

# Sessional Papers

1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER, 1892.

No. 1.

## GOULBURN WATER SUPPLY CHARGES BILL.

Clause 2. From and after the passing of this Act it shall be lawful for the said Borough in respect of the period intervening between the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, to proceed for and recover all such rates and charges as are or were made payable by any by-laws passed by the Council of the said Borough in relation to the water supply of the said Borough, such proceedings to be taken and prosecuted within twelve months from the passing of this Act in the manner provided in sections sixty and sixty-one in the "Country Towns Water and Sewerage Act of 1880," or otherwise as directed by the said Act, and the said Borough shall have power to recover the said rates and shall have all the rights and remedies given by the said Act to their full extent, notwithstanding any alleged irregularity or defect in the making of the said by-laws or in the mode provided for determining or assessing the said water rates, and notwithstanding any alleged non-compliance with the provisions of the said Act or of the "Municipalities Act of 1867" in any respect whatever. Borough may recover rates for period between 1st January, 1888, and 31st December, 1890. **Provided that no person shall become liable under this Act for the payment of any such rates or charges as aforesaid in respect of the said period, if it shall appear that such person was not the owner or occupier of the lands or premises upon which the same became payable during the period in respect of which such rates and charges became due. Provided that all moneys recovered by the said Council under this Act shall be received on behalf of Her Majesty, and shall be paid, as soon as collected, by the said Council to the Colonial Treasurer towards the Consolidated Revenue, to be credited to the said Council as a part payment of the advances hitherto made in respect of the Goulburn Water Works. (Read.)**

And the clause having been amended as indicated by the addition of the first proviso,—

Motion made (*Mr. Bruce Smith*) to add to the clause the following words:—"Provided that all moneys recovered by the said Council under this Act shall be received on behalf of Her Majesty and shall be paid, as soon as collected, by the said Council to the Colonial Treasurer towards the Consolidated Revenue to be credited to the said Council as a part payment of the advances hitherto made in respect of the Goulburn Water Works."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Jones,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hart,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Williams,	Mr. York,	Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Gormly,	Mr. Black,	
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Fegan,	
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Schey.	Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Willis,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Wall,	Mr. Hutcheson,	
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Hassall.	Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Scott,		Dr. Hollis,	

*Words added.*

On motion of Dr. Hollis the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again this day fortnight.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

## NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 2.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 11 OCTOBER, 1892.

No. 1.

## AUSTRALASIAN MINING EXCHANGE OF SYDNEY BILL.

Clause 3. On the winding-up of the Company under the aforesaid Companies Acts, the net <sup>Distribution of</sup> assets at present in hand shall, after payment of all debts and liabilities and costs of <sup>assets.</sup> liquidation of the Company, be distributed "in the proportions of two-thirds thereof amongst "all paid-up shareholders *pro rata* according to the number of shares held by each, and one-third thereof amongst the contributing shareholders" *pro rata* and according to the number of shares held by each. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Wall*) to omit from lines 3, 4 and 5, the words "in the proportions of two-thirds thereof amongst all paid-up shareholders *pro rata* according to the number of shares held by each, and one-third thereof amongst the contributing shareholders,"—and

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

Ayes, 35.

Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. E. M. Clark,	
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	

Noes, 31.

Mr. Marks,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Lyne.
Mr. Williams,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Gormly,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Schéy,	
Mr. Dangar,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Damley,	
Dr. Hollis,	

*Words stand.**Clause, as read, agreed to.*

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

No. 2.

## LIQUOR TRAFFIC LOCAL OPTION BILL.

*(Resolution.)*

Mr. Kidd moved that the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

*Resolved*,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to make provision in substitution for some and in aid of other provisions in the sale of Liquors Licensing Acts, as to the voting in respect of licenses, and to enable electors in electorates to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors, or otherwise to have effectual control over the drink traffic within such areas, and to provide payment by way of compensation to all persons who shall be affected by the closing of any hotel hereunder.

And the Resolution having been amended by the addition at the end thereof of the words "and to provide payment by way of compensation to all persons who shall be affected by the closing of any hotel hereunder."—

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

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 47.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Schey,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. York.
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. McCourt.
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Parkes,	

## Noes, 23.

Mr. Young,
Mr. Molcasworth,
Mr. Gould,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Donald,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Cook.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. G. D. Clark.

*Agreed to.*

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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No. 3.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 25 OCTOBER, 1892.

No. 1.

WILLOUGHBY AND GORDON TRAMWAY ACTS AMENDING BILL.

Clause 5. Provided always and it is hereby enacted that in the construction of the said tramway it shall be lawful to make such deviations and modifications of routes as may be considered desirable by the said Company, such deviations and modifications not to extend to a greater distance than five chains on either side of the lines described in the Schedules hereto. And upon such deviations or modifications being made this Act shall be construed as if the same were included in and formed part of the Schedules hereunder written: Provided always that before any deviation or modification of route of the said tramway or any part thereof may be made, the said Company shall cause to be made and taken levels and surveys of the country and land through which such deviations and modifications of such tramway is to be carried, together with a map or plan of the deviations or modifications, and of the lands which it is to affect, and also a book of reference in which shall be set forth a description of the said several lands affected by such deviations or modifications, and the names of the owners and proprietors thereof, so far as the same shall be known, or can with reasonable diligence be ascertained, with a description of the said land setting forth the bearings of such tramway as the case may require, and the nature and quality and state of cultivation, the enclosures, if any, and the quantity of such land which may be required for the purpose of making such deviations or modifications of the said tramway. Notice of such map or plan and book of reference shall be given by the Company by advertisement in the *Gazette* and the *Sydney daily papers*, which notice shall set forth generally the extent and direction of the intended deviations or modifications, and shall refer to such map or plan and book of reference to be seen at the registered office of the said Company at Sydney, and shall call upon all persons interested in the said deviations or modifications to set forth in writing to the said Company within "one month" from the first publication of such notice any well-grounded objection which may appear to them to exist to the adoption of the said deviations or modifications, or any part thereof, or of any work proposed in connection therewith; and if any such objection shall be made the same shall be considered by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, who shall after due consideration thereof confirm or alter the said map or plan and book of reference as to the said Governor, with such advice as aforesaid, shall seem meet; and thereupon notice shall be given by the said Company in the *Gazette* and the *Sydney daily papers* of such confirmation, with or without alteration, as the case may be. The said map or plan and book of reference as altered or confirmed shall be kept in the registered office of the Company in Sydney, and true copies thereof, signed by the secretary of the said Company, shall be deposited with the Clerk of Petty Sessions of the district in which such deviations or modifications of the said tramway shall be intended to be made, and which map or plan and book of reference, and such copies thereof respectively, shall be exhibited at all convenient times for public examination from the day of the date on which notice of intention to make such deviations or modifications shall be first published; and all persons shall have free liberty and permission at all proper and convenient times to view and examine the said map or plan and book of reference or copies as aforesaid. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended, as indicated, in line 19,—

Motion made (*Mr. Joseph Abbott*) to omit from line 23 the words "one month," with a view to the insertion in their place of the words "three months"

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

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Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 48.

Mr. Sec,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Hayes,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Reid,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Sheldon,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Hugh Taylor,
Mr. Dale,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Johnston,
Sir Henry Parkes,	Mr. Fuller.
Mr. Garvan,	
Mr. Cullen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kirkpatrick,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Gormly,	Mr. Willis.

Noes, 18.

Mr. Young,
Mr. Wise,
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Walker,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Dawson,
Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Lee.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Miller.

*Words stand.*

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

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*And the remaining clauses, schedules, and preamble of the Bill having been agreed to,—  
The Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments to the House.

WEDNESDAY, 26 OCTOBER, 1892.

No. 2.

## PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS BILL.

Clause 5. Within *thirty* days from the passing of this Act and thereafter when any distribution of Electoral Districts shall become necessary under the provisions of this Act the Governor shall, by Commission under the Great Seal, appoint seven three persons, each of whom shall be qualified as an elector in and for some Electoral District of New South Wales, according to the law in force at the time of appointment, to be Commissioners for the purposes of this Part, and to be called "the Electoral Districts Commissioners." Three of the persons so to be appointed shall be Official Members, and shall be chosen by the Governor from persons then holding some office in the Public Service of New South Wales, and four (the Unofficial Members) shall be persons to be nominated by resolution of the Legislative Assembly within fourteen days after the passing of this Act, who shall not be the holders of any such office as aforesaid, or in default of such nomination, or so far as the same shall not extend, to be chosen by the Governor from persons qualified to be so nominated. And the names of the persons so appointed, and of all persons hereafter appointed as such Commissioners, shall be published in the *Gazette*. (*Read*.)

And the clause having been amended, as indicated,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 67.

Mr. Sec,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. York,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Marks,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Reid,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Cunn,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Vaughn.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Booth,	

Noes, 32.

Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Martin,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Dale,
Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Lee,
Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Lees,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Davis,
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Newman,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Williams.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Collins,
Mr. Cullen.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And Clauses 6 to 10 having been dealt with,—

No. 3.

No. 3.

*(Same Bill.)*

Clause 11. It shall be the duty of the Commissioners, and they are hereby directed, to distribute New South Wales into electoral districts for the purposes of this Act, within *three* months after the passing of this Act, and thereafter, within *three* months after the results of every census of the population of New South Wales shall have been ascertained and reported to the ~~Commissioners~~, **Colonial Secretary** which the Government Statistician is hereby required to do as early as possible after such census shall have been taken. (*Read.*)

Redistribution  
of Electoral  
Districts by  
Commissioners  
&c.

And the clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Garvan*) to add to the end of the clause the words, "Provided that in no case shall any electorate return more than three members."

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 27 OCTOBER, 1892, A.M.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.	Noes, 67.
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Marks,
Mr. Chantler,	Dr. Ross,
Mr. Garvan,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Donald.	Mr. Lyne,
<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Walker.	Mr. Kidd,
	Mr. Lees,
	Mr. Chapman,
	Mr. Sharp,
	Mr. Sec,
	Mr. Haynes,
	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
	Mr. Scobie,
	Mr. Gillies,
	Mr. Lee,
	Mr. Barbour,
	Mr. Donnelly,
	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
	Mr. Torpy,
	Mr. Barton,
	Mr. Vaughn,
	Mr. Miller,
	Mr. Slattery,
	Mr. Bowes,
	Mr. Willis,
	Mr. Cruickshank,
	Mr. Collins,
	Mr. Hutchinson,
	Mr. Kelly,
	Mr. John Wilkinson,
	Mr. G. D. Clark,
	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
	Mr. Sheldon,
	Mr. Stevenson,
	Mr. McMillan,
	Mr. Barnes,
	Mr. E. G. Brown,
	Mr. Morton,
	Mr. York,
	Mr. Morgan,
	Mr. Gormly,
	Dr. Hollis,
	Mr. Edden,
	Mr. Darnley,
	Mr. Williams,
	Mr. Nicholson,
	Mr. Newman,
	Mr. Hart,
	Mr. Houghton,
	Mr. Bavister,
	Mr. Langwell,
	Mr. Rae,
	Mr. Gardiner,
	Mr. Davis,
	Mr. A'Beckett,
	Mr. Sydney Smith,
	Mr. Newton,
	Mr. Cann,
	Mr. Wall,
	Mr. Tonkin,
	Mr. Johnston,
	Mr. Dickens,
	Mr. McGowen,
	Mr. Danahey.
	<i>Tellers,</i>
	Mr. Waddell,
	Mr. Hassall.

*Addition of words proposed negatived.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 12, 13, and 14 having been dealt with, and clause 15 read and partly considered,—  
On motion of Mr. Barton, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again to-morrow.

THURSDAY, 27 OCTOBER, 1892.

No. 4.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS BILL.

Clause 15. The Colonial Secretary shall forthwith, after the each such proclamation of each ~~report of the Commissioners~~, cause to be deposited in the office of the Clerk of the Assembly a properly authenticated map of every Electoral District named and described in such ~~report~~ **Proclamation**: Provided that in addition to such periodical distributions as herein prescribed, the Commissioners may, at any time in the fourth or fifth year after the taking of any census, if the Electoral Roll then in force in any Electoral District shows an increase of, or reduction in, the prescribed quota, of not less than ~~thirty-three and a third~~ **twenty-five** per centum, exercise for any part of New South Wales affected by such increase or reduction, including such Electoral District, the like powers, accompanied by the like duties,

Maps of districts  
to be deposited,  
powers of  
Commissioners,  
number of  
Members, quota,  
&c.

duties, as are conferred on them by this Act on the taking of every such census as aforesaid. Every such distribution shall be made on the following basis, and be subject to the provisions hereinafter expressed, that is to say,—

- (i) The total number of Members to be elected to serve in the Assembly shall be one hundred "and" "twenty-five." The quota of electors for the purposes of this Act shall be ascertained in the following manner:—For the purposes of the first distribution, the quota shall be ascertained by dividing by one hundred and twenty-five the total number of persons enrolled on the Electoral Rolls in force for the years 1892-1893, as revised and arranged pursuant to the twenty-fourth section of this Act which for the said purposes only shall be subjected to the like processes as are in the first subsection of the twenty-fourth section of this Act required for preparing the first Lists under this Act, except that for the purposes aforesaid it shall not be necessary to make out lists of the names of deceased or disqualified electors; and the quota for every subsequent distribution shall be ascertained by dividing by one hundred and twenty-five the total number of electors on the Rolls in force for the time being.
- (ii) New South Wales shall be distributed into as many Electoral Districts, each to be represented by one Member only, as there are Members assigned to the Assembly by this Act, and every such district shall have such an area that, at the time of making such distribution, the number of persons enrolled therein shall, subject to the margin of allowance hereinafter contained, reach the prescribed quota.
- (iii) In making any such "distribution," due consideration shall be given to the then existing boundaries of Electoral Districts, to community or diversity of interest, lines of communication, and physical features.
- (iv) The Commissioners, in assigning any such Electoral District, shall be entitled to adopt a margin of allowance, to be used whenever necessary, by way of addition to, or deduction from, the number of persons enrolled in such district to the extent of "six" hundred, whenever the apparent quota falls short of or exceeds the prescribed quota. **Provided that such quota shall be in all cases adhered to as far as is practicable, having regard to the considerations aforesaid, and that a statement of the reasons for any proposed margin of allowance by way of addition or deduction exceeding two hundred shall be appended to the report, to be made in pursuance of section thirteen of this Act. (Further considered.)**

And the clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Morton*) to omit from line 2 of subsection (i), the word "and"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 68.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Suttlor,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. See,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Scobie,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Martin,
Mr. Young,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Hutcheson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Black,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Booth,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Hutcheson,	Mr. Barjister.
Mr. Sydney Smith,	
Mr. Brunker,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Danahey.

Noes, 22.

Mr. Neild,
Sir Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Marks,
Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Molcsworth,
Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Frank Farneil,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Newman,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Schey.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donald.
Mr. John Wilkinson.

*Word stands.*

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Walker*) to omit from line 2, of sub-section (i), the word "twenty-five," with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "forty-one."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 62.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. See,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Booth,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Nobbs,
Sir Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Kelly,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Martin,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Dr. Cullen,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Black,	Mr. John Wilkinson.
Mr. Cruickshank,	
Mr. Ewing,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Rose.

Noes, 26.

Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Perry,
Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Davis,
Mr. Willis,
Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Coils,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. G. D. Clark.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Walker.

*Word stands.*

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

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Hugh McKinnon*) to insert in line 1, of sub-section (iii), after the word "distribution," the words "and regard shall be had to the necessity of giving country "electoral districts a number of representatives not less proportionately than these districts "now enjoy and"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Booth,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Newman,
Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Newton,
Mr. Stevenson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Willis.

Noes, 59.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Martin,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Marks,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. See,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Coils,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Fuller.
Mr. Black,	
Mr. McFarlane,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. Alfred Allen,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Cann*) to omit from line 4, of sub-section (iv), the word "six," with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "five."

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

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Kirkpatrick,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. See,	Mr. Newton.
Mr. A'Beckett,	
Mr. Suttor,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Garran,	Mr. Nobbs,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Morton.
Mr. Bowes,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Donald,
Mr. Walker,
Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Danahay.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cann,
Mr. McGowen.

*Word stands.*

And the clause having been further amended, as indicated, by the addition of words at the end thereof,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 16 to 20 having been dealt with,—

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

Qualification of  
Electors, Dis-  
qualifications,  
&c.

Clause 21. (i) Subject to the provisions of this Act, every male person, being a natural-born or naturalised subject, who shall have resided, or had his principal place of abode, in New South Wales for a continuous period of six months immediately prior to the day on which he shall make application for an Elector's Right, or any claim for the purpose of giving effect to the franchise to which he is lawfully entitled, shall, if not disqualified or incapacitated under this or any other Act, be qualified as an Elector under this Act.

(ii) Every person so qualified, being of the full age of twenty-one years, absolutely free, and not disqualified by this or any other Act, who shall reside in any Division of a District shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be entitled to have an Elector's Right issued to him for such District, and to have his name inserted and retained on a List and Roll for such Division.

(iii) Although qualified as hereinbefore in this section provided, every person who, at the time of making out any List, or of the holding of any Election, for his District, is of unsound mind, "or in the receipt of aid from any charitable institution as an inmate thereof," or who, having **has** been convicted of any crime or offence wherever committed, for which, if the same had been committed in New South Wales, he might have been lawfully sentenced to death or penal servitude, **and** has not received a free or conditional pardon therefor, or served the sentence passed on him, shall be incapable of voting. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*) to omit from lines 3 and 4, of sub-section (iii), the words "or in the receipt of aid from any charitable institution as an inmate thereof,"

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 28 OCTOBER, 1892, A.M.

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

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. See,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Newton,
Sir Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Cann.
Mr. Chanter,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahamc,	
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Collins.
Mr. A'Beckett,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. McGowen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fegan,	
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Walker,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Willis,	

*Words stand.*

And the clause having been amended, as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 22 to 34 having been dealt with, and clause 35 read,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 4.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

*(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)*

WEDNESDAY, 2 NOVEMBER, 1892.

No. 1.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTORAL BILL:—

- Clause 42. (i) Any person may object to the name of any other person being retained on any <sup>Objections to names on list.</sup> List if, before or on the prescribed day, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and thereafter before or on the twentieth day of September (where the name objected to appears on a General List) and before or on the twentieth day of February (where the name objected to appears on a Supplementary List) such person shall sign and deliver, or cause to be delivered to the Registrar for the Division and also to the person objected to, notice of such objection in the form of Schedule C hereto, stating therein the grounds of his objection; and shall also pay to such Registrar, on delivery of such notice, the sum of one shilling.
- (ii) "Every such notice" of objection shall be lawfully given if the same be sent prepaid by post, addressed to the place of abode of the person to whom the same shall be directed, as described in such List; and when any person shall desire to send any such notice by post, he shall deliver or cause to be delivered the same, duly directed, open, and in duplicate, to the postmaster of any post office, within such hours as shall have been previously notified at such post office, and under such regulations with respect to the registration of such letters, and the fee to be paid therefor [which fee shall in no case exceed twopence over and above the ordinary rate of postage] as shall from time to time be made by the Postmaster-General in that behalf.
- (iii) Every notice of objection given or sent to such Registrar shall, whether delivered or posted, be accompanied with the fee of one shilling, which shall be payable either in money or in stamps at the option of the objector.
- (iv) In all cases in which such fee shall have been duly paid, the postmaster shall compare the said notice and duplicate, and, on being satisfied that they are alike in their address and their contents, shall seal or secure and forward one of them to its address by the post, and shall return the other to the person bringing the same, stamped with the stamp of the said post office; and the production by the person who posted such notice of such stamped duplicate shall be evidence of the notice having been given to the person at the place mentioned in such duplicate on the day which such notice would in the ordinary course of post have been delivered.
- (v) After the respective dates aforesaid, the Registrar shall make out in the prescribed manner, for each Division of his District, a List of the names of all persons objected to, according to the form in Schedule D hereto; and shall forthwith sign a copy of each such List, and transmit the same to the clerk of the Revision Court for the Division, and shall also forthwith publish such List twice at least, and, if time permits, four times in some newspaper or newspapers published or circulating in the Division, and cause the same to be posted outside each post office and court-house of the District; and shall keep the said List, or a copy thereof, for inspection by any person, without fee, at all reasonable hours of the day, and between the prescribed hours, until the day of the holding of the Revision Court.

(v)

- (v) The Registrar may object to the name of any person when entered upon the List to be made as herein provided, by entering at the time of making out such List, in the proper column against such name the words "objected to," with the cause of objection clearly stated, and appending his initials thereto; and shall insert the name and the particulars relating to the person so objected to in the List of objections lastly hereinbefore mentioned, and give notice to such person as required in other cases; and no costs shall be awarded by any Revision Court against any Registrar in respect of such objection in any case whatsoever. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended, as indicated in subsection (i),—

Motion made (*Mr. Langwell*) to omit from line 1 of subsection (ii), the words "Every such notice."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Dale,
Mr. See,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Truill,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Colls,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Dangar,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. A'Beckett,	
Mr. Gillies,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Bruncker,	Mr. Hassall.

Nocs, 24.

Mr. Cook,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Buvister,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Fegan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald,	
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Nicholson,	

*Words stand.*

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

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And Clauses 43, 44, and 45 having been dealt with,—

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

Method of  
Revision, powers  
of Court, costs,  
&c.

Clause 46. (i) The Revision Court for each Division shall, pursuant to the provisions of this Act, revise the General or Supplementary List (as the case may be) which has been last made out by the Registrar of such Division and transmitted to the Revision Clerk; and the Registrar, or some person on his behalf, shall attend the Court, and shall produce all books and butts of Electors' Rights, notices of objection, and newspapers containing lists of the names of persons objected to, and all other books, lists, papers, and documents connected with his office in the custody of the Registrar or under his control, and shall support before the Court the objections of which he has given notice; and the Revision Clerk shall produce to the Court the Lists transmitted to him.

(ii) The Revision Court shall have power to hear, receive, and examine evidence, and, by summons under the hand of the Revision Clerk, to require all such persons as it thinks fit to appear personally before it, at a time and place to be named in such summons, and to produce to the Court all such books and papers in their possession or under their control as may appear necessary for the purpose of their examination; and any person so required who, without sufficient excuse, neglects or refuses to comply with such summons, or, having appeared before the said Court, **refuses** without such excuse ~~refuses~~ to be examined on oath or affirmation, or to take such oath or affirmation, or having taken such oath or affirmation to answer the questions put to him, may be dealt with in all respects as a person refusing or neglecting to appear or to give evidence before a Court of Petty Sessions.

(iii) If it appear to a Revision Court that any person has made or attempted to sustain any groundless, frivolous, or vexatious claim, objection, or title to have any name inserted or retained on any List, such Court may order the payment by such person **not being a Registrar** of any sum not exceeding "five" pounds as costs to be paid to any other person in resisting such claim, objection, or title. Any sum so ordered to be paid may, if not paid within the time specified in the order, be recovered before any Court of Summary Jurisdiction by the person named in the order as being entitled thereto: ~~Provided that no costs shall be awarded against any Registrar in respect of an objection made by him pursuant to this Act.~~ (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended, as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*) to omit from line 4 of subsection (iii), the word "five" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "ten"

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

Committee

Committee divided.

<p>Ayes, 19.</p> <p>Mr. Hassall, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Bruce Smith, Mr. Brunker, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Dangar, Mr. Bowes, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Willis, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Hart, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Gillies.</p>	<p><i>Tellers,</i> Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Chapman.</p>
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<p>Noes, 35.</p> <p>Mr. Kidd, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Copeland, Mr. See, Mr. Black, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Barton, Mr. Torpy, Mr. Traill, Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Donald, Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Cann, Mr. Newman, Mr. Langwell, Mr. Danahey, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Tonkin, Mr. A'Beckett,</p>	<p>Mr. Campbell, Mr. Schey, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Cook, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Gough, Mr. Collins, Mr. Edden, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Miller, Mr. Bavister, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Gardiner.</p> <p><i>Tellers,</i> Mr. Fegan, Mr. Rae.</p>
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*Word omitted.*

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Question put,—That the word "ten" proposed to be inserted be so inserted.

Committee divided.

<p>Ayes, 36.</p> <p>Mr. See, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Barton, Mr. Torpy, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Traill, Mr. Black, Mr. Fegan, Sir Joseph Abbott, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Donald, Mr. A'Beckett, Mr. Schey, Mr. Tonkin, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Collins, Mr. Hutchinson,</p>	<p>Mr. Danahey, Mr. Langwell, Mr. Newman, Mr. Rac, Mr. Miller, Mr. Cook, Mr. Houghton, Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Edden, Mr. Gough, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Bavister.</p> <p><i>Tellers,</i> Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Cann.</p>
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<p>Noes, 18.</p> <p>Mr. Hogan, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Hassall, Mr. Brunker, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Bruce Smith, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Gillies, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Hart, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Dangar.</p> <p><i>Tellers,</i> Mr. Willis, Mr. Bowes.</p>
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*Word inserted.*

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

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And Clauses 47, 48, 49, and 50 having been dealt with, and Clause 51 read, —

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 5.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 10 NOVEMBER, 1892.

No. 1.

## PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS BILL:—

Clause 56. The ordinary "Polling-day" for every General Election should be so appointed that the Election shall take place on the "twenty-eighth" day from the date of the issue of the Writs, and such day shall be proclaimed a public holiday by notification in the *Gazette* and in one or more newspapers published or circulating in each District for which an Election is to be holden. (Read.)

Motion made (*Mr. McMillan*) to omit from line 1 the word "Polling-day," with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "Polling-days."

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

Ayes, 52.

Mr. See,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. McGowen,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Willis.
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. Walker,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Danahy,
Mr. Booth,	Mr. Fegan.

Nocs, 13.

Mr. Read,
Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Young,
Mr. Crick,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Dale,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Traill.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Parkes.

Word stands.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Hayes*) to omit from line 2 the word "twenty-eighth" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "fourteenth"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. See,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Lees.
Mr. Booth,	
Mr. Barton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. Vaughn,	
Mr. Gould,	
Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. Willis,	
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	
Mr. Waddell,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Sheldon,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Colls,	
Dr. Cullen,	

*Word omitted.*

Noes, 44.

Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hutchison,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Dale.
Mr. Bowes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Black,	

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Question put,—That the word "fourteenth" proposed to be inserted be so inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 5.

Mr. Crick,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. E. M. Clark.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.

Noes, 65.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Carruthers,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. See,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Dale,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Lees.
Mr. McGowen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Booth,	

*Insertion of word proposed negatived.*

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Barton*) to insert in the place of the word omitted, the word "twenty-fourth"

Question

Question put,—That the word proposed to be inserted be so inserted.  
Committee divided.

## Ayes, 40.

Mr. Crick,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Colls,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. See,	Mr. Booth,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Barton,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Ewing,
Sir Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. McFarlane,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Dale.

## Noes, 36.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Hindie,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Daraley,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Bavieter,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Parkes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Black,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. Cullen,	
Mr. Nicoll,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	

*Word inserted.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining Clauses, Schedules, and Preamble of the Bill having been dealt with,—  
On motion of Mr. Barton the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments to the House.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 6.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 16 NOVEMBER, 1892.

No. 1.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS BILL:—

(Recommended):—

Clause 34. If any applicant, being a seaman or seafaring man, qualified otherwise than in respect of residence, shall not, at the time of applying for an Elector's Right under this Act, possess a qualifying residence for any District, within the meaning of section twenty-one and the last preceding section of this Act, but shall make a declaration in the prescribed form and manner, to the effect that, during the year then last past, he has been engaged, under articles signed in New South Wales, for not less than six months in the aggregate, as one of the crew of one or more vessels "registered in New South Wales," and trading from any port therein to any other port wheresoever, and does not hold, and has not had issued to him, an Elector's Right under this Act, then such applicant shall be deemed to possess the qualification of residence required by this Act; and it shall not be necessary for the Registrar to put to any such seaman or seafaring man, who shall comply with the requirements of this section to the satisfaction of such Registrar, either of the questions numbered respectively (4) and (6) as specified in the last preceding section, or to enter on the back of the butt of any Elector's Right issued to such seaman or seafaring man the answers to the questions last mentioned, and for the purposes of this section the enactments contained in subsections six and seven of the last preceding section shall apply. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*) to omit from line 7 the words "registered in New South Wales"

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 60.

Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. See,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Gould,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Martin,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Burdokin,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Garvan,
Dr. Ross,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. York,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Bowes.
Mr. McCourt,	
Sir Henry Parkes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Lyue,	Mr. John Wilkinson.

Noes, 34.

Mr. Willis,	Mr. Dawson.
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kirkpatrick,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Danahey
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Fegan,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. F. M. Clark,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Chapman,	
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Gough,	
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Donnelly,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Walker,	
Mr. Hindle,	

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And the remaining clauses of the Bill referred to the Committee for reconsideration having been dealt with,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.**  
**NEW SOUTH WALES.**

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**No. 7.**  
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**WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS**

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 IN

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**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.**

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*(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES)*  
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**TUESDAY, 22 NOVEMBER, 1892.**

**ILLEGITIMACY DISABILITY REMOVAL BILL:—**

Clause 1. In all cases in which children have been born out of wedlock "of parents subsequently intermarried according to any law for the time being in force for regulating marriages," such children shall be "deemed to be" the lawful issue of such parents, and shall be capable of inheriting property, and shall have to all intents and purposes such and the same rights as they would have had if such parents had been legally intermarried before the birth of such children: Provided always that this Act shall not affect the inheritance of any hereditaments which before the passing of this Act may have descended to any person to the exclusion of any child or children legitimized by this Act. *(Read.)*

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*) to omit from lines 1 and 2 the words "of parents subsequently intermarried according to any law for the time being in force for regulating marriages,"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Martin,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Newton,	

Noes, 11.

Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Eve,
Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Scott,
Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Hart.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,
Mr. O'Sullivan.

*Words stand.*

And Mr. Walker having moved to omit from line 3 the words "deemed to be"

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

On motion of Mr. Neild, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Tuesday, 17th January, 1893.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
 Clerk Assistant.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

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No. 8.

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WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

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IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

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TUESDAY, 6 DECEMBER, 1892.

No. 1.

IMPRISONMENT FOR DEBT ABOLITION BILL:—

Clause 1. ~~From and after the passing of this Act~~ no writ of "*capias ad satisfaciendum*" shall Issue of writ of hereafter be issued under any judgment for debt or costs of action "except for the *capias ad satis-* purpose of procuring the arrest of a judgment debtor about to remove from the Colony of *faciendum.* New South Wales." (Read.)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (Mr. Alfred Allen) to omit from line 1 the words "*capias ad satisfaciendum*"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 53.

Mr. Newton,	Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. McFarlane.
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Rac,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Bruncker,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Dangar,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Dowel,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Molcsworth,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Sharp,	Tellers,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Edden.
Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Houghton,	

Noes, 6.

Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Bavister.

Tellers,

Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Alfred Allen.

Words stand.

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

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No. 2.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to omit from lines 2 and 3 the words "except for the purpose of procuring the arrest of a judgment debtor about to remove from the Colony of New South Wales."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 42.		Nocs, 7.
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Schey,	Mr. Toohey,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Rose,	Mr. Alfred Allen.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Edden,	Mr. Neild.
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Bavier,	
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Black,	
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Cullen,	
Mr. Gough,	Mr. Holborow.	
Mr. Donald,	<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Dangur,	Mr. Walker,	
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Molesworth.	
Mr. McGowen,		

*Words stand.*

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

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

Mr. Barton brought up a new clause to stand Clause 3 of the Bill.

Exceptions.

3. This Act shall not apply to any case in which the judgment debtor,—

- (1.) Has obtained credit from the plaintiff under false pretences, or by means of fraud or breach of trust: or
  - (2.) Has wilfully contracted the debt or liability without having at the same time a reasonable expectation of being able to pay or discharge the same: or
  - (3.) Has made, or caused to be made, any gift delivery, or transfer of any property, or charged, removed, or concealed the same with intent to defraud his creditors, or any of them: or
  - (4.) Has then, or has had since the judgment obtained against him, sufficient means and ability to pay the debt, damages, costs, or money recovered against him, either altogether or by any instalment or instalments which the Court in which the judgment was obtained shall have ordered, and shall have refused or neglected to pay the same: or
  - (5.) Is about to leave New South Wales without paying such debt, damages, costs or money, or so much thereof as is still unsatisfied: or
  - (6.) Is about to depart elsewhere within New South Wales with intent to evade payment.
- (*Read.*)

Mr. O'Sullivan moved,—That the Chairman leave the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again on the 14th March, 1898,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.		Nocs, 23.
Mr. Bowes,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Hindle.	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Lonsdale,		Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Copeland,		Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Houghton,		Mr. Dangur,
Mr. Toohey,		Mr. Walker,
Mr. Kidd,		Mr. Black,
Mr. Miller,		Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Fuller,		Mr. Hart,
Mr. Scobie,		Mr. Langwell,
		Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
		Mr. Donald,
		Mr. Bavier,
		Mr. Schey,
		Mr. Cook,
		Mr. Hutchinson,
		Mr. Edden,
		Mr. Williams,
		Mr. Rae,
		Mr. Gardiner.
		<i>Tellers,</i>
		Mr. Sharp,
		Mr. G. D. Clark.

*Negatived.*

No. 4.

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

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

Ayes, 33.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Toohey,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Dangar,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Hindle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Sharp.
Mr. Donald,	

Noes, 7.

Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Walker,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Williams.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Houghton.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

Mr. Barton brought up a new clause to stand clause 4 of the Bill.

4. This Act shall not apply to cases in which the judgment includes any damages in respect of defamation. (*Read.*)

Act not to apply  
to cases of  
defamation.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Toohey,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Lonsdale,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dangar,	Mr. Black,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Kelly,	

Noes, 9.

Mr. Cann,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Langwell.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Walker.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

The Preamble and Title of the Bill having been dealt with,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 7 DECEMBER, 1892, A.M.

On motion of Mr. O'Sullivan the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments and an amended Title to the House.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



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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, 2 FEBRUARY, 1893.

No. 1.

WAYS AND MEANS:—

(Resolution—Financial Statement.)

Question,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution (*Mr. See*)—

(2.) Resolved,—

That towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year 1893, there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of New South Wales the sum of £885 to defray pensions not provided for by Schedule B to Schedule No. 1 of the Act of the Imperial Parliament 18 and 19 Vic. cap. 54. (*Further considered.*)

Motion made (*Sir Henry Parkes*),—That the Chairman leave the Chair.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 3 FEBRUARY, 1893, A.M.

Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 57.

Mr. Reid,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Wise,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Burdckin,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Martin,	Mr. Marks,
Mr. Bruncker,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Leo,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Dale,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Ewing,
Sir Henry Parkes,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Fuller.
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. Donald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Newman.
Mr. McCourt,	
Mr. Tonkin,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	

Noes, 60.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Lyne,
Mr. See,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Levison,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Kdden,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Wall.
Mr. Traill,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Crick,	
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Hassall.

*Negatived.*

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

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RICH'D. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 8 FEBRUARY, 1893.

No. 1.

## MINING ON PRIVATE LANDS BILL:—

Clause 5. All lands alienated or in process of alienation under the provisions of the "Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861," or any Act amending the same, as well as all lands alienated or in process of alienation, under the provisions of the "Crown Lands Act of 1884," or any amendment thereof, shall be subject to the operations of mining under the provisions of this Act to the following extent, but no further:—

- (a)* If the grant for such land contains, or would, under the provisions of the said Acts, or any amendments thereof, contain, when issued, a reservation to the Crown of all minerals which the said land contains, then such land shall be open under the provisions of this Act for mining for "gold," and for all minerals other than gold.
- (b)* If the grant for such land contains, or would contain when issued, a reservation to the Crown of any mineral or minerals particularly specified therein, then such lands shall be open under the provisions of this Act for mining for gold, as well as for the particular mineral or minerals specified in such reservation, but for no other mineral whatsoever.
- (c)* If such land shall have been alienated, or be in process of alienation under the nineteenth section of the "Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1861," or shall have been selected under the thirteenth or fourteenth sections of the said Act, or having been held under mineral lease, and in either such case having been converted into a mineral conditional purchase, then such lands shall be open under the provisions of this Act for mining for gold only, or for any ore, the chief and most profitable metallic product of which is gold. Nevertheless, it is hereby expressly provided, that in any case where mining for minerals other than gold shall not have been prosecuted either on, under, or in connection with such mineral conditional purchased land for the full period of the preceding seven years, then such land shall be open to be mined upon or under for any mineral other than gold as well as for gold or any ore containing the same, subject however to the royalties or tributes hereinafter provided.
- (d)* If the grant for such land contains, or would contain when issued, no reservation of minerals, then in every such case the land shall be open under the provisions of this Act for mining for gold only, or for any ore, the chief and most profitable metallic product of which is gold. (*Read.*)

Lands alienated under "Crown Lands Acts of 1861 and 1884" may be mined upon under provisions of this Act.

What lands open to mining for all minerals.

Lands open to mine for gold as well as certain specified minerals.

Lands open to gold-mining only.

If not worked for seven years to be open to mining for all minerals.

If no reservations in grants to be open to gold-mining only.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 9 FEBRUARY, 1893, A.M.

Motion made (*Mr. Wall*) to insert after the word "gold" in line 9, the words "and silver"—  
Question put,—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. McGowen.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Wall,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 47.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Barton,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Kelly,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Sharp,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Wall*) to omit subsection (c).

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

Ayes, 46.

Mr. Cook,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Schey,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Black,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. E. G. Brown.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Hutchinson,	

Noes, 6.

Mr. Gould,
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Wall,
Mr. Miller.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Tonkin.

*Words stand.*

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Gould*) that there be inserted after the last word of subsection (c) the following words "Provided further that this subsection shall not come into operation until one year shall have elapsed after the passing of this Act."

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 3.

Mr. Gould.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Torpy,  
Mr. A'Beckett.

Noes, 50.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Bowes.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Sharp,	Dr. Ross.
Mr. Tonkin,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Wall*) to omit subsection (*d*).

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Darnley,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. McGowen,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Kirkpatrick.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Hindle,	
Mr. Cook,	

Noes, 11.

Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Wall,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Hutchinson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Rose.

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And clauses 6, 7, and 8 having been dealt with.

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 11.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 14 FEBRUARY, 1893.

No. 1.

BIRDS PROTECTION ACT AMENDING BILL:—

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

*Birds absolutely protected for five years, and after that period during the Close Seasons.*

Pheasant. Partridge. Grouse. Californian Quail. White Swan. Black Swan. "Emu." Lyre Bird.	Regent Bird. Rifle Bird. Great Kingfisher, commonly known as the Laughing Jackass. Indian Minah. Brolga, or Native Companion. Kingfishers of every variety. Weetah, or Bower Bird.
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(Read.)

And the schedule having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Suttor*) to omit from line 8 the word "Emu."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 44.

Mr. Jenneret, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Carruthers, Mr. Lyne, Mr. Reid, Mr. O'Sullivan, Dr. Cullen, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Traill, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. Scobie, Mr. Young, Mr. Hassall, Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Dale, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Cook, Mr. Cann, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Cotton, Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Kelly, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Scott, Mr. Donald, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Hart, Mr. Joseph Abbott, Mr. Parkes, Mr. Collins, Mr. Dangar, Mr. Holborow, Mr. Hindle, Mr. Bavister, Mr. Schey, Mr. Edden, Mr. Walker, Mr. Gardiner.  <i>Tellers,</i> Mr. Black, Mr. G. D. Clark.
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Noes, 11.

Mr. Kidd, Mr. Waddell, Mr. A'Beckett, Mr. R. B. Wilkison, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Willis, Mr. Hugh McKinnon, Mr. Cruickshank, Mr. Gormiy.
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*Tellers,*

Mr. Newton, Mr. Murphy.
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*Word stands.*

And the schedule having been further amended as indicated,—

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No. 2.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

*Same schedule.*

Motion made (*Mr. Scobie*) that the schedule be further amended by the addition of the words "Pee-wit, Ibis, Slate-coloured Crane, Magpie (other than the black magpie)",—and question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Lync,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Dangar,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Holborow.

Tellers,

Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Cullen.

Noes, 39.

Mr. Hayes,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Goruly,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Scott,
Sir Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Hart,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Collins.
Mr. Dale,	
Mr. Bavister,	Tellers,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Hutchinson,	

*Addition of words proposed negatived.**Schedule as amended agreed to.*

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

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

No. 3.

MINING ON PRIVATE LANDS BILL:—

No royalties except under this Act.

Royalty to the Crown where gold is reserved.

Tribute to the owner where gold is not specifically reserved.

Royalty to the Crown when minerals are reserved.

No mineral lease granted where minerals not reserved.

Lease may be granted on mineral conditional purchases if unworked for seven years, when tribute reserved to owner.

When rents payable. Royalties and tributes when payable.

Rent may converge into royalty.

Crown not responsible for payment of tribute.

Miner's rights and mineral license not necessary.

Clause 27. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any other Act provided, after the passing of this Act no royalties shall be charged on behalf of the Crown on any metals or minerals obtained from alienated lands, or lands in process of alienation other than those hereinafter set forth. All leases granted under the provisions of this Act shall be subject to the following royalties or tributes, that is to say:—

- (a) Gold-mining.—“In the case of lands where all minerals have been reserved to the Crown or where gold has been specifically so reserved” whenever any lease for gold-mining is granted, the Crown shall reserve a royalty of ~~two~~ **one and a half** per centum on the value of all gold obtained from such mine.
- (b) Gold-mining.—In the case of lands where no minerals have been reserved to the Crown whenever any lease for gold-mining is granted, a tribute of ~~two~~ **one and a half** per centum on the value of all gold obtained from such mine shall be reserved to the owner if such owner be not the mining lessee, but under this subsection no royalty will in any case be reserved to the Crown.
- (c) Mining for minerals other than gold.—Whenever any mineral lease is granted of lands on which all minerals have been reserved, or of lands where some minerals only have been specifically reserved, the Crown shall reserve a royalty of ~~two~~ **one and a half** per centum on the value of the minerals obtained therefrom, and for which such lease shall have been granted. And except in the case of lands referred to in section six hereof, and in the case of mineral conditional purchases as herein-after provided, no lease will be granted under this Act to work minerals other than gold which have not been reserved to the Crown.
- (d) ~~In the case of mineral conditional purchased land, if mining operations shall not have been prosecuted either on, under, or in connection with such land for a consecutive period of seven years, such land shall be open to lease under this Act for minerals other than gold, and in respect of such minerals a tribute only shall be reserved to the owner of two and a half per centum on the value of such minerals, to be estimated in the manner hereinbefore provided, and no royalty on such minerals shall in such case be reserved to the Crown.~~
- (e) All rents shall commence from the date of the approval of the lease and shall be paid half-yearly in advance. All royalties ~~or tributes~~ accruing for the preceding six months shall be payable in the prescribed manner, up to the end of June and the end of December respectively: Provided that whenever the amount of royalty accruing to the Crown for any half year shall exceed the sum payable by the lessee in the form of rent, the amount of rent so paid in advance may be deducted from the amount otherwise payable as royalty.
- (f) ~~In all cases when a tribute is reserved to the owner in any lease under this Act, it shall rest with the owner to ascertain the amount thereof, and to collect or recover the same at his own risk and expense. Nevertheless the provisions with respect to the accounts as provided in sections twenty-four and twenty-five shall, so far as the same are applicable, be held to apply equally in the case of tribute as in the case of royalty.~~
- (g) It shall not be necessary for the owner or occupier, or for the applicant for a lease or the lessee or his employee to be the holder of a miner's right or mineral license to establish or maintain a title to a lease under this Act. (*Read.*)

Motion

Motion made (*Dr. Hollis*) to omit from lines 6 and 7 the words, "In the case of lands where all minerals have been reserved to the Crown or where gold has been specifically so reserved."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.		Noes, 32.	
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Bowes,	Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Reid,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Wall,	Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Gough,	Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Newton,	Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Booth,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Dangar,	Mr. Lees,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. McGowen.	Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Miller,		Mr. Tonkin,	
Mr. Sharp,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Dale,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Cann,	Mr. Lee,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.	Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Morgan.

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

*Words stand.*

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*) to omit from line 8 the word "two" with a view to the insertion of the word "one."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.		Noes, 51.	
Dr. Hollis,		Mr. Barton,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Reid,		Mr. Copeland,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. A'Beckett,		Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Morgan,		Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Sheldon,		Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hoyle.		Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Danahey,
<i>Tellers,</i>		Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Parkes,		Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Scott.		Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Bowes,
		Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Wall,
		Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Nicholson,
		Mr. Lees,	Mr. Houghton,
		Mr. Dale,	Mr. Stevenson,
		Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Torpy,
		Mr. Lee,	Mr. Miller,
		Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Sharp,
		Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Newton,
		Mr. Gough,	Mr. Schey,
		Mr. Rose,	Mr. Dickens,
		Mr. Willis,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
		Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Hassall,
		Mr. Newman,	Mr. McGowen.
		Mr. Cotton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
		Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Black,
		Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Dangar.
		Mr. Hutchinson,	
		Mr. Donald,	

*Word omitted.*

And the word "one" having been inserted and the clause further amended, as indicated,—

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Sydney Smith*) to omit from subsection (*b*) lines 12 to 14 the words "on the value of all gold obtained from such mine shall be reserved to the owner if such owner be not the mining lessee, but under this subsection no royalty will in any case be reserved to the Crown."

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY,

WEDNESDAY, 15 FEBRUARY, 1893, A.M.

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

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Manning.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Bowes.

Noes, 45.

Mr. Burdekin,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Haynes,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Reid,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Dale,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Wall,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Grahame,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Dangar,  
Mr. Parkes,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Schey.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Booth.

*Words omitted.*

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

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Ayes, 49.

Mr. Burdekin,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Reid,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Grahame,  
Mr. J. D. Clark,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Dangar,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Danahey.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Hussall.

Noes, 14.

Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Dale,  
Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Wall,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Booth,  
Mr. Gough.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Parkes,  
Mr. Lee.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And a new clause to stand as clause 32, and the Preamble having been dealt with,—  
On motion of Mr. Copeland, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, with amendments, to the House.

WEDNESDAY, 15 FEBRUARY, 1893.

No. 7.

WAYS AND MEANS.

*Income Tax—Resolution.*

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

(4.) *Resolved:—*

That towards raising the supply to be granted to Her Majesty, there shall be charged, levied, and paid yearly, from the first day of January, 1893,—

On and in respect of all interest of money, annuities, shares of annuities, dividends, debentures, profits, and gains, arising or accruing from investments or property, real or personal, in the said Colony (excepting investments in New South Wales Government Debentures and Funded Stock), payable to any person or persons, bodies politic or corporate companies, or societies (whether corporate or not), and whether resident or carrying on business in the said Colony or not—on and in respect of the annual profits and gains derived by any person  
or

or persons from any kind of investments or property whatever, or from any annuities, allowances, or stipends, or from the exercise of any profession, trade, or vocation, or from any source whatever; and on and in respect of every public office or employment of profit, and upon every annuity, pension, salary, or stipend payable to any person out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, or the Superannuation Account, or any other fund (with such exceptions, qualifications, adjustment, and deductions as may be prescribed.) For every 20s. of the annual value or amount thereof, over and above the sum of £200, the sum of 4d., where the entire value or amount does not exceed £500; 6d. where the same is more than £500 and does not exceed £2,000; 8d. where the same is more than £2,000 and does not exceed £5,000; and 10d. where the same exceeds £5,000; but so that no such sum of £200 or less shall be subject to the said payment, and that £200 of the said value or amount where the same exceeds £200 shall stand free and clear of such payment. (*Read.*)

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 16 FEBRUARY, 1893, A.M.

Motion made (*Mr. McMillan*),—That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Chapman moved,—“That the question be now put.”

Question put,—That the Question be now put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Barton,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Dr. Ross,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Dawson.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Sheldon,	

Noes, 40.

Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Wise,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Young,
Mr. McMillan,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Danahay,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. Scobie,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Parkes,	
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Hart,	Dr. Hollis.
Mr. Fegan,	
Mr. Kirkpatrick,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the majority in favour of the motion consisted of “at least forty members,”—

Question agreed to.

And the Question, That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again, having been negatived,—

Resolution (*No. 4*) agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Sec the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again, and also to report that the Committee have come to certain Resolutions.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

## NEW SOUTH WALES.

## No. 12.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 21 FEBRUARY, 1893.

No. 1.

## HILLGROVE AND ARMIDALE WATER-POWER ELECTRIC BILL:—

Clause 23. It shall be lawful for the Minister, with the consent of the Governor in Council, at any time after the expiration of "twenty-one" years from the date of this Act being assented to by the Governor, to give the company notice of the intention of the Crown to resume any land comprised in any lease granted under the authority of this Act, and of the intention of the Crown to purchase the whole or any part of the land, machinery, and works belonging to the company, and which have been acquired, made, or erected under the authority of this Act. The amount of compensation to be paid to the company upon the resumption by the Crown of the land comprised in any lease, and the purchase of such land, machinery, and works shall not exceed the actual cost of *bonâ fide* construction of such machinery and works, which shall be determined as provided in clause thirteen of this Act with an amount added equal to two years' profit calculated on the basis of the last five years return. (Read.)

Minister may  
resume land  
upon notice.

Compensation  
upon resump-  
tion of land com-  
prised in lease.

Motion made (*Mr. McCourt*) to omit from line 2 the word "twenty-one," with a view to the insertion of the word "ten."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Lync,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Kidd,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Hindle.
Dr. Ross,	
Mr. Wise,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Perry.
Mr. McFarlane,	

Noes, 27.

Mr. McCourt,	Mr. York,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Hugh Taylor,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Stovenson,
Sir Henry Parke,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. O'Sullivan.
Mr. Murphy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Cruickshank,	
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Edden,	

*Word stands.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

*Clause as amended agreed to.*

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

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

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No. 2.

## No. 2.

## SEGENHOE ESTATE IRRIGATION BILL.

Compensation  
for private  
lands.

Clause 40. Where the land described in any such notification consists wholly or partly of land alienated by, or not the property of the Crown, or is not Crown land, as defined by this Act, the owners thereof shall be entitled to receive such sum of money, by way of compensation, for the land so described, as shall be agreed upon, or otherwise ascertained, under the provisions hereinafter contained. (*Read.*)

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

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Wright,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Scott,	
Mr. McFarlane,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. McCourt.
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	

Noes, 9.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cann,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Edden.

*Tellers,*

Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Schey.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Neild the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Tuesday, 7th March.

WEDNESDAY, 22 FEBRUARY, 1893, A.M.

## No. 3.

## INCOME TAX BILL:—

Grant of Duties  
of Income Tax.

Clause 1. For the twelve months commencing on the first day of "January," one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, and for each year thereafter, there shall be charged, collected, and paid for the use of Her Majesty in respect of all "incomes" "mentioned or described as chargeable in the 'Income Tax Assessment Act of 1893,' " or any Act providing for the assessment of income tax, the following duties of income tax, that is to say:—

On every income exceeding two hundred pounds, "but not exceed five hundred pounds," the sum of fourpence for every twenty shillings of that income above two hundred pounds.

On every income exceeding five hundred pounds, but not exceeding two thousand pounds, the sum of sixpence for every twenty shillings of that income above two hundred pounds.

On every income exceeding two thousand pounds, but not exceeding five thousand pounds, the sum of eightpence for every twenty shillings of that income above two hundred pounds.

On every income exceeding five thousand pounds, the sum of tenpence for every twenty shillings of that income above two hundred pounds. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to omit from line 1 the word "January" with a view to the insertion of the word "July"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Sec,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Bowes,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. York,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Reid,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Black.
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Hoyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Hutchinson,	

No. 15.

Mr. Burdekin,
Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Neild,
Mr. Wise,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Cruickshank.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Cullen,
Mr. G. D. Clark.

*Word stands.*

## No. 4.

## SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Sir George Dibbs*) to insert in line 2, after the word "ninety-three" the words "and for each year thereafter" and

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Sec,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Sheldon,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Eddon,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. York,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Wise,	Mr. McGowen.

Noes, 9.

Mr. Burdekin,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Hart.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Dangar.

*Words inserted.*

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to insert after the words just inserted, the words "up to and inclusive of the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7

Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Dangar.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Burdekin.

Noes, 37.

Mr. Lync,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Wise,
Mr. See,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. York,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Cook,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Stevenson,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Rose.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Wise*) to insert in line 3, after the word "incomes," the words "Provided that life incomes and incomes arising from personal exertion in trades, professions, or any other employment, shall pay a lower rate than permanent incomes and incomes derived from invested capital, rents, mortgages, shares, debentures, and other charges upon property, namely, in the proportions of two to three."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Burdekin,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McCourt,	
Mr. Neild,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Tonkin.
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Wise,	
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Dangar,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Bavister,	

Noes, 29.

Mr. Lync,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. See,	Mr. Stevenson,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Hoyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Johnston.
Mr. Wall,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

No. 7.

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Wise*) to omit from lines 3 and 4 the words "mentioned or described as chargeable in the 'Income Tax Assessment Act of 1893.'"

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

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Sec,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Edden,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Chanter.
Mr. Vaughn,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Hassall.

*Words stand.*

Noes, 6.

Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Burdekin,
Mr. Wise,
Mr. Sydney Smith.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. McCourt.

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

*Some clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Burdekin*) to omit from line 6 the words "but not exceeding five hundred pounds,"

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

Ayes, 41.

Mr. Sec,	Mr. Grahame,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Schey.
Mr. Reid,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Black,	

*Words stand.**Clause as amended agreed to.*

And the remainder of the Bill having been dealt with,—

On the motion of Mr. Sec the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with an amendment to the House.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 13.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

.THURSDAY, 2 MARCH, 1893.

No. 1.

LIQUOR LICENSING LAW AMENDMENT BILL:—

(Resolution.)

Mr. Dangar moved that the Committee agree to the following Resolution,—

*Resolved*:—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to so amend the law regulating the liquor traffic as to enact that not more than one bar shall be allowed in each hotel, and to provide for the abolition of female labour therein, and for other purposes connected therewith.

Mr. Kelly moved that the Chairman leave the Chair, and Question put,—  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.

Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Hutchinson.

Tellers,

Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Kelly.

Noes, 39.

Mr. Neild,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Marks,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Traill.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Tellers,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Bowes.
Mr. Levien,	
Mr. Cann,	

*Negatived.*

And it being seven o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to enable Government Business to be proceeded with under Sessional Order adopted on 2nd February, 1893.

No. 2.

INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT BILL (No. 2):—

Clause 2.

(1) The Governor may appoint a Commissioner of Taxation who shall have general power to administer this Act, and so many District Commissioners of Taxation for any district or group of districts as he may think fit. And in case of the absence or illness of the Commissioner or any District Commissioner, the Governor may appoint a person to act in the place of such Commissioner or District Commissioner during such absence or illness.

Appointment of  
Commissioner  
and District  
Commissioners  
of Taxation.

(11)

- (II) The District Commissioners and other officers shall have such powers and perform such duties as the Governor on the recommendation of the Commissioner shall confer and impose upon them, including any powers and duties by this Act conferred or imposed upon the Commissioner.
- (III) Any power conferred upon a District Commissioner by this Act or the regulations thereunder may be exercised by the Commissioner of Taxation.
- (IV) The Commissioner of Taxation shall be Commissioner for the Metropolitan Taxation District.
- (V) The office of Commissioner of Taxation or District Commissioner may, with the sanction of the Governor, be held in conjunction with any other office in the public service. (*Read*).

Motion made (*Mr. Carruthers*) to add to the clause the following words to stand as subsection (VI):—

- (VI) All such Commissioners and other officers under this Act shall be appointed from officers in the Civil Service unless the Minister administering this Act shall certify that no competent person in the Civil Service can be obtained for the office.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Newman.
Mr. Reid,	
Mr. Want,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Cullen.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Edden,	

Noes, 38.

Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. York,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. See,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Gough.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Traill,	
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Langwell.

*Addition of words proposed negatived.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

Assessors and other officers.

Clause 3. The Governor may appoint so many assessors, collectors, clerks, and other officers as he may deem necessary, and such persons may be appointed in respect of any district, or a division of any district, or generally for the purposes of this Act. (*Read*).

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to add to the clause the following words:—The appointment of every such person shall be notified in the *Government Gazette* within one week of his appointment, and such notification shall specify what duties he is to perform and the rate of remuneration he is to receive.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.

Mr. Jones,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Parkes,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Lee,
Mr. Newman,
Mr. Black,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hart.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Neild.

Noes, 39.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. See,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. York,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Scott.
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Chapman,	
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Schey.
Mr. Morton,	

*Addition of words proposed negatived.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

No. 4.

No. 4.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 37. If any income tax shall be ~~is~~ in arrear for thirty days after the giving of the prescribed notice to the taxpayer to pay the same, the Commissioner, or any person authorised by him, may thereupon, by warrant under his hand, distrain upon the goods and chattels of such taxpayer, wherever the same may be, for payment of taxes in arrear and of any sum imposed or incurred by way of fine or interest under section ten, and if the sum for which the distress is taken, together with the reasonable costs of distress, be not paid within five days after the distress has been made, the goods and chattels distrained, or so much as shall be sufficient to pay such sum and costs, and expenses, may be sold, and the proceeds, after deducting such sum, costs, and expenses, shall be paid over to the taxpayer. Recovery by distress.

*(Read.)*

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

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

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 44.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. See,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. York,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Cook,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Newman.

## Noes, 9.

Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Neild,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Parkes,
Mr. McCourt.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jones.
Mr. Lonsdale.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 5.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 46. The Governor may by regulation impose a penalty not exceeding "fifty" pounds for the breach of any provisions of this Act or of the regulations thereunder. Penalties may be imposed by regulation. *(Read.)*

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to omit from line 1, the word "fifty" with a view to the insertion of the word "thirty"

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

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 26.

Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Schey.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Darnley.

## Noes, 21.

Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hart.
Mr. Danahey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Edden.
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Bruce Smith,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Morton,	

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

No. 6.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 47. All penalties imposed by this Act or by the regulations thereunder may be recovered summarily before a Stipendiary or Police Magistrate; and if the amount of such penalty be not paid within the time mentioned in the order, payment thereof may be enforced by distress and sale of the offender's goods and chattels, and in default of sufficient distress the offender shall be liable to imprisonment for any term not exceeding ~~one~~ three calendar months, unless such penalty be sooner paid. Proceedings to be heard summarily, &c. *(Read.)*

Motion made (*Mr. G. D. Clark*) to omit from line 5, the word "one," with a view to the insertion of the word "three"; and the retention of the word "one" having been negatived,

Question

Question put,—That the word proposed to be inserted be so inserted.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. See,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Bruce Smith,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. McGowen.

Noes, 10.

Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Jones,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Neild,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Hart.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Fegan.

*Word inserted.*

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

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

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. See,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Danahey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Hassall.

Noes, 7.

Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Lonsdale.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jones,
Mr. Neild.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining clauses of the Bill (not postponed) having been dealt with,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 14.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 7 MARCH, 1893.

No. 1.

## CONSPIRACY AND PROTECTION OF PROPERTY BILL:—

Clause 3. Every person who, with a view to compel any other person to abstain from doing or to do any act which such person has a legal right to do or abstain from doing, wrongfully and without legal authority,—

Penalty for intimidation or annoyance by violence or otherwise.

- (i) Uses violence to or intimidates such other person, or his wife or children, or injures his property; or  
 (ii) ~~Persistently follows such other person about from place to place; or~~  
 (iii) Hides any tools, clothes, or other property owned or used by such other person, or deprives him of, or hinders him in the use thereof; or  
 (iv) Watches or besets the house or other place where such other person resides, or works, or carries on business, or happens to be, or the approach to such house or place; or  
 (v) Follows such other person with two or more other persons in a disorderly manner in or through any street or road,

shall, on conviction thereof by a Court of summary jurisdiction, or on indictment, be liable either to pay a penalty not exceeding *twenty* pounds, or to be imprisoned for a term not exceeding *three* months, with or without hard labour.

Following a person or attending at or near the house or place where a person resides, or works, or carries on business, or happens to be, or the approach to such house or place, in order merely to obtain or communicate information shall not be deemed a watching or besetting within the meaning of this section: **an offence either at Common Law or under this Act.**

Provided that no person shall be liable to any punishment for doing or conspiring to do any act on the ground that such act restrains, or tends to restrain, the free course of trade, unless such act is one of the acts hereinbefore specified in this section, and is done with the object of coercing as hereinbefore mentioned. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Walker*) to omit Sub-section (iv), and,—

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

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Wise,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Barton,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. See,	Mr. Daruley,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Barbour,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Perry.
Mr. Waddell,	
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Hogan,	
Mr. York,	
Mr. Bowes,	

Noes, 29.

Dr. Ross,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Sehey,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Gough.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Fegan,	
Mr. Langwell,	

*Words omitted.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

Breach of contract involving injury to persons or property.

Postponed Clause 2. Where any person wilfully and maliciously breaks a contract of service or of hiring, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the probable consequences of his so doing, either alone or in combination with others, will be to endanger human life, or cause serious bodily injury, or ~~to expose~~ **the destruction or serious injury of** valuable property, whether real or personal ~~to destruction or serious injury~~, he shall on conviction thereof by a Court of summary jurisdiction, or on indictment, be liable either to pay a penalty not exceeding *twenty* pounds, or to be imprisoned for a term not exceeding three months, with or without hard labour. **Provided that no person shall be convicted under this section unless the injury referred to as being the probable consequences of his action shall have occurred within thirty hours of the breach of contract complained of.** (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Wise*) to add to the clause the following words "Provided that no person shall be convicted under this section unless the injury referred to as being the probable consequences of his action shall have occurred within thirty hours of the breach of contract complained of."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Wise,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Hutchinson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Darnley,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. McCourt.
Mr. Barton,	
Mr. A'Beckett,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Parkes,	
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	
Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. Donald,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. Hayes,	
Dr. Cullen,	
Mr. Colls.	

*Words added.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the Preamble having been agreed to,—

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

No. 3.

INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT BILL:—

Exemption of certain incomes.

Postponed Clause 8. The following incomes, revenues, and funds shall be exempt from income tax:—

- (I) The revenues of Municipal Corporations,—
- (II) The incomes of companies or societies not carrying on business for purposes of profit or gain,—
- (III) The dividends and profits of the New South Wales and Post Office Savings Banks,—
- (IV) The funds and incomes of societies registered under Part III of the "Friendly Societies Act of 1873," or under any Act relating to Trade Unions,—
- (V) The incomes, endowments, and revenues of all ecclesiastical, charitable, and educational institutions of a public character, whether supported, wholly or partly, by grants from the Consolidated Revenue Fund or not: Provided that no such institution shall be within this exemption if its income is payable or distributable as profit or gain to, or among, any particular individuals,—
- (VI) Income arising or accruing to any person from Government or Municipal Debentures or Funded Stock.
- (VII) Any profits income of Life Assurance Companies distributed or distributable by way of bonus or in reduction of payment of premiums among holders of life policies or held in reserve for the purpose of such distribution by way of deferred or reversionary payment or bonus.

The exemptions declared by this section shall not extend to the salaries and wages of persons employed by any such corporation, company, society, or institution, although the same be paid wholly or in part out of the income, revenues, or funds thereof. (*Read.*)

Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Carruthers*) to insert in sub-section (vi), after the word "Government" the words "or Municipal" and,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 45.		Noes, 34.	
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Rae,	Mr. Ross,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Wise,	Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Crick,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Colls,	Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. York,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Hart,	Mr. See,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Rose,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Marks,	Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Hogan,	
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Manning,	
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Collins,	Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Nicoll,	
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Black,	Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Donald,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. H. H. Brown,	
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Neild,	Mr. Dickens,	
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Sharp.	Mr. Sheldon,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,		Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Newman,		Mr. Scott,	

*Words inserted.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And postponed clauses 12 and 17 having been dealt with,—

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

Postponed Clause 18. From the taxable amount so ascertained as aforesaid every taxpayer shall be entitled to deductions in respect of the annual amount of:—

- (I) Losses, "outgoings," and expenses actually incurred by the taxpayer in the production of his income.
- (II) Every premium or sum paid by the taxpayer on the insurance of his own life, or that of his wife, or for a deferred annuity, or other provision for his wife or children, or in respect of any fidelity guarantee, or bond, which such taxpayer is required to provide for the exercise of his profession, trade, employment, or vocation, upon production of the several receipts of such payments, and on proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Commissioner: Provided that, in no case, shall any deduction be allowed under this sub-section beyond the sum of *fifty* pounds in the aggregate.
- (III) Any sums paid by the taxpayer by way of interest, in respect of any mortgage of, or charge, or encumbrance, upon any real or personal property.
- (IV) Sums expended for the supply, repair, or alteration of implements, utensils, and articles employed by the taxpayer for the purposes of his trade; such sums shall be estimated on the annual average of the sums expended for such purposes during the two years preceding the year of assessment, or if such average cannot be struck, the amount to be deducted shall be the sum expended for such purposes during the year immediately preceding the year of assessment, provided that where in any trade income is set apart by the taxpayer by way of a fund to cover the depreciation of such implements, utensils, and articles, the amount so set apart for the year immediately preceding the year of assessment may, subject to the approval of the Commissioner, be deducted instead of the sums so expended as aforesaid.

Where a taxpayer, either alone, or with other persons, carries on, or is interested as a partner in, more than one trade, and makes a profit in one or more of such trades, and a loss in another or others, such taxpayer shall be entitled to deduct the sum of the losses from that of the profits. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to insert in line 3, after the word "outgoings" the word "house-rent"

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY,

WEDNESDAY, 8 MARCH, 1893, A.M.

Question put,—That the word proposed to be inserted be so inserted.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Burdskin,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Bruce Smith,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Hart.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Lees.

Noes, 35.  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Wall,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Rosc,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Grahame,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Hutcheson,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Newman.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. Hassall.

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And postponed clauses 19, 22, and 23 and the Preamble having been dealt with,—

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

WEDNESDAY, 8 MARCH, 1893.

No. 5.

## MINING ON PRIVATE LANDS BILL.

*(Recommittal.)*

Duration of lease.

Rents payable.

Area of lease.

Clause 22. The term for which a lease may be granted under this Act shall not exceed "twenty" years, but may, if the Governor so approve, be renewed for a further period not exceeding twenty years, and the yearly rental reserved to the "Crown" in respect of such leases shall be ~~two shillings and sixpence~~ **one shilling** per acre for land whereof the mining will be confined to minerals other than gold, and ~~five shillings~~ **two shillings and sixpence** per acre for land applied for for gold-mining purposes, and such rents shall be payable half-yearly in advance. The area leased shall not exceed ~~twenty five acres in the case of lands where the operations will be confined chiefly to auriferous quartz veins, and shall not exceed eighty acres in the case of alluvial auriferous land where the mining operations will be conducted through hard rock formations, or where the quantity of water is such as to necessitate the erection of steam machinery, or where, in the opinion of the Minister, a large outlay of money is necessary to make such land available for gold-mining purposes.~~ **And no lease of land for mining for minerals other than gold shall be granted of an area greater than eighty acres except in the case of land containing coal, and in such case the area shall not exceed six hundred and forty acres leased shall not in any case exceed ten acres for gold, forty acres for other minerals excepting coal or shale, and for coal or shale six hundred acres.** Where practicable such leases shall be granted in conformity with the existing divisions of such land, but in all other cases such leases shall be measured in the prescribed form. The areas and rents herein specified shall apply to leases whether for only below the surface or for both on and below the surface. *(Read.)*

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*) to omit from line 1 the word "twenty" with a view to the insertion of the word "ten"

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

Ayes, 49.  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Wall,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Donnelly,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. York,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Dangar,  
Mr. Lungwell,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. E. G. Brown,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Brunner,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. H. H. Brown,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Grahame,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Bavister.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Cann.

Noes, 16.  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Jeanneret,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Fuller.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. Chapman.

Word stands.

No. 6.

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Wall*) to omit from line 3 the word "Crown" with a view to insert the word "owner"

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

Ayes, 41.

Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Leo,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Dangar,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Gough,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Miller,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Hindle.
Mr. Stevenson,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Kidd,
Dr. Ross,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Barton,
Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Manning,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Newman,
Mr. Wall,
Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Gillies,
Mr. York,
Mr. Scobie.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Walker.

*Word stands.*

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Gough*) to omit from line 4 the words "two shillings and sixpence" with a view to the insertion of the words "one shilling"

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

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Kelly.
Mr. Copeland,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Willis,	
Dr. Ross,	
Mr. A'Beckett,	
Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. H. H. Brown,	
Mr. Donnelly,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Gardiner,	

Noes, 30.

Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Grahame.
Mr. Hutchinson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Walker.

*Words omitted.*

And the words "one shilling" having been inserted,—

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Cann*) to omit from line 5 the words "five shillings" with a view to the insertion of the words "two shillings and sixpence"

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

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Barton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Slattery,	
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Manning.
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Vaughn,	
Mr. Hassall,	
Dr. Ross,	
Mr. Willis,	
Mr. A'Beckett,	
Mr. H. H. Brown,	
Mr. Donnelly,	
Mr. York,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Barnes,	

Noes, 30.

Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Kelly.
Mr. Sharp,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Alfred Allen,	
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Gough,	Mr. Langwell.

*Words omitted.*

And the words "two shillings and sixpence" having been inserted,—

No. 9.

No. 9.

SAME BILL,

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Copeland*) to omit from lines 7-15, the words "leased—acres." with a view  
 "to the insertion in their place of the words "which may be leased under the provisions of  
 "this Act shall in all cases be similar to the areas provided in the regulations for the time  
 "being in force with respect to leases for mining on Crown Lands."

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 9 MARCH, 1893, A.M.

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

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Haynes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. A'Beckett,	
Mr. Gough,	
Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Dangar,	

*Words omitted.*

Noes, 27.

Mr. Slattery,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Schey.
Mr. Rose,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donnelly,	
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Newman.
Mr. Gillies,	

No. 10.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Kelly.
Mr. Kidd,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Vaughn,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. Barton,	
Mr. Dickens,	
Mr. Grahame,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

Noes, 25.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Gough,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Schey.
Mr. Jones,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Scobie,	

No. 11.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*) to insert in the blank created the following words:—"leased  
 "shall not in any case exceed ten acres for gold, forty acres for other minerals excepting  
 "coal or shale, and for coal or shale six hundred acres."

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

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Williams.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Chapman.

*Words inserted.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 23, 25, 26, 27, and 31 having been dealt with,—

Noes, 20.

Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Gillics,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Slattery,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Walker,	
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. York,	
Mr. Willis,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Vaughn,	

No. 12.

No. 12.

SAME BILL.

Clause 32. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Part II of this Act, the Warden may grant a prospecting license to any person being the holder of a miner's right or a mineral license, and subject to the provisions of Part I hereof with respect to the several mineral reservations contained in the Crown grants; such license shall entitle the holder to enter upon any private land which is declared to be subject to the operations of mining under the provisions of this Act, and to mark off and occupy a prospecting any area as provided for in any Mining Act or regulations in force for the time being and appertaining to Crown lands, and such prospector shall have the right within such prospecting area to dig and search for gold or minerals other than gold as the case may be—

- (a) Whenever "alluvial deposits containing" gold, tin, or gem-stones of a payable character are discovered such discovery shall forthwith be reported to the Warden, who shall report the same to the Minister, who on being satisfied of the payable nature of such discovery shall have power to resume such land or any part thereof for mining purposes, and on notification of such resumption appearing in the *Gazette*, the owner thereof shall be entitled to compensation for the value of such land, and in the event of there being a tenant or rightful occupier of such land, other than the owner, such occupier shall be entitled to compensation for the loss of his interest therein. All such compensation shall be appraised by the Local Land Board subject to appeal to the Land Appeal Court, and shall comprise the value of the land for other than mining purposes, and the value of any improvements on such land, and the amount so appraised shall be paid by the Minister for Mines from moneys to be annually voted by Parliament for that purpose. Land may be resumed.
- (b) On the appearance of such notification in the *Gazette* of the resumption of any land for mining purposes, such land shall thereupon become Crown land, and without any further notification shall be reserved from sale and from occupation for other than mining purposes until such reservation be revoked by the Governor; and whenever such revocation shall take place, the former owner or occupier other than tenant of the land or his transferee shall be entitled to re-purchase or re-lease such land at a price or rental to be determined by the Minister for Lands after appraisal by the Land Board, and failing such re-purchase or re-lease the land shall be dealt with as ordinary Crown lands. Former owner to have preferent right to re-purchase.
- (c) Before authorising any person to enter upon such private land for prospecting purposes, the Warden shall hold an inquiry, of which due notice shall be given to the owner and occupier (if any), as well as the applicant, and shall thereat assess the amount of money to be deposited by the applicant for a prospecting license to cover towards covering the damage to the surface of such land likely to be caused by mining operations being conducted thereon; and the Warden may make such stipulations and conditions with respect to such mining operations as shall appear to him necessary and expedient, and shall have power to enforce the same in all cases. Deposit to cover surface damage.
- (d) Whenever a notification of resumption as aforesaid shall appear in the *Gazette*, such authorised prospector, in the event of his being the discoverer of such payable deposits, shall be deemed to be the first applicant for a prospecting claim under his miner's right or mineral license; and the date of such application shall be reckoned as the date of publication of such notification in the *Gazette*; but in all other respects as to area, labour conditions, and other matters, such application shall be dealt with subject to the regulations in force for the time being authorising the occupation of Crown lands for mining purposes. Prospector to have preferent right to claim.
- (e) Whenever any mineral other than those described in subsection (a) hereof shall be discovered in such prospecting area, the holder or holders thereof shall, within thirty days from the date of such discovery, be entitled to apply for a lease of such land in accordance with the provisions of section twelve of this Act, and he or they shall be deemed to be the first applicant or applicants as the case may be. If other minerals are discovered, prospector may apply for a lease.

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Sydney Smith*) to omit from line 1 of subsection (a) the words "alluvial deposits containing"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Gough,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Wall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Nicholson,	

Words stand.

Noes, 6.

Mr. Hart,
Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Brunker.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Newman,
Mr. Gardiner.

And

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

No. 13.

SAME BILL.

Mr. Reid moved new clause to follow clause 32 of the Bill.

Subject always to the payment of compensation before commencing mining operations to be determined as provided for in Part II, unless the amount be otherwise agreed upon between the parties, the holders of miners' rights under the Mining Act, 1874, being also the holders of an authority under the ninth section of this Act, shall have the same rights and be subject to the same liabilities as holders of leases issued under the eleventh section of this Act. Provided that the Governor shall have power to prescribe by regulations conditions for giving effect to the provisions of this clause in such manner as shall seem most expedient in the interest of the holders of such miners' rights, and to ensure due regard to the rights and convenience of the owners and occupiers of private lands. (*Read.*)

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Darnley.
Mr. Lonsdale,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Hart,	

Nocs, 24.

Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Vaughan,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Schey.
Mr. Nicholson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Gough,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Dickens,	

*Clause, as read, negatived.*

And the Preamble and Title of the Bill having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Copeland, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, with amendments and an amended Title, to the House.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
 Clerk Assistant.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

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No. 15.

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WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

—  
TUESDAY, 14 MARCH, 1893.

No. 1.

## SEGENHOE ESTATE IRRIGATION BILL:—

Clause 41. The estate and interest of every person entitled to lands required under this Act, or any portion thereof, and whether to the legal or equitable estate therein, shall, upon due payment of the amount of compensation tendered by the Company, or assessed by the jury as hereinafter provided, be deemed to have been as fully and effectually conveyed to the Company as if the same had been conveyed by the persons legally or equitably entitled thereto by means of the most perfect assurances in the law. And every person shall, upon asserting his claim as hereinafter provided, and making out his title in respect of any portion of the said resumed lands, be entitled to compensation on account of such resumption in manner hereinafter provided. (*Read.*)

Conversion of  
estate of pro-  
prietor of  
resumed land  
into a claim.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Sutor,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. See,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Barton,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Sharp,
Dr. Cullen,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Holborrow,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	

Noes, 5.

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Nicoll.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Walker.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

And Clauses 42 to 70 having been dealt with,—

Clause 71 read.

And it being seven o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to enable Government business to be proceeded with, under Sessional Order adopted on 2nd February, 1893

No. 2.

## INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT BILL (No. 2):—

*Second Re-committal.*Taxable  
amount—how  
ascertained.

Clause 17. For the purpose of ascertaining the sum, hereinafter termed the "taxable amount," on which (subject to the deductions hereinafter mentioned) Income Tax is payable, the following directions and provisions shall be observed, and carried out—

- (i) The amount of taxable income from all sources for the "one" year immediately preceding the year of assessment shall be taken as the basis of "calculation."
- (ii) In any case in which profits or moneys derived from any profession, trade, employment, or vocation have been converted into stock-in-trade, or added to the capital of, or in any way invested in, such profession, trade, employment, or vocation, a complete statement of the amount of such profits or moneys so converted, or added, or invested shall be made by such person in the prescribed form in his returns.
- (iii) Where income arises or accrues to any person from land, whether improved or not, the taxable amount shall be the gross amount of such income.
- (iv) Income received by a taxpayer, in respect of a share or interest in a company liable to income tax, shall be deducted from the taxable amount, but such income shall be specified by the taxpayer in returns made by him in the prescribed manner.
- (v) No tax shall be payable under subsection (i) of section seven in respect of income earned outside the Colony of New South Wales.
- (vi) The taxable amount of any income under subsection (ii) of section seven shall be the net amount paid to or on behalf of the taxpayer less all payments by way of deduction or otherwise to the Civil Service Superannuation Account, or any other public account.
- (vii) In all other cases the taxable amount shall be the total amount of income arising or accruing to any person from all sources and liable to taxation under this Act.
- (viii) Shillings and pence, and fractions thereof, shall not be included in the taxable amount. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to omit from line 4 the word "one"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 46.

Mr. See,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Langwell,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Collins.
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Donnelly,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. Burdekin,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Danahy,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Neild,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. McCourt,	
Mr. E. M. Clark,	
Mr. Tonkin,	
Mr. Lees,	
Mr. Parkes,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Hindle,	
Mr. McMillan,	
Dr. Cullen,	
Mr. Durnley,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Fegan,	
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. Reid.	

*Word stands.*

No. 3.

## SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Wise*) to insert after the word "calculation" at the end of subsection (i) the words "for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, but for all other years the computation shall be made on the amount of the full value of the profits and gains received annually."

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Tonkin,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Lonsdale,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Collins.
Mr. Nicoll,	
Mr. Neild,	
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. McCourt,	
Mr. Hindle,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Eve,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Reid,	
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Dangar,	
Mr. Lees,	
Mr. Cruickshank,	
Mr. Danahey,	

Noes, 42.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. See,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Williams,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. Kelly,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. McFarlane,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 50.

Mr. See,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Collins,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Black,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Langwell,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Grahame.
Mr. Willis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Dangar,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hassall.

Noes, 12.

Mr. Burdekin,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Lees,
Mr. Marks,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Danahey.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Neild,
Mr. Jones.

*Clause as amended agreed to.*

And a new clause to follow clause 45 having been agreed to,—

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

Mr. See brought up a new clause to follow the clause just inserted,

Every contract, agreement, or understanding, whether arrived at or evidenced by matter of record, under seal or by writing or by parol, having or purporting to have, or which might have the effect of removing, qualifying, or altering the operation of any assessment, return, exemption, or deduction, or of in any way affecting the incidence of any assessment, exemption, or deduction authorised by or consequent upon any provision of this Act shall be and is hereby declared to be wholly and absolutely null and void. (Read.)

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.

Mr. See,	Mr. Stevenson,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Slatery,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Barnes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Fegan,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Torpy,	

Noes, 9.

Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Burdekin,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Parkes,  
Mr. Lees.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Gardiner.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill 3<sup>o</sup>, with further amendments.

THURSDAY, 16 MARCH, 1893.

No. 6.

EMPLOYERS LIABILITY ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

*Consideration of the Legislative Council's Amendments,*

*Schedule of the Amendments referred to in Message of 9th February, 1893.*

Page 1, clause 1, line 8. *Omit "1891" insert "1892"*  
 Page 1, clause 2, line 14. *Omit "includes" insert "means"*  
 Page 1, clause 2, line 15. *Omit "whether at sea or in port" insert "owned in the Colony or who has signed articles of engagement in the Colony"*  
 Page 2, clause 3, line 1. *Omit "New South Wales" insert "the Colony a ship is moored or at anchor receiving or discharging cargo or coals and"*  
 Page 2, clause 3, line 4. *Omit "or unfitness"*  
 Page 2, clause 3, line 7. *After "necessary" insert "and usual"*  
 Page 2, clause 3, line 8. *After "furniture" insert "of such ship"*  
 Page 2, clause 3, line 11. *Before "whilst" insert "by such employer"*  
 Page 2, clause 3, line 21. *After "employer" insert "for any such personal injury"*  
 Page 2, clause 3, line 22. *Omit "or such other persons"*  
 Page 2, clause 3. At end of clause *add "Provided nevertheless that in the event of a personal injury to a seaman any compensation shall be recovered under this Act by such seaman against an employer there shall be deducted from such compensation any expenses which the said employer may have had to pay for such accident under the provisions of the Act twenty-seventh Victoria number thirteen."*  
 Page 2, clause 4, line 38. *Before "spars" insert "and usual"*  
 Page 2, clause 4, line 41. *After "provided" omit remainder of clause.*

*(Considered.)*

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*) that the Committee agree to the Legislative Council's amendments in this Bill—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 48.

Mr. See,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Waddell,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Traill,	

Noes, 5.

Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Hugh Taylor,  
Mr. Garrard.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. McCourt.

*Agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Kelly, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee have agreed to the Legislative Council's amendments in this Bill.

No. 7.

No 7.

## COAL-MINES REGULATION BILL.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 17 MARCH, 1893, A.M.

Postponed Clause 2. No person shall, except in case of emergency, be ~~compelled or obliged to~~ <sup>Hours of employment.</sup> ~~or~~ when life or property are in danger work below ground in any mine for more than eight hours (inclusive of one break of twenty minutes for the purpose of obtaining food) on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, and for more than six hours on each ~~back~~ alternate Saturday: And no person so employed below ground shall be ~~compelled or obliged to~~ draw or hew coal on the pay Saturday, save and excepting the drawing of small coal necessary for the ventilation of the mine during the succeeding fortnight; and any contravention of this section by any person whomsoever shall be deemed an offence against this Act. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Nicholson*) to omit from line 1 the words "be compelled or obliged to" with a view to the insertion in their place of the words "or when life or property are in danger" Question put,—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. See,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Copeland.

*Tellers,*

Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. McMillan.

Noes, 32.

Mr. Neild,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Black,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Gough.
Mr. Hutchison,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Danahey,	

*Words omitted.*

And the words proposed to be inserted having been inserted, and the clause further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining Clauses, Schedules, and Preamble of the Bill having been dealt with,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 16.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS  
IN  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES)

TUESDAY, 21 MARCH, 1893.

No. 1.

## NEWCASTLE PASTURAGE RESERVE ACT AMENDMENT BILL:—

Clause 1. Notwithstanding anything in the "Newcastle Pasturage Reserve Act" wherover one or more instalments have been paid, as provided in the aforementioned Act, the purchaser of such land (otherwise than by auction) or his transferee may within one month after the passing of this Act apply in the prescribed manner to bring his purchase under the provisions hereof; and if such application be approved by the Minister the total sum then remaining unpaid upon such purchase shall be divided into twenty equal parts, and one of such parts shall be paid within three months after the passing of this Act, "together with interest at the rate of four per centum per annum," calculated on the full amount owing on such purchase from the date of the last payment made under the original Act up to the recurring date of payment for the present year, and thereafter on each recurring date as provided in the original Act an annual payment of one of such twentieth parts shall be made, together with interest on the unpaid balance of purchase money at the rate of four per centum per annum until the full amount of purchase money with interest thereon as aforesaid shall have been paid. (Read.)

Payments extended over twenty years.

Interest reduced to four per cent.

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*) to omit from lines 7 and 8 the words "together with interest at the rate of four per centum per annum."

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

Ayes, 75.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Fagan,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Eve,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Scobie,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Moleworth,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Black,	Mr. See,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Edden,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon.
Mr. Cook,	

Noes, 2.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Gardiner.

Words stand.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

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And

And the remaining clauses and Preamble of the Bill having been dealt with,—  
On motion of Mr. Copeland the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment to the House.

WEDNESDAY, 22 MARCH, 1893.

No. 2.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1893.

*Legislative Council.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £5,947 for Legislative Council (*Sir George Dibbs*).

Motion made (*Mr Hutchison*),—That the item "President, £1,150," be reduced by £150,—and

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 72.

Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Bavister,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Marks,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Gornly,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Sheldon.
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Crick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. York,	Mr. Walker.

Noes, 15.

Mr. Reid,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Sir Henry Parkes,  
Mr. McMillan,  
Mr. Garvan,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Henry Clarke.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Torpy,  
Dr. Cullen.

*Reduction agreed to.*

Reduced Vote (£5,797) proposed,—

No. 3.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*),—That the item "Chairman of Committees, £485," be reduced by £135,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Willis,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Walker,
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Cann,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Scott,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Crick,
Mr. Perry,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Davis,
Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Cook,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Black.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Newton.

Noes, 59.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Nicoll,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Reid,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Carruthers,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Want,	Mr. York,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. See,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Gornly,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Moreton,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Chanter.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Nobbs,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. Grahame,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 4.

No. 4.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr J. D. FitzGerald*),—That the item "Chairman of Committees, £485," be reduced by £85,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 55.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. York,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Collins,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Baxister,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Chanter.
Mr. Murphy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Darnley,	

Noes, 34.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. A'Beckett.
Mr. Reid,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. See,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Ewing,	
Mr. Lyne,	
Mr. Suttor,	
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Want,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Molesworth,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Gould,	
Mr. Bruce Smith,	
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	
Sir Henry Parkes,	
Mr. McMillan,	
Dr. Cullen,	
Mr. Garvan,	
Mr. Cullen,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Torpy,	
Mr. Slattery,	
Sir George Dibbs,	

*Reduction agreed to.*

Further reduced Vote (£5,712) proposed,—

No. 5.

*(Same Estimate.)*

Motion made (*Mr. Rose*),—That the item "Clerk of the Parliaments, £770," be reduced by £120,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 60.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Baxister,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Chanter,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Black.
Mr. Stevenson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Chapman.
Mr. York,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Gould,
Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Suttor,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Want,
Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Marks,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Bruce Smith,
Mr. See,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Copeland,
Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Torpy.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lees,
Mr. Morton.

*Reduction agreed to.*

Further reduced Vote (£5,592) proposed,—

No. 6.

No. 6.

*(Same Estimate.)*

Motion made (*Mr. Hugh McKinnon*),—That the item "Clerk Assistant, £580," be reduced by £80,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 57.\*

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Chanter,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. York,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Fegan.

Noes, 21.

Dr. Ross,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Gould,
Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Suttor,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Want,
Mr. Marks,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. See,
Mr. Bruce Smith,
Mr. Lyne,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Morton,
Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Torpy.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Molesworth.

\* So in Tellers' Lists.

*Reduction agreed to.*

Further reduced Vote (£5,512) proposed.—

No. 7.

*(Same Estimate.)*

Motion made (*Mr. Waddell*),—That the item "Usher of the Black Rod, £428," be reduced by £28,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Chanter.
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Newton,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	
Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. Black,	
Dr. Hollis,	

Noes, 42.

Mr. Jones,	Mr. Langwell,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Nicoll,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Suttor,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. See,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Gormly,
Sir Henry Parkes,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. York,	Mr. Sheldon.
Mr. Kirkpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. Garvan,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 8.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Hugh McKinnon*),—That the item "First Clerk, £438" be reduced by £38,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Willis,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Lonsdale.
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Wright,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Murphy,	
Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Collins,	

Noes, 41.

Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Hoyle,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Slattery,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Walker,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Lees,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Hart.
Mr. See,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Vaughn,	
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Torpy,	

*Reduction negatived.**Reduced Estimate for Legislative Council (£5,512) agreed to.*

No. 9.

*Legislative Assembly—Speaker.*Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £10,330, for Legislative Assembly (*Sir George Dibbs*).And Mr. Crick having demanded that each item of the Vote be put *seriatim*.—

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £1,435, for Speaker.—

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*),—That the item be reduced by £135,—and Question put. Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Chapman,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. McGowen,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Donnhey,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Cann.
Mr. Gardiner,	

Noes, 29.

Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Marks,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Gould,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Copeland.
Mr. Suttor,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Ewing.
Mr. Torpy,	
Sir George Dibbs,	
Mr. Willis,	
Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Chanter,	
Mr. York,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Manning,	
Sir Henry Parkes,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Bruce Smith,	

*Reduction agreed to.*

No. 10.

*Same Estimate—Chairman of Committees.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £770, for Chairman of Committees.

Motion made (*Mr. Dawson*),—That the item be reduced by £70,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Cook,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. McGowen,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Murphy,	
Mr. Dawson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Stevenson,	Dr. Hollis.

Noes, 31.

Mr. Lyne,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. York,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Rwing,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Fegan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Vaughn,	
Mr. Scotie,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Perry.
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Bruce Smith,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Sheldon,	
Mr. McMillan,	
Mr. Torpy,	

*Reduction agreed to.*

No. 11.

No. 11.

*Same Estimate—Clerk of Assembly.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £960 for Clerk of Assembly.

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the item be reduced by £90,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Hutchison.

Tellers,

Mr. Black,  
Mr. Davis.

Noes, 52.

Sir George Dibbs, Dr. Ross, Mr. Lyne, Mr. Ionsdale, Mr. Alfred Allen, Mr. Molesworth, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Vaughn, Mr. Sheldon, Sir Joseph Abbott, Mr. Nobbs, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Gould, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Marks, Mr. Scobie, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Bruce Smith, Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald, Mr. See, Mr. Hugh McKinnon, Mr. Grahame, Mr. Danahey, Dr. Hollis, Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Perry, Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Walker, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Manning, Mr. Morton, Mr. Torpy, Mr. A'Beckett, Mr. York, Mr. Crick, Mr. Newton, Mr. Bavister, Mr. Cook, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Hart, Mr. Donald, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Willis,  Tellers,  Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Langwell.
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*Reduction negatived.*And the remaining items having been put to the Committee,—  
*Reduced Estimate for Legislative Assembly (£10,125) agreed to.*

No. 12.

*Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly.*Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,416 for Legislative Council and Assembly (*Sir George Dibbs*).Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the item "Steward and Housekeeper, £319," be reduced by £69,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Hutchison, Mr. Rose, Mr. Wright, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Miller, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Grahame, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Newton, Mr. Cann, Mr. Black, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Scott, Mr. Collins, Mr. Schey,	Mr. Edden, Mr. Cook, Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Danahey, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Bavister.  Tellers.  Mr. Chapman, Mr. Hugh McKinnon.
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Noes, 35.

Mr. McCourt, Mr. Gould, Mr. Nobbs, Mr. Ionsdale, Mr. Molesworth, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Suttor, Mr. See, Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Lyne, Mr. A'Beckett, Mr. Scobie, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Vaughn, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sheldon, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Perry,	Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Crick, Dr. Hollis, Mr. Langwell, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Hart, Mr. Ewing, Mr. Morton, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Willis, Mr. Gardiner.  Tellers.  Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Walker.
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*Reduction negatived.*

No. 13.

*Same Estimate.*Motion made (*Mr. Dawson*),—That the item "Steward and Housekeeper, £319" be reduced £19,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Chapman, Mr. Hutchison, Mr. Rose, Mr. Hugh McKinnon, Mr. Wright, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Fuller, Mr. Johnston, Ms. Grahame, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Newton, Mr. Cann, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Scott, Mr. Collins, Mr. Schey, Mr. Edden, Mr. Cook, Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. McGowen, Mr. Bavister.  Tellers,  Mr. Houghton, Mr. Murphy.
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Noes, 38.

Mr. McCourt, Mr. Gould, Mr. Nobbs, Mr. Ionsdale, Mr. Molesworth, Mr. Chanter, Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Suttor, Mr. See, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Walker, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Danahey, Mr. Crick, Dr. Hollis, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Lyne, Mr. Campbell, Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Scobie, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Morton, Mr. Ewing, Mr. Hart, Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Black, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Langwell, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Willis,  Tellers,  Mr. Perry, Mr. Hoyle.
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*Reduction negatived.*

No. 14.

No. 14.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chanter*),—That the item “Stableman, £145” be omitted,—and Question put  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Dr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Collins.
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Nobbs,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Suttor,	
Mr. Slattery,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Crick,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Lyne,	
Sir George Dibbs,	
Mr. Walker,	
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Willis,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. McMillan.	

*Item omitted.*

• No. 15.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chanter*),—That the item “Assistant Stableman, £145” be omitted,—and  
Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Graham,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hart.
Mr. Molesworth,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Houghton,	
Dr. Hollis,	

Noes, 25.

Mr. Gould,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Willis,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Suttor,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. See,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. McCourt.
Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Lyne,	
Mr. McMillan,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Ewing,	
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Walker,	

*Item omitted.*

No. 16.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Rose*),—That the item “Occasional Assistance, £460” be reduced by £210,—  
and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.

Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Wright,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hutcheson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Chapman.

Noes, 49.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Miller,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Gormly,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hart,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Perry,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Darnley,	

*Reduction negatived.**Reduced Estimate for Legislative Council and Assembly (£3,126), agreed to.*

No. 17.

No. 17.

*Parliamentary Library.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £1,998 for Parliamentary Library (*Sir George Dibbs*).

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*):—That the item "Contingencies £760" be reduced by £100,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 17.

Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Nicholson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Schey.

Noes, 39.

Mr. Slattery,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Black,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Gornely,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hart.
Mr. Morton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Perry,	

*Reduction negatived.*

*Estimate as proposed agreed to.*

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

THURSDAY, 23 MARCH, 1893.

No. 18.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS BILL.

*Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments.*

Clause 2. From and after the passing of this Act the sections of the "Electoral Act of 1880" numbered respectively six, seven, eight, and nine shall be repealed, and no proclamation under the last of such repealed sections shall hereafter be issued; but the unrepealed sections of the said Electoral Act and the "Wentworth Electorate Subdivision Act," shall, subject to the enactments hereinafter contained, remain in force and be applicable to all Elections held between the date of the passing of this Act and the date fixed in the proclamation mentioned in the next following section, but no longer. After the said last-mentioned date all unrepealed sections of the "Electoral Act of 1880" and the "Wentworth Electorate Subdivision Act" shall be repealed, but without prejudicing or affecting the operation of, or any offence committed under, either of such Acts before such date: Provided that after the passing of this Act no person shall be entitled to vote at an Election for any Electoral District by virtue of any qualification described or indicated on the Electoral Roll then in force for such District other than the qualification of residence within such District as expressed by the subsection numbered (1) of the eleventh section of the Electoral Act first mentioned; but this enactment shall not disqualify any person whose name is entered on any such Electoral Roll as aforesaid under or in respect of a qualification not purporting to be residential, if such person shall, on tendering his vote, tender to the Presiding Officer his statutory declaration (to be made and dealt with in the prescribed form and manner), to the effect that such person has during the six months last past had his usual place of residence in the District in respect of which he is so enrolled. Every person who shall vote or attempt to vote at any Election, held after the passing of this Act, in contravention of the requirements of this proviso, or who having voted at such Election by virtue of the qualification of residence shall, at the same Election, vote or offer to vote a second time; or who in any declaration made pursuant to the last preceding subsection shall make any false statement, shall be guilty of a misdemeanour and be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds, or to imprisonment not exceeding six months, and all votes given contrary to the requirements of this proviso shall be registered. Nothing in this proviso contained shall be construed, after the issue of Electoral Rights as hereinafter provided, to entitle any person to give a vote who is not the holder of an Elector's Right. (*Considered.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Barton*):—That the Committee agree to the Legislative Council's amendment in clause 2,—and Question put.

Committee

Qualified repeal  
of enactments,  
&c.

Abolition of  
property vote,  
savings, penal  
ties, &c.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Nicoll.
Mr. See,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Barton,	
Mr. Vaughn,	
Mr. Slattery,	
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Lyne,	
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Wright,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. Waddell,	
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Torpy,	
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	
Mr. Bowes,	
Mr. McMillan,	
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Dickens,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Garvan,	
Dr. Cullen,	
Mr. York,	
Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,	

Noes, 55.

Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Hindle,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Alfred Allon,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Fuller,	Sir Henry Parke,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Parke,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Donald.
Mr. Cullen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Danahy,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Tonkin,	
Mr. Wall,	

*Amendment disagreed to.*

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 24 MARCH, 1893, A.M.

The remaining amendments made by the Legislative Council in this Bill having been considered,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 17.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES)

TUESDAY, 28 MARCH, 1893.

No. 1.

## ROYAL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES ENABLING BILL:—

Clause 1. The land described in the Schedule hereto shall vest in the Royal Agricultural Society of New South Wales until the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, subject to the following conditions (that is to say):—

Land described  
in Schedule to  
vest in the Royal  
Agricultural  
Society of New  
South Wales.

- (I) The said Society shall occupy and use the said land for the purpose of holding shows and exhibitions of agricultural products, implements, machinery, and live stock, and shall admit the public to such shows and exhibitions subject to such payment and charges as may be approved by the Minister for Lands; and such Society may, with the approval of the Minister, and subject to such conditions as he may deem necessary, grant permission to use the said land for the purposes of cricket or football matches, or for athletic sports to be held thereon. "Provided that it shall not be lawful to allow horse or pony racing on the said land."
- (II) The said Society shall at all times keep the said land clean and free from manure and other offensive matter to the satisfaction of the City Engineer or such other person as the said Minister may appoint.
- (III) On breach of, or non-compliance with, any of the above conditions, the said lands shall, upon notification to that effect in the *Gazette*, revert in Her Majesty.

(Read.)

Motion made (*Mr. Copeland*) to insert after the word "thereon" at end of sub-section (i) the words "Provided that it shall not be lawful to allow horse or pony racing on the said land," and Question put,—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 75.

Mr. Hutchison,	Sir Henry Parkes,	Mr. Young,
Mr. See,	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Danahy,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Gormly,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Cruikshank,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Booth,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Scott,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Marks,	Dr. Cullen,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Collins,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Jones,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Hart,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Lees,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Dale,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Miller,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Davis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Black.
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Morgan,	

Noes, 3.

Mr. Murphy.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Dawson.

*Words inserted.**Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining clause, the Schedule, Preamble, and Title of the Bill having been dealt with,—  
On motion of Mr. Copeland, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments  
and an amended Title to the House.

No. 2.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Treasury.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £27,469 for  
the Treasury (*Mr. See*).

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the item "Under Secretary, £960," be reduced by £96,—  
and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Miller.

*Tellers,*

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.

Noes, 61.

Mr. H. H. Brown,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. See,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Wise,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Booth,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Murphy,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Black,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kirkpatrick,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Hassall.
Sir Henry Parkes	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 3.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Hugh McKinnon*),—That the item "Under Secretary, £960," be reduced by  
£60,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Gardiner,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Holborow,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Collins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Gough,	Mr. Perry.
Mr. Donald,	

Noes, 38.

Mr. H. H. Brown,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Barton,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Moreton,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. See,
Sir Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Wise,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Manning.
Mr. Hindle,	
Mr. Jones,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Booth,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Fegan.

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 4.

No. 4.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Under Secretary, £960," be reduced by £30,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Dr. Ross,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Holborow,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Colls.
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Hutchinison,	
Mr. Sharp,	

Noes, 35.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Booth,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. H. H. Brown,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. See,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Haseall,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Marks,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Wise.
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Kidd,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Sir Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Grahame,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 5.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*),—That the item "Chief Inspector and Accountant, £770," be reduced by £50,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Dr. Ross,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Millor,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Hutchinison,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Holborow,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Roec,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cruickshank,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Black.
Mr. Kelly,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Kidd,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lyne,	
Mr. Young,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. H. H. Brown,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. Slattery,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Booth,	
Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. McMillan,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. Wall,	

*Reduction agreed to.*

Reduced Estimate (£27,419) proposed,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after midnight.

WEDNESDAY, 29 MARCH, 1893, A.M.

No. 6.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Perry*),—That the item "Senior Inspector £675," be reduced by £45,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. Schey,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Chapman,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Sharp,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Hutchinison,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Carruthers,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Morton.
Mr. H. H. Brown,	
Mr. Lyne,	
Mr. Slattery,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Sheldon,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. McMillan,	
Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. Dickens,	
Mr. Hassall,	

*Reduction agreed to.*

Further reduced Estimate (£27,374) proposed,—

No. 7

No. 7.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the item "Inspectors—1 at £580, 1 at £533, and 1 at £485—£1,598," be reduced by £160,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.	Noes, 41.
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Barton,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Davis.	Mr. See,
<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Morton,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Rose.	Mr. Sheldon,
	Mr. Marks,
	Mr. Copeland,
	Mr. Morgan,
	Mr. Grahame,
	Mr. Hassall,
	Mr. Perry,
	Dr. Hollis,
	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
	Mr. Black,
	Mr. McFarlane,
	Mr. Cann,
	Mr. McMillan,
	Mr. Jones,
	Mr. Gardiner,
	Mr. Sharp,
	Mr. Hutchinson,
	Mr. Fegan,
	Mr. Bowes,
	Mr. Stevenson,
	Mr. Cruickshank,
	Mr. Hart,
	Mr. Gormly,
	Mr. Cook,
	Mr. Edden,
	Mr. McGowen,
	Mr. Walker,
	Mr. Houghton.
	<i>Tellers,</i>
	Mr. G. D. Clark,
	Mr. Langwell.

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 8.

*(Same Estimate.)*

Motion made (*Mr. Dawson*),—That the item "Inspectors, 1 at £580, 1 at £533, and 1 at £485—£1,598," be reduced by £80,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.	Noes, 17.
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Black,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Dr. Hollis.
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
	Mr. Barton,
	Mr. Kidd,
	Mr. Young,
	Mