmain .....	.....	Mr. Crick .....	30 "	" "	
Amended Regulations .....	Nos. 17 and 18, also additional Regulations Nos. 27 and 28, under the Blockholders Act.	.....	Sir John See .....	30 "	To be printed.	
Memorandum .....	by Messrs. Delohery and Bridges, Members of the Public Service Board, respecting the inquiry held by them into the case of Mr. James Stephen Inch, Clerk, Registrar-General's Office.	.....				

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
2nd October, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 15, dated 2nd October, 1902, 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.
Correspondence.....	respecting the use of New South Wales timber in blocking streets of Great Britain.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan	1902. 7 October	To be printed.	
Returns .....	relating to works in connection with Railway and Tramway Construction, from 14th September, 1899, to 29th September, 1902.	.....	"	7 "	"	
Report .....	of the Labour Commissioners for the year ended 30th June, 1902	.....	Mr. Waddell	7 "	"	
Return .....	of expenditure from Loan Votes in the Molong Electorate for the year ended 30th June, 1902.	.....	"	7 "	"	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Wellington under the Nuisances Prevention Act, 1897.	.....	"	7 "	Not to be printed.	
Rules .....	of the Supreme Court, in Equity	.....	Sir John See	7 "	"	
Return to an Order .....	"Forbes Gael"	.....	"	7 "	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the Inspector-General of the Insane for the year 1901	.....	"	7 "	"	
Papers .....	respecting extended leave of absence to Mr. Joseph H. Fyne, Draughtsman, Registrar-General's Office.	.....	"	7 "	Not to be printed.	
Bulletins .....	Nos. 16, 18, and B, respecting the Census of New South Wales.....	.....	"	7 "	"	
Return .....	showing number of lives lost in shipping casualties within the jurisdiction of New South Wales, for the years 1892 to 1901, inclusive.	.....	"	7 "	To be printed.	
Return .....	showing receipts for license fees for vans and drivers for corresponding periods 1901 and 1902, &c.	.....	"	7 "	Not to be printed.	
Statement .....	of Unpaid Accounts rendered during the year 1901-2, and of Revenue and Receipts which had not reached the Treasury on 30th June, 1902.	.....	Mr. Waddell	8 "	To be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to Public Purposes under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Bennett	8 "	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889, and the Public Trusts Act, 1897.	.....	"	8 "	"	
Schedule .....	of Leases issued under the Western Lands Act, 1901.	.....	"	8 "	To be printed.	
By-law .....	of the Borough of Botany.....	.....	Sir John See	8 "	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Inverell.....	.....	"	8 "	"	
By-laws .....	of the Borough of Plattsburg.....	.....	"	8 "	"	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
9th October, 1902.

JAMES GORMLEY,  
Chairman.

The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that every entry should be clearly documented, including the date, amount, and purpose of the transaction. This ensures transparency and allows for easy reconciliation of accounts.

In the second section, the author outlines the various methods used to collect and analyze data. This includes direct observation, interviews, and the use of specialized software tools. Each method is described in detail, highlighting its strengths and potential limitations.

The third section focuses on the results of the study. It presents a series of tables and graphs that illustrate the key findings. The data shows a clear trend of increasing activity over the period studied, which is supported by the statistical analysis provided.

Finally, the document concludes with a summary of the main points and offers some recommendations for future research. It suggests that further exploration of the underlying factors contributing to the observed trends would be beneficial.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 17.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 16, dated 9th October, 1902, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
List .....	of Officers in the Police Force promoted during 1902.....	.....	Sir John See .....	1902.	9 October .....	To be printed.	
Correspondence.....	with the Victorian Government regarding the diversion of the waters of the Murray River.	.....	" .....	9 "	9 " .....	"	
Statement .....	of balances of Appropriations of 1901-2, written off as savings on 30th June, 1902.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	9 "	9 " .....	"	
Return to an Order .....	"Certificated Mine Managers" .....	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	14 "	14 " .....	"	
Statement .....	showing estimated number of sheep, number of ewes put to rams, and number of lambs marked in each sheep district on the 31st August, 1902, in connection with the autumn lambing return.	.....	" .....	14 "	14 " .....	"	
Report .....	of the Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board for the year ended 30th June, 1902.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	15 "	15 " .....	"	
Return .....	showing the total expenditure on roads, bridges, and ferries in the Metropolitan District proper for 1901-1902.	.....	" .....	15 "	15 " .....	"	
Gazette Notice .....	respecting a tender for a lease, under section 37 of the Crown Lands Act of 1889, of inferior Crown Lands, parish of Bherwerre, Land District of Nowra.	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	15 "	15 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown lands reserved from sale for the preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	15 "	15 " .....	"	
Abstract.....	of alterations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	15 "	15 " .....	"	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	15 "	15 " .....	"	
Return .....	respecting the Eight-hour System on the Railways and Tramways.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	15 "	15 " .....	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.
Further papers .....	respecting dismissal of Mr. James Stephen Inch, clerk, Registrar-General's Office, from the Public Service.	.....	Sir John See .....	1902. 27 August.....	.....	Reported on, on 28th August, 1902; referred back to the Printing Committee for reconsideration 18th October, 1902. Responed for further consideration.
Return .....	respecting cost of Government advertisements since the establishment of the Government Advertising Bureau.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	16 October .....	To be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1900, for widening Victoria-street, Marrickville.	.....	" .....	21 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Statement of Amounts.....	granted by the Government for public works, viz., roads, bridges, and public watering-places, in each electoral district of New South Wales since 23rd July, 1901.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	21 " .....	To be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown lands authorised to be dedicated to public purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	22 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889, and the Public Trusts Act, 1897.	.....	" .....	22 " .....	" "	
Report .....	of Inspector Milne respecting the creep in the Central and South Broken Hill Mines.	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	22 " .....	.....	Postponed for further consideration.
Amended By-law .....	of the University of Sydney.....	.....	Mr. Perry .....	22 " .....	Not to be printed.	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
23rd October, 1902.

S. PHILLIPS,  
Chairman (*pro tem*).

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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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 17, dated 23rd October, 1902, 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.
Further papers .....	respecting dismissal of Mr. James Stephen Inch, Clerk, Registrar-General's Office, from the Public Service.	.....	Sir John See	27 August	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of Inspector Milne, respecting the creep in the Central and South Broken Hill Mines.	.....	Mr. Kidd	22 October	To be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 282, and amended Form No. 75, under the Crown Lands Acts.	.....	Mr. Bennett	28 "	Not to be printed.	Postponed for further consideration.
Return to an Order .....	"Milson Island as site for an Inebriate Asylum"	Mr. E. M. Clark	Sir John See	28 "	Not to be printed.	
Regulation .....	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900	.....	"	28 "	Not to be printed.	
Opinion .....	of the Hon. Edmund Barton, Q.C., Attorney-General, dated 8th December, 1893, respecting the admission of contributors to the Superannuation Account, under Section 57 of the Civil Service Act of 1884.	.....	"	28 "	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the Railway Commissioners on Railways and Tramways for the quarter ended 30th September, 1902.	.....	Mr. Waddell	28 "	"	
Bulletins .....	Nos. 17 and C respecting the Census of New South Wales	.....	Sir John See	29 "	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for Tramway purposes at North Sydney.	.....	Mr. Waddell	29 "	"	
Return .....	showing number of accidents, fatal and otherwise, which have been caused by the trams, from 1st January, 1900, to 30th September, 1902.	.....	"	29 "	To be printed.	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
30th October, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 18, dated 30th October, 1902, 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
Return to an Order.....	“ Milson Island as a site for an Inebriate Asylum ” .....	Mr. E. M. Clark .....	Sir John See .....	1902.	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	respecting Fruit Pests .....	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	28 October .....	To be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for a Public Park at Custerleigh.	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	30    ” .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract .....	of Crown lands authorised to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	” .....	30    ” .....	”	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	” .....	30    ” .....	”	
Return .....	showing number of persons of each of the principal religious denominations employed in the Public Service.	.....	Sir John See .....	4 November .....	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the Chief Engineer Surveyor to the Navigation Department, respecting the condition of the s.s. “ Alowera.”	.....	” .....	4    ” .....	”	
Return .....	respecting Expenditure on Roads in Drummoyne .....	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	4    ” .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the completion of the Woolloomooloo Bay Low-level Drainage .....	.....	Mr. O’Sullivan .....	5    ” .....	”	
Abstract.....	of Crown lands reserved from sale for the preservation of water supply or other public purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	5    ” .....	”	
Abstract .....	of sites for Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	” .....	5    ” .....	”	
Abstract.....	of alterations of designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	” .....	5    ” .....	”	
Abstract.....	of Crown lands authorised to be dedicated to public purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	” .....	5    ” .....	”	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	” .....	5    ” .....	”	
Report .....	of the National Park Trust for the year ended 30th June, 1902.....	.....	Sir John See .....	5    ” .....	To be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of North Illawarra .....	.....	” .....	5    ” .....	Not to be printed.	
By-law .....	of the Borough of Cootamundra .....	.....	” .....	5    ” .....	”	
By-laws .....	of the Borough of Bexley .....	.....	” .....	5    ” .....	”	
Regulation.....	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900.....	.....	” .....	5    ” .....	”	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
6th November, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 20, dated 13th November, 1902, 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.
Papers .....	relating to the supply of Explosives for the year 1901-2 .....	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	1902.	Not to be printed.	
Further Papers.....	respecting case of Major R. Lenchau, late of Bushveldt Carbineers	.....	Sir John See .....	6 November .....	To be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	13 " .....	Not to be printed.	
	Supply of Water at Koornwatha and Grenfell, in connection with	.....		13 " .....		
	the Koornwatha to Grenfell Railway.	.....				
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the	.....		13 " .....		
	Supply of Water at Brewarrina, in connection with the Byrock	.....				
	to Brewarrina Railway.	.....				
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the	.....		13 " .....		
	Drainage of the Liverpool Asylum.	.....				
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the	.....		13 " .....		
	Supply of Water to the town of Ballina.	.....				
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the	.....		13 " .....		
	Supply of Water at Yagobic and Inverell, in connection with the	.....				
	Morces to Inverell Railway.	.....				
Return .....	respecting Bathing at Bondi Beach .....	.....	Sir John See .....	14 " .....		
Papers .....	respecting the offers of sites for proposed Inebriates' Asylum .....	.....	" .....	18 " .....	To be printed.	
By-law .....	of the Municipal District of Kogarah .....	.....	" .....	18 " .....	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Dubbo .....	.....	" .....	18 " .....		
Additional By-laws .....	of the Borough of Albury .....	.....	" .....	18 " .....		
Report .....	respecting discontinuance of the Capitation Fee for Destruction of	.....	" .....	18 " .....		
	Rats in connection with the Bubonic Plague.	.....	" .....			
Minutes .....	&c., relating to the granting of absence, on special sick leave, to	.....	" .....	18 " .....		
	Mr. R. H. Beardmore, clerk, office of the Inspector-General of	.....	" .....			
	Police.	.....				

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Information Returns	respecting the supply of Trucks to move starving stock respecting the appointments by the Lyne and See Governments of Justices of the Peace.	.....	Sir John See	18 November 1902.	To be printed.	
Return	respecting the issue of Railway Season Tickets to Newspaper Proprietors.	.....	Mr. Waddell	18 "	"	
Return	showing amount expended in Government advertisements for five years preceding the establishment of the Advertising Bureau, Government Printing Office.	.....	"	18 "	"	
Minutes, &c.	relating to the granting of absence, on special sick leave, to Mr. Henry Hurvey Dare, Public Works Department.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan	18 "	Not to be printed.	
Abstract	of Alterations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Bennett	19 "	"	
Abstract	of Crown Lands reserved from sale for the preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	"	19 "	"	
Gazette Notice	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain Lands under the Crown Lands Act of 1884 and the Public Trusts Act, 1897.	.....	"	19 "	"	
Return	respecting Fruit Yests	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan	19 "	.....	Postponed for further consideration.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
20th November, 1902.

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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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 21, dated 20th November, 1902, 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.
Return .....	respecting Fruit Pests .....	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	19 November .....	To be printed.	.....
Return .....	respecting Insect Pests and their Parasites .....	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	20 " .....	" .....	.....
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of a Triangle at Gravesend, in connection with the Morée to Inverell Railway .....	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	20 " .....	Not to be printed.	.....
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of a Weir across the Bogan River, at Gongolgon .....	.....	" .....	20 " .....	" .....	.....
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for the construction of Drains at Lillyville .....	.....	" .....	20 " .....	" .....	.....
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for Drainage of the Liverpool Asylum .....	.....	" .....	20 " .....	" .....	.....
By-law .....	of the Municipal District of Mornya .....	.....	Sir John See .....	20 " .....	" .....	.....
Minute .....	by the Minister for Lands, reversing the forfeiture of J. W. Ludwig's Conditional Purchase, No. 95-2, Albury .....	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	20 " .....	" .....	.....
Further Return .....	respecting Insect Pests and their Parasites .....	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	20 " .....	To be printed.	.....
Report .....	respecting refund to Messrs. H. H. Kingsbury and Company in connection with the George-street Electric Tramway .....	.....	Sir John See .....	25 " .....	" .....	.....
By-law .....	of the Municipal District of Berry .....	.....	" .....	25 " .....	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.
Report .....	of the Chief Inspector of Coal Mines on the method of payment and custom in regard to the use of Tokens at certain Collieries near Maitland.	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	1902. 25 November .....	To be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for a Service Reservoir in connection with the Vancluse Water Supply.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	25 .....	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of Murwillumbah.....	.....	Sir John See .....	26 .....	To be printed.	
Return .....	respecting Members of Board of Examiners under the Coal Mines Regulation Act.	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	26 .....	To be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Bennett.....	26 .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, together with Minutes of Evidence, relating to the proposed Railway from Wagga Wagga to Humula.	.....	Mr. McFarlane .....	26 .....	To be printed.	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
27th November, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
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 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 22, dated 27th November, 1902, 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 Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 30th September, 1902.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	28 November .....	Not to be printed.	
Statement .....	of Public Companies' Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 30th September, 1902.	.....	" .....	28 " .....	" .....	
Amended Orders .....	and Regulations for the Glebe Island Abattoirs .....	.....	" .....	2 December .....	To be printed.	
Papers .....	respecting allegations made against the President of the Board of Health in connection with his Report on Lead-poisoning at Broken Hill.	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	2 " .....	" .....	
Report .....	of the Department of Public Works for the year ended 30th June, 1902.	.....	" .....	2 " .....	" .....	Postponed for further consideration.
Return to an Order .....	" Dismissal of W. G. Ley from the Public Works Department." ..	Mr. F. M. Clark .....	" .....	2 " .....	" .....	
Notification .....	of resumption, under the Public Works Act, 1900, of land for a Tank at Crookwell, for Water Supply in connection with the Goulburn to Crookwell Railway.	.....	" .....	2 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Return to an Order .....	" Road Currahubula to Tamworth, Werris Creek, or Duri to Tamworth."	Mr. Levison .....	Mr. Crick .....	3 " .....	" .....	Postponed for further consideration.
Abstract .....	of Crown Lands reserved from sale for the Preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	3 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract .....	of Alterations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	" .....	3 " .....	" .....	
Additional Regulation .....	No. 43A, also form No. 24, under the Rabbit Act, 1901 .....	.....	" .....	3 " .....	" .....	
Return .....	respecting Allowances paid to Jurors attending Coroners' Inquests.	.....	Sir John See .....	3 " .....	To be printed.	
Return to an Order .....	" Officers transferred by the Public Service Board."	.....	" .....	3 " .....	" .....	
Supplementary Report .....	of the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the condition of the s.s. "Balmain."	Mr. Wright .....	" .....	3 " .....	" .....	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
4th December, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 24.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 23, dated 4th December, 1902, 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.
Return to an Order .....	" Dismissal of W. G. Ley from the Public Works Department." ..	Mr. E. M. Clark .....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	1902. 2 December .....	.....	Postponed for further consideration.
Return to an Order .....	" Road Currabubula to Tamworth, Werris Creek, or Duri to Tamworth." ..	Mr. Levien .....	Mr. Crick .....	3 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	Dr Cobb on the status of the question of Parasitising Insect Pests.	.....	Mr. Kidd.....	4 " .....	To be printed.	
Public Service List .....	for the year 1902.	.....	Sir John See .....	4 " .....	"	
Extract .....	from Report of Police Magistrate, Coonamble, dated 17th November, 1902, with regard to certain remarks made in the Legislative Assembly on 30th October, 1902, respecting his action in having stayed at the house of a person who was complainant in a case heard before him, &c.	.....	" .....	4 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Question .....	respecting Appeals under the Arbitration Act.	.....	.....	4 " .....	"	
Return to an Order .....	" Advertising Hoarings, site of Central Railway Station." ..	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick .....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	4 " .....	"	Postponed for further consideration.
By-law .....	of the Borough of Randwick .....	.....	.....	5 " .....	Not to be printed.	
By-law .....	of the Municipal District of Manly .....	.....	Sir John See .....	5 " .....	"	
Statement .....	showing Mortality of State Children and Children in Infants' Homes ..	.....	" .....	5 " .....	To be printed.	
Return .....	showing Value of Fodder imported into New South Wales from countries beyond the Commonwealth from 1st October, 1901, to 30th September, 1902.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	9 " .....	"	
Return .....	showing duty collected on fodder imported into New South Wales from 9th October, 1901, to 30th September, 1902; from 1st to 31st October, 1902; and from 1st to 21st November, 1902.	.....	" .....	9 " .....	"	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Return to an Order Return .....	"Garbage Tip between Wellington and Ocean Streets, Bondi" ..... relating to Expenditure to 30th November, 1902, on the Clarence, Richmond, Tweed, Hastings, Manning, and Macleay Rivers; also, Estimated Annual Expenditure in keeping the channels clean.	Mr. Carroll .....	Mr. Waddell .. Mr. O'Sullivan .....	1902. 9 December .....	To be printed. "	
Return Abstract.....	respecting infectious diseases in stock in New South Wales ..... of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to Public Purposes under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Kidd..... Mr. Hayes .....	10 10	Not to be printed. "	
<i>Gazette</i> Notice .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884, and the Public Trusts Act, 1897.	.....	" .....	10	"	
Return .....	of Customs Revenue, from Duties imposed on Agricultural Products, for November, 1901, and November, 1902.	.....	Sir John See .....	10	To be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act, 1902.....	.....	" .....	10	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	respecting Officials employed by the Public Service Tender Board.....	.....	" .....	10	"	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
11th December, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.

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 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
 NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 25.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 24, dated 11th December, 1902, 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
Return to an Order .....	"Dismissal of W. G. Ley from the Public Works Department" ..	Mr. E. M. Clark .....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	1902. 2 December .....	.....	Postponed for further consideration.
Return to an Order .....	"Advertising Hoardings, site of Central Railway Station" .....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick .....	Mr. McFarlane .....	4 11 .....	To be printed. "	
Report .....	from Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, together with Minutes of Evidence and plan, relating to the proposed Tramway along Abercrombie-street, Redfern, to Erskineville.	.....	.....	.....	.....	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
 Legislative Assembly,  
 16th December, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
 Chairman.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 26.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 25, dated 16th December, 1902, 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
Return to an Order ..... Report .....	" Dismissal of W. G. Ley from the Public Works Department," of the Inter-State Royal Commission on the Conservation and Dis- tribution of the Waters of the Murray River Basin, together with Minutes of Evidence, Appendices, and Plans. and Exhibits in connection with the Mount Kembla Colliery Disaster Inquest.	Mr. E. M. Clark .....	Mr. O'Sullivan Sir John See .....	1902. 2 December .....	Not to be printed. To be printed.	
Depositions .....	Disaster Inquest.	.....	" .....	16 "	"	
Papers .....	respecting Breach of Gaming Laws at Wyalong .....	.....	" .....	16 "	Not to be printed.	
Return to an Order .....	" Molong Cottage Hospital "	Dr. Ross .....	" .....	16 "	"	
Return to an Address .....	" Case of Charles H. Olive, lately tried at Casino "	Mr. Pyers .....	" .....	16 "	"	
Papers .....	in connection with Mr. R. C. Byrnie, J.P., who adjudicated in a case in which he was related to the accused.	.....	" .....	16 "	"	

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly,  
17th December, 1902.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 27.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 26, dated 17th December, 1902, 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 Chief Inspector of Mines respecting the creep in the Central Mine, Broken Hill.	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	1902. 17 December .....	To be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Hillgrove Borough Council, under the Nuisances Prevention Act of 1897.	.....	Mr. Waddell .....	17 " .....	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipal District of North Illawarra, under the Nuisances Prevention Act of 1897.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" "	
By-laws .....	of the Borough of Narabrn, under the Nuisances Prevention Act of 1897.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" "	
Correspondence .....	of the Borough of Newtown, under the Public Health Act of 1902... respecting reciprocity with other States under the Old-age Pensions Act, 1900.	.....	Sir John See .....	17 " .....	To be printed.	
Abstract .....	of Sites for Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Act of 1884.	.....	Mr. Bennett .....	17 " .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract .....	of Crown Lands reserved from sale for the preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Act, of 1884.	.....	" .....	17 " .....	" "	

No. 1 Committee Room,  
Legislative Assembly, 18th December, 1902.

JAMES GORMLY,  
Chairman.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 28.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 17th June, 1902, Votes No. 8, Entry 12, have agreed to report to your Honorable House, in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 27, dated 18th December, 1902, 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.
Return to an Order .....	" Molong Cottage Hospital " .....	Dr. Ross .....	Sir John See .....	1902. 16 December .....	To be printed .....	Reported on, on 17th December, 1902; referred back to the Printing Committee for reconsideration, 18th December, 1902.
Report .....	of the Registrar of Probates and Curator of Intestate Estates .....	.....	" .....	18 "	"	
By-laws .....	respecting the appointment of a Public Trustee .....	.....	" .....	18 "	Not to be printed.	
Bulletin D .....	of the Borough of Willoughby .....	.....	" .....	18 "	"	
	respecting the Census of New South Wales .....	.....	" .....	18 "	"	

Back Library,  
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Report .....	of the completion of the Mosman Sewerage—Third Division .....	.....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	1902. 19 December .....	Not to be printed.	
Paper .....	read by W. A. Smith, Esq., M. Inst. C.E., before the Sydney University Engineering Society, respecting the treatment of drift sand as applied to the Bondi sand-dunes.	.....	" .....	19 " .....	" "	
Return .....	respecting Gold-dredging leases at Nowra .....	.....	Mr. Kidd .....	19 " .....	To be printed.	

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## GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

(COMMISSION APPOINTING SIR HARRY HOLDSWORTH RAWSON, VICE-ADMIRAL IN THE ROYAL NAVY, KNIGHT COMMANDER OF THE MOST HONORABLE ORDER OF THE BATH.)

Presented to Parliament by Command.

Printed under No. 1 Report from Printing Committee, 25 June, 1902.

## NEW SOUTH WALES.

COMMISSION passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, appointing Vice-Admiral SIR HARRY HOLDSWORTH RAWSON, R.N., K.C.B., to be Governor of the State of New South Wales and its Dependencies, in the Commonwealth of Australia.

EDWARD R. *Dated 12th February, 1902.*

EDWARD THE SEVENTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India: To Our Trusty and Well-beloved Sir Harry Holdsworth Rawson, Vice-Admiral in Our Royal Navy, Knight Commander of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Greeting:

We do, by this Our Commission under Our Sign Manual and Signet, appoint you, the said Sir Harry Holdsworth Rawson, to be Our Governor in and over Our State of New South Wales and its Dependencies, in the Commonwealth of Australia, during Our pleasure, with all the powers, rights, privileges, and advantages to the said Office belonging or appertaining. Appointment of Sir H. H. Rawson, K.C.B., to be Governor.

II. And We do hereby authorize, empower, and command you to exercise and perform all and singular the powers and directions contained in certain Letters Patent under the Great Seal of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster, the Twenty-ninth day of October, 1900, constituting the Office of Governor of the State of New South Wales and its Dependencies, or in any other Letters Patent adding to, amending, or substituted for the same, and according to such Orders and Instructions as the Governor of the said State for the time being hath already received or as you may hereafter receive from Us. Recite Letters Patent constituting the Office of Governor.

III. And We do hereby appoint that, as soon as you shall have taken the prescribed Oaths, and have entered upon the duties of your Office, this Our present Commission shall supersede the Commission under the Sign Manual and Signet of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, bearing date the Twenty-ninth day of October, 1900, appointing Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin William, Earl Beauchamp, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, to be Governor in and over the State of New South Wales and its Dependencies. Commission of 20th October, 1900, superseded.

IV. And We do hereby command all and singular Our Officers, Ministers, and loving subjects in Our said State and its Dependencies, and all others whom it may concern, to take due notice hereof, and to give their ready obedience accordingly. Officers, &c., to obey the Governor.

Given at Our Court at Saint James's, this Twelfth day of February, 1902, in the Second year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,  
J. CHAMBERLAIN.

COMMISSION appointing  
SIR HARRY HOLDSWORTH RAWSON, K.C.B.,  
to be Governor of the State of  
NEW SOUTH WALES.



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NEW SOUTH WALES.

STATE GOVERNMENT HOUSE, MACQUARIE-STREET, SYDNEY.  
(RETURN RESPECTING.)

*Printed under No. 7 Report from Printing Committee, 12 August, 1902.*

RETURN to an *Order* made by the Honorable the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, dated 26th June, 1902, That there be laid upon the Table of this House,—

“ All papers, correspondence, &c., relating to the granting of the State Government House in Macquarie-street to the Federal Government for occupation by the Governor-General.”

*(Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.)*

From The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth to  
The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales.

Commonwealth of Australia, Prime Minister,  
Melbourne, 18 June, 1901.

Sir,

I shall be glad if you will kindly take into your early consideration the question of the occupancy of Government House, Sydney, by the Government of the Commonwealth, for the purpose of a residence for His Excellency the Governor-General.

It will probably be necessary to arrange for the occupation of the building and grounds for a term of three or five years, and I shall be pleased to receive any proposals you have to make upon the subject.

The Commonwealth Government will, as a matter of course, maintain the house, offices, grounds, &c., and effect any repairs which may become necessary during the term of occupancy.

I hope to be in Sydney at an early date, and, if you desire it, I shall be very glad to confer with you on the subject, and shall give careful attention to any communication which you may kindly send me meanwhile.

I have, &c.,

EDMUND BARTON.

Submitted.—C.W., 22/6/01. The Government Architect to estimate the rental value upon a capital value basis.—J.S., 16/7/01. The Under Secretary for Public Works.—C.W., P.U.S., B.C., 17/7/01. Government Architect for early report.—J.P., 20/7/01. Mr. Cook.—G.McR., 29/7/01.

The cost value of Government House is recorded as follows:—Land, £450,000; building, £66,500; total, £516,500. In addition to above, the recent permanent improvements have cost £16,000.—£532,500.—A.S.C., 8/8/01. The Principal Assistant Architect. Submitted.—G.McR., 8/8/01.

Please state the rate per acre of valuation of land, and also if the acreage of land now given to the Botanical Gardens has been taken off. What amount is allowed for depreciation of building and furniture?—W.L.V., 21/8/01. Mr. Cook.

The land appears to be valued at the rate of £11,250 per acre, the original block containing 40 acres, and valued at £450,000. Of this original block, about 6 acres has been taken into the Botanical Gardens, leaving the valuation of the balance at £382,500. There has been no allowance made for depreciation of the building, as the building is worth considerably more at the present time, considerable sums of money from revenue in recent years having been spent upon its restoration, than it was when the valuation, £66,500, was recorded in 1892. A valuation of the furniture could be made, but would take some little time. From inquiries I have made I do not think one has as yet.—A. S. Cook, 26/8/01.

## The Government Architect to The Under Secretary for Public Works.

## MINUTE PAPER.

Subject:—Proposed occupancy of Government House, Sydney, by the Governor of the Commonwealth.

26 August, 1901.

I HAVE the honor to report that, in accordance with instructions, I have made an approximate valuation of the Government House property, with a view to arranging terms by the State Government for its occupancy by His Excellency the Governor-General.

The property consists of Government House, erected in freestone, together with the staff cottage and the Denison Garden, the steward's cottage on the northern end of the Domain, the necessary out-buildings, and also the range of stable buildings, situated at the southern end of the Domain.

The Domain, until lately, contained 40 acres of ornamental lands (more or less), but is now contracted to approximately 34 acres, with guard-house and gardener's cottage.

I estimate the present value of the buildings above referred to at £66,000, and I further estimate the furniture and fittings contained therein at £10,000.

The value of the Inner Domain itself, with all its improvements, is somewhat difficult to arrive at, and, if fixed at even an approximate sum, would amount to so large a capital value that to fix a rental upon this, representing an ordinary return, would, no doubt, be altogether prohibitive.

I would, therefore, suggest for consideration the rental to be asked the Federal Government should represent a fair return upon the buildings and furniture, and but merely a nominal acknowledgement for the use of the lands.

I, therefore, submit that a rental should be calculated as follows:—

4 per cent. on £66,000 (buildings)	...	...	...	...	...	£2,640
6    "     £10,000 (furniture)	...	...	...	...	...	600
Nominal rent for use of lands.	...	...	...	...	...	105
Total	...	...	...	...	...	£3,345

In negotiating for this matter it will be necessary to acknowledge that the present building does not contain suitable accommodation for vice-regal entertainments. It may be remembered that the existing ball-room was erected as an integral part of the building so far back as about 1848. Some preparations have already been made for the erection of a new ball-room, and papers will show that the Honorable the Home Secretary has already expressed an opinion upon such a project. In submitting the sketch designs for such a room, also, to His Excellency, Lord Hopetoun expressed to myself the opinion that he should not be expected to entertain in Sydney unless due accommodation for the same was provided him. It may, therefore, be necessary to anticipate that an expenditure of about £19,000 will be necessary for the erection of a new ball-room, &c., upon which a return of 4 per cent. should be expected from the Federal Government in addition to the above rental.

This latter expenditure is comparable in many respects with that recently undertaken by the West Australian Government in connection with the erection of a new ball-room and adjuncts at a cost of about £18,000.

W. L. VERNON.

## Minute by The Under Secretary for Public Works.

28 August, 1901.

I THINK the lines upon which Mr. Vernon has made his estimate are sound, but it appears to me that the lands, which he puts down £105 as the nominal rent for the use of, are worth very much more. I recommend the Federal authorities be communicated with, and that they be offered Government House and premises, including the grounds, at a rental of £4,500 per annum, this sum being made up as follows:—

4 per cent on £66,000 (existing buildings)	...	...	...	...	£2,640
4 per cent. on £19,000 (proposed ball-room, &c.)	...	...	...	...	760
6 per cent. on £10,000 (furniture)	...	...	...	...	600
Nominal rent for use of lands (about 34 acres)	...	...	...	...	500
					£4,500

the Federal Government to maintain the premises in the same condition as they are at the present time.

It must be borne in mind in making this offer that, in order to obtain suitable accommodation for the State Governor, it will be necessary either to purchase another Government House or to lease suitable premises. This will necessarily absorb a portion of the rent to be paid by the Federal Government, but what that amount will be it is difficult at the present juncture to say exactly, and this should be borne in mind when making the offer to the Federal Government.

J. DAVIS.

Approved.—E.W.O'S., 30/8/01. The Principal Under Secretary.—Jno. P. (for U.S.), 31/8/01.

From Captain Wallington, Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor-General,  
to The Principal Under Secretary.

Commonwealth of Australia, Governor-General, 9 August, 1901.

Dear Mr. Critchett Walker,

His Excellency the Governor-General has directed me to write and put before you, for reference to Mr. See, should you consider it expedient to do so, the question of who is to look after the interior apartments of Government House, Sydney, during his residence in the State of Victoria.

At the present time His Excellency is paying two housemaids to do the work, and also giving them board wages, &c.

I do not know what Mr. See's views on this point may be, but it appears to His Excellency that, if the Government were able to see their way to place a housemaid or caretaker in possession during the enforced absence of the Governor-General from the State, Lord Hopetoun would leave one of his to stand by and assist in keeping the house clean and in proper order.

I shall be most grateful for some expression of opinion from you at your convenience.

I am making similar representations to the Government of Victoria.

Yours, &c.,

E. W. WALLINGTON.

Submitted.—C.W., 13/8/01. Note to Mr. Barton, 13/8/01.

From The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales to The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth of Australia.

Dear Mr. Barton,

Chief Secretary's Office, Sydney, 13 August, 1901.

The question having arisen as to who is to look after the interior of Government House, Sydney, during the Governor-General's stay in Victoria, I desire to transmit to you copy of a communication which has been received by the Principal Under Secretary from the Governor-General's Private Secretary on the subject.

As certain properties are to be transferred to the Federal Government, and as this forms part of one of them, it appears to me that this is a matter to be determined by the Federal, and not by the State Government.

I shall be glad, therefore, if you will kindly say whether you concur in my views, and let me have a reply at your earliest convenience.

Yours, &c.,

JOHN SEE.

From The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth to The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales.

Commonwealth of Australia, Department of External Affairs,

Melbourne, 3 September, 1901.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 13th ultimo, on the subject of the care of the interior of the Government House in Sydney during the Governor-General's stay in Victoria, I have the honor to call your attention to my communication of the 18th June last, wherein I asked you to be kind enough to take into your early consideration the general question of the occupancy of Government House, Sydney. May I ask you to be kind enough to furnish me with a reply to that letter at your earliest convenience?

I may add that arrangements are in course of completion for leasing to the Commonwealth the Government House in Melbourne for three years, with the option of two years' extension, at a nominal rent, this Government to maintain the house, offices, grounds, &c., and effect any repairs which may become necessary during the term of occupancy; and on the further condition that on giving up the occupation, the building, offices, grounds, &c., shall be put in the same order and condition as they were placed when occupied by the Governor-General on going in.

I shall be glad if I may have, at an early opportunity, your view of the subject as it affects Government House, Sydney.

I am forwarding, herewith, copies of letters dealing with Government House, Melbourne, for your information.

I have, &c.,

EDMUND BARTON.

[Enclosure No. 1.]

Copy of a letter from The Honorable the Premier of Victoria to The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth.

Sir,

Premier's Office, Melbourne, 8 August, 1901.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th June, relative to the occupancy of Government House, Melbourne, by the Federal Government, for the purpose of a residence for His Excellency the Governor-General.

I desire, in the first place, to express my regret for the delay which has occurred in replying to your letter, which has been caused by the absence and subsequent illness of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works.

The Government will be prepared to allow of Government House being occupied for a term of either three or five years, free of cost to the Federal Government, on the conditions mentioned in your letter, and upon an undertaking also that, on giving up occupation, the building, offices, grounds, &c., shall be put in the same order and condition as they were placed when occupied by the Governor-General on going in.

I have, &c.,

A. J. PEACOCK,

Premier

[Enclosure No. 2.]

Copy of a letter from The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth to The Honorable the Premier of Victoria.

Sir,

Melbourne, 20 August, 1901.

Referring to your letter of the 8th instant, in which you notify that your Government have been kind enough to consent to allow of Government House, Melbourne, being occupied free of cost to the Federal Government for purposes of the Governor-General, on certain conditions, I have the honor to inform you that this Government accept the terms which are laid down in your letter, and I shall be glad if you will be so good as to cause a draft lease to be prepared accordingly and submitted to me. The term of occupancy should be for three years, with the option of two years' extension.

I have, &c.,

EDMUND BARTON.

Submitted.—C.W., 9/9/01. Have a copy of all these papers prepared, and an official letter written offering the whole at a rental value of £4,500 per year, for a period of three or five years.—J.S., 11/9/01.

From

From The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales to The Honorable the Premier of Victoria.

Sir, Chief Secretary's Office, Sydney, 25 November, 1901.  
I have the honor to request that you will be kind enough to apprise me whether the expenses incidental to the maintenance of the Governor-General's residence at Melbourne are borne by your Government.  
I have, &c.,  
JOHN SEE,  
Premier and Chief Secretary.

From The Honorable the Premier of Victoria to The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales.

[No. 6,781.]

Sir, Premier's Office, Melbourne, 17 December, 1901.  
With reference to your letter of the 25th ultimo, asking whether the expenses incidental to the maintenance of the Governor-General's residence here are borne by this Government, I have the honor to inform you that the expenses in question are not borne by the State Government. It is understood that they are to be a charge on the Commonwealth.

I have, &c.,  
A. J. PEACOCK,  
Premier.

The Federal Premier may, perhaps, be asked whether his Government will provide for the caretaker, as is done in Victoria. Submitted.—C.W., 27/12/01. Approved.—J.S., 7/1/02. Letter to Federal Premier, 13th January, 1902.

From The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales to The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth.

Sir, Chief Secretary's Office, Sydney, 13 January, 1902.  
The Government Architect having reported that, in his opinion, it is necessary to secure the services of a caretaker in connection with Government House, Sydney, I have the honor to request that you will be kind enough to advise me whether your Government contemplate making provision for such appointment.  
I have, &c.,  
JOHN SEE,  
Premier and Chief Secretary.

From The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth to The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales.

Sir, Department of External Affairs, Melbourne, 19 February, 1902.  
With respect to your letter of the 13th ultimo, referring to the question of the engagement of a caretaker for Government House, Sydney, I shall be much obliged if you will be so good as to favour me with an answer to my letters of the 18th June and 3rd September of last year regarding the occupancy of Government House, Sydney, by His Excellency the Governor-General.

I have, &c.,  
EDMUND BARTON.

Submitted.—C.W., 24/2/02.

From The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales to The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth.

Sir, Chief Secretary's Office, Sydney, 4 March, 1902.  
I have the honor to append, for the consideration of your Government, correspondence having reference to certain projected alterations and additions to Government House, Sydney.  
I have, &c.,  
JOHN SEE,  
Premier and Chief Secretary.

Telegram from The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales to The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth.

6 March, 1902.  
A REQUISITION has been sent to this Government for repairs and alterations at Government House here, which will amount to three fifty pounds. As the House has now been handed over to the Federal Government, I shall be glad to know if we are to undertake the repairs, and, if so, whether the amount will be recouped to this Government. As I understand His Excellency Lord Hopetoun wishes the work commenced at once in order to make his stay in Sydney comfortable, I shall be glad of an early reply.

JOHN SEE,  
Premier and Chief Secretary.

Telegram

Telegram from The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth to  
The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales.

13 March, 1902.

REPLYING to your telegram 6th instant, and your letter 4th, *re* Government House, I would remind you that I have had no reply to my letters 18th June and 3rd September last and 19th February this year. Government House, Sydney, has never actually been handed over to this Government; but if you agree to the suggestion made in my letter, 18th June last, and will so inform me, I shall be happy to arrange to have matters dealt with immediately. Will you please forward requisition referred to in your telegram?

EDMUND BARTON,  
Prime Minister.

Submitted.—C.W., 14/3/02.

From The Honorable the Premier of Victoria to The Honorable the Premier of  
New South Wales.

[No. 1,705.]

Sir,

Premier's Office, Melbourne, 25 March, 1902.

In continuation of my letter of the 14th January, No. 173, respecting the basis upon which expenses incidental to the maintenance of the Governor-General's residence are charged to the Commonwealth, I have now the honor to inform you that it has been arranged that this Government will allow of Government House being occupied, for the purposes of the Governor-General, for a term of three years (with the option of two years' extension) free of cost to the Federal Government; and, in consideration of this, the latter will maintain the house, offices, grounds, &c., and effect any repairs which may become necessary during the term of occupancy; and also, on giving up occupation, put the building, offices, grounds, &c., in the same order and condition as they were placed when first occupied by the Governor-General.

I have, &c.,  
A. J. PEACOCK,  
Premier.

Submitted.—C.W., 26/3/02.

Telegram from The Secretary, Department of External Affairs, Melbourne, to The  
Principal Under Secretary, Sydney.

25 March, 1902.

WILL you expedite decision of question *re* lease on Government House, Sydney, to the Federal Government, if possible?

ATLEE HUNT,  
Secretary, External Affairs.

All papers herewith submitted.—C.W., 26/3/02.

Occupancy of Government House, Sydney, by His Excellency the Governor-  
General.

On the 18th June, 1901, the Right Honorable the Federal Prime Minister brought under notice the question of the occupancy of Government House, Sydney, by the Governor of the Commonwealth as a residence for His Excellency the Governor-General.

In his communication Mr. Barton states that the Federal Government will maintain the house, offices, grounds, &c., and effect any necessary repairs during the term of occupancy, which will probably be for a term of three or five years, and should be pleased to receive any proposal which this Government may have to make on the subject.

A statement has been prepared by the Public Works authorities regarding the proposed rent, which is set down at £4,500 per annum; and it is recommended that the house and premises, including the grounds, be offered to the Federal Government on these terms.

In a further communication, dated the 3rd September last, Mr. Barton urged an early consideration of the question, and stated that arrangements were in course of completion for leasing to the Commonwealth the Government House in Melbourne for three years, with the option of two years' extension, at a nominal rent, the Federal Government to maintain the house, offices, grounds, &c., and effect any necessary repairs during the occupancy, and on further condition that, upon giving up occupation, the building, &c., shall be put in the same order and condition as on entry by the Governor-General.

It was decided that the matter should be submitted to the Cabinet of this State before a decision could be communicated to the Federal Prime Minister; but, from the papers, a decision does not appear to have been arrived at.

A telegram was despatched to Mr. Barton on the 6th instant, intimating that certain repairs and alterations were necessary at Government House here, and asking whether this Government are to undertake the repairs; and, if so, whether the amount will be recouped by the Commonwealth Government; the cost is estimated at £350. In reply to this telegram, Mr. Barton intimates that Government House, Sydney, has never been actually handed over to the Commonwealth; but if this Government agree to the suggestion contained in his letter of the 18th June last, referred to above, and inform him, he will be happy to deal with the matter immediately. He asks that a requisition for the repairs mentioned may be forwarded to him. The papers also deal with the appointment of a caretaker for the premises; but nothing appears to have been definitely settled.

C.W., 15/3/02.

Cabinet.—J.S., 26/3/02. The Cabinet decided this day to allow the occupancy of Government House upon the same terms as the State Government of Victoria has offered.—J.S., 27/3/02. Letter to Federal Premier, 2/4/02.

From The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales to The Right Honorable  
the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth.

Sir,

Chief Secretary's Office, Sydney, 2 April, 1902.

In continuation of previous correspondence, I have now the honor to inform you that this Government is agreeable to place Government House, Sydney, at the disposal of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Commonwealth upon the same terms and conditions as those offered by the Government of Victoria in respect to the vice-regal residence at Melbourne.

I have, &c.,

JOHN SEE,

Premier and Chief Secretary.

From The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth to The  
Honorable the Premier of New South Wales.

Sir,

Department of External Affairs, Melbourne, 11 April, 1902.

I have the honor to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant, intimating that your Government are agreeable to place Government House, Sydney, at the disposal of His Excellency the Governor-General, upon the same terms and conditions as those offered by the Government of Victoria in respect of the vice-regal residence in Melbourne.

I have, &c.,

EDMUND BARTON.

The Under Secretary for Public Works.—C.W., P.U.S., B.C., 17/4/02. Seen—Mr. Vernon to note.—J.D., 21/4/02. Please peruse and prepare *procès* for retention in this office.—W.L.V., 24/4/02. Mr. Cook.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

**PARLIAMENTARY BUILDINGS, SYDNEY.**

(RETURN OF EXPENDITURE ON, FROM 1ST JANUARY, 1891, TO 30TH JUNE, 1902.)

*Printed under No. 3 Report from Printing Committee, 10 July, 1902.*

*[Return prepared in fulfilment of a promise made on the 9th July, 1902, in reply to a Question of the Honorable Member for Rylstone.]*

RETURN of Expenditure on the Parliamentary Buildings from 1st January, 1891, to 30th June, 1902.

Year.	Additions and Repairs.		Furniture.		Total.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
1891 ... ..	1,428	5 5	1,027	9 9	2,455	15 2
1892 ... ..	14,424	1 3	1,690	17 4	16,114	18 7
1893 ... ..	913	9 11	528	8 6	1,441	18 5
1st Jan., 1894, to 30th June, 1895	1,557	15 5	264	5 8	1,822	1 1
1895-6 ... ..	961	0 2	353	14 10	1,314	15 0
1896-7 ... ..	391	6 6	133	3 11	524	10 5
1897-8 ... ..	429	17 7	509	17 9	939	15 4
1898-9 ... ..	789	10 5	108	6 2	897	16 7
1899-1900 ... ..	1,694	13 3	41	8 1	1,736	1 4
1900-1 ... ..	3,221	3 11	626	2 0	3,847	5 11
1901-2 ... ..	3,640	12 0	172	17 10	3,813	9 10
	£29,451	15 10	5,456	11 10	34,908	7 8

Department of Public Works, Accounts Branch,  
Sydney, 9th July, 1902.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

REDUCTION OF MEMBERS—LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

(PETITION FROM RESIDENTS OF EPPING, CARLINGFORD, AND MARSFIELD, PRAYING FOR THE PASSING OF MEASURES IN FAVOUR OF.)

*Received by the Legislative Assembly, 29 July, 1902.*

To the Honorable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly for the State of New South Wales in Parliament assembled.

The Petition of the Epping Progress Association and others present at a public meeting at Epping, on the sixth day of May, and of others whose signatures are subscribed hereto, being the electors of the said district of Epping,—

HUMBLY SHOWETH:—

Your Petitioners entreat the Members of your Assembly to keep faith with your constituents by bringing about the reduction in Members and expenditure on Local Government, which was promised as a necessary concomitant of Federation. The number of Members of the State Parliament continues to subsist at one hundred and twenty-five, the number existing at the initiation of Federation.

On a reference to the Constitution, it will be observed how many subjects are removed from the purview of the State Parliament, and invested exclusively or concurrently in the Federal Parliament.

There is therefore only the question of Local Government to be considered, and your Petitioners confidently submit that, by a judicious Municipal or Local Government Bill, the obligations incumbent upon the intermediary Member might be transferred to local governing bodies endowed for the purpose of representing the local wants of the outlying districts.

We earnestly pray for the passing of measures to reduce the number of Members and the expenditure on Local Government, and so relieve the taxpayer.

And your Petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray, &c.

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(SUMMARY OF INFORMATION RESPECTING, AND PHOTOGRAPHIC VIEWS OF.)

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Preface.

THE accompanying summary of information respecting the Sites which have been suggested for the Federal City has been compiled with a view to placing the salient features of each in such a manner as to render a comparison of statistics, etc., easy.

I have thought it advisable to append a map of the State of New South Wales, showing the 100 miles radius and position of the Sites, together with a reference giving the distances from various State Capitals. The photographic views, such as I have been able to obtain from the neighbourhood of most of the Proposed Sites, will serve to convey an idea of the surroundings and nature of the country.

The summary has been restricted to facts which have been obtained from the most reliable sources.

The probable result of inspection by Honorable Members will have the effect of reducing the list of Sites for further consideration, when further expert and detailed information will be obtained.

WILLIAM JOHN LYNE,  
Minister for Home Affairs

Melbourne, 19 February, 1902.

Distance in Miles.

SITE.	TO SYDNEY.	TO MELBOURNE.	TO ADELAIDE.	TO BRISBANE. *
1. Albury .....	386	190	673	1,109
2. Bathurst .....	145	488	971	868
3. Bombala, <i>via</i> Cooma (rail and coach) .....	325	634	1,117	1,048
4. Braidwood, <i>via</i> Tarago (rail and coach) .....	188	496	979	910
5. Carcoar-Garland, <i>via</i> Carcoar (rail and coach) .....	189	444	926	912
6. Cootamundra .....	253	323	806	976
7. Forest Reefs and Calvert, <i>via</i> Millthorpe .....	180	469	951	904
8. Goulburn .....	134	443	924	857
9. Orange or Canobolas .....	192	481	963	915
10. Queanbeyan .....	194	502	985	917
11. Tumut, <i>via</i> Gundagai (rail and coach) .....	310	380	863	1,033
12. Wagga Wagga .....	309	267	750	1,033
13. Wellington .....	248	537	1,020	971
14. Yass .....	193	395	878	909
15. Lake George .....	175	484	965	900

\* For the purposes of comparison, the distances by rail only between Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, and Adelaide have been adopted.

NAME OF SITE.	ACCESSIBILITY.	CLIMATE.	ALTITUDE.	RAINFALL.
<b>Albury</b> . . . .	On Main trunk Railway— Miles. Sydney . . . . . 386 Melbourne . . . . . 190½ Adelaide . . . . . 673 Brisbane . . . . . 1,109 Hobart . . . . . 670 Perth . . . . . 2,063 and can be reached by the River Murray, which is navigable for greater part of the year.	Mean Temperature— ° Summer quarter 77·1 Autumn „ 53·7 Winter „ 51·3 Spring „ 66·9  Dry heat. Used as health resort.	700 feet above sea level; 15 to 20 miles away, 1,500 to 2,000 feet can be obtained.	Mean annual rainfall, 28·82 inches for a period of 35 years.
<b>Bathurst</b> . . . .	On Main Western Railway— Miles. Sydney . . . . . 145 Brisbane . . . . . 868 (via Sydney.) Melbourne . . . . . 488 (via Harden.) Adelaide . . . . . 971 Hobart . . . . . 775 (via Sydney.) Do . . . . . 968 (via Melbourne.) Perth . . . . . 2,360	Mean Temperature— ° Summer quarter 84·75 Autumn „ 63·75 Winter „ 61·50 Spring „ 83·50  Dry and bracing.	2,200 feet . . . . .	Average for 40 years, 24½ inches.
<b>Bombala-Eden</b> . . . .	Southern Monaro, 60 miles from Cooma— Miles. <i>By Rail and Coach—</i> Sydney . . . . . 325 Melbourne . . . . . 634 Melbourne . . . . . 330 (via Bairnsdale.) <i>By Land—</i> Adelaide . . . . . 1,117 Brisbane . . . . . 1,048 <i>By Water—</i> Adelaide . . . . . 900 Brisbane . . . . . 793 Hobart . . . . . 360 <i>By Land and Water—</i> Hobart . . . . . 420 Perth . . . . . 2,507	Mean Temperature— ° Spring quarter 55·6 Summer „ 66·1 Autumn „ 56·1 Winter „ 43·6	Max. . . . . 2,800 Min. . . . . 2,250 Mean . . . . . 2,400	Average for 10 years, 29 inches.
<b>Braidwood</b> . . . .	30 miles from Tarago Railway Station, on the Goulburn-Cooma railway— Miles. <i>By Rail and Coach—</i> Sydney . . . . . 188 Melbourne . . . . . 496 Adelaide . . . . . 979 Perth . . . . . 2,369 Brisbane . . . . . 910 <i>By Rail and Steamer—</i> Brisbane . . . . . 687 Hobart . . . . . 825	Mean temperature— ° Summer quarter 66·8 Autumn „ 49·9 Winter „ 46·2 Spring „ 64·1	2,200 feet above sea level.	28·90 inches...
<b>Carcoar-Garland</b> . . . .	On Railway line— Miles. Sydney . . . . . 189 Melbourne . . . . . 444 Adelaide . . . . . 926 Perth . . . . . 2,316 (if the railway line is laid between Port Augusta and Kalgoorlie.) Brisbane . . . . . 912 Hobart . . . . . 820	Mean temperature— ° Summer quarter 67·5 Autumn „ 48·6 Winter „ 44·4 Spring „ 61·7	2,270 feet . . . . .	39 inches . . . . .
<b>Cootamundra</b> . . . .	On Main South-western trunk Railway— Miles. Sydney . . . . . 253 Melbourne . . . . . 323 Brisbane . . . . . 976 Adelaide . . . . . 806 Perth . . . . . 2,196 Hobart . . . . . 693	Mean temperature— ° Summer quarter 72·4 Autumn „ 51·9 Winter „ 47·9 Spring „ 67·3	1,082 feet . . . . .	25·65 inches...
<b>Forest Reefs and Calvert</b> (Millthorpe)	On Main Western Railway— Miles. Sydney . . . . . 180 Melbourne . . . . . 469 Adelaide . . . . . 951 Brisbane . . . . . 904 but the proposed Werris Creek railway will reduce the travelling to 700 miles. Perth . . . . . 2,341	Climate similar to Orange or Canobolas.	Max., 3,500 feet; Railway Station, 3,131 feet.	33·47 inches...

## Capital Sites.

WATER SUPPLY.	DRAINAGE.	SUPPLY OF BUILDING MATERIAL.	OWNERSHIP OF LAND.
Abundant and permanent supply in River Murray. A pumping scheme would be necessary. It is asserted a gravitation scheme from Mitta Mitta, in Victoria, is possible.	Good facilities, surface formation being favourable.	Granite of good quality and in unlimited quantity; useful freestone; excellent clay for brickmaking; timber—red gum, blue gum, box, pine, mountain ash, and stringybark said to exist in close proximity. Lime is obtainable from limestone at a distance of about 20 miles. Experience was, heavy buildings could be erected with safety.	Alienated land, 50,200 acres, valued (improved) at £452,980. Crown lands, 13,800 acres.
Ample supply from Campbell's River; catchment very good, storage very good, but on a partial gravitation scheme; full gravitation scheme could be obtained from Wallbrook, 27 miles away. Other sources available.	Facilities said to be good.	Excellent granite available; basalt plentiful; no freestone; timber supply meagre; best of clay for brickmaking available. Good foundations for heaviest buildings obtainable. Slate good enough for flagging.	Crown lands, 1,421 acres, exclusive of park lands. Aggregate value of improved land within municipal boundaries estimated at £913,184; unimproved land, £18,263.
A good supply of pure water can be supplied from the Delegate River, which is the best source of supply. Lord's Hill would make an excellent Storage Site for a gravitation scheme; other supplies would augment the Delegate supply.	The trend of the country affords excellent natural facilities—there is also a porous loam which is absorbent.	Unlimited quantities of good building stone—granite, sandstone, freestone, slate, and limestone, also clay for brickmaking; timber, abundant and varied.	Alienated, 74,000 acres; Crown lands 5,000 acres. The estimated value is from £1 10s. to £5 or £7 per acre. The value of land within municipal boundaries is £72,665.
Supply abundant. A pumping scheme would be necessary with a large population.	Natural facilities...	An excellent supply of granite; abundance of freestone within 30 miles; limestone within 14 miles; good clay for bricks, sand, and lime are within the area; timber consists of mountain gum, messmate, mountain ash, sassafras, blackwood, plum-tree, ironbark, spotted and blue gum, stringybark, &c.	Crown lands, including reserves, embrace 1,000 acres. 63,000 acres have been alienated.
Supply is excellent. Coombing Rivulet, Brown's Creek, and the Belubula River are sites for supplying Water Conservation.	A good natural drainage	Building materials, such as granite, marble, limestone, basalt, clay for brickmaking, are available on the site. Timber would be obtained principally from Sydney, and fair hardwood could be procured from the country to the south.	Crown land, including church and schools estate, reserves, &c., equal 12,500 acres. About 51,000 acres alienated. Value of private lands, improved and unimproved, town, suburban, and country, £185,000.
Supply expensive. Distant about 40 miles from Cootamundra.	Well favoured, being on the watershed of the Lachlan River.	Granite and a good rubble material; there is slate and limestone at Galong, &c.; clay for bricks; ironbark, red gum, stringybark, white box, and pine; also mountain ash and messmate on the Tumut Ranges.	The improved value of lands within the municipal area is £254,000, the waterworks costing £30,000, gasworks £11,000. The average value of improved land outside of the municipality is £5 per acre; but there is some rough land, not worth more than 10s. to 20s. per acre.
A supply of sufficient water could be obtained from Flyer's, Brown's, and Slattery Creeks by means of a weir and reservoir.	Easy, being towards streams flowing south.	Limestone, marble, freestone, basalt, slate, and gravel in abundance; the clay is good for bricks; timber is poor, except hardwood.	There are 50,640 acres of church and school land and 31,360 acres alienated. No Crown land. The cost of resuming would be £251,488.
Soil and climate unsurpassed. Breadstuffs and potatoes, the average wheat being 20 bushels to an acre; oat crop, 30 to 40 bushels. Root crops thrive well, also all English fruits.			

## Proposed Federal

NAME OF SITE.	ACCESSIBILITY.	CLIMATE.	ALTITUDE.	RAINFALL.
<b>Goulburn.</b>	On Intercolonial Southern trunk line— Miles. Sydney ... .. 134 (junctions with the Cooma line.) Melbourne ... .. 443 Adelaide ... .. 924 Perth ... .. 2,314 Hobart ... .. 890 Brisbane ... .. 857	Mean temperature— ° Spring quarter 57·6 Summer „ 68·3 Autumn „ 57·1 Winter „ 45·0	2,295 feet	25·76 inches...
<b>Orange or Canobolas</b>	On Main Western Railway— Miles. Sydney ... .. 192 Melbourne ... .. 481 Adelaide ... .. 963 Brisbane ... .. 915 Hobart ... .. 818 Perth ... .. 2,353	Mean summer temperature, 63 degrees; during the other months, 46 degrees.	3,000 feet; the Canobolas Mountain Peak, 4,500 feet.	39½ inches
<b>Queanbeyan</b>	On Cooma branch of Main Southern trunk line— Miles. Sydney ... .. 194 Melbourne ... .. 502 Adelaide ... .. 985 Hobart ... .. 660 Brisbane ... .. 917 Perth ... .. 2,375	Mean temperature— ° Summer quarter 68·9 Autumn „ 50·0 Winter „ 46·0 Spring „ 63·7	2,350 feet	23·55 inches...
<b>Tumut</b>	On a Coach Road, 21 miles south of Gundagai railway terminus— Miles. Sydney ... .. 310 Melbourne ... .. 380 Adelaide ... .. 863 Brisbane ... .. 1,033 Perth ... .. 2,253	Average. ° Highest summer 90·0 Lowest „ 60·0 Highest autumn 70·0 Lowest „ 40·0	1,300 feet	33 inches
<b>Wagga Wagga.</b>	On Great Southern Railway and Main Road from Sydney to Melbourne— Miles. Sydney ... .. 309 Melbourne ... .. 267 Brisbane ... .. 1,033 Hobart ... .. 637 Adelaide ... .. 750 Perth ... .. 2,140	Average temperature— ° First quarter .. 74·2 Second „ .. 53·1 Third „ .. 49·5 Fourth „ .. 67·9	710 feet	22·94 inches...
<b>Wellington</b>	On Main Western Railway line— Miles. Sydney ... .. 248 Melbourne ... .. 537½ Adelaide ... .. 1,020½ Brisbane ... .. 971 Perth ... .. 2,410	Mean temperature— ° Summer quarter 73·3 Autumn „ 55·3 Winter „ 49·7 Spring „ 68·0	1,200 feet	Nearly 25 inches
<b>Yass</b>	On Southern trunk Railway line— Miles. Sydney ... .. 193 Melbourne ... .. 395 Adelaide ... .. 878 Brisbane ... .. 909 Perth ... .. 2,268	Mean temperature— ° Summer quarter 69·9 Autumn „ 52·6 Winter „ 55·2 Spring „ 64·4	1,800 feet	24·20 inches...
<b>Lake George</b>	On Goulburn-Cooma Railway line, 41 miles from Goulburn— Miles. Sydney ... .. 175 Melbourne ... .. 484 (could be shortened by 53 miles.) Adelaide ... .. 965 Brisbane ... .. 900 Hobart ... .. 940 Perth ... .. 2,355	Mean temperature— ° Summer quarter 68·3 Autumn „ 57·0 Winter „ 45·0 Spring „ 57·6	From 2,200 feet to 3,000.	25·76 inches...

Capital Sites—*continued.*

WATER SUPPLY.	DRAINAGE.	SUPPLY OF BUILDING MATERIAL.	OWNERSHIP OF LAND.
The resident witnesses were of opinion that an abundant supply was obtainable. Mr. Blomfield's opinion was not so favourable.	The contour of the Site is favourable.	Marble, granite, limestone and flagging slate, sandstone near material for cement; clay for bricks; all building material can be cheaply and quickly obtained from Sydney; timber for practical purposes may be disregarded.	61,750 acres are private land; 2,250 acres Crown lands and reserves.
Well watered by springs, and by Gosling, Brandy, Spring, Summerhill, Blackman's Swamp, Sportsman's, Molong, and Heifer Station Creeks.	Can be effected from any part of the Site.	Basalt, limestone, marble, slate, white granite, clay for bricks abundant; Cypress pine from Parkes; ironbark from Dubbo; mountain ash, stringybark, and box from the district.	10,800 acres of Crown lands. The valuation of the improved lands within and without the municipality is £1,020,000.
Soil principally red volcanic, varying in quality: particularly adapted to the growth of English fruits. Currants, raspberries, strawberries, orchard trees, table grapes, vegetables, and all hardy plants thrive luxuriantly.			
Three possible sources of supply—the Cotter, the Murrumbidgee, and the Queanbeyan Rivers.	Naturally good ... ..	Freestone of good quality; granite is plentiful; an unlimited supply of limestone at the junction of the Cotter and Murrumbidgee Rivers; plenty of shingle and clean, sharp, river sand, and abundance of clay for brickmaking; yellow and red box, stringybark, messmate, and mountain ash.	Only 949 acres of Crown land, including church and school lands, reserves, &c. Value of private lands, with improvements, £157,000.
The grasses are remarkably fattening, and grazing is at present the most lucrative industry. English fruits abound, and wine has been made in the district.			
The Tumut River, which is a strong permanent running stream, would provide an ample supply. There are three Collecting Areas—the Tumut, Adelong, and Sandy Creeks.	The physical conformation of the country is very favourable.	Blue granite, limestone, marble, and slate; good clay for brickmaking; sand and gravel; ironbark, pine, box, mountain ash, messmate, and urabbi.	41,800 acres of private land, valued at £322,000. Crown lands include 21,500 acres.
The alluvial land is eminently suited for the growth of tobacco, maize, hops, fruit, and vegetables. Failure of crops in the district has never been known.			
The Murrumbidgee River, pumping therefrom.	The facilities are great, as the Valleys between the undulations run or trend westerly.	Boulder granite, metamorphic slate, with level beddings and smooth faces, suitable for rubble; limestone of excellent quality is abundant in and about Wagga Wagga; good earth for bricks; the local timber is somewhat limited in quantity, and consists of colonial pine and river gum.	92,000 acres of the proposed site are private lands, which together are valued at £962,560.
The Macquarie River is the chief source of supply.	The trend is to the west and south-west; the natural drainage is good.	Sandstone and basalt within a few miles of Wellington; abundant limestone, including marble, granite and fireclay; excellent clay for brickmaking; good sandstone.	
An abundant supply can be obtained from the Murrumbidgee River.	The proposed Site would be favourable.	Sandstone, fit for building purposes; marble of exceptional quality exists in unlimited quantities; limestone is found in large quantities all over the area.	
The Molonglo, Queanbeyan, Bredbo, Umaratta, Murrumbidgee, and Snowy Rivers.	The physical features render the Site peculiarly favourable for the disposal of stormwaters and the treatment of sewage matter.	Sandstone schists, used in local buildings; granite, red and dark-grey marbles, limestone, stiff clay, sand, gravel.	Deep alluvial; 110,000 acres of some of the finest agricultural land in the State.

### Rylstone.

This site was not specially inspected for the purposes of the Commission. The map of the Rylstone Site, forwarded with the Report, does not show the position of the Capital Site within the Territory Site; but even if it be admitted that a fairly suitable building site could be found in the neighbourhood of the township of Rylstone, and that, at some expense, a fair water supply from the Cudgegong River, or Cox's Creek, could be obtained, also that the Rylstone sandstone might furnish good stone for building purposes, still Rylstone has no claims on the score of accessibility, being situated 53 miles off the Main Western Railway, on the Wallerawang-Mudgee Line; or for the general fertility of a soil derived from formations partly sandstone, partly granitic; or for its capacity to support a large population; or for facilities in view of the enlargement of its area if more room is required for Commonwealth purposes. I would, nevertheless, have made an effort to specially inspect the Rylstone Site, even at the eleventh hour, but, on consideration, it appeared to be impossible to bring Rylstone into competition with several Western Sites; and, like Bathurst, though not in so great a degree, the Rylstone Site is intersected by the 100-mile arc.

### Corowa.

As Corowa Railway Station is about 30 feet lower than that of Albury, and the Site inspected presented no features of superiority over the Albury Site, and, as it could not be assumed that a site lying lower down the same river (the Murray) could have a better climate than one lying some miles higher up, the reasons for rejecting Albury were reasons for rejecting Corowa. An additional reason was that Corowa is situated at the terminus of the Branch Line Culcairn to Corowa, and, as compared with Albury, is less conveniently located on the line of direct communication between New South Wales and Victoria.

### Howlong.

Howlong Site, situate between Corowa and Albury, was cursorily examined, but not officially inspected, being open to the same objection as Corowa.

### Bemboka, Delegate, and Buckley's Crossing.

*Bemboka*, near the head of the Bega River, possesses only the altitude, and, with it, the climate of the Foot Hills of the Coast Range, and is in other respects unsuitable. That Site may be disregarded.

*Delegate*, near the Victorian Border, does not come into competition with the other Sites, inasmuch as its promoters may be said to have practically retired in favour of Bombala-Eden.

No public inquiry was held at *Buckley's Crossing*; but although, in regard to water resources, position, character of country, and climate, that Site had much to recommend it, yet it lacked those special features which the neighbour Site of Southern Monaro possessed, and suggested a modified incorporation with that neighbour rather than independent competition. Such incorporation, it will be seen, has been suggested. (See plan and description of boundaries of Southern Monaro Extension Site, marked S in Appendix.)

### Tumbarumba, Bowna, Hay, and Wentworth.

The four Sites specified above do not seem to require inspection, as my knowledge of the country proposed for the Federal Territory by their advocates made further examination unnecessary. *Hay* and *Wentworth* are within the hot zone, and were unsuitable in other respects. *Tumbarumba* was more inaccessible than Tumut, and more circumscribed in area; and *Bowna* (submitted too late for inspection) was in no better position than Albury. These Sites were, therefore, rejected without special inspection.

### Bombala.

The Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works for the State of New South Wales, when reporting upon the Railway from Cooma, *via* Nimitybelle and Bombala, to Delegate, stated that the proposed Railway, as a through line from Sydney to Melbourne, is not favourably viewed by either the Engineer-in-Chief for Railway Construction or the Railway Commissioners. The Engineer-in-Chief reports that, as a "through," it could never be made shorter than the existing one; the grades upon it would be much heavier than on the present line, especially on the Victorian side.

The Railway Commissioners think there is absolutely nothing in the idea of the line serving as a line from Sydney to Melbourne. It would be 79 miles longer than the existing Albury line—(the actual distance by rail from Sydney to Melbourne, *via* Albury, is 577 miles; from Sydney to Melbourne, *via* Cooma and Bairnsdale, is 648 miles); it would be a much more difficult line to run over; and an express service could not be carried on in connection with it.

In considering the question, the Committee resolved to recommend that the railway be extended from Cooma to Bombala (only) *via* Nimitybelle; the railway not to go beyond Bombala. The estimated cost of railway line from Cooma to Bombala, *via* Nimitybelle, is £386,031. The cost of railway construction from Bombala to Eden, and Eden Station to Jetty, £1,319,263.

### Junee.

Junee is open to grave objection on the score of both water resources and climate. The only possible water supply for Junee is by pumping from the Murrumbidgee. The lift will be from 500 to 600 feet, and the distance about 20 miles. Junee, therefore, has been rejected, and, for the same reasons, Cootamundra and Murrumburrah.

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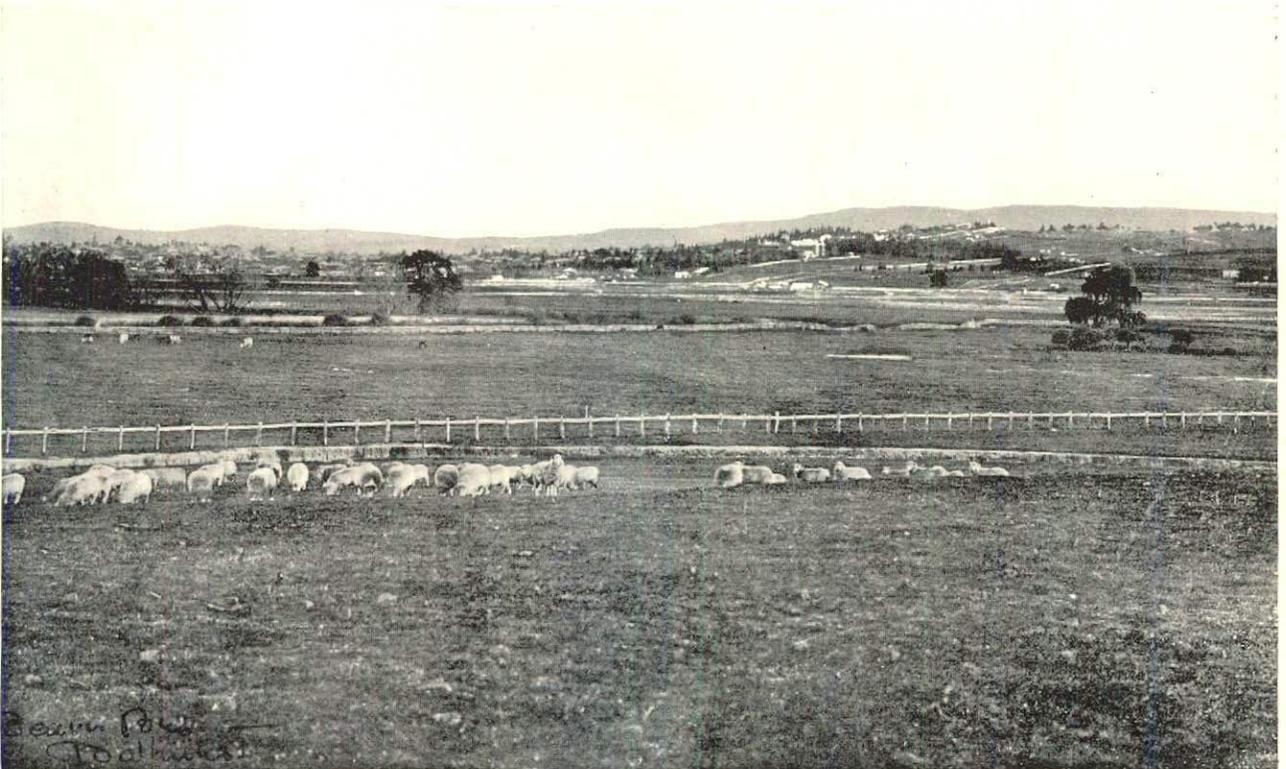
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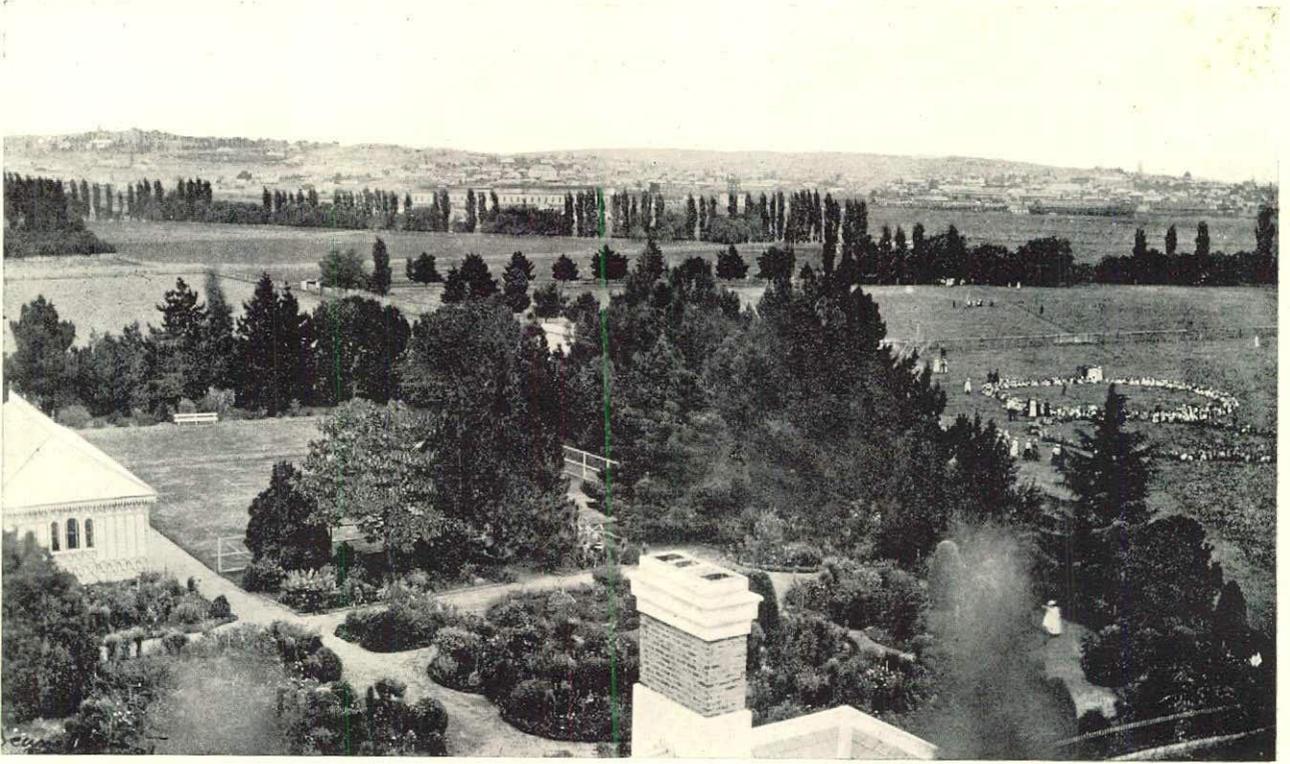
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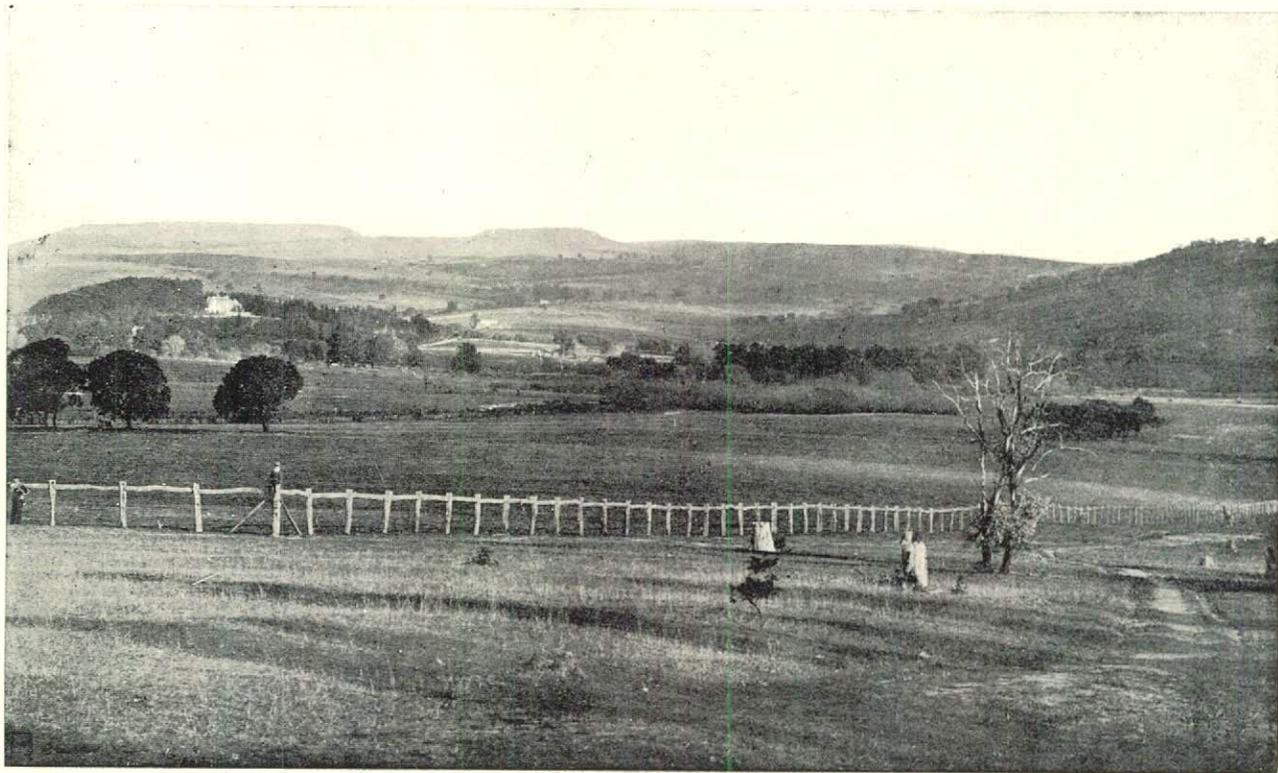
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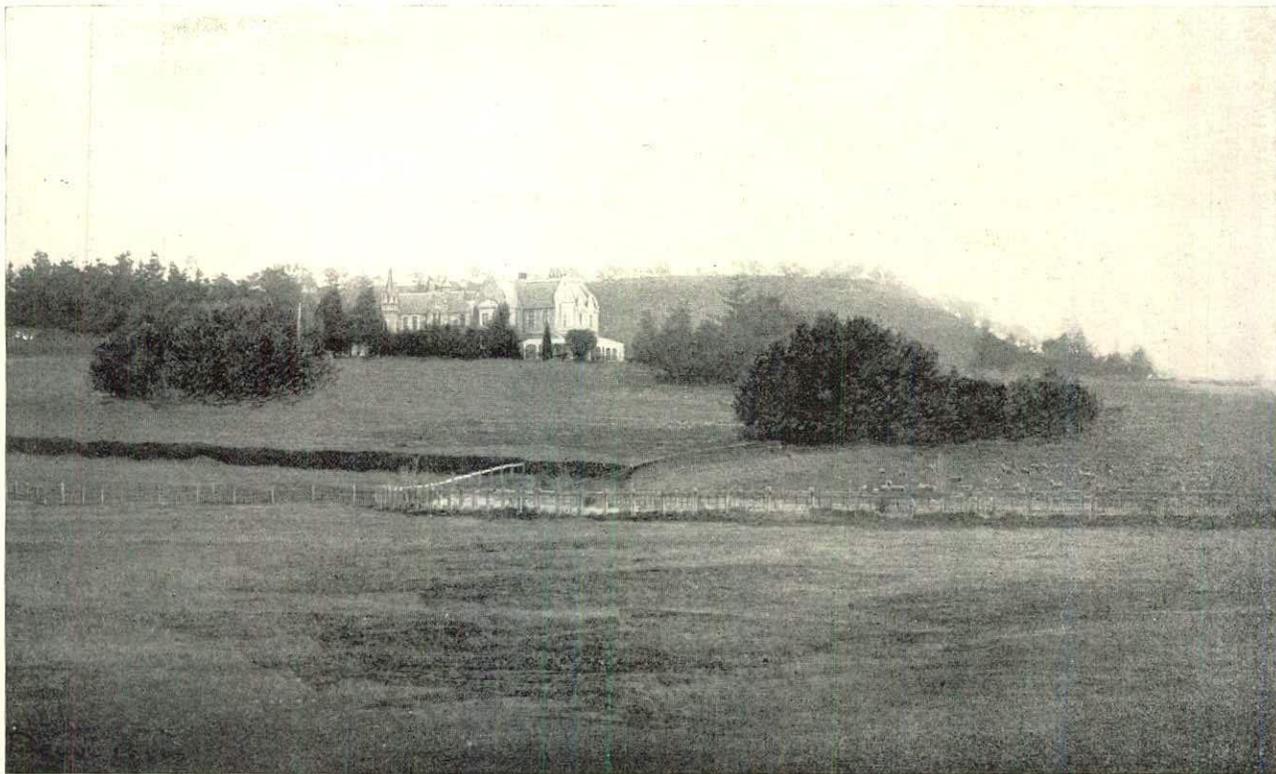
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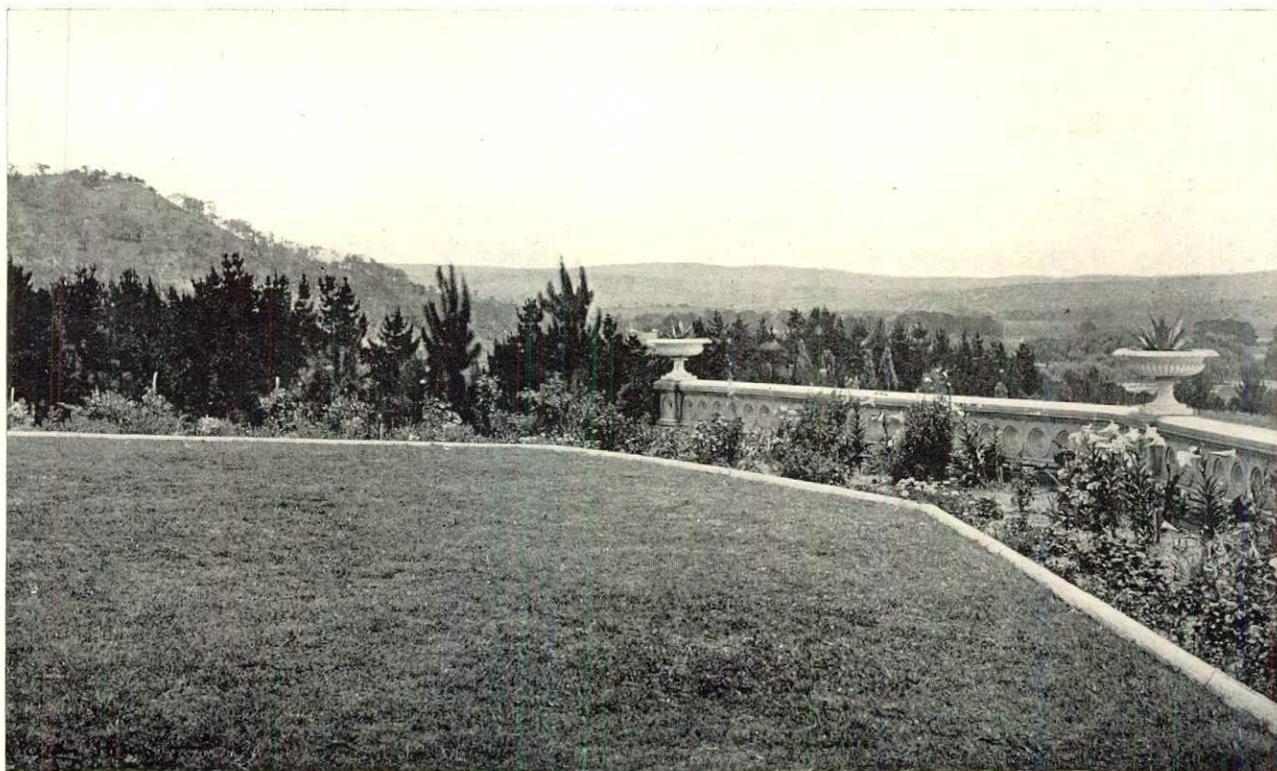
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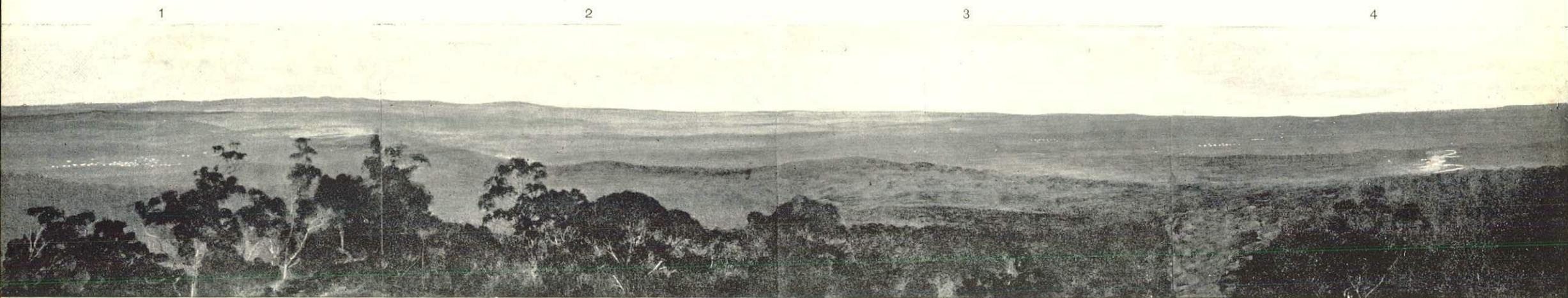
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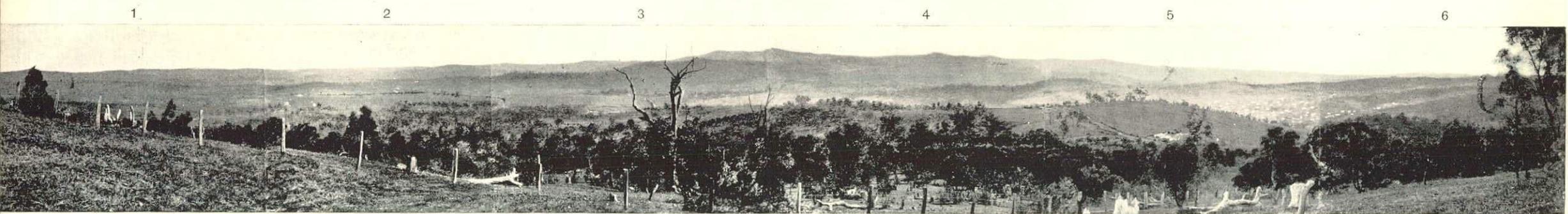
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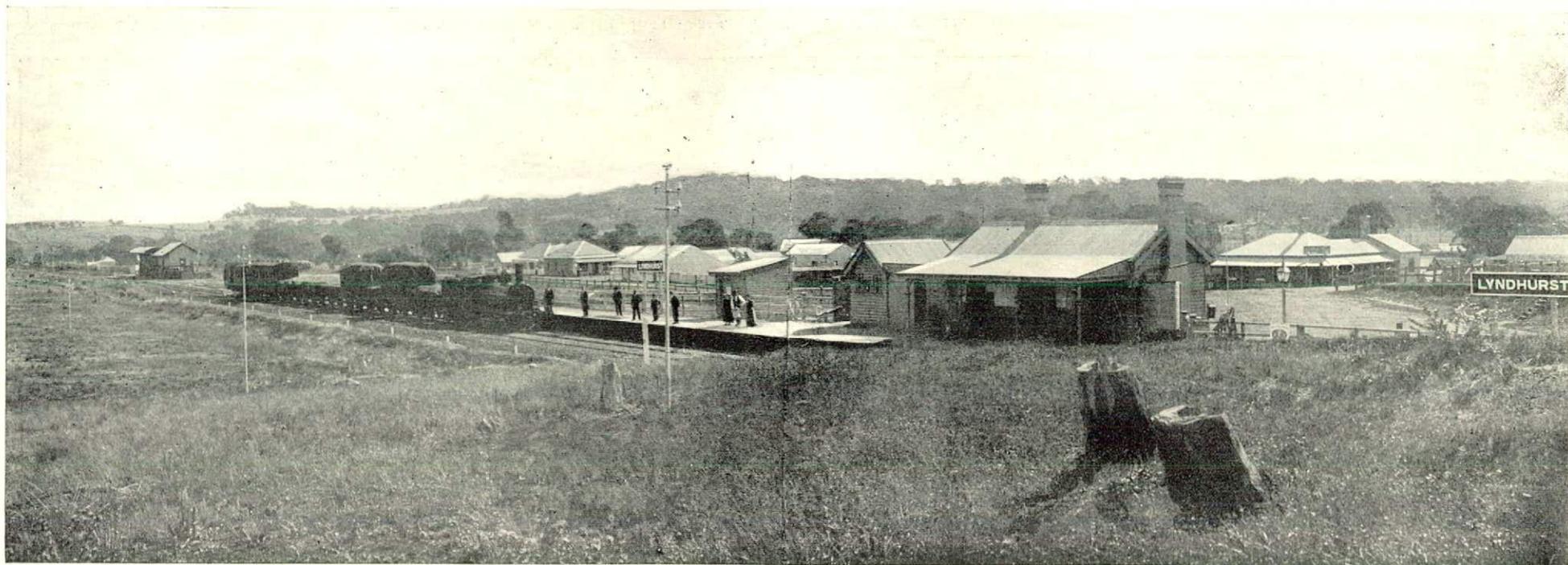
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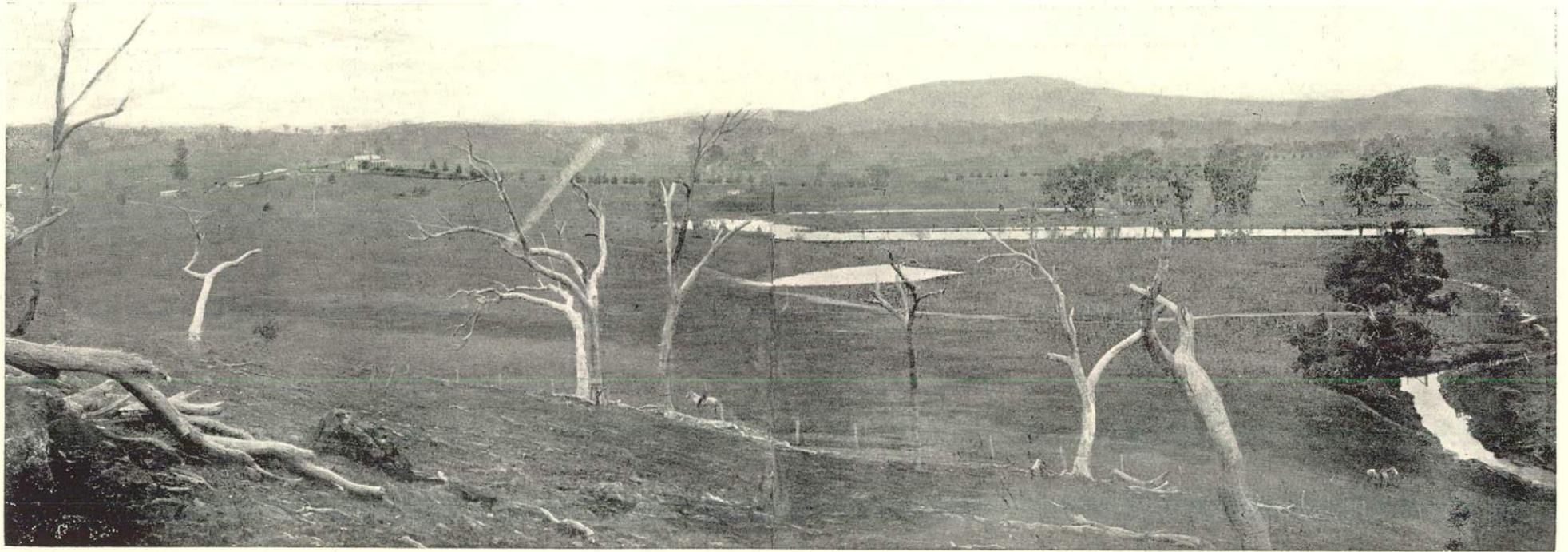
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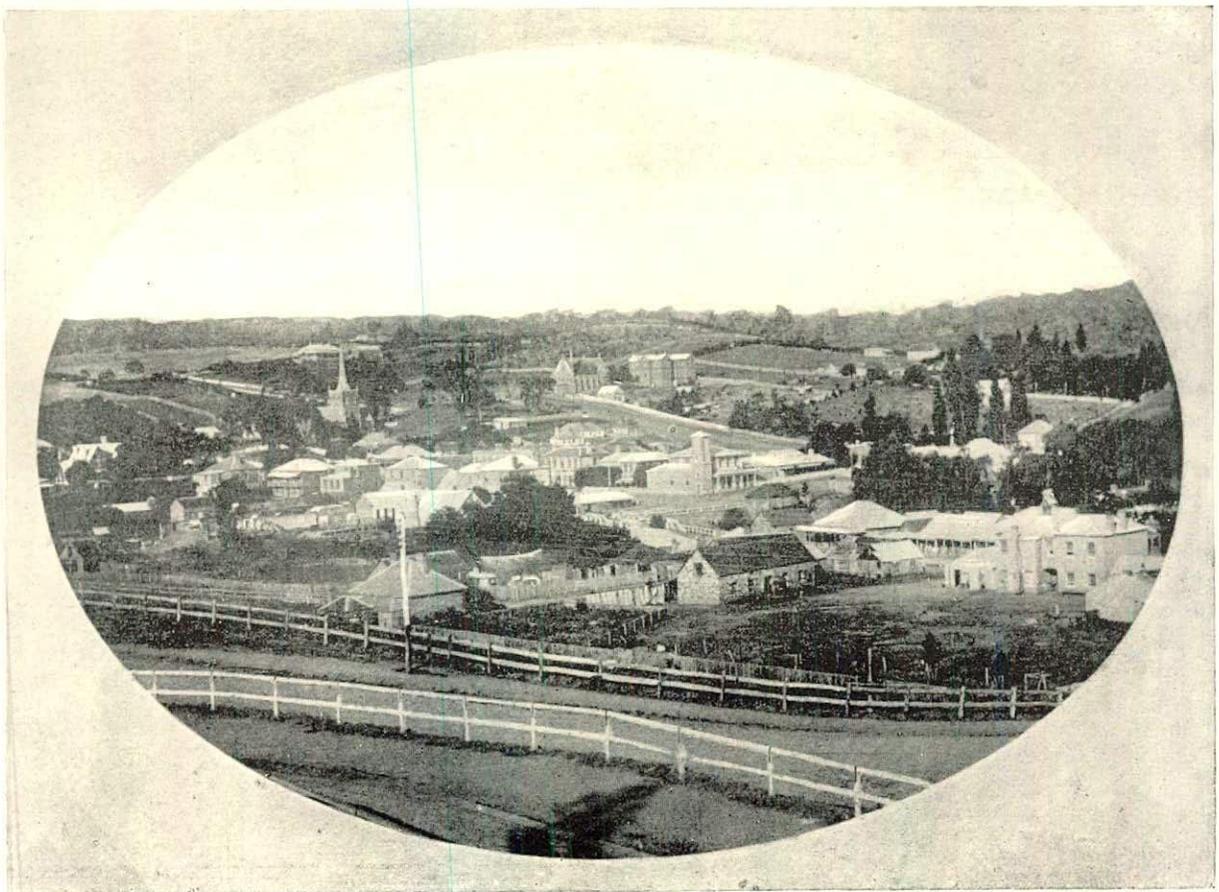
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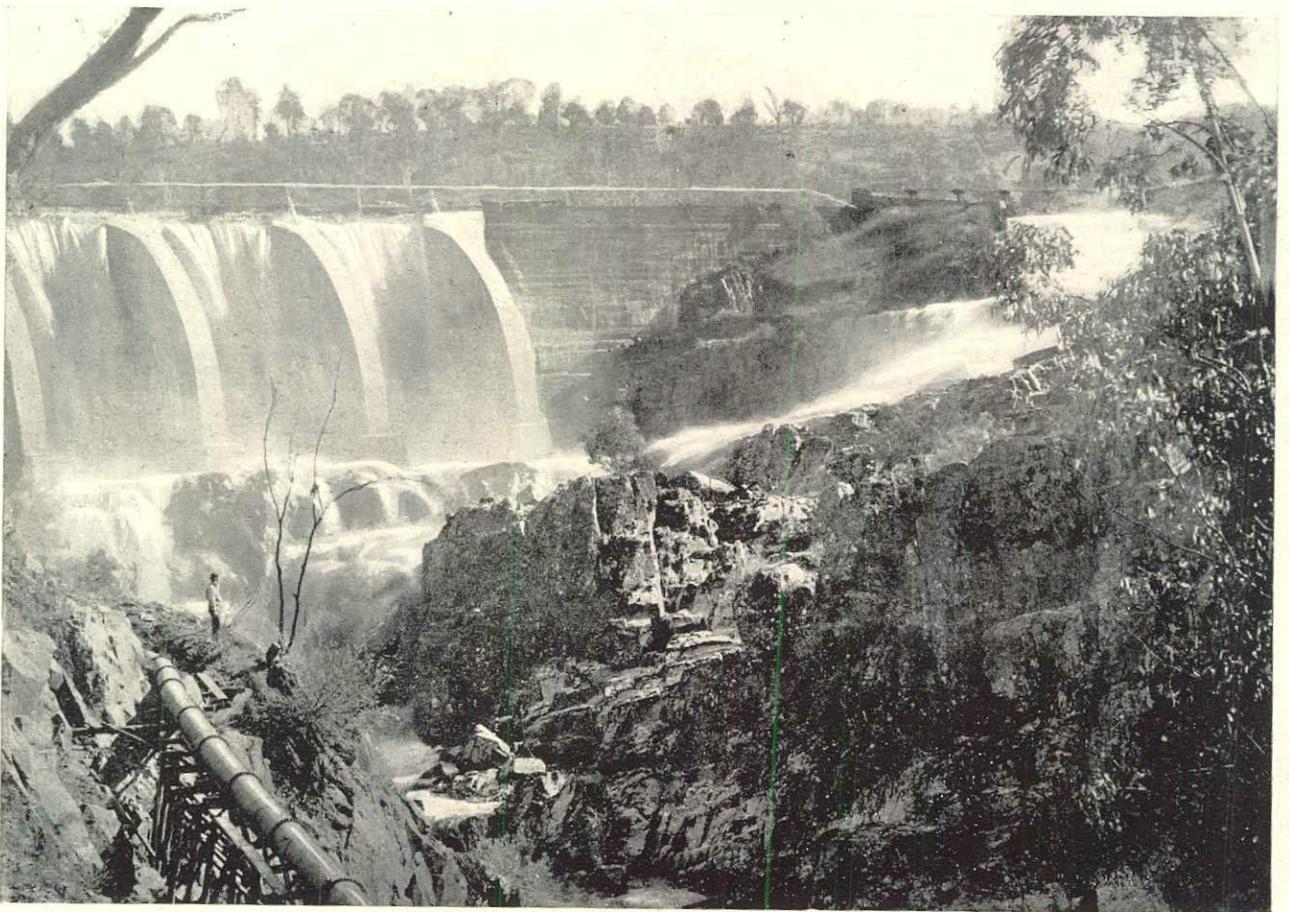
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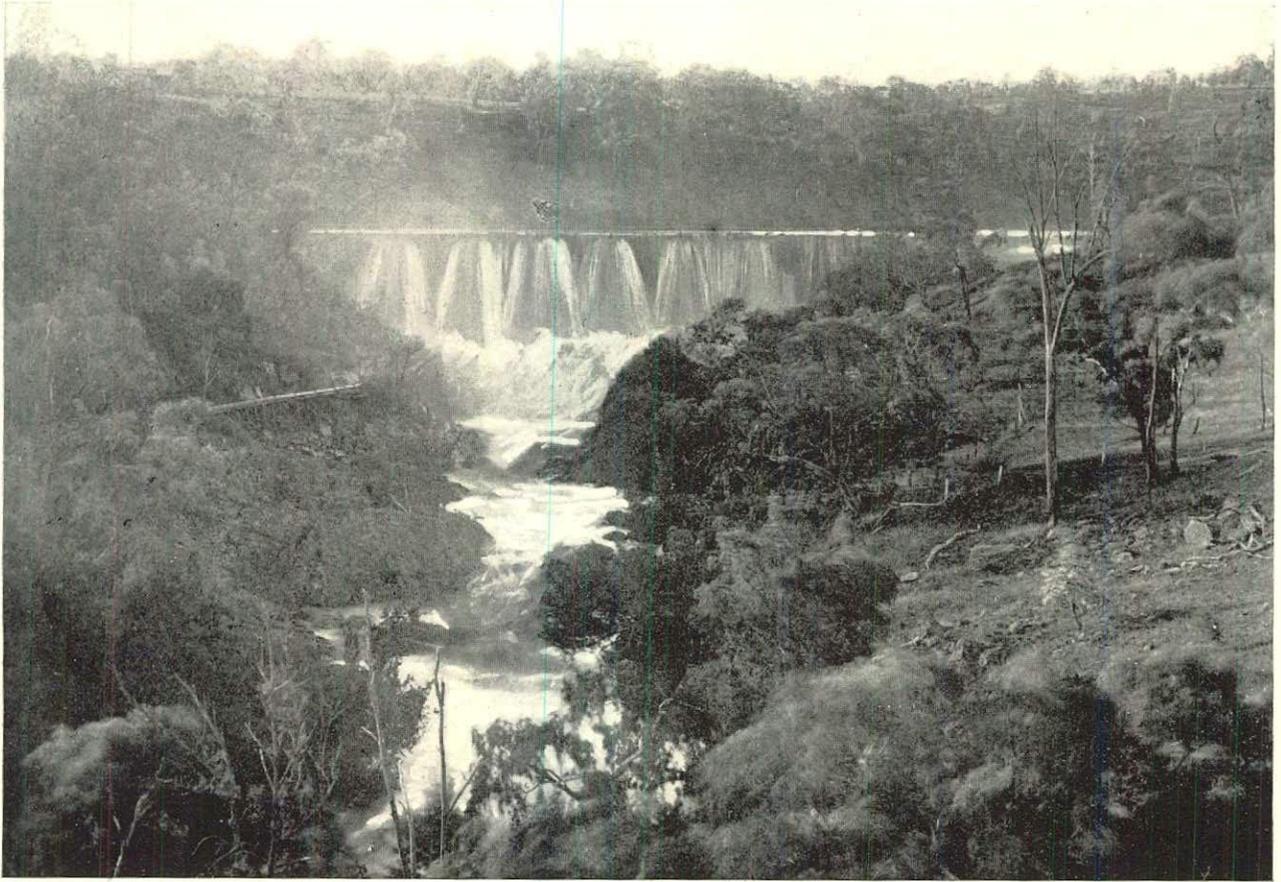
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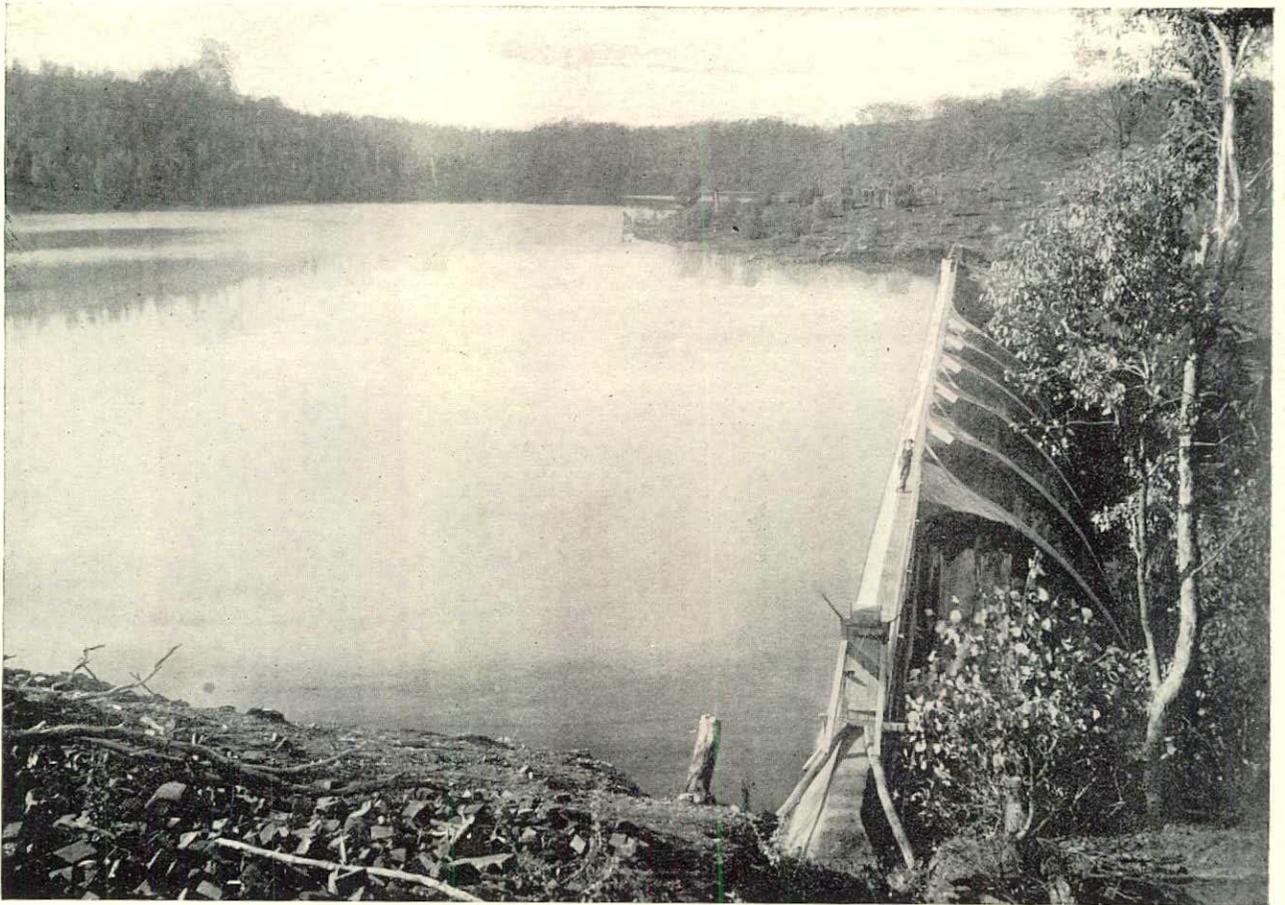
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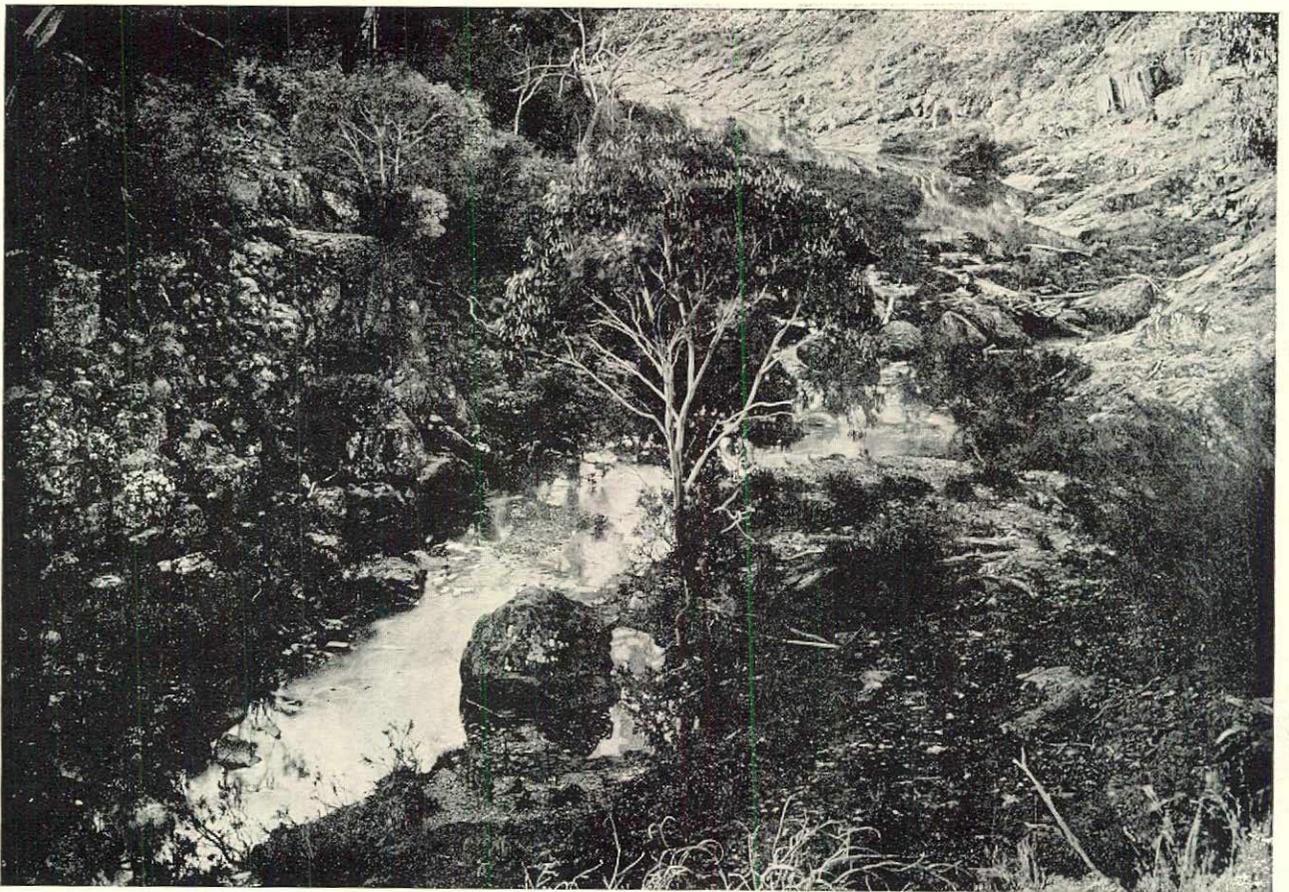
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CARCOAR-GARLAND.—LOWER PART OF THE COOMBING FALLS (IN FLOOD).



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MOUNT MACQUARIE IN THE DISTANCE.



CARCOAR-GARLAND. MOUNT MACQUARIE (4,000 FEET HIGH), FROM THE CEMETERY HILL, CARCOAR.



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CARCOAR-GARLAND.—VIEW FROM TOP OF MOUNT MACQUARIE, AT SOUTHERN END (4,000 FEET A.S.L.)—SHOWING JUNCTION OF COOMBING AND No. 1 SWAMP CREEKS. NEVILLE TO RIGHT IN DISTANCE SHAW TO LEFT ABERCROMBIE MOUNTAINS IN FAR DISTANCE.



CARCOAR-GARLAND.—“SUGAR-LOAF GORGE,” BELUBULA RIVER—POWER STATION FOR “WERAJIL” DAM AND POSSIBLY AUXILIARY WATER SUPPLY SITE.



CARCOAR-GARLAND.—“TAFFY'S WELL” (JUST BELOW) BELUBULA RIVER, NEAR CARCOAR.



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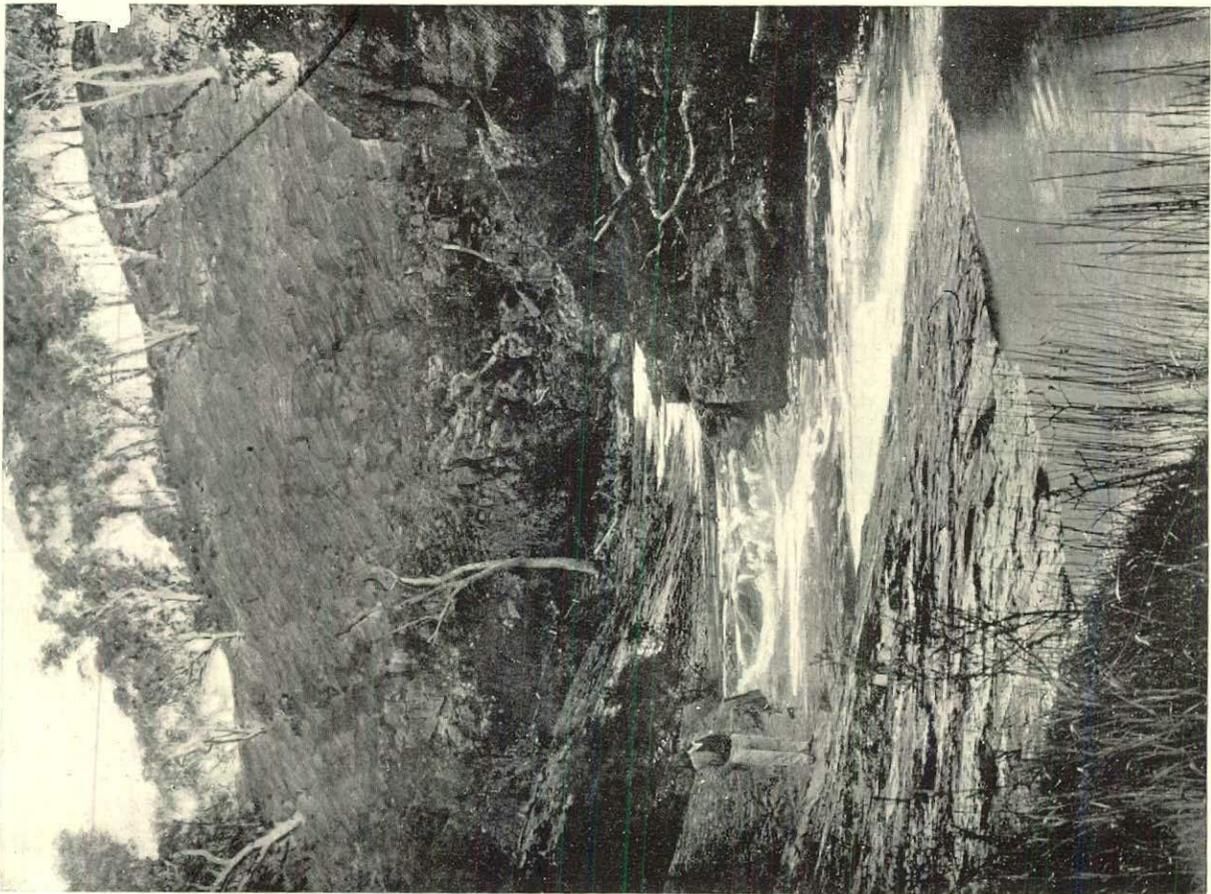
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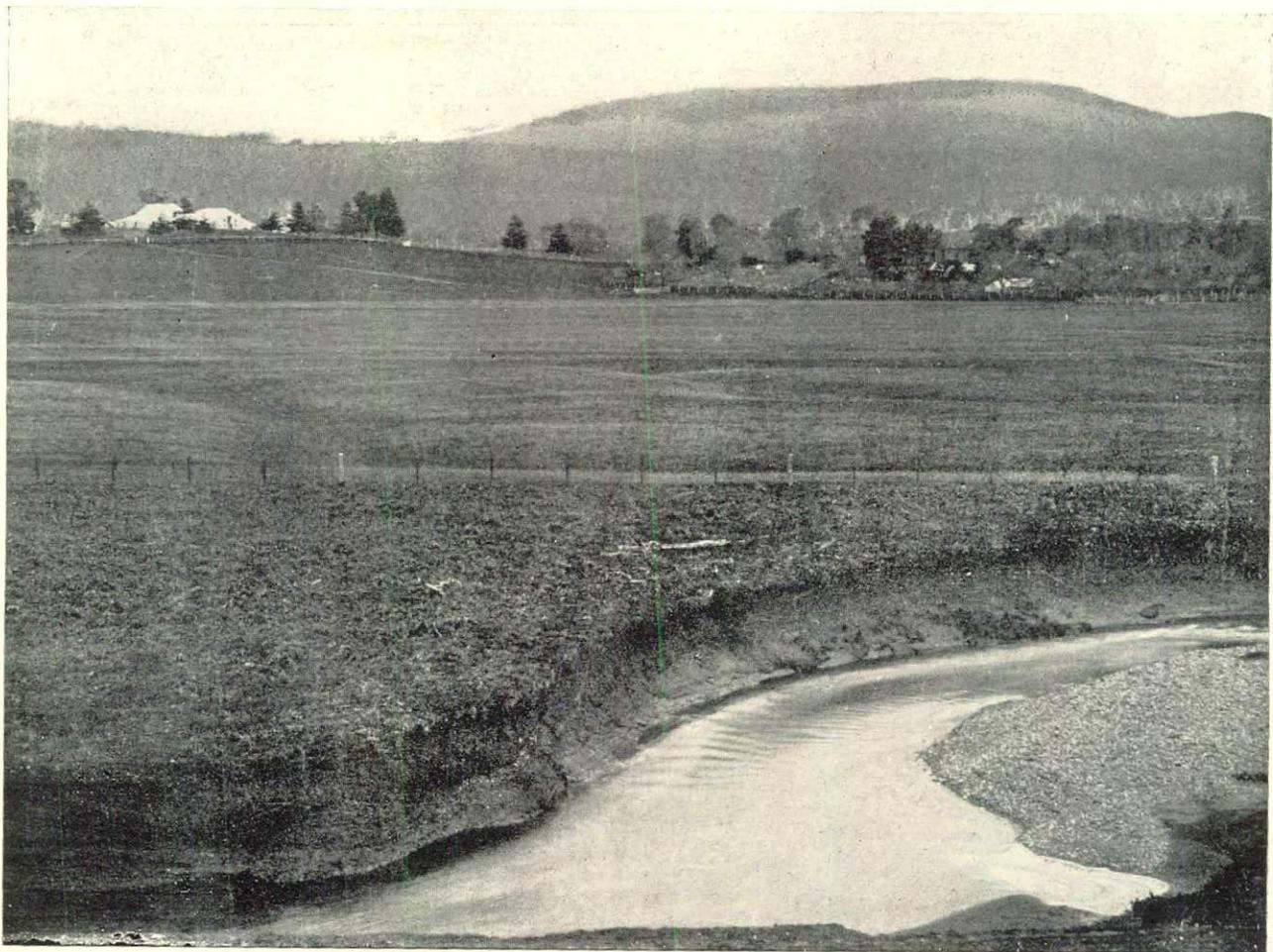
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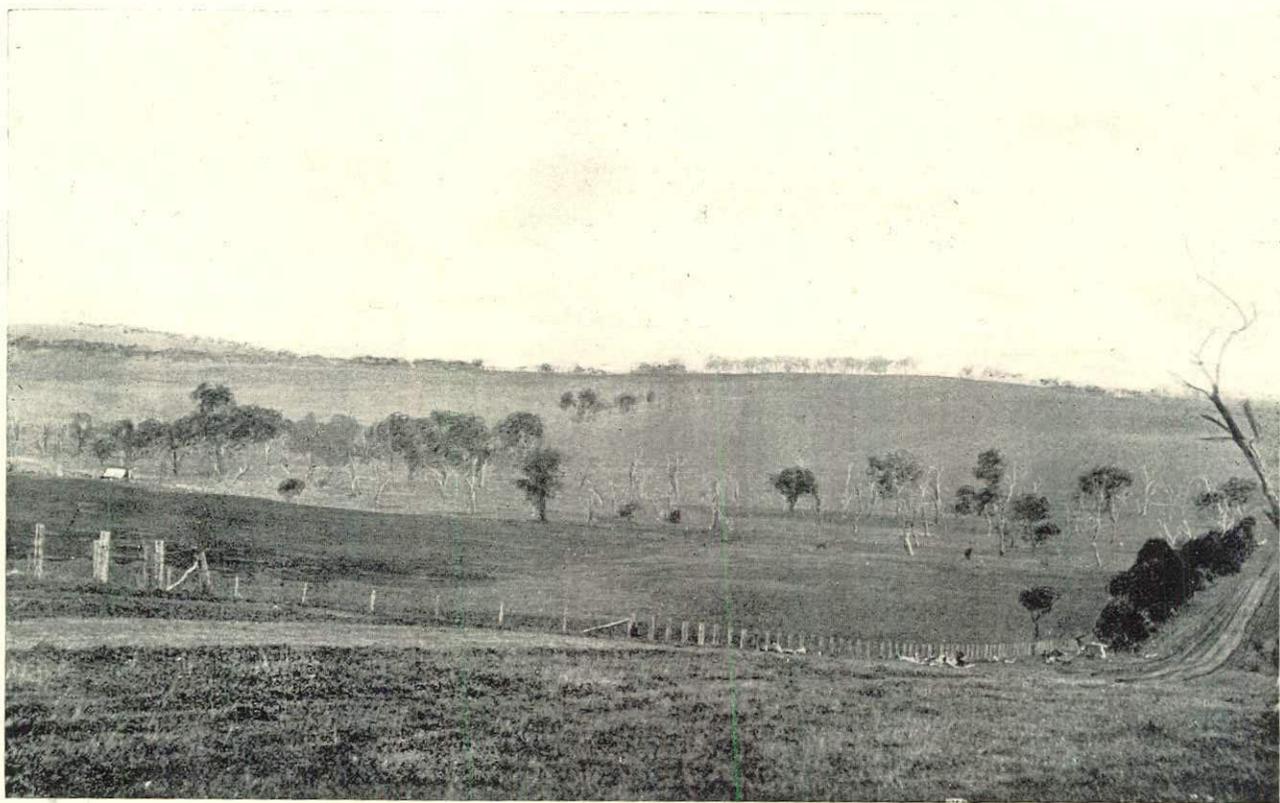
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CARCOAR-GARLAND.—SITE OF PROPOSED SPRING CREEK JUNCTION DAM. BELUBULA RIVER—LOOKING UP STREAM TOWARDS BEND



CARCOAR-GARLAND.—“COOMBING PARK,” THE PROPERTY OF MRS. I. WHITNEY; WOOLSHED, STABLES, &C., TO THE LEFT; RESIDENCE (UNFINISHED) TO THE RIGHT; MOUNT MACQUARIE IN THE BACKGROUND.



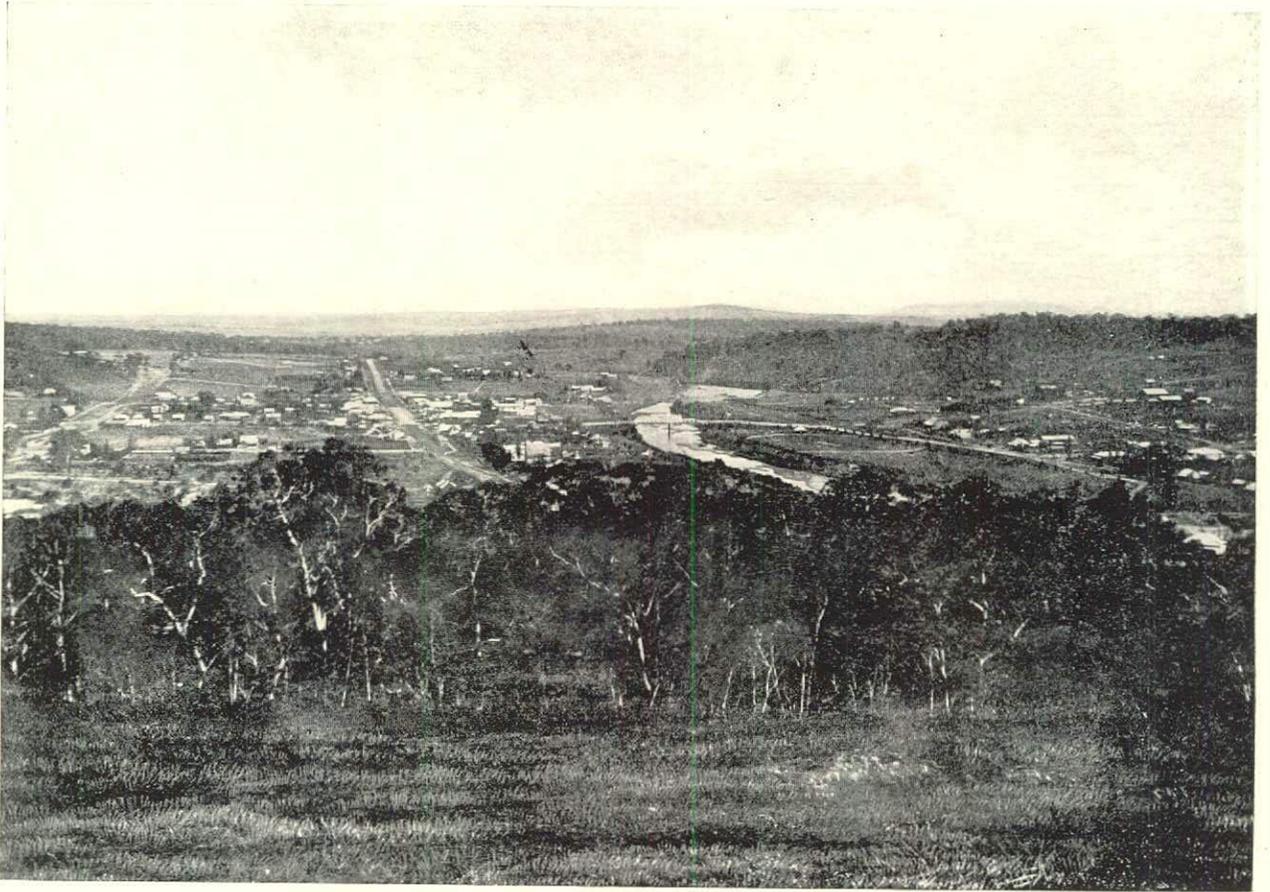
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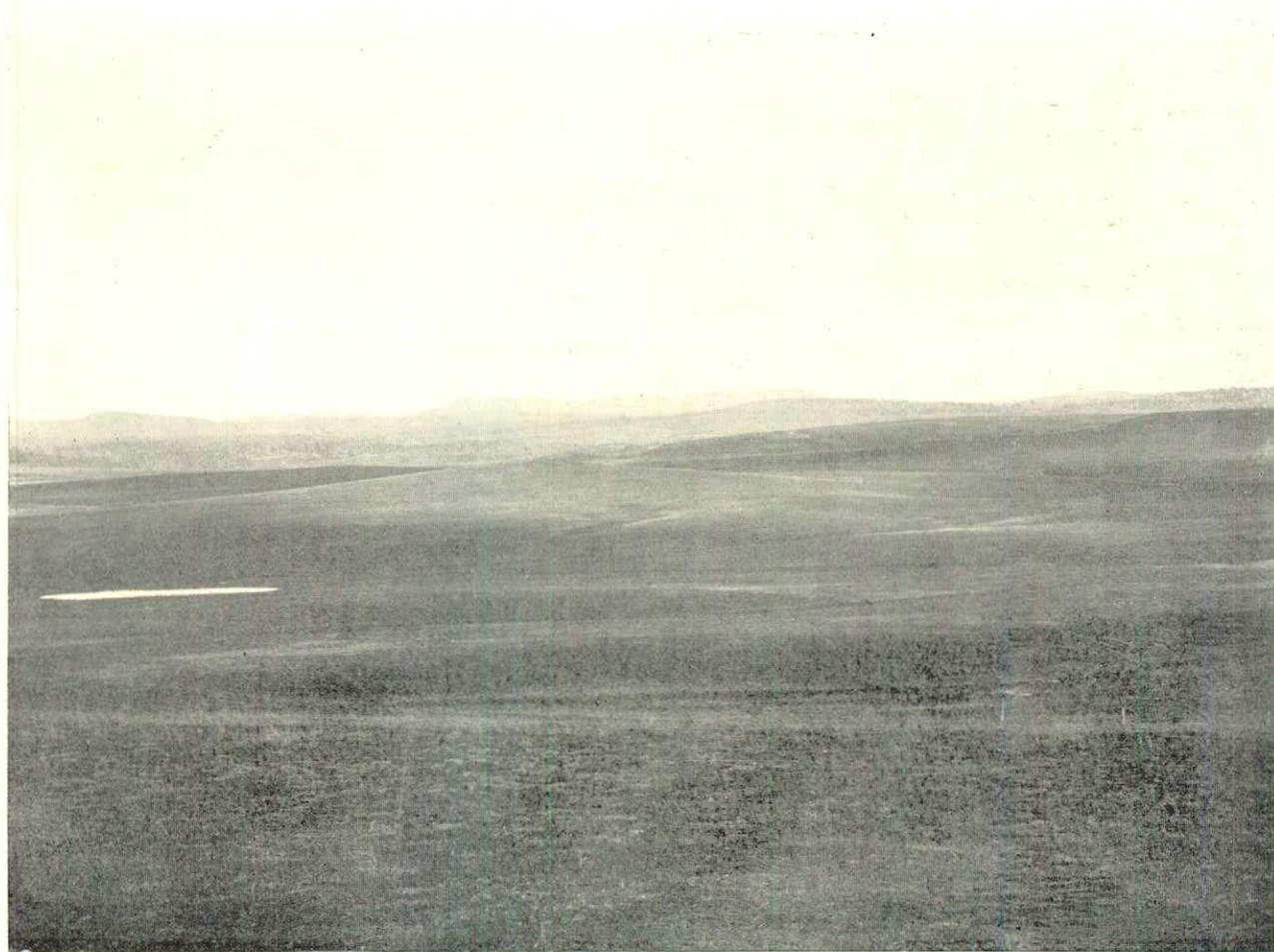
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EDEN-BOMBALA.—DELEGATE RIVER AT QUIDONG, A FEW MILES WEST OF FEDERAL TERRITORY.



EDEN-BOMBALA.—VIEW OF PROPOSED CITY SITE, FROM CENTRE OF FEDERAL TERRITORY.



EDEN-BOMBALA.—PROPOSED FEDERAL CITY SITE, LOOKING TOWARDS BOMBALA; MAHARATTA PLAINS ON EAST.



EDEN-BOMBALA.—GUNGLA, MIDDLE HEAD, EDEN.



EDEN-BOMBALA.—CATTLE BAY, EDEN, SHOWING MOUTH OF NERRIGA RIVER.



EDEN-BOMBALA.—EDEN LAKE. ENTERING NORTH BAY.



EDEN-BOMBALA.—TWOFOOLD BAY FROM EAST BOYD; MOUNT IMLAY IN THE DISTANCE.



EDEN-BOMBALA.—TWOFOLD BAY, LOOKING TOWARDS BOYD TOWN



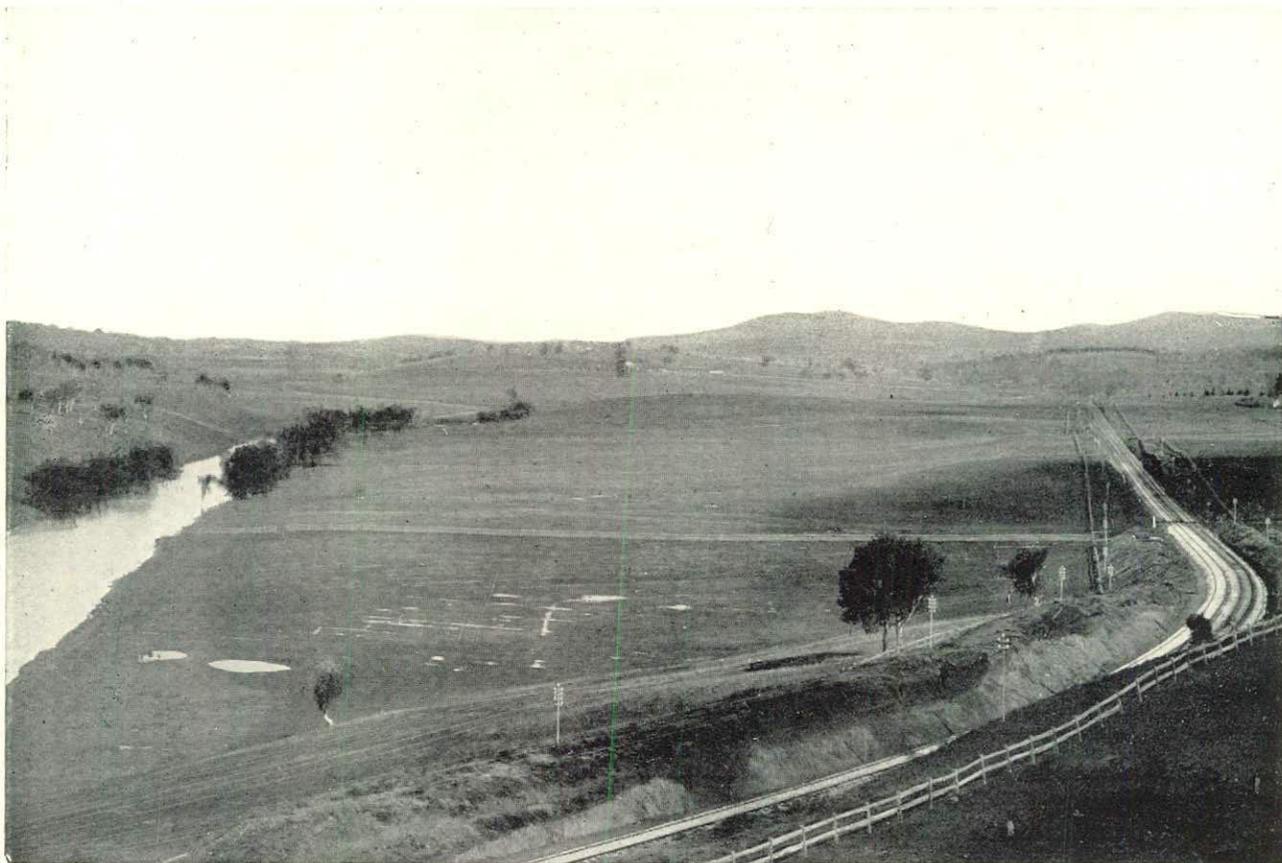
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GOULBURN. LOOKING NORTH FROM SOUTH END OF AUBURN STREET.



GOULBURN.—PART OF PROPOSED CAPITAL SITE, SHOWING BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF CITY OF GOULBURN, LOOKING NORTH-EAST FROM SLOCOMBE'S HILL.



GOULBURN.—THE VALLEY OF THE MULWARREE RIVER, LOOKING SOUTH-WEST FROM SOUTH HILL. GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY ON RIGHT.



GOULBURN.—VALLEY OF THE WOLLONDILLY RIVER, NEAR ROSSVILLE ESTATE, LOOKING WEST FROM BISHOPTHORPE. ROSSVILLE ESTATE ON LEFT-HAND SIDE OF ROAD.



GOULBURN.—MULWARREE RIVER, LOOKING SOUTH-EAST FROM SOUTH HILL.



GOULBURN.—WOLLONDILLY RIVER, LOOKING UP THE RIVER FROM MARSDEN'S BRIDGE, SHOWING PRESENT WATER WORKS, WEIR, &C.



PANORAMIC VIEW OF ORANGE. CANOBOLAS MOUNTAINS IN BACKGROUND, TO THE WEST.

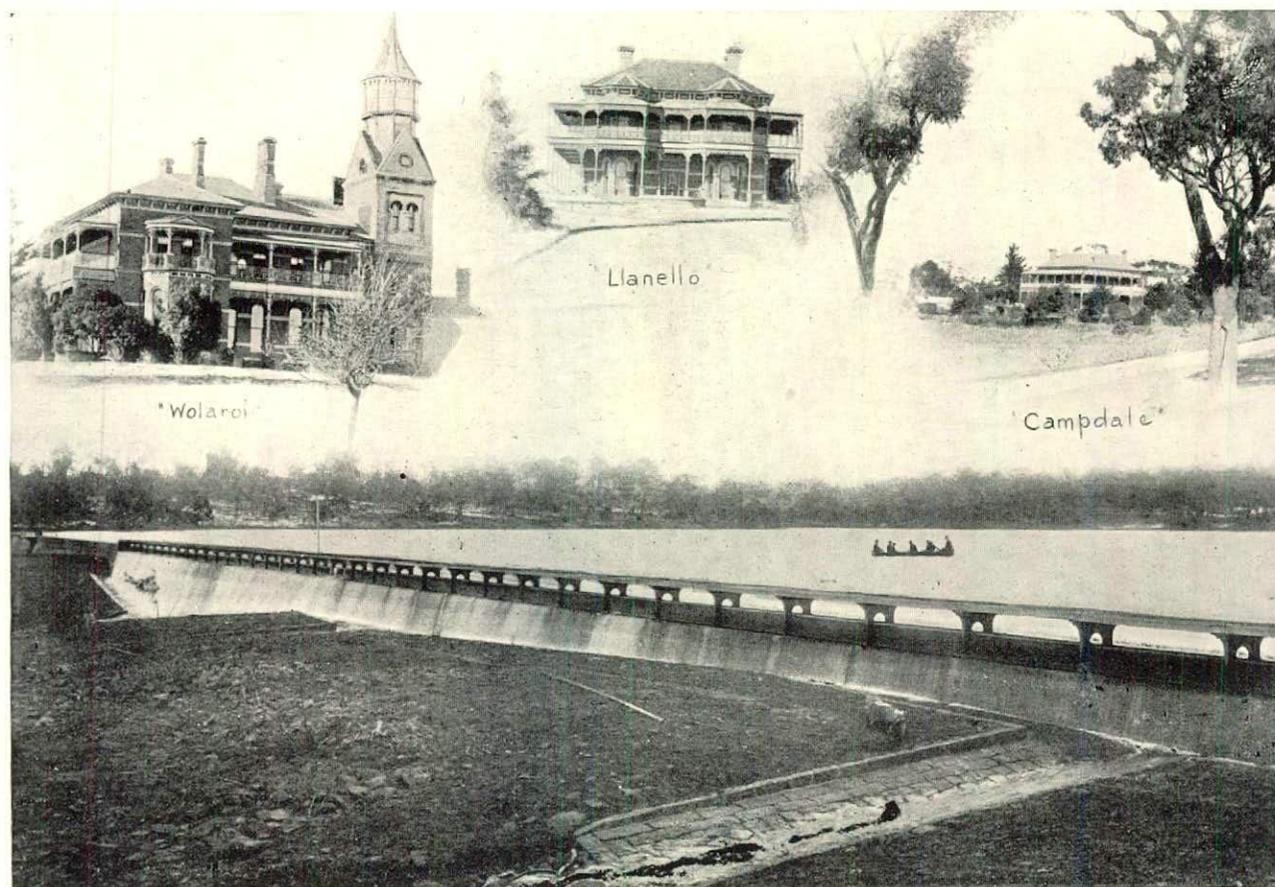


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ORANGE.—PRIVATE RESIDENCES AND PRESENT ORANGE WATER SUPPLY, GOSLING CREEK.



ORANGE.—"THE HOPETOUN FALLS," MOUNT CANOBOLAS.





QUEANBEYAN.—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH. CANBERRA AUSTRALIAN ALPS IN BACKGROUND.



QUEANBEYAN.—CANBERRA, FROM POST OFFICE.



QUEANBEYAN RIVER CANBERRA PLAINS.



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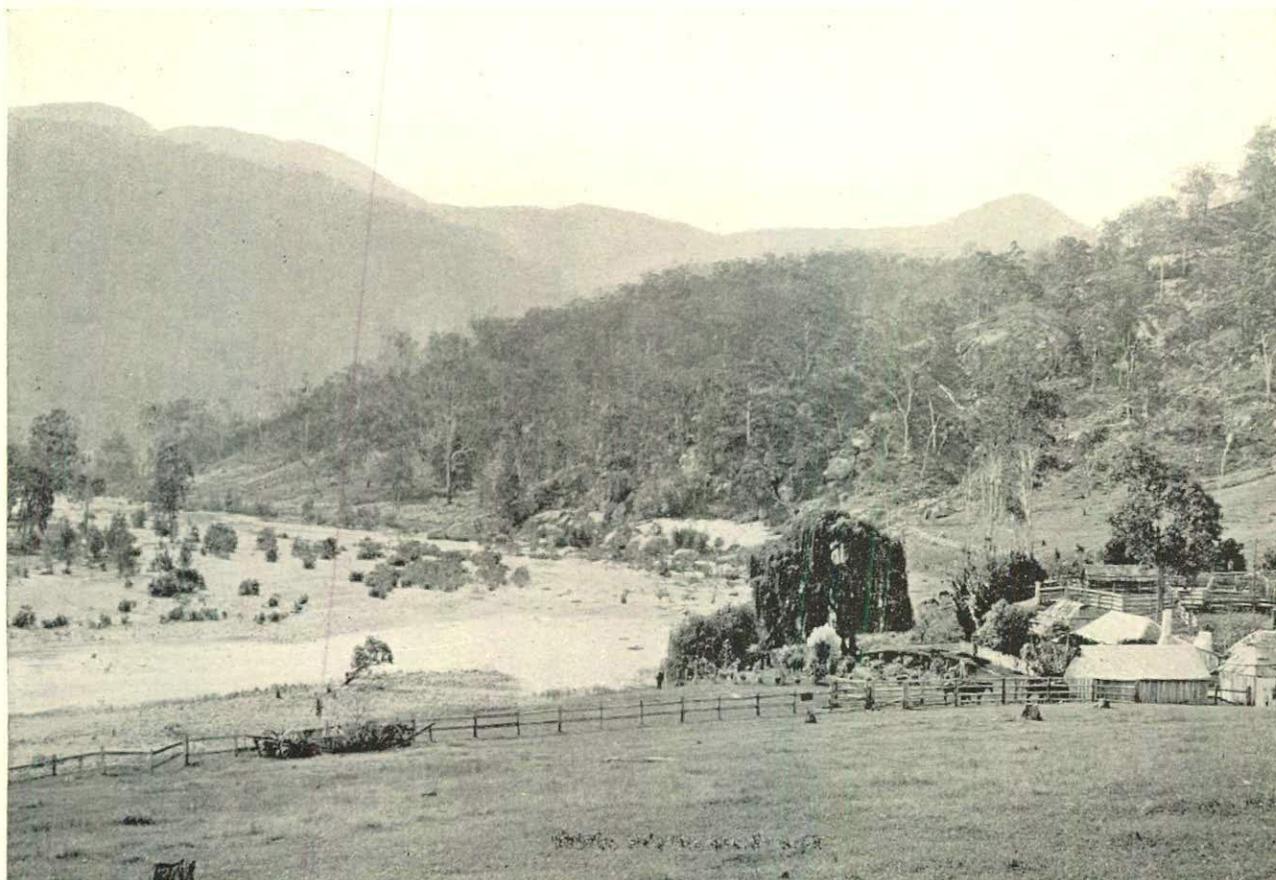
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BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF TENTERFIELD.



TENTERFIELD.—MANNERS STREET.



TENTERFIELD.—GOLD DREDGING AREA MILLERA.



TENTERFIELD CREEK.



TENTERFIELD.—THE WILLOWS TENTERFIELD CREEK.



TENTERFIELD.—SCENE ON SOVEREIGN RIVER.



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TENTERFIELD.—WHITE ROCK SILVER MINE, 30 MILES.



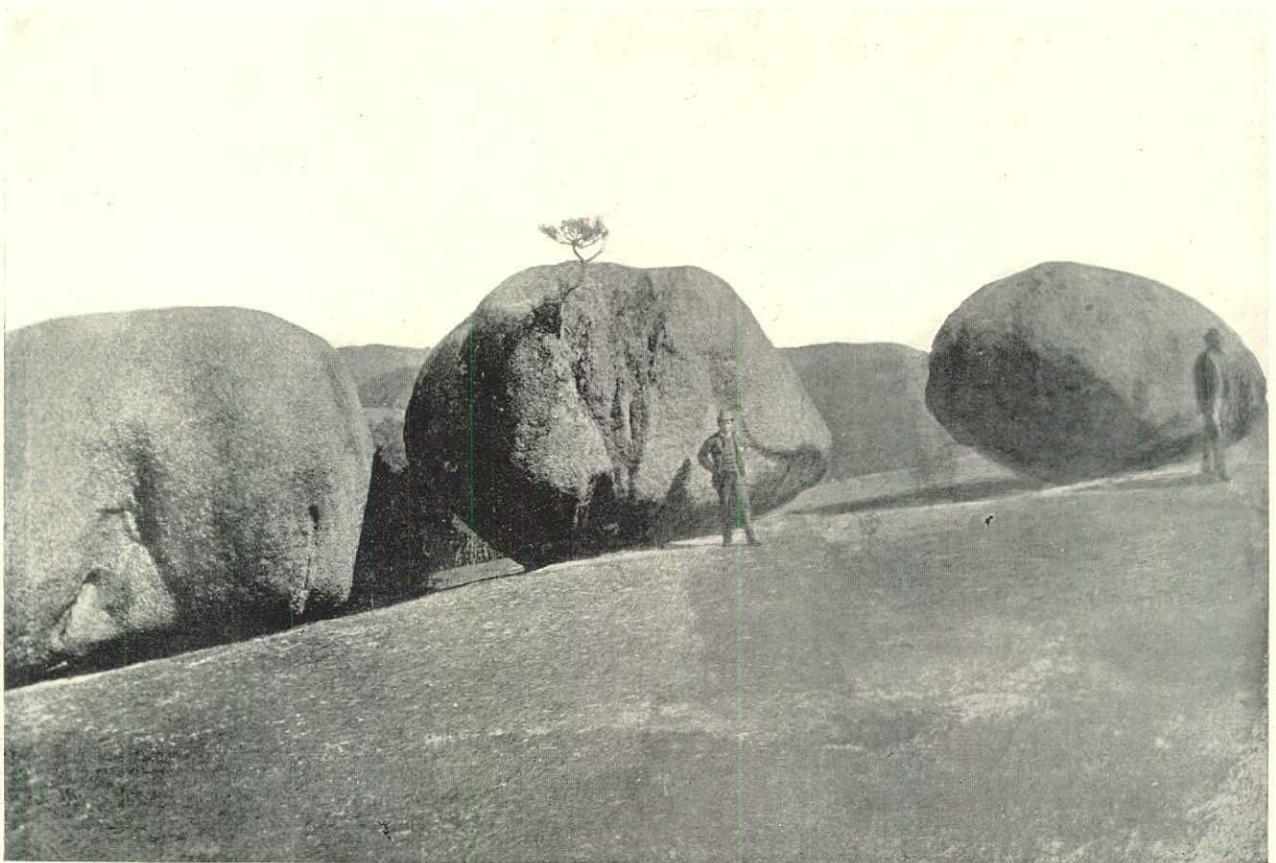
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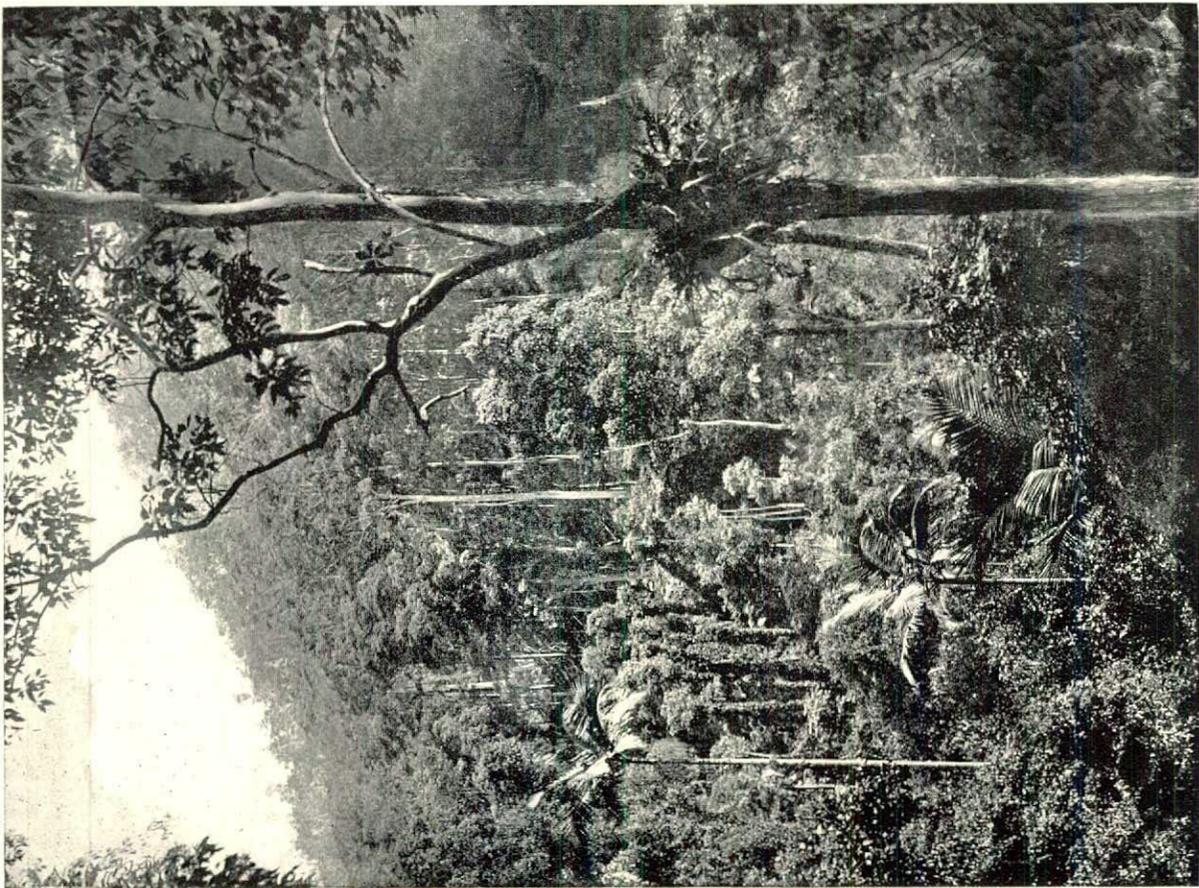
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TENTERFIELD SCRUB.



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TENTERFIELD.—"DOCTOR'S NOSE," 4 MILES.



TENTERFIELD.—MAIDENHEAD STATION.



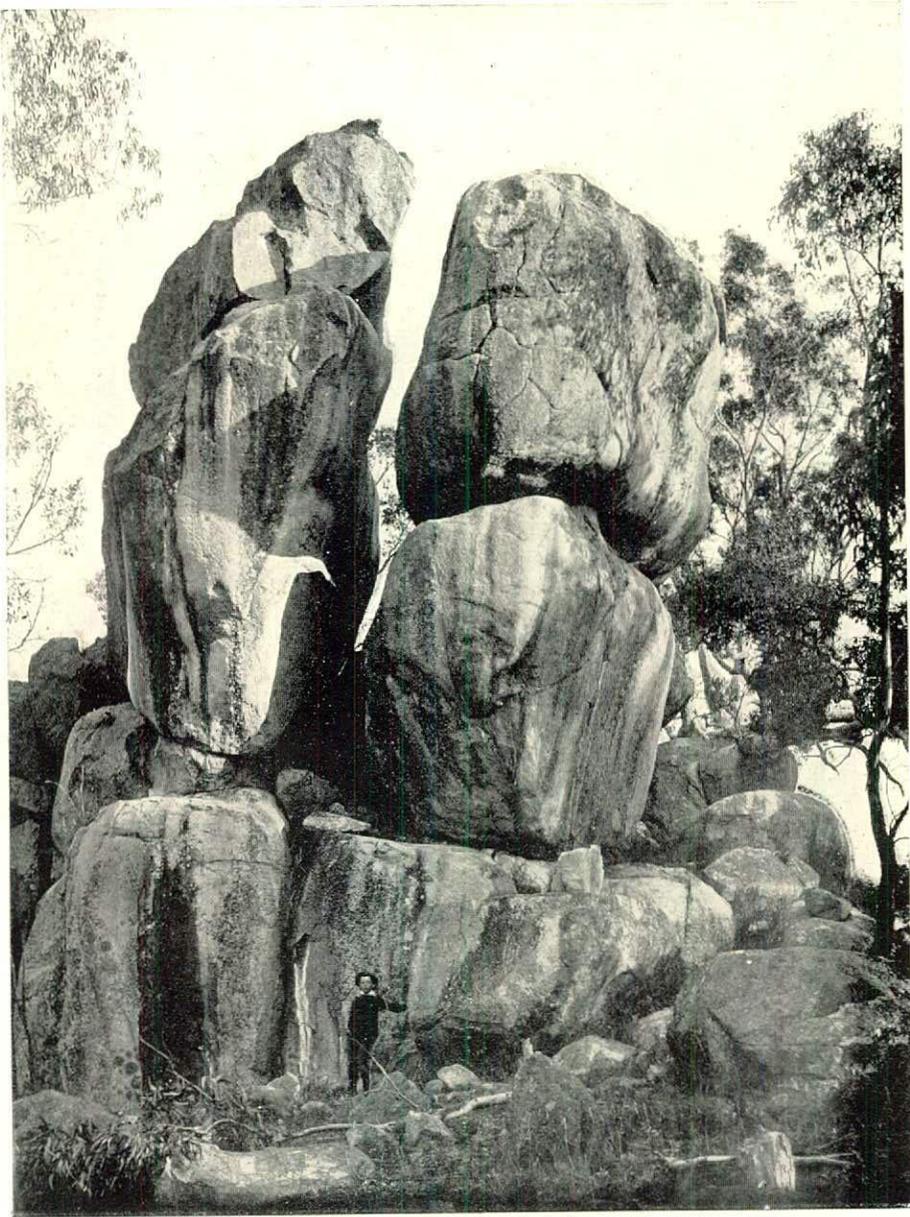
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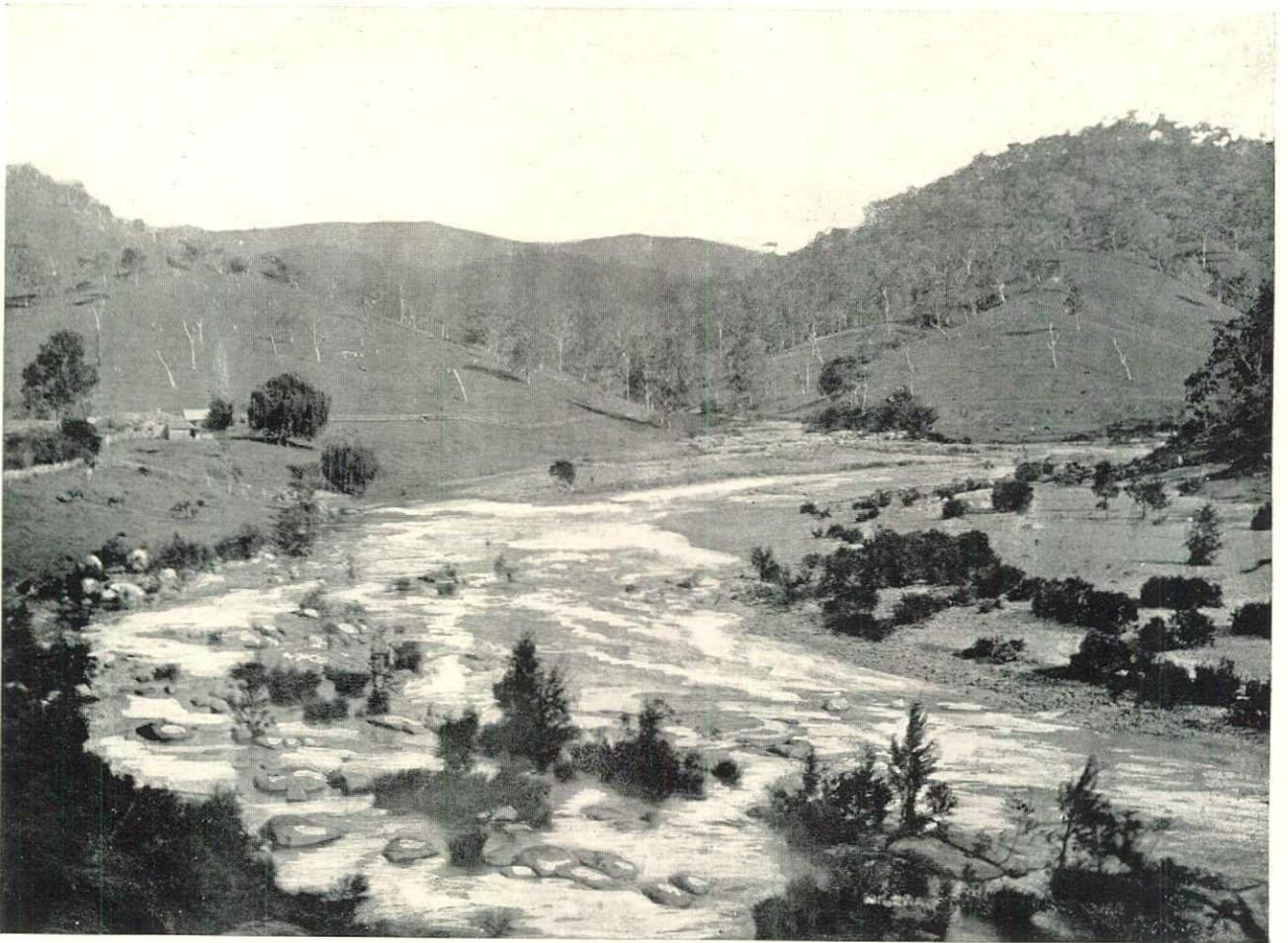
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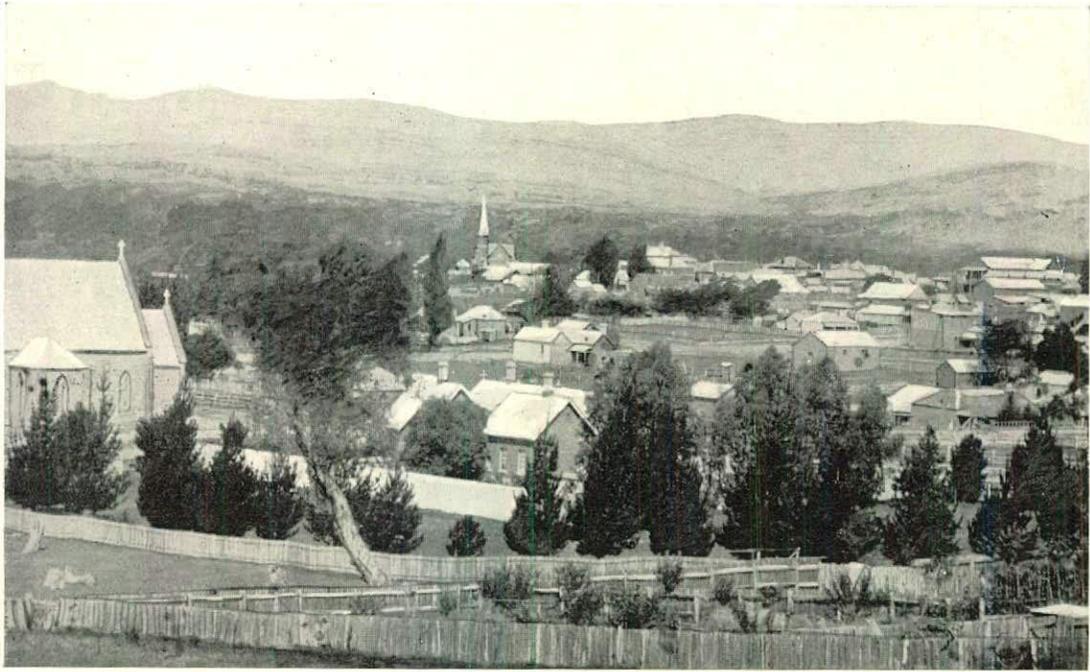
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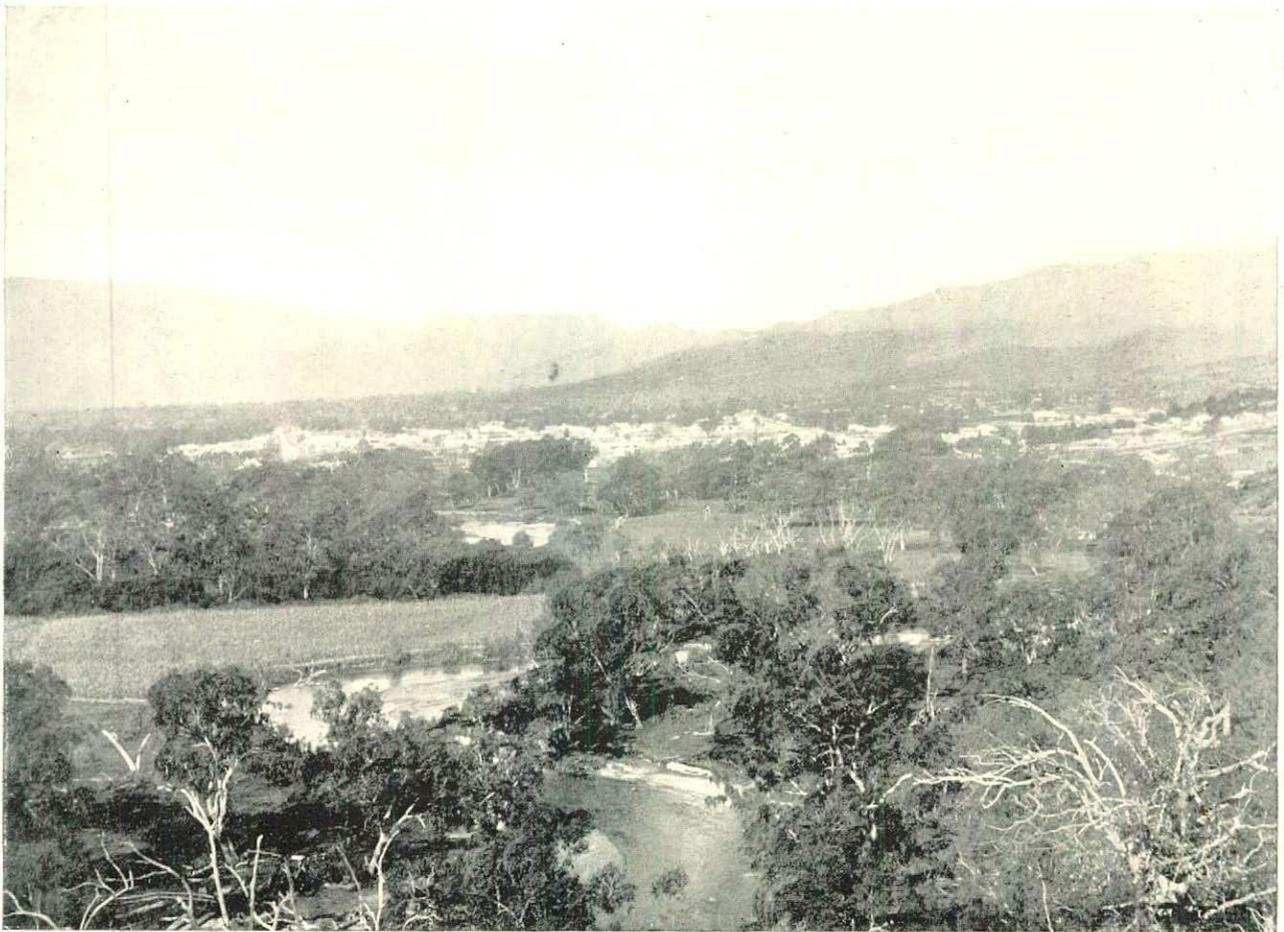
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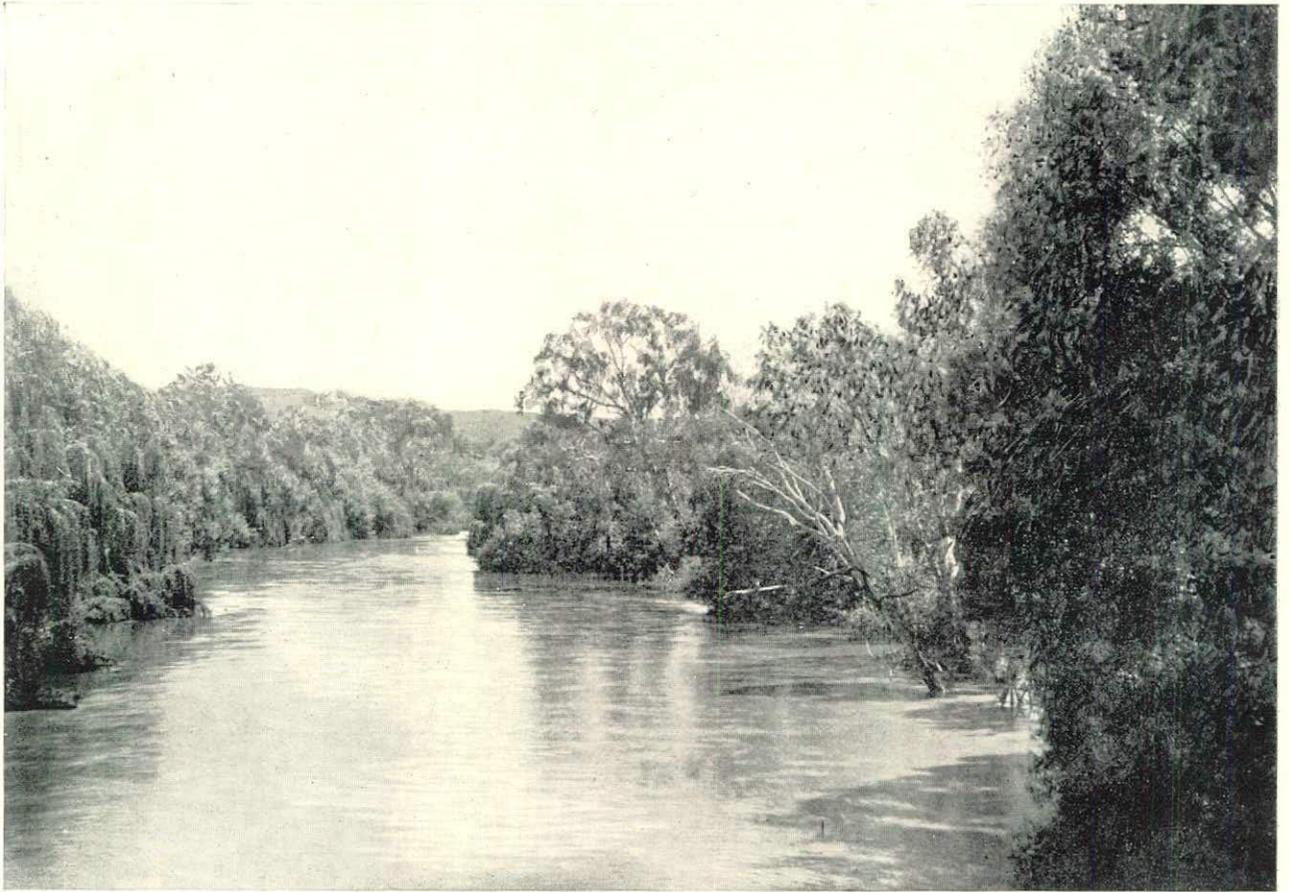
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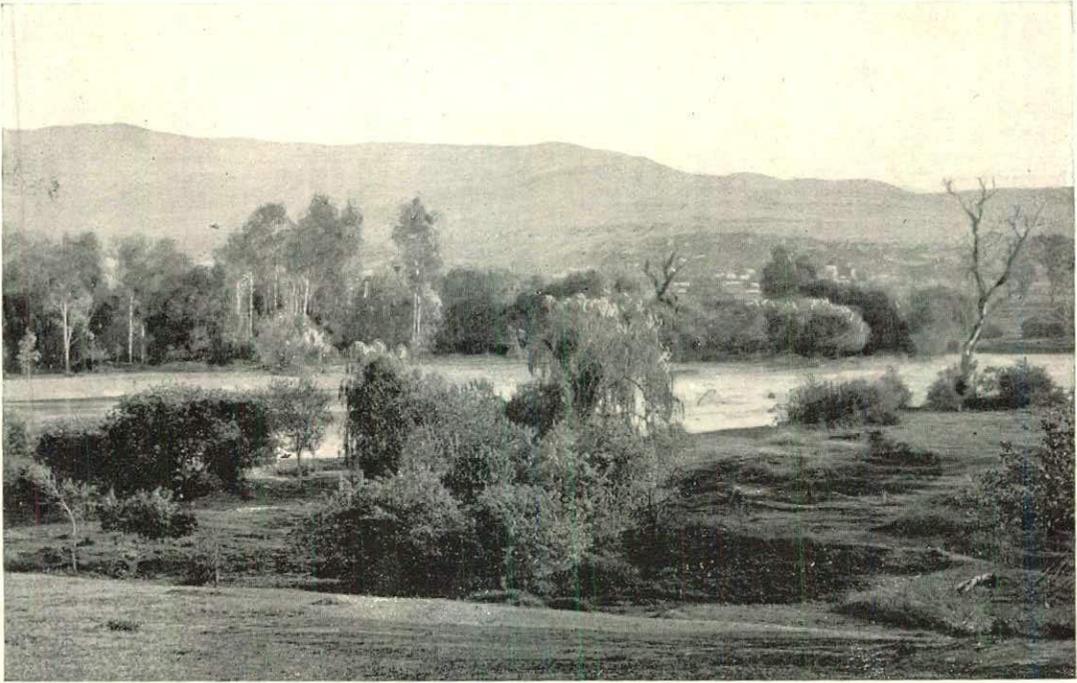
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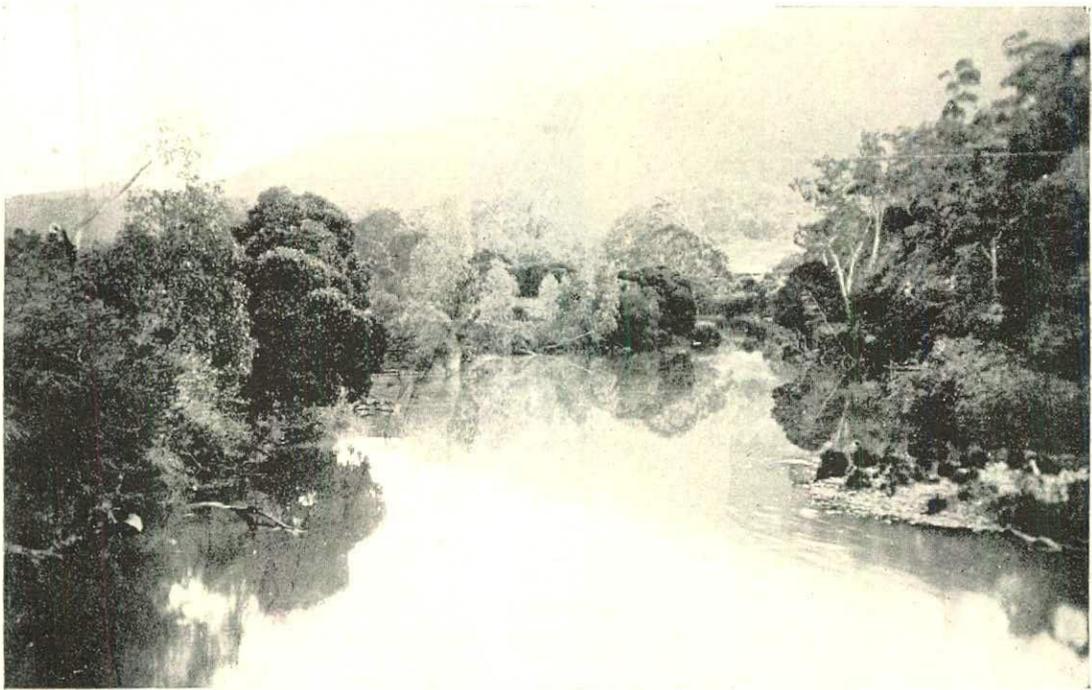
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TUMUT.—SUGGESTED SITE FOR FEDERAL CAPITAL.



TUMUT RIVER.—FROM LACMALAC HILL, LOOKING TOWARDS TUMUT.



TUMUT RIVER.—FROM PUNT BRIDGE, BLOWERING.



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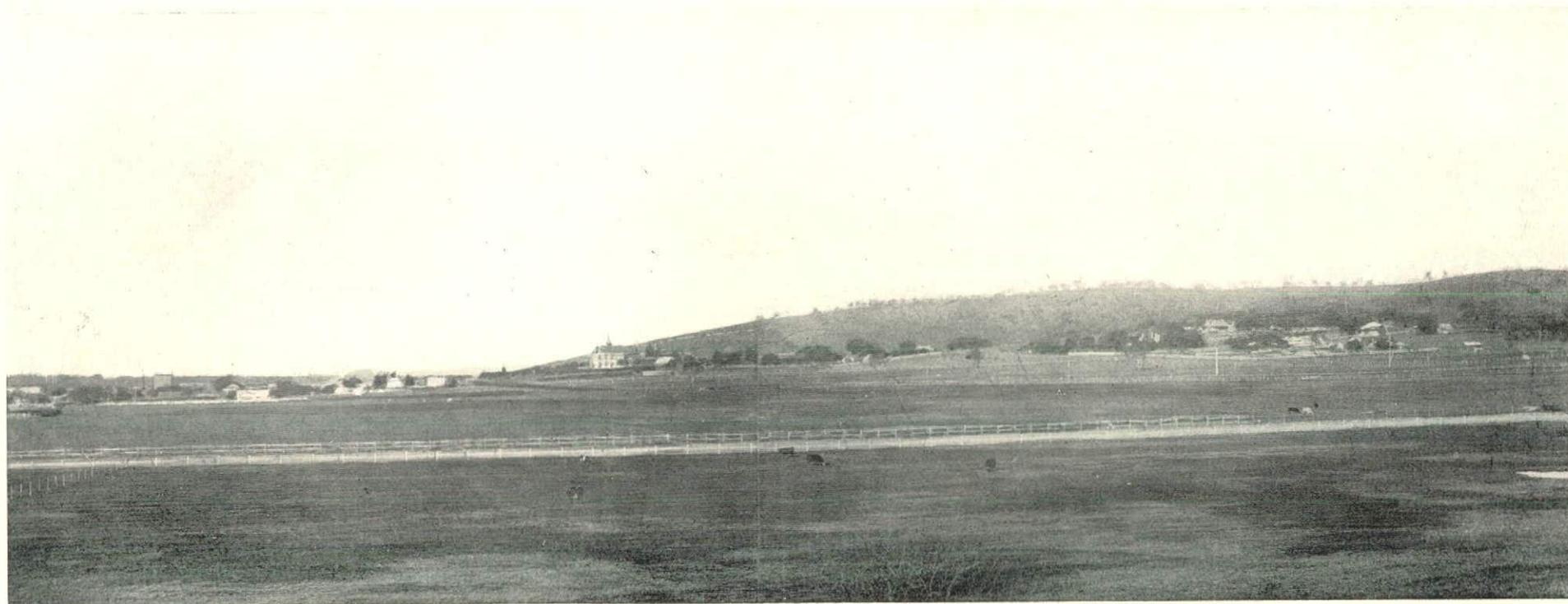
TUMUT.—LITTLE RIVER, WHICH JOINS TUMUT RIVER ABOVE TOWN.



TUMUT.—BOMBOWLEE LANE.



TUMUT.—BUDDONG FALLS. DISTANT 15 MILES FROM CAPITAL SITE.



WAGGA WAGGA.—VIEW FROM "FOXBOUGH HALL," THE RESIDENCE OF JAMES GORMLY, ESQ., M.L.A.



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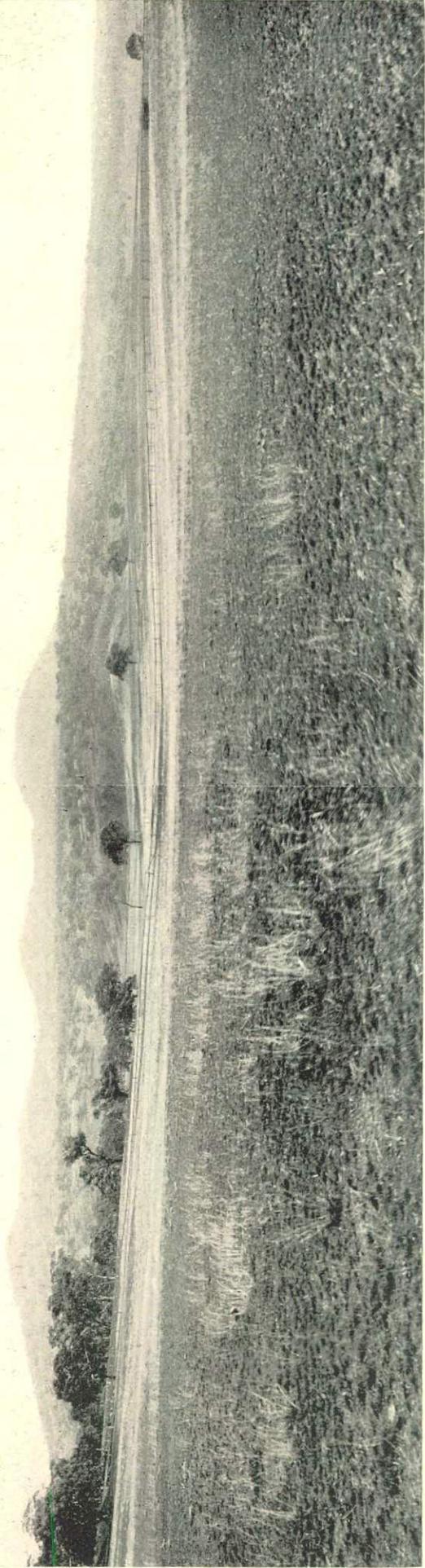
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YASS.—GENERAL VIEW ON "BELLE VALE."



YASS.—TOWN, LOOKING EAST.



YASS.—VIEW OF SITE ON BELLE VALE FROM BOWNING HILL.

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YASS.—FOREST CREEK.



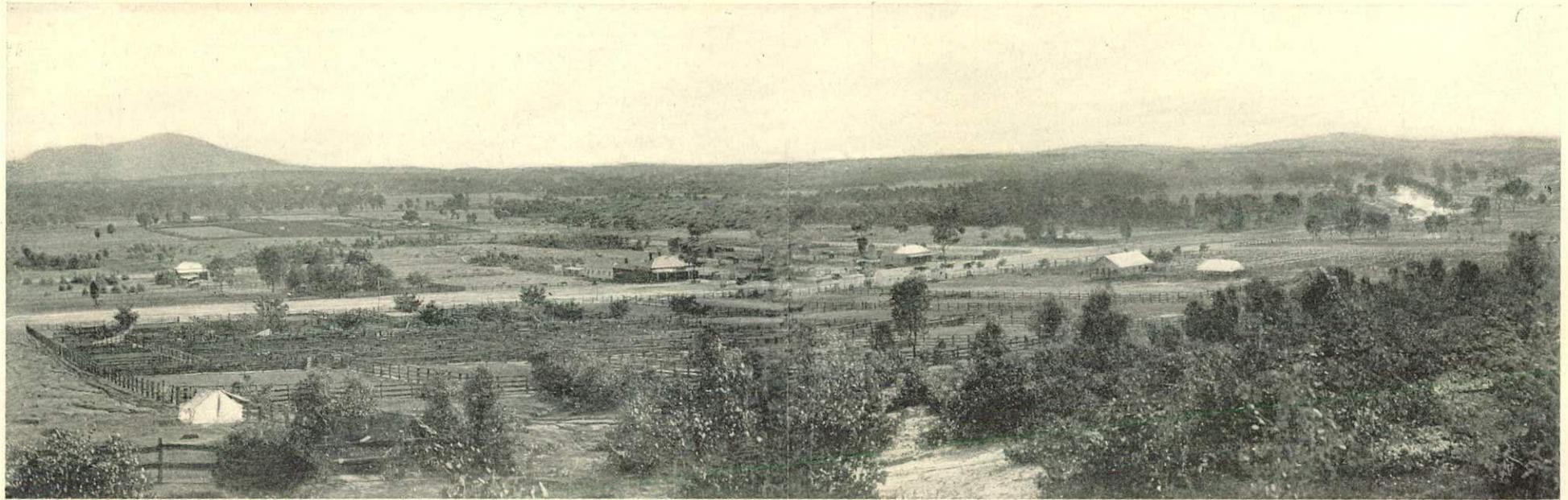
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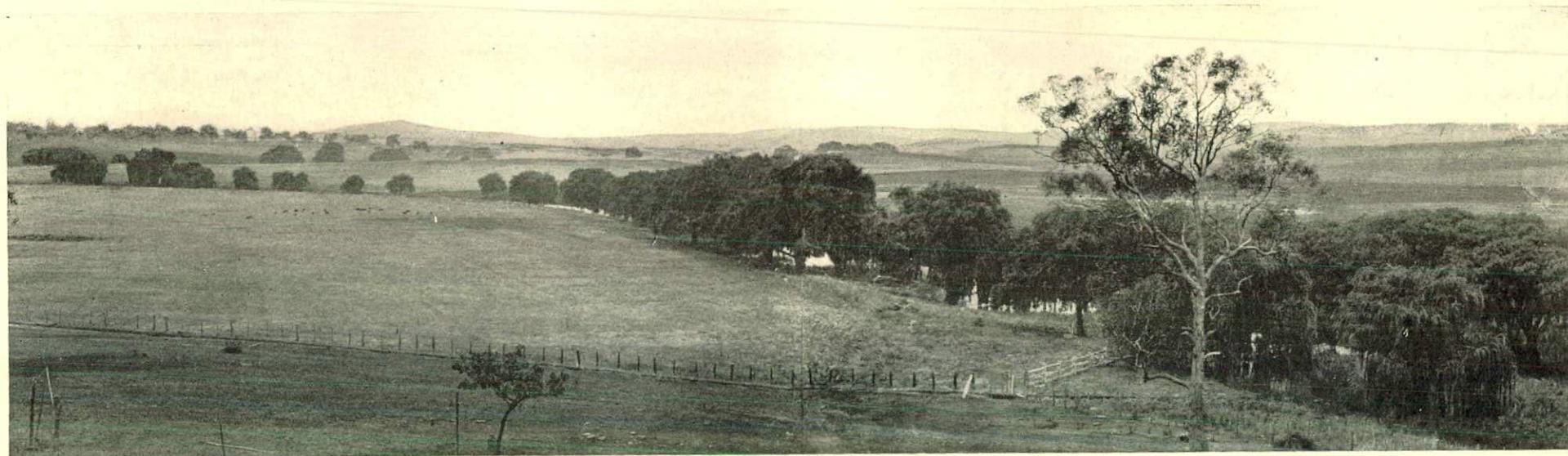
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YASS.—KENILWORTH STATION.



ALBURY.—PANORAMIC VIEWS.



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ARMIDALE CITY.



ARMIDALE.—MAIN STREET.



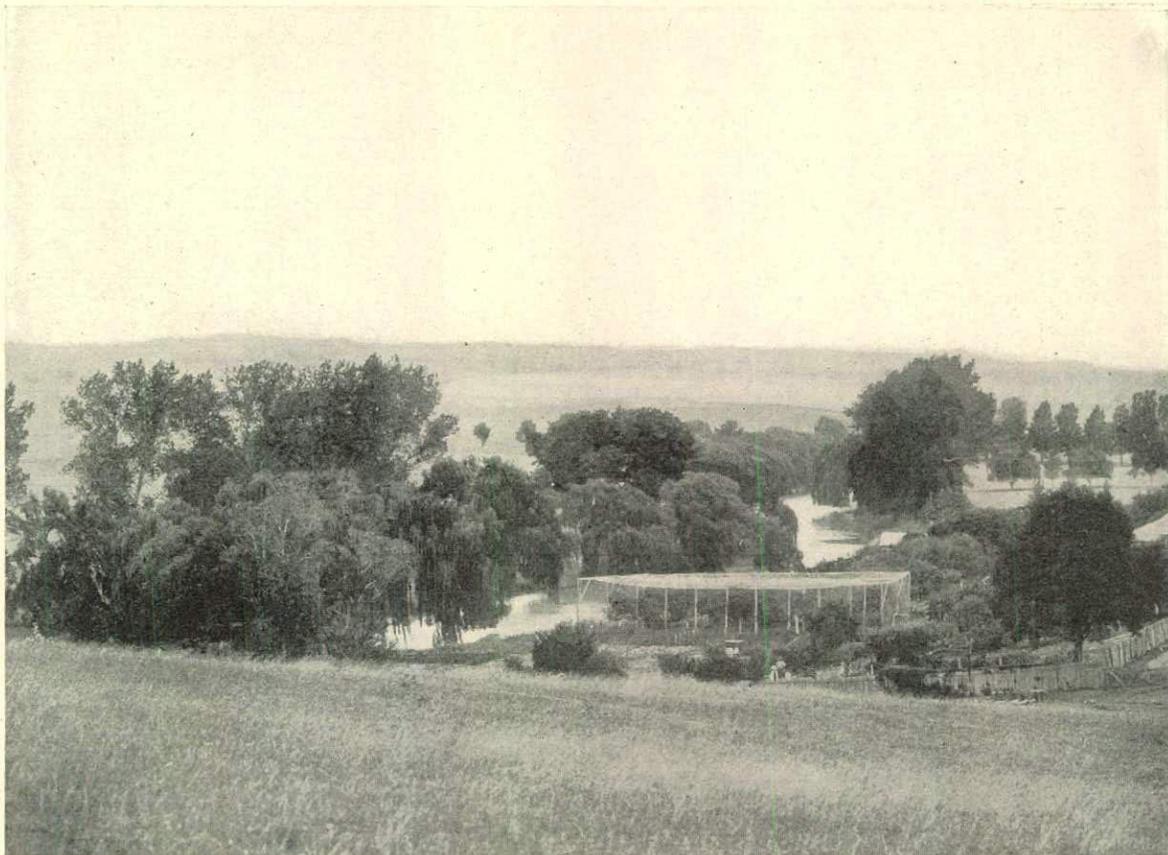
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ARMIDALE.—UPPER BACK CREEK FALL.



ARMIDALE.—UPPER JOCK'S FALL.



ARMIDALE.—SCENE ON DANGAR'S CREEK, GOSTWYCK



ARMIDALE.—DANGAR'S CREEK, SHOWING LUXURIANT FOLIAGE.



ARMIDALE.—AVENUE OF ELMS AT GOSTWYCK.



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ARMIDALE.—GOSTWYCK CREEK.



ARMIDALE.—EMU CREEK.



ARMIDALE.—FREEMAN'S FALL (UPPER).



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ARMIDALE.—SCENE AT GOSTWYCK.



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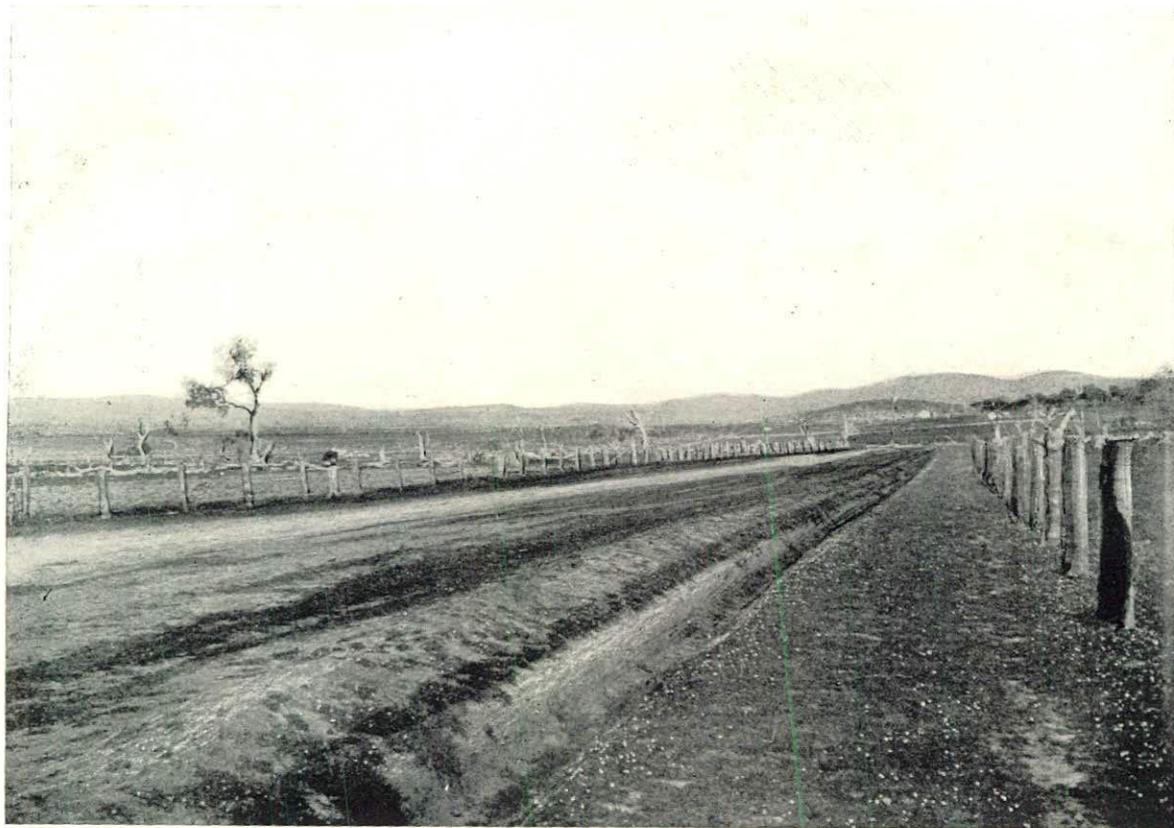
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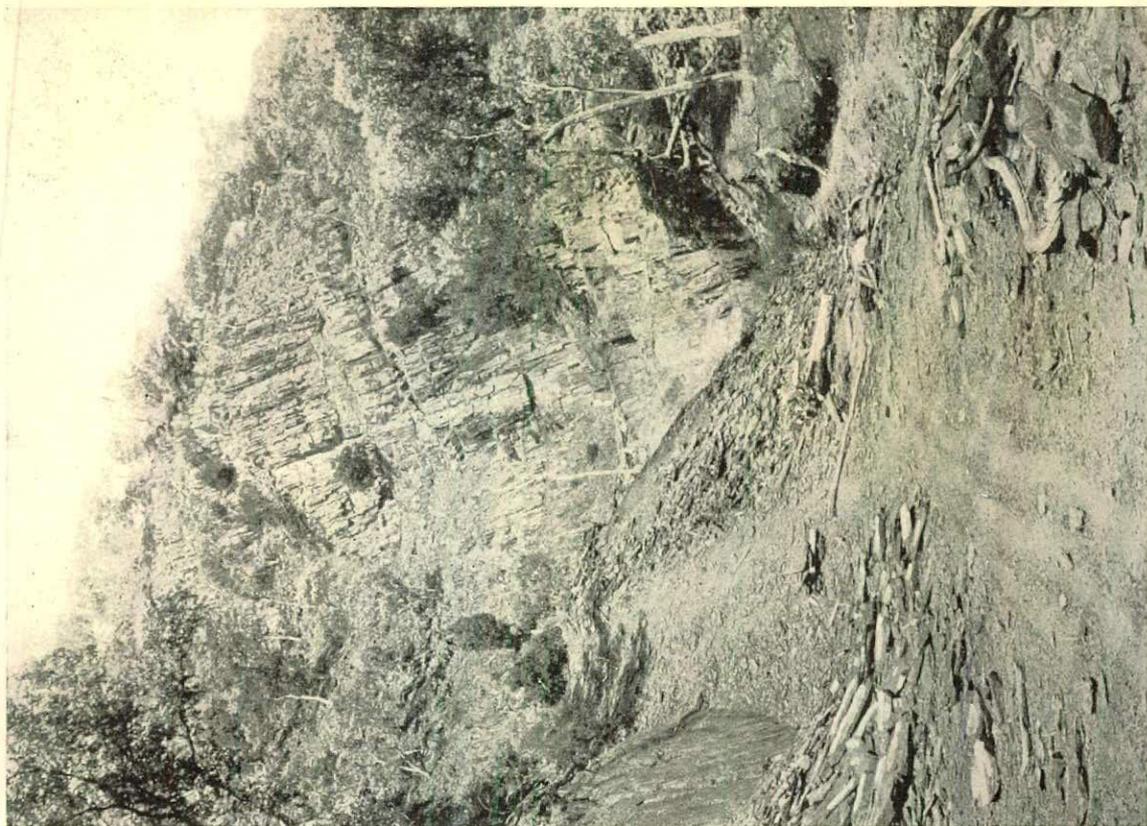
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GADARA.—No. 2 QUARRY ANOTHER VIEW, SHOWING TERRACE AND TOP OF SLATES AND MATERIAL TAKEN OUT.



GADARA.—No. 2 QUARRY, SHOWING SLATE MOUNTAIN AND ITS TERRACED PERPENDICULAR FRONT, GUNDAGAI, NEAR GADARA.



GADARA.—No. 2 QUARRY, ROADWAY INTO.



GADARA.—No 1 QUARRY, GENERAL VIEW.



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**FEDERAL CAPITAL SITE.**

(FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE RESPECTING.)

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COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

Sir, Department of External Affairs, Melbourne, 17 September, 1902.

I have the honor to forward, for your information, the subjoined copy of a resolution which was passed by the House of Representatives on the 10th September, viz. :—

“That, in the opinion of this House, it is desirable in the interest of human progress that the Government secure as Federal territory an area of land well-watered, healthily situated, and large enough to fully meet all probable requirements, and secure to the Commonwealth the benefits to accrue from the position of the capital, such area when secured to remain for ever the property of the Commonwealth; the ground only to be let to utilizers, all buildings to be erected under strict regulations, with due regard to public health and architectural beauty.”

I have, &c.,

ALFRED DEAKIN.

The Honorable the Premier of New South Wales, Sydney.

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Sir, Chief Secretary's Office, Sydney, 22 September, 1902.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th instant, embodying copy of a resolution which was passed by the House of Representatives on the 10th idem, on the subject of the Federal Capital.

I have, &c.,

JOHN SEE,

Premier and Chief Secretary.

The Honorable the Acting Prime Minister of the Commonwealth of Australia, Melbourne.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

## DETENTION OF FELT HATTERS ON BOARD THE R.M.S. "ORONTES."

(PAPERS RESPECTING.)

*Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 17 December, 1902.*

### Detention of Felt Hatters on board the R.M.S. "Orontes."

THE following was included in a cable—amongst other matters—received from the Agent-General, London, dated 11th December, 1902:—

"Exclusion of British workmen seriously affecting financial prospects."

*Hansard, 11th December, 1902.*

Detention of men in Sydney Harbour.

MR. HAYNES asked the COLONIAL SECRETARY,—(1.) Is it a fact that six subjects of the King, free men, are detained on a steamer in Sydney Harbour, and refused permission to land? (2.) If so, what action does the Government propose to take in the matter?

SIR JOHN SEE answered,—This is not a matter in which the State Government can take action. It is one which is governed by federal law. As far as my personal feelings are concerned, if I had to deal with the case, I should let these men land at once. I have no control over the federal law; but I think the Federal Government are entirely wrong in preventing these men from landing. An hon. member suggests that I should let them in, and take the consequences. If I could act from personal feeling alone, I should be prepared to break the law, even if I had to go to gaol. I have the strongest feeling that an Englishman—a Britisher, or any man living under our flag—should have the right to go to any part of the Empire without restriction, if he is a free citizen of our common kingdom, and I say that with very great respect. Whatever the legal technicalities may be, they should be waived, and the men ought to have the right to land.

*Later:*

MR. HAYNES: I desire to ask the Prime Minister a question with regard to the detention of the men on the "Orontes." I wish to ascertain if the hon. gentleman will state in accordance with the almost unanimous opinion of members in this Chamber that, if these men on board the "Orontes" are not liberated to-morrow, he, as the representative of the people in New South Wales, will see that these free-born Englishmen are liberated to-morrow by the State Government?

MR. WADDELL: We cannot commit a breach of the Constitution!

MR. ASHTON: If you can break the Constitution with regard to the fodder duties you can release the men on the "Orontes"!

MR. HAYNES: In response to the evidently unanimous desire of the House, and in conformity with the hon. member's expressed opinion, will he, as Prime Minister, say that, if these men are not liberated to-morrow, he will take action to see that they are liberated?

SIR JOHN SEE: This is not one of those matters to be trifled with. We have only got the police, and I do not want to bring the police into conflict with the military. If I had the military and the police, I would probably say at once I would allow these men to land. I give my hon. friend a promise to this effect: that I will immediately telegraph to the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth the disposition of this House with regard to the detention of these men, and ask that they be at once released.

Telegram from The Chief Secretary of New South Wales to The Prime Minister of the Commonwealth.

11 December, 1902.

SINCERELY hope your Government see fit release hatters on "Orontes" without further delay. Matter arousing intense dissatisfaction here.

JOHN SEE,  
Premier.

Telegram

Telegram from The Prime Minister of the Commonwealth to The Chief Secretary of  
New South Wales.

Bourke-street E, Melbourne, 11 December, 1902.

Your telegram. Men were prohibited immigrants within meaning of Act, and I had no option but to exclude unless and until exempted by me for special skill required in Australia. No application for exemption till yesterday. To-day Mr. Anderson and his solicitor brought statutory declarations before me, and will supplement their case to-morrow; this matter must, however, be dealt with according to law, and impartially. The duty is a plain one, and I intend to perform it, whether in the result the men prove they should be exempted or not.

EDMUND BARTON.

Copy of Cable Message despatched by The Chief Secretary to The Agent-General for  
New South Wales.

London, 12 December, 1902.

" \* \* \* \* Question excluding British workmen entirely Federal matter. Have protested strongly against action. Expect favourable decision to-day."

Telegram from The Chief Secretary of New South Wales to The Prime Minister of  
the Commonwealth.

12 December, 1902.

Just received cable from Agent-General that action taken to prevent landing British workmen seriously affecting financial prospect this State. Again strongly urge permission to land. Received your wire this morning.

JOHN SEE,  
Premier.

Extract from Cablegram to The Agent-General, London, dated 15th December, 1902.

"Felt hatters released Saturday."

Extract from Mr. Reid's Speech at West Maitland, 13th December, 1902, taken from  
*Daily Telegraph* of 15th idem.

THE SIX HATTERS.

THE Government that was ready to make the most undignified somersaults in the sphere of legislation, determined to make Six Hatters a test question of the stability of their action. It has a humorous side; it has another side. I suppose there has never been in the history of the British Empire an occurrence which will fill the British people throughout the whole of the dominions of the King with keener or more lasting disgust than that proceeding. (Loud cheers.) We are all prepared to sink doctrines in order to preserve the purity of our race—(cheers)—we are all prepared to go even further, and prevent ignorant persons in other parts, even of the United Kingdom itself, from being made the victims of avarice or greed or trickery by being seduced into contracts which are absolutely out of harmony with the conditions under which the people of Australia live. (Cheers.) The elementary principle which a statesman—nay, the mere business man—would observe in working a new and startling departure in legislation which affected the liberty of the subject and the integrity of British citizenship wherever the British flag flies—should be administration with discrimination. (Loud cheers.) The

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should not fall relentlessly upon first offenders—men who were ignorant of the law—men who came out here under most honorable conditions from trades union to trades union, on their highest rates of wages. (Cheers.) Sir Edmund Barton talks about the law; he must carry out the law. That is good enough, perhaps, when settlers are starving all over Australia, and when you have good crops—it is all right then, perhaps. (Loud laughter.) But there is a point at which the Australian people will never forget and never forgive, and that is when their statesmen filling high offices administer the laws so as to attract to Australia the ridicule and odium of the whole British Empire. (Loud cheers.) We are not now sitting in Parliament, or we should see what hidden spring has galvanised our leisurely Premier into action, the wrong way. (Cheers.)

INSTRUCTIONS FROM MELBOURNE.

The unfortunate hatters were entertained hospitably by the Melbourne hatters, who affectionately took their names, and examined their agreements. There was nothing in the countenances of these six Englishmen when they arrived in Port Jackson to show what despicable criminals and outlaws they were! (Laughter.) But our Customs officer was in this position—the six men had been sent over, and their names had been read by the Customs officer, consequently the first question he asked them was, "Are you not under contract with Mr. Anderson, the hat manufacturer?" And his instructions, I am informed, came from Melbourne. Melbourne sent the telegram which exposed Sydney to this disgrace. A more generous people does not exist in the world than the people of Melbourne and the people of Victoria. (Cheers.) And one of the strongest desires of my political life of the future will be to bring these two great and generous communities more and more closely together. (Loud cheers.) Wherever I went right through Victoria I got a degree of generous courtesy and hospitality which was just as creditable to them as men and protectionists as it was to me as a fiscal heretic in that land. (Hear, hear.) Don't think that I want to inflame any prejudice between these two great communities. It is not the act of all Melbourne, but someone in Melbourne, apparently an official in the Federal Service, who sent on this officious telegram which is the cause of all this ignominy.

NEW SOUTH WALES GOVERNMENT AT FAULT.

We have an Attorney-General in New South Wales who is supposed to be prepared to come forward when any human being within our limits is supposed to be illegally detained; who is supposed to step forward when any of our fellow-subjects are deprived of their liberty unlawfully! It is the Government of New South Wales. (Loud cheers.) But with that singular facility of placing himself in a ridiculous position

position, which is one of the marks of the exceptional brilliance of our Attorney-General, he publicly declares that in six hours anyone can get these men out. You have only, he says, to apply for a writ of habeas corpus, and the thing is done. (Hear, hear.) Why didn't he do it? (Loud and prolonged cheers.)

#### RIDICULOUS AND SILLY TALK.

Sir John See apologised because he was afraid that since he had only the police, and Sir Edmund Barton had the soldiers,—(laughter)—he might get the worst of it. (Laughter.) That is a fate which Sir John always carefully avoids when he can. (Laughter and cheers.) Is not such language calculated to justify the false opinion which prevails at the other end of the world in reference to things Australian? That a responsible Minister should indulge in such silly language was deplorable. It was the same over Dawes Point. The same calculation was carefully made as to the momentum of the man in blue and the man in red, and all over the world the wires flashed the news that Australia was on the brink of a bloody revolution. (Cheers.) Why should an ordinarily sane and intelligent community be held up to the ridicule of the civilised world in that way? (Loud and prolonged cheers.) If the Government, instead of talking, had simply set the law in motion, then if the Attorney-General is right in his law—which, of course, isn't likely—(loud laughter)—then the Government would have covered themselves with glory, and would have done one act which would have immortalised them. (Cheers.)

#### THE AMBITION OF MR. WISE.

But Mr. Wise is surrounded with difficulty. His ambition is not confined to a life of usefulness on the continent of Australia, and therefore he thought perhaps he had gone as far as he could in giving his advice, so that some other fellow might act upon it. (Laughter and cheers.) There is a clause in this Act which says that skilled workmen whose skill is wanted in Australia can be exempted by the Minister. (Hear, hear.) Isn't it too bad that if the people of New South Wales are loaded with these fiscal fetters, that if these heavy duties over all the necessaries of life are placed upon our comparatively free industry and commerce, isn't it too bad that men of enterprise amongst us, who wish to teach young Australia excellence in the arts of the craftsmen, are to be met with these abominable obstacles? (Renewed cheers.)

#### WHAT MELBOURNE INFLUENCE COULD HAVE DONE.

I'll guarantee that there is sufficient influence in Melbourne for this: that if these men had come out to the Hatters' Union in Victoria we would never have heard anything about it. (Loud laughter and prolonged cheers.) Surely, after enjoying this wonderful stimulus of industry, this patent political poison, for so many years, they might at least give the old Mother State a chance of learning something. And the Prime Minister, instead of waiting for this humiliating exhibition of red tape—(cheers)—his High Mightiness can't move, you see, until a manufacturer goes all the way from Sydney to Melbourne and prostrates himself before Sir Edmund Barton—(loud cheers)—should have, the moment he found the ridiculous position these men were in, flashed a message across the wires, "Let them go." (Tremendous cheering.) Then afterwards an indication might be made through the channels they possess of our laws in that respect. He might have made known all through the Empire what our laws are, and then, when men deliberately offended, it would be time to lay the iron hand of the law upon them.

#### ANOTHER DROP IN THE CUP.

It is said that there is a similar law in the United States. Well, they have many things in the United States that I hope we won't see here. (Cheers.) And, in spite of that statement, it is still the fact that batches of hatters are sent over by the Hatters' Union in England under contract to the United States, and they haven't been detained at Staten Island. (Hear, hear.) The incident is another drop in the cup which the Federal Ministers are making overflow. (Continued cheers.)

*Sydney Morning Herald, 16th December, 1902.*

#### THE FELT HATTERS.

Statement by the Premier.

*Reply to Mr. G. H. Reid, M.P.*

THE Premier, in the course of an interview yesterday with a *Herald* representative, expressed regret that Mr. G. H. Reid, M.P., in his Maitland speech on Saturday evening, saw fit to criticise in caustic terms his (Sir John See's) remarks in Parliament anent the action of the Federal Government in preventing the six felt hatters landing from the steamer "Orontes."

"No sensible person," observed the Premier, "could take Mr. Reid's complaint against the State Government seriously. He says that my remarks were 'silly.' My remarks were simply an expression of natural feeling that if it lay in my power I would do all I could to get the hatters released. That was my opinion then, and is my opinion still, because I felt that when the public read that these men were being detained at the port of Sydney, they would say the Government of New South Wales was to blame. I felt indignant at this, and said that if the matter rested with us we would employ the police and land the men. But in order to make it clear that it did not quite rest with us, I added jocularly that if we did the Federal Government would probably employ the military. It is too silly of Mr. Reid to endeavour to make party capital out of a remark of this kind. Then he blames the Government, because he says the Attorney-General ought to have moved for a habeas corpus. Well, I am not a lawyer myself, but I do know that the Attorney-General cannot move except upon an affidavit. He gave, however, a pretty strong hint to Mr. Anderson and the men concerned that if they were prepared to move he would take the necessary steps. I understand, however, from inquiry made at the Attorney-General's Department, that no application was made either by Mr. Anderson or by any of the hatters for the intervention of the Crown Law Office. I have no doubt that Mr. Anderson preferred to settle the matter amicably with the Federal Government, as he succeeded in doing. Had the Crown Law Office moved without being asked, they would simply have made themselves ridiculous."

The Attorney-General (Mr. B. R. Wise), on being questioned with regard to the matter, said he did not wish to express an opinion upon what had taken place.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

REPORT FROM THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON THE

COMMONWEALTH PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY  
RAILWAY BILL;

TOGETHER WITH THE

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE

AND

MINUTES OF EVIDENCE.

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EXTRACTS FROM THE VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE  
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

VOTES No. 38. TUESDAY, 26 AUGUST, 1902.

8. COMMONWEALTH PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY RAILWAY BILL:—The Order of the Day having been read,—Mr. E. M. Clark moved, "That" this Bill be now read a second time."  
Mr. Sleath moved, "That the Question be amended by leaving out all the words after the first word 'That' and inserting the words 'the Bill be referred to a select Committee for consideration and report.'"  
" (2.) That such Committee consist of Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Richards, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Quinn, and the Mover,"—instead thereof.  
Question proposed,—That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question.  
Debate ensued.  
Question,—That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question,—put and negatived.  
Question,—That the words proposed to be inserted in place of the words left out be so inserted,—put and passed.  
Question,—  
(1.) That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee for consideration and report.  
(2.) That such Committee consist of Mr. Quirk, Mr. Edden, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. W. F. Hurley, Mr. Hogue, Mr. Meagher, Mr. Richards, Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Quinn, and the Mover,—put and passed.

VOTES No. 41. TUESDAY, 2 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

3. COMMONWEALTH PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY RAILWAY BILL:—Mr. E. M. Clark presented a Petition from A. Schiedel, attorney for the Commonwealth Portland Cement Company (Limited), representing that the House had referred to a Select Committee the Commonwealth Portland Cement Company's Railway Bill, and praying that Petitioner may be represented by counsel or attorney before the said Committee, with the right to call, examine, and cross-examine witnesses.  
Petition received.  
Ordered to be referred to the Select Committee.

VOTES No. 51. WEDNESDAY, 24 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

2. COMMONWEALTH PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY RAILWAY BILL:—Mr. E. M. Clark, Acting Chairman, brought up the Report from, and laid upon the Table the Minutes of Proceedings of and Evidence taken before the Select Committee, for whose consideration and report this Bill was referred on 26th August, 1902, together with a copy of the Bill as agreed to by the Committee.  
Ordered to be printed.

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## COMMONWEALTH PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY RAILWAY BILL.

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**REPORT.**

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THE SELECT COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, for whose consideration and report was referred on 26th August, 1902, the "*Commonwealth Portland Cement Company Railway Bill*,"—beg to report to your Honourable House:—

That they have examined the witnesses named in the List\* (whose evidence will be found appended hereto), and carefully considered the Bill referred, in which it was not deemed necessary to make any amendment.

\* See list,  
p. 4.

Your Committee now beg to lay before your Honourable House the Bill as agreed to by them.

EDWARD M. CLARK,  
Acting Chairman.

No. 1 Committee Room,

Legislative Assembly,

24th September, 1902.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE.

THURSDAY, 28 AUGUST, 1902.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Sleath.	

Mr. Sleath called to the Chair.

Entry from Votes and Proceedings appointing the Committee *read* by the Clerk.

Ordered that Dr. August Scheidel be summoned to give evidence next meeting.

Adjourned till Wednesday *next*, at Two o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 3 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Sleath in the Chair.

Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Meagher,	Mr. Quirk.

Entry from Votes and Proceedings, referring the Petition of August Scheidel, Attorney for the Commonwealth Portland Cement Company (Limited), to the Committee, *read* by the Clerk.  
Original Petition before the Committee.

Resolved (*on motion of Mr. Edden*), that the prayer of the Petitioner be granted.E. P. Simpson, Esq. (*Solicitor, of the firm of Messrs. Minter, Simpson, & Co.*), appeared on behalf of August Scheidel; Attorney for the Commonwealth Portland Cement Company (Limited).

August Scheidel, Managing Director of the Commonwealth Portland Cement Company (Limited). called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness withdrew.

Adjourned till To-morrow at Three o'clock.

THURSDAY, 4 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Sleath in the Chair.

Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Quirk,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Meagher.	

E. P. Simpson, Esq. (*Solicitor of the firm of Messrs. Minter, Simpson, & Co.*), appeared on behalf of August Scheidel, Attorney for the Commonwealth Portland Cement Company (Limited).Hugh McLachlan (*Secretary to the Railway Commissioners*) called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness withdrew.

Adjourned till Tuesday *next*, at Three o'clock.

TUESDAY, 9 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Sleath in the Chair.

Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. W. F. Hurley,
Mr. Quirk.	

Committee deliberated.

Adjourned till Thursday *next*, at Two o'clock.

THURSDAY, 11 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Meagher.

In the absence of the Chairman, Mr. E. M. Clark called to the Chair.

Bill considered.

Clauses 1 to 10 read and *agreed to*.Schedule read and *agreed to*.Title read and *agreed to*.Preamble read and *agreed to*.

Chairman to report the Bill without amendment to the House.

WEDNESDAY, 24 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hogue,	Mr. Meagher.
Mr. Quirk.	

In the absence of the Chairman, Mr. E. M. Clark called to the Chair *pro tem*.

Resolved, on motion of Mr. Hogue,—That, in view of the absence of the Chairman, Mr. E. M. Clark be appointed to sign the Report in accordance with Standing Order, No. 371.

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MINUTES OF EVIDENCE

TAKEN BEFORE

THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON

COMMONWEALTH PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY  
RAILWAY BILL.

WEDNESDAY, 3 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

Present:—

MR. EDDEN,	MR. W. F. HURLEY,
MR. E. M. CLARK,	MR. QUIRK,
MR. MEAGHER,	MR. J. C. L. FITZPATRICK.

RICHARD SLEATH, ESQUIRE, IN THE CHAIR.

E. P. Simpson, Esq., Solicitor (of the firm of Messrs. Minter, Simpson, & Co.), appeared on behalf of Dr. August Scheidel, Managing Director and Attorney for the Commonwealth Portland Cement Company (Limited).

Dr. August Scheidel, sworn, and examined:—

1. *Chairman.*] I believe you are the manager of the Commonwealth Portland Cement Company? Yes; I am the managing, director, and attorney.
2. Where are the works situated? At Portland, on the Mudgee branch of the Western line, about 6 miles from Wallerawang.
3. With regard to the Bill which has been introduced and passed through the Legislative Council, I understand that you ask for permission to connect your works with the main line? I think it really means that they give us the right to cross two bush tracks.
4. Is not the real object of the Bill the connection of your works with the main line? Well, I do not know, because the line is, to a great extent, on freehold property, and the balance is on Crown land, which has been granted to us for railway purposes. I take it to mean that it is a question of crossing the public roads, for which, I understand, the permission of Parliament is necessary.
5. Still, the object of the Bill is to connect your works with the main line of railway? I daresay that ultimately it is so, because unless we are allowed to cross the roads the railway in itself will be of no use to us.
6. If you could not cross the roads you would not be able to connect with the main line? Exactly.
7. So that apart altogether from the land over which your railway goes being privately owned, the object of the Bill is to connect with the main line? Just so. I desire to exhibit a plan which will explain the situation. We want to connect our works, our quarries, and limekilns with Portland railway station. For that purpose we applied for the land marked blue on the plan, which has been granted to us. In building the line we had to cross a bush track leading to Cullen Bullen, and a bush track leading to the Portland railway station. Therefore, unless we have the right to cross the two tracks, the railway itself will be of no use to us.

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8. What is the distance from where the line leaves your freehold property to the railway station? About two-thirds of a mile, or somewhat less. But there is a good deal of rocky country, and when laying out the line we were compelled to intersect the road, and replace it by a bridge, which was built in accordance with the Public Works specifications for similar works. In order to give the Committee an idea of the traffic, I may state that, as far as I have been able to find out, the number of vehicles passing over the bridge which is being built going to Cullen Bullen and to the railway is five or six a day.

9. I suppose there is some pedestrian traffic, in view of the fact that the distance from the township to the railway station is only a little under a mile;—do not a great many of them walk? Yes; a large number of them use our railway line to walk upon.

10. Then, as a matter of fact, the railway is constructed? Yes.

11. Did it not occur to you that it would be necessary to obtain the sanction of Parliament before you built a railway for public purposes? Yes; I must confess it did occur to me, and, with your permission, I will explain why I did not wait for it. I know that, necessarily, discussions on a private Bill of this kind must take up time, and, unfortunately, we thought we could not wait for that. The reasons were these: I bought this property some few years ago for my London people, and I advised them to erect large works for the manufacture of Portland cement. They agreed to that, and they called me to England to discuss with them how to best set to work to do it. I went to England, and stayed there for eighteen months, and, with the assistance of my London directors, I selected the best plant for the purpose. This meant ordering about 2,000 tons of machinery and plant. The plant was ordered whilst I was at Home. Then I came out again to start to build the works. The works are rather extensive; they required 5,000,000 bricks, which I had to make; and whilst I was still building the works the machinery came along. For many months during the greater part of the year there was not a ship arriving in port which did not carry machinery for us. This machinery arrived in Sydney, and I could not possibly store it, because the charges would have been so high that they would have destroyed every possibility of making the concern a financial success. Therefore, I had to bring it up. The connection between the railway station and the site of our works was a bush track, and it was impossible to carry heavy machinery over it except at a prohibitive rate. I went to the Railway Commissioners and said, "Would you kindly permit me to store my plant, so far as it has arrived, inside your railway fence pending the construction of a line." They agreed. Then I asked them to give me the services of a railway engineer to advise me on the best line for our purpose. They could not give me a man, but they recommended one—the man who since actually did the work, Mr. Rhodes. I knew perfectly well, acting all the time under their advice, that the consent of Parliament would be required; but considering the urgency of my requirements, the fact that I wanted to erect my machinery and works, I took it upon my own responsibility to anticipate the consent of Parliament, taking it for granted that if Parliament inquired into the facts of the case it would certainly grant me the necessary permission. Although I have technically committed an offence, still I think I can depend upon Parliament granting me an indemnity. I may state that since starting the works I have spent upwards of £40,000 in wages alone. I find from the exact figures that I have spent in wages from the 15th December, 1900, to the 1st September of this year £44,939. In addition we have also spent on our plant about £69,000. We have laid out altogether £138,600 between plant, machinery, and buildings. That being the case, the Committee will probably understand that quickness of action was necessary. I quite confess that, from a Parliamentary standpoint, I may have made a mistake, perhaps even a gross mistake; but I think that the circumstances I have mentioned will be considered as mitigating ones. Having gone to the Railway Commissioners for the services of a railway engineer, I got him to survey the best line, and we found that whatever we did we would have to cross the two roads to which I have referred. I submitted the plans to the Railway Commissioners, and they were approved. There was no legal necessity for me to submit to the Railway Commissioners the plans of a private railway siding, because that is what it amounts to. It is only a shunting place; it is not a line for passenger or goods traffic—it is only for the purpose of shunting our goods upon the main line. I went to the Railway Commissioners, however, because I thought that on some future occasion, when our business increased, as I hope it will, we shall require the Government to come with their heavy engines over our siding, and to haul our trains out. We expect to do big business, and necessarily a small engine such as we have now would not be sufficient to cope with our requirements. Therefore, to all intents and purposes, I built the line on Government specifications. Then a question arose in regard to the two roads. I found that the Cullen Bullen track would be interrupted by a cutting, which meant the construction of a bridge to make it good again, and that the railway track meant a level crossing. In order that everything might be correct, I went to the Public Works Department, and asked them for a bridge design, and they gave it to me. In connection with any dealings I had with them they always said that it was subject to Parliamentary permission; therefore, there is no authority which has taken any responsibility off my shoulders. I confess that I am entirely to blame, if blame is attachable to our proceedings. I built the bridge, I crossed the roads, I put up signs, and I did everything to ensure the safety of the public. Our own traffic on the line is nothing gigantic; it is at the present moment about 50 tons a day. That is carried by our locomotive to the siding in three trips. It is not, therefore, like a suburban line, with one train following the other in quick succession; it is nothing but a siding, and the name of "railway" is a misnomer. It gives the impression of a gigantic thing, which, as a matter of fact, it is not.

12. I suppose the trains do not travel at a terrific rate either? No.

13. They do not reach 60 miles an hour? I dare say that, on an average, it takes us ten minutes to cover a mile, which is a slow speed.

14. I suppose you are aware of the position Parliament would place itself in if it did not take some notice of this work having first been carried out and Parliamentary sanction asked in regard to it afterwards? Yes, I see that; and the only excuse is the enormous delay which would have occurred. I am sure that Parliament could not have carried on the matter quicker than it has done.

15. *Mr. Edden.*] How long is it since you started with the work? On the 1st January, 1901—about twenty months ago. The construction of the work would have been delayed by twenty months; meanwhile upwards of £60,000 worth of plant would have been lying idle, and the £44,000 which I have distributed in the form of wages would not have been distributed. It may be said that it would have been distributed later on. It would, and perhaps it would not; but still, the sooner I started the work the sooner I completed it, the quicker I commenced manufacturing, and the sooner I paid the permanent staff their wages.

Dr. A.  
Scheidel.

3 Sept., 1862.

16. How many men have you employed there now? One hundred and fifty-nine.
17. You state that the line is in use? Yes.
18. Were you under the impression that you did not require to ask for permission to cross the roads? I knew it; in fact, my solicitor was requested to immediately take the necessary steps of bringing before Parliament a private Bill. There has been delay, however, in connection with the Bill, because, when it went through the Upper House, the recess came on, and the measure had to be revived this Session.
19. *Mr. E. M. Clark.*] In connection with all you have done you have consulted the Railway Commissioners? Yes; they have been informed of every step I have taken. In order to give you an idea of how urgent I considered the whole matter, I may tell you that for some time nearly every steamer arriving carried machinery for us, and 500 tons of it were lying at the Railway Commissioners Portland siding, with more to come up the coast. I had no means at that time of communication between the Portland railway station and the works. I thereupon asked the Railway Commissioners whether they could sell me some rails, and they said "No."
20. Something was said in the House to the effect that the Railway Commissioners had provided you with rails for the construction of the railway? No. The Railway Commissioners said that they had not any. Then I went to the Public Works Department, and it is that Department which kindly lent me the rails. They said at the time that they could not sell them, but that they would lend them. I have a copy of the agreement in reference to the matter.
21. Were they new rails? Yes; 60-lb. new rails.
22. Are you cabling Home for similar rails to put in their place? Yes; I did cable.
23. You do not propose to take those up which you have put down? No; but I replaced them. A contract was made to the effect that the rails we got from Home should be supplied under Government specification and approved of at Home by the consulting engineer, and that has been done. We had to pay his fee, as well as the cabled instructions which that gentleman received to pass the rails in England. When they came they were cleared by the Government, and we paid whatever charges were on them, and the business was finally settled. We are greatly indebted to them for having lent us the rails, because we saved three months' time.
24. *Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.*] Then you are under no obligation at the present time to the Department? No; no further than one man is to another who has helped him out of a hole. In other words, we have paid for everything we have got.
25. *Chairman.*] Have you read the evidence of the Secretary to the Railway Commissioners, given before the Select Committee of the Legislative Council? Yes.
26. Have you any objection to the Bill being altered to meet his views? No. What the Secretary for Railways said has already been carried out, in so far as the Railway Commissioners themselves have established a junction between the siding and their own line at our expense. We paid for the work inside their own fence, amounting to about £800. Perhaps there may be no occasion to make the alteration in the Bill, because the work has been done with their consent, and under their supervision.
27. The Secretary to the Railway Commissioners points out that no doubt the company would consult the Railway Commissioners? Yes. I may state that the siding was not constructed when the Bill was before the Select Committee of the Upper House, but it has been constructed since.
28. That being so, there can be no objection to having the words inserted? No; there is no objection whatever, so far as I can see.
29. There is no objection, because the siding has already been constructed? Yes; on their own plans.
30. And you have consulted the Railway Commissioners, of course? Yes.
31. *Mr. Edden.*] The siding which the Secretary for Railways speaks of is completed? Yes. I will read the following communication which I received on the 6th June from Mr. McLachlan:—
- Enclosed please find a tracing of the siding accommodation in connection with your company's works at Portland. The tracing has been made in compliance with the request made by you when last at this office.
32. *Chairman.*] If your works go on increasing, as we hope they will, and you want to construct another siding, you would, of course, consult the Railway Commissioners? We should take no step in railway matters without consulting them.
33. It might, perhaps, be as well to have the alteration made in the Bill as a matter of form;—it would not affect you in any way? That is so.
34. You do not ask for permission to carry passengers? No; we should not have the opportunity. We have no passenger coaches.
35. At any rate, the passenger traffic at the present time would not be very heavy? No. I could not possibly run a train to connect with the train at the Mudgee line for Sydney. There is only one train a day, and it comes in late, and there is no traffic to Sydney which would warrant anything of the kind.
36. *Mr. Edden.*] How many people live in the town? About 600.
37. Are they near to the works? Yes.
38. What communication have they with the railway? They have the road. They are mostly working men connected with our works.
39. Are there any storckeeper in the place? Yes, there are two.
40. These private Railway Bills, as a rule, make provision whereby companies can carry both passengers and merchandise;—the question arises as to whether there is a possibility of the population so increasing as to necessitate the construction of a railway line up to the town? I may state that the time taken in travelling over the road on foot, and by means of our line to the railway station, is something in favour of walking. I myself walk. I would not think of using the railway to take me to the train. The train leaves at 11:30 p.m.
41. Then you do not look upon this as a railway, but as a siding? That is so; it is nothing but a siding.
42. As a rule, in Bills of this kind, there is a provision that the Railway Commissioners have power to purchase at any time they like;—that is not in this Bill? This is only a siding, commencing at our works and joining the main line.
43. I only mention the matter, because it was brought up in the House during the debate? Just so. This is described as a Railway Bill, whereas, as a matter of fact, it is really a Railway Siding Bill.
44. In one sense it is a railway all the same, and you run engines upon it? Yes; it is a short shunting track—that is what it amounts to.
45. *Chairman.*] Of course, it is only natural that you would keep the line in a proper state of repair in your own interest? Yes.

Dr. A.  
Scheidel.  
3 Sept., 1902.

46. *Mr. Edden.*] Have the Railway Commissioners any engines upon it? No. I am building some branch lines which will take the coal to the boilers, and only when they are entirely completed am I going to ask them to do that.

47. *Chairman.*] Of course, the Railway Commissioners will not run their stock over it unless the road is kept in a proper state of repair? Quite so.

48. *Mr. Meagher.*] I suppose the company's works are really *in embryo* at the present time, and that your output is small compared with what it will be? Yes; the works are laid out so that they can be enlarged without interrupting work. The buildings are really much larger than the present plant warrants.

49. The only point which I want to be clear about is this: that when you are supplying the needs of the company you will require to have a considerably improved permanent way, rolling stock, and everything else? We propose to use the Government rolling stock on our track. When it is ready, it will, to all intents, be a Government road, as far as solidity of construction is concerned. I do not like to say anything disparaging to railroads in general, but I know that the line we have constructed for nearly £13,000, for a little more than a mile, is as well constructed as any in the State.

50. *Mr. Edden.*] It should, unless it is all tunnelling? There is a big cutting, and a large embankment. We have everything in good order. Fettlers are constantly looking after the line. It is an expensive means of communication between the works and the railway, but there is no other. Unless we can get our goods away we cannot manufacture them.

51. *Mr. Meagher.*] If the population increases about there, I suppose that the most expeditious way for the people to get to the main line would be by means of your railway? The terminus is in the very heart of the town.

52. But that is not shown by the plan? The plan does not show the railway through the freehold ground.

53. What is the area of your leasehold? Our railway land is 15 acres.

54. In connection with the Cobar Copper-mining Company's Railway Bill, that company, as far as I can understand, had to make only a short connectfon, similar to yours, in order that the produce of the mine might be conveyed to the Great Western Railway; are you aware that in connection with that company's Bill the Legislative Council inserted a proviso that the Government could resume the line; the wording of the section is as follows:—

At any time, after two years from the passing of this Act, the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, may, if he think fit, purchase such tramway, upon giving to the said promoters, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, six months' notice, in writing, of his intention to do so. If the amount tendered for the purchase of the property be considered inadequate by the said promoters, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, the amount shall be ascertained by assessment in terms of the Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act and the Acts amending the same: Provided that in no case shall the amount of purchase money exceed the cost of constructing the work.

55. Is there any objection to a similar clause being inserted in your Bill? [*This question was not answered, in view of the statement by the Solicitor to the Bill that it was his intention to produce the company's lease of the area upon which the railway siding is built.*]

THURSDAY, 4 SEPTEMBER, 1902.

Present:—

MR. E. M. CLARK,  
MR. EDDEN,

MR. J. C. L. FITZPATRICK,  
MR. R. D. MEAGHER,

MR. QUIRK.

RICHARD SLEATH, Esq., IN THE CHAIR.

Hugh McLachlan, Secretary to the Railway Commissioners, sworn, and examined:—

H.  
McLachlan.  
4 Sept., 1902.

56. *Chairman.*] In the evidence you gave before the Select Committee of the Legislative Council, you suggested one or two amendments in the Bill? Yes.

57. Are you still of the same opinion in regard to those amendments? Yes. I do not think there is much prospect of our requiring the line; but it is always a good thing to go to the extreme when a private line is put down. I think it is a wise thing in connection with any private Bill of this kind to make a provision to the effect that the Government should have power to resume. Before the Select Committee of the Legislative Council, I suggested that the works should be more definitely located. In connection with private lines, we always try to guard against there being any extension which might make them competitors with the Government railways. Personally, the Commissioners are warmly in favour of the line itself. I think the expression "new works" is rather indefinite, inasmuch as they be 10 miles out. It is, however, a matter of detail.

58. You think it is wise to retain as much power as possible, although it may never be used? Quite so.

59. Circumstances which are not at present apparent might arise under which it would be in the interests of the policy of the Government in connection with railway construction to resume the line? Yes. I may state that, in connection with one or two private Bills, I have suggested the addition of a clause to the effect that, in the event of a line being abandoned, it should become the property of the Government for this reason: One or two lines might be abandoned in mining districts. The rails might be left on the road, and they would belong to nobody, and the Government would not care to take them up. It is, therefore, wise to provide that, in the event of the company giving up and the line falling into disuse, it shall become the property of the Government without compensation.

60. In connection with the Cobar to The Peak line, I believe there is a provision for purchasing? Yes.

61. I think the Bill also provides that should the line be resumed the compensation will not exceed the original cost? I did not know that was in the Cobar Bill. That, however, should be done or the compensation should be ascertained under the provision which already exists in the Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act.

H.  
McLachlan.  
4 Sept., 1902.

62. *Mr. Meagher.*] The Cobar Company's Act provides that compensation shall be assessed under the Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act, but the maximum is never more than the cost of the line? I think so.
63. *Chairman.*] If the line were resumed at any time, I do not suppose the Railway Commissioners would pay £13,000 for it, and leave it to lie idle? No. I may say that I do not see any prospect of resumption. As a matter of fact, there are lots of other private lines which are not likely to be resumed, but it is a good thing to be on the safe side.
64. And if it is resumed, it is not likely that the Railway Commissioners would in any way injure the company by imposing excessive rates? No. Of course, it would be to our interest to encourage the company by all possible means, because those works in the country are worth a great deal to us. One hundred men at a place like Portland are worth more than 100 men about Sydney, because we get the business and there is no competing line. We must get all the business which comes to or from Portland.
65. Of course, if you wished to impose heavy freights upon the company you could do so? Yes; but, as a matter of fact, the Commissioners have already told the company that they are prepared to meet them in a very liberal way in order to encourage the industry.
66. So that even should the unexpected happen, and the Railway Commissioners recommend the resumption, there would be no danger to the company in consequence? I think not.
67. The policy of the Railway Commissioners has been to encourage trade in the country by imposing as moderate freight rates as possible? Yes; it is to their interest as business men to do so.
68. And you are of opinion that it would be wise to have the provision to which you have referred inserted in the Bill? Yes.
69. Although it may never be wanted? Yes.
70. *Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick.*] When you were before the Select Committee of the Legislative Council you were asked a question in reference to some difficulty which existed at that time regarding a siding;—I believe that work has since been completed by the company? Yes, to our satisfaction.
71. *Mr. Edden.*] Has everything been done to your satisfaction? Yes.
72. *Chairman.*] When before the Select Committee of the Legislative Council you referred to a clause in the Bill which states that it is provided that it shall be lawful for the company to effect a junction with the Mudgee railway;—then you go on to say that no doubt the company would consult the Railway Commissioners, but the Railway Commissioners think the Bill should make it compulsory for the company to consult them on the subject? Yes.
73. Supposing they wanted to effect another junction, whilst there is no doubt the company would consult the Railway Commissioners, still you think it would be advisable to have a slight amendment in the Bill? I think the Bill does not give them power to make the junction without consulting us. The other arrangements are all right. Under clause 6 they are not allowed to enter land, Commissioners' property, without permission.
74. *Mr. Simpson.*] It has been suggested that there should be some clause in the Bill giving the Crown the right to take over the railway in the event of abandonment? Yes.
75. Of course, you understand that these industries frequently fail for a time, and may have to be revived and reconstructed? On that point I may say that, in connection with some other Bill some years ago, I suggested the insertion of a clause to meet a case like that in the event of a line not being worked for a period of three years.
76. *Mr. Meagher.*] A number of private companies have laid down lines;—have you insisted upon this provision in connection with the whole of them? I think we have, regarding resumptions. Every time I have been before the Select Committee I have suggested it, if it has not already been in the Bill.
77. We were told yesterday that the line practically runs into the face of the cliff, so that there would not be much probability of extension? It is a good thing to have a standard in regard to private lines, because you never know what may turn up.



1902.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

COMMONWEALTH PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY  
RAILWAY BILL.

(PETITION FROM A. SCHIEDEL, PRAYING FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR BEFORE SELECT COMMITTEE BY COUNSEL OR ATTORNEY, AND TO EXAMINE AND CROSS-EXAMINE WITNESSES.)

*Received by the Legislative Assembly, 2 September, 1902.*

To the Honorable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, in Parliament assembled.

The Petition of the Commonwealth Portland Cement Company (Limited),—

HUMBLY SHOWETH:—

(1.) That on the twenty-sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and two, your Honorable House referred to a Select Committee a Bill then before your Honorable House, known as "The Commonwealth Portland Cement Company's Railway Bill."

(2.) That your Petitioners humbly pray that they may be represented by counsel or attorney before the said Select Committee, with the right to call witnesses and adduce evidence, and to examine and cross-examine such witnesses as may give evidence before the said Select Committee.

And your Petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray, &c.

Dated this 28th day of August, one thousand nine hundred and two.

The Commonwealth Portland Cement Company (Limited), by its Attorney,  
A. SCHIEDEL.



1902.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

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REPORT FROM THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON

NORTH SYDNEY BRICK AND TILE COMPANY'S  
TRAMWAY BILL ;

TOGETHER WITH THE

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE

AND

MINUTES OF EVIDENCE.

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EXTRACTS FROM THE VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE  
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VOTES No. 70. THURSDAY, 6TH NOVEMBER, 1902.

4. NORTH SYDNEY BRICK AND TILE COMPANY'S TRAMWAY BILL (*Formal Motion*):—Mr. Frank Farnell moved, pursuant to Notice,—
- (1.) That the North Sydney Brick and Tile Company's Tramway Bill be referred to a Select Committee for consideration and report.
- (2.) That such Committee consist of Mr. Nobbs, Mr. Davidson, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Dick, Mr. Edden, Mr. Nicholson, and the Mover.
- Question put and passed.
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VOTES No. 78. THURSDAY, 13TH NOVEMBER, 1902.

15. NORTH SYDNEY BRICK AND TILE COMPANY'S TRAMWAY BILL:—Mr. Frank Farnell, as Chairman, brought up the Report from, and laid upon the Table the Minutes of Proceedings of, and Evidence taken before, the Select Committee for whose consideration and report this Bill was referred on 6th November, 1902, together with a copy of the Bill as amended and agreed to by the Committee. Ordered to be printed.
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**NORTH SYDNEY BRICK AND TILE COMPANY'S TRAMWAY BILL.**

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**REPORT.**

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THE SELECT COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, for whose consideration and report was referred, on 6th November, 1902, "*North Sydney Brick and Tile Company's Tramway Bill*,"—beg to report to your Honorable House:—

That they have examined the witnesses named in the \*List (whose evidence See List, p. 4. will be found appended hereto), and that the Preamble having been satisfactorily proved to your Committee, they proceeded to consider the Bill, in which it was deemed necessary to make certain amendments.

Your Committee now beg to lay before your Honorable House the Bill as amended by them.

FRANK FARNELL,  
Chairman.

No. 1 Committee Room,  
*Legislative Assembly,*  
13th November, 1902.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE.

TUESDAY, 11 NOVEMBER, 1902.

MEMBER PRESENT:—

Mr. Frank Farnell.

In the absence of a quorum, the meeting called for this day lapsed.

WEDNESDAY, 12 NOVEMBER, 1902.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. E. M. Clark,

Mr. Frank Farnell.

Mr. Edden,

Mr. Frank Farnell called to the Chair.

Entry from Votes and Proceedings appointing the Committee read by the Clerk.

Printed copies of the Bill referred, together with the original Petition to introduce same, before the Committee.

John Stinson, Esq. (*Messrs. Pigott and Stinson, solicitors*), appeared on behalf of the promoters of the Bill.Hugh McLachlan (*Secretary to the Railway Commissioners*) called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness withdrew.

Alfred Arthur Copland Bastian (*Council Clerk, Borough of Willoughby*) called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness withdrew.

Adjourned till to-morrow, at Two o'clock.

THURSDAY, 13 NOVEMBER, 1902.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Frank Farnell in the Chair.

Mr. Anderson,

Mr. E. M. Clark,

Mr. Edden,

Mr. Nobbs.

Mr. Henry Clarke,

Mr. Davidson,

Mr. Nicholson,

John Stinson, Esq. (*Messrs. Pigott and Stinson, Solicitors*), appeared on behalf of the Promoters of the Bill.

John Bede Magney called in, sworn, and examined.

Room cleared.—Preamble considered.

Question,—“That this Preamble stand part of the Bill,”—put and passed.

Parties called in and informed.

Bill considered.

Clause 1 read, amended,\* and agreed to.

Clauses 2 to 11 read and agreed to.

Clause 7 reconsidered, amended,\* and agreed to.

New clauses to follow clause 8 read and agreed to.

Title read and agreed to.

Chairman to report the Bill with amendments to the House.

\* See Schedule amendments

## SCHEDULE OF AMENDMENTS.

Page 2, clause 1, line 28.	Before “feet” insert “eight”
„ 2, „ 1, „ 30.	Before “feet” insert “eight”
„ 2, „ 1, „ 30.	After “feet” add “And all plans, tracings, and specifications of the said tramway shall first be submitted to and approved by the said Commissioners so far as any part thereof shall affect or concern the property of the said Commissioners. All works necessary in connection with the junction of railway line to be done by the Railway Commissioners at the expense of the said John Bede Magney, Herbert Oswin Weynton, and Edward Robert Lanceley.”
„ 3, „ 7, lines 26 to 28.	Omit “without this is necessary for making the junction and inter-communication between the said railway and the said tramway.”

Insert

*Insert the following new clauses to follow clause 8:—*

9. In the event of the said John Bede Magney, Herbert Oswin Weynton, and Edward Robert Lanceley neglecting to work the said tramway for a continuous period of two years, then all material and plant belonging thereto which shall be or lie within the boundaries of the land owned by the Railway Commissioners, shall, at the expiration of the said term of two years, be and become the absolute property of the said Commissioners, who shall have the power to take up, remove, and dispose of the same as they may think fit.

In case of neglect to use tramway, certain material to become the property of the Railway Commissioners.

10. At any time after ten years from the passing of this Act, the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, may, if he think fit, purchase such tramway upon giving to the said John Bede Magney, Herbert Oswin Weynton, and Edward Robert Lanceley six months' notice in writing of his intention so to do; if the amount tendered for the purchase of the property be considered inadequate by the said John Bede Magney, Herbert Oswin Weynton, and Edward Robert Lanceley, the amount shall be ascertained by assessment in terms of the "Public Lands Acquisition Act."

Right of Crown to acquire tramway.

11. The said John Bede Magney, Herbert Oswin Weynton, and Edward Robert Lanceley shall not be entitled to any of the rights and privileges conferred upon them by this Act unless they shall have commenced the said tramway within the period of six months and completed the same within the period of two years from the passing of this Act.

Rights to lapse if works not carried out.

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MINUTES OF EVIDENCE

TAKEN BEFORE

THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON THE

NORTH SYDNEY BRICK AND TILE COMPANY'S  
TRAMWAY BILL.

WEDNESDAY, 12 NOVEMBER, 1902.

Present:—

MR. E. M. CLARK,

MR. EDDEN.

FRANK FARNELL, ESQ., IN THE CHAIR.

John Stinson, Esq. (Messrs. Pigott and Stinson), appeared as solicitor for the promoters of the Bill.

Hugh McLachlan, Secretary to the Railway Commissioners, sworn and examined:—

H.  
McLachlan,  
Esq.  
12 Nov., 1902.

1. *Chairman.*] Have you had an opportunity of perusing the Bill under consideration? Yes. I may say that, generally speaking, the Commissioners support the Bill. There were a few amendments they wished to be made in the Bill. Mr. Stinson and Mr. Magney kindly came down to my office yesterday and facilitated the matter by going through the Bill with me, and what the Commissioners suggested they have agreed to put in the Bill. The suggested provisions are to this effect:—That the Commissioners should approve of all plans and works in connection with the junction of the tramway with the railway; that the Company should not have power to enter on our land and touch our works without the previous consent in writing of the Commissioners; that the working and management of signals should be under our control but paid for by the Company; that there should be a certain time stated within which the Company should commence the work, and also a certain time stated within which they must finish it; that if they did not work the tramway for a certain time the Commissioners should have power to take possession of the junction arrangements. I have also suggested the insertion of a clause, usually inserted in Bills of this kind, in regard to the Government having power to resume, though, perhaps, it may never be exercised. The Company have agreed to those conditions; and subject to those conditions being added the Commissioners agree to the Bill. I think it is wise to put in those conditions in the interest of the general public as well as of the Railway Commissioners.
2. This is a matter that the Railway Commissioners would not be prepared to undertake themselves, but would rather leave it in the hands of the Company? Yes.
3. *Mr. Edden.*] Would it pay the Railway Commissioners to take it into their own hands? Well, it is only a short length siding leading to the Company's works. It is not to be used for public purposes, but is to be purely a private siding to private works, to facilitate traffic between them and the railway.
4. You know the locality of the works? Yes.
5. Is there any possibility of the tramway line being extended beyond the works? There is no power provided in the Bill for that.

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Alfred

Alfred Arthur Copland Bastian, Council Clerk, Willoughby, sworn and examined:—

6. *Chairman.*] Have you had an opportunity of perusing the Bill? Yes, I have perused it.
7. What is the view your Council take of the Bill? The Council raise no objection to the Bill, but have no power to give permission for the construction of the tramway. They have requested that provision be made in the Bill indemnifying them from any probable action.
8. Has that provision been put in the Bill? I have not seen it in yet, but I understand from a private talk with Mr. Stinson that that indemnification necessarily follows the passing of the Bill.
9. The proposed construction of the tramway has been advertised for a considerable time, and no objection has been raised to it, either by the Council or by any individuals? No objection at all.
10. As a matter of fact it affects the Council only as far as the crossing of Herbert-street is concerned? Yes; that is a 66-feet street. Messrs. Piggott and Stinson stated that the preamble to the Bill said that the Council consented to the construction of the proposed tramway across Herbert-street, but the Council said we had not power to give such permission, but made no objection.
11. *Mr. Edden.*] You wished some provision to be inserted in the Bill indemnifying the Council from any probable action owing to the tramway crossing Herbert-street? Yes.
12. *Mr. E. M. Clark.*] This tramway, I understand, will simply cross a street called Herbert-street;—is that an aligned road? Yes.
13. Is it a road that is much in use;—it leads, I think, to the hospital, or pretty well in that direction? One end is practically closed,—the Gordon-road end. It has not been fully opened up. There were some negotiations with the Railway Commissioners and the hospital authorities with the view of opening it up the full width, but there is a width of only 33 feet there at present, though Herbert-street is a 66-feet street.
14. It is a road extensively used? It is used practically by all people carting bricks to the railway station.
15. There are other brick-yards in the neighbourhood? One more.
16. And that brick-yard would have to use Herbert-street largely? I cannot say exactly, but I think that they use Reserve-road.
17. Herbert-street is also used for pedestrian traffic? Yes.
18. Are the Council quite satisfied that the Company should keep in repair only a space of 1 foot 6 inches on each side of their tram rails in Herbert-street; are the Council prepared to take all the other responsibility of work in Herbert-street beyond 18 inches on each side of the line;—clause 4 of the Bill says:

The said John Bede Magney, Herbert Oswin Weynton, and Edward Robert Lanceley shall maintain in perfect order and repair the said tramway and the space between the rails of the said tramway, and for the space of 1 foot 6 inches on each side of such rails where the said tramway crosses the said street.

—that means that the Company shall keep in repair only 1 foot 6 inches on each side of their rails, and that the Council take all the rest of the responsibility;—are the Council prepared to do that? The Council are responsible for the whole of the road at present.

19. And they are prepared to continue the responsibility for the whole of the road? Yes; they cannot get out of it.
20. Although you said that they want a clause inserted in the Bill that would indemnify them altogether from any action? Any action on account of the tramway. But they do not want to get out of their responsibility for maintaining the balance of the street.
21. You think that the Council, notwithstanding what extra traffic there might be upon it, are quite willing to maintain the road outside the ordinary width of the rails? There has been no question raised regarding that. The Council were asked to give their consent to the Bill, and decided not to consent, and to raise no objection to it, but had not power to give permission for the tramway to go across the street.
22. The question of street maintenance was not discussed, but only the question as to whether the Company should be allowed to cross the street or not? Yes.
23. *Mr. Stinson.*] As a matter of fact, would not the construction of this tramway across that street relieve the street of a great deal of heavy traffic that goes over it at present—brick-carting and that kind of thing? Of course, if the tramway went directly into the works, the very fact of taking the bricks from the works to the railway line over the tramway line must relieve us of the carting of all those bricks on that road and other roads.
24. And to that extent it would be of great advantage to the borough? Yes, it must be.

THURSDAY, 13 NOVEMBER, 1902.

Present:—

MR. ANDERSON,  
MR. E. M. CLARK,  
MR. HENRY CLARKE,

MR. DAVIDSON,  
MR. EDDEN,  
MR. NOBBS.

FRANK FARNELL, Esq., IN THE CHAIR.

John Stinson (Messrs. Piggott and Stinson) appeared as solicitor for the promoters for the Bill.

John Bede Magney sworn and examined:—

25. *Chairman.*] You are one of the gentlemen who are applying for leave to construct this short section of tramway? Yes.
26. *Mr. Stinson.*] I believe you are carrying on these works in conjunction with two partners, Mr. Weynton and Mr. Lanceley, under the name of the North Sydney Brick and Tile Company? Yes.
27. You have established works on land abutting on Herbert-street, Willoughby? Yes.
28. I believe you have rather extensive brick works there now? Yes.
29. And employ a large number of hands? Yes.
30. In order to facilitate communication between your works and the Milson's Point Railway, it would be a very great convenience to you, and of advantage to the neighbourhood, if you could construct this tramway? Yes.

- J. B. Magney. 31. Will you give the Committee an idea of what advantage it would be to your works, and how it would facilitate the conduct of your business? To have this tramway junctioning with the railway would enable us to send bricks by that railway by means of trucks coming into our yard, and saving cartage from the works to the railway, and also saving the cartage of fuel, consisting of coal and wood, from the railway to the works.
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32. Do you think that that would largely benefit the public in your neighbourhood, and also those whom you supply with bricks? Not exactly in the neighbourhood, but along the Milson's Point and other railway lines for some distance—at least 100 miles.
33. You send your products to various places along the railway lines? Yes.
34. In constructing this proposed tramway it would be necessary to cross Herbert-street at a certain point near the railway? Yes.
35. You do not propose to run the tramway along that street but merely to cross it, almost at right angles? Yes, that is correct.
36. I believe you have found a very large consensus of opinion in favour of this proposal in the Borough of Willoughby? Yes.
37. And it would meet with general public approval so far as you know? I think it would.
38. *Chairman.*] You have no objection to the clauses suggested by the Railway Commissioners being incorporated in the Bill, those clauses providing amongst other things that the Railway Commissioners shall have the option of taking the tramway over after the lapse of ten years, and that in the event of your neglecting to work the tramway for a continuous period of two years all the material and plant belonging thereto lying within the boundaries of the land owned by the Railway Commissioners shall become their property? No objection whatever.
39. *Mr. Anderson.*] Is there any objection whatever to your constructing the tramway? None whatever.
40. *Chairman.*] It is only 400 yards long altogether—just a siding? Yes, and it is only a street about 66 feet wide that we wish to cross.
41. *Mr. E. M. Clark.*] I notice that clause 1 of the Bill does not specify how much of the street in breadth the tramway may occupy; it says that the tramway "shall not occupy at any part thereof upon the said Herbert-street a greater space in breadth than feet." It appears to be left to the Committee to say how many feet. What breadth of the street do you propose to take? 7 ft. 8½ in.
42. The total portion of the street that would be used for this tramway would be 7 ft. 8½ in. in breadth? Yes.
43. Rather more than a chain in length and 7 ft. 8½ in. in breadth? Yes; 4 ft. 8½ in. for the tramway gauge and 18 inches on each side of the rails, which the Bill provides we shall keep in repair.
44. Would you be prepared to keep the whole of the portion of the street used for this tramway in repair? We shall have to do it.
45. The whole of the portion of the street occupied by the tramway? We are prepared to do this: we will keep the whole of the length used by us, by a width of 7 ft. 8½ in. in repair. The Bill says we must.
46. No; it says only 1 ft. 6 in. on each side of the rails? And between the rails too.
47. I understand you consent to any amendment the object of which would be that you should keep in repair any portion of the street used by you? Yes.
48. It was asked just now, by Mr. Stinson, whether this tramway would be a great public convenience, and you said that it would save cartage; no doubt it would save cartage, but would it reduce the price of bricks? Certainly it would.
49. Am I to understand that although there is a Brick Trust in existence in and around Sydney which fixes the price of bricks, the price of bricks will be reduced? I do not say the Brick Trust will do it. There are brickmakers outside the Brick Trust.
50. You and your partners are not members of the Brick Trust? Yes, we are members of it, but I should make my voice heard in this way: A man comes along desirous of building a property along the railway line, and by reason of there being a siding into these works the Brick Trust can, if it likes, and I have no doubt it will, make a concession to the man who is building along the railway line. It has been the custom for years to make a concession to people building along the railway lines—that is where we cannot reach them by cartage.
51. Then you would virtually be under the control of the Brick Trust in regard to any reduction that you might make, and if the Brick Trust said that you should not reduce the price of bricks you could not do so? That is quite right, but there are brickmakers outside the Brick Trust and they control the price. The Brick Trust is going very much on the same lines as the recent Brick Master's Association. It has been the custom to put bricks on the trucks at a cheaper rate than that charged in the district in which the works are located, in the first instance with the view of encouraging trade along the railway lines, so that people building there will not be unduly handicapped on account of their remoteness from a brick yard. That has been the custom and it is prevailing at the present time under the Brick Trust.
52. *Mr. Anderson.*] After all it is the demand that controls the price? Yes, I suppose it is.
53. *Mr. E. M. Clark.*] Do you think that under this Bill you would have power to prevent the public use of Herbert-street? No, we shall not. The public will have the use of it.
54. Even that portion where your tramway line would run—the other brickworks could use that portion of the street? Certainly. We shall have no power over it.
55. *Mr. Nobbs.*] Will the construction of this tramway necessitate the cutting down of the street or the raising of it at all? No.
56. The levels of the road will not be interfered with? No.
57. Does the municipality consent to your proposal? Yes; there is no objection at all.
58. Do you think that this tramway will be the means of bringing you greater business? I think so.
59. Therefore you will employ more men? Yes, I am positive of that.
60. *Mr. E. M. Clark.*] How much money do you propose to spend in the construction of this line. I shall be governed exactly by what will be the cost when the tenders are called for.
61. Have you had no estimate made of the cost of the work? None whatever. For whatever the Railway authorities provide of course we shall pay them. But, outside of that, as regards taking the tramway into our own grounds, we have had no estimate of the cost.
62. You do not think it will cost you very much, I suppose? I suppose that the whole length of the line will cost us between £600 and £700.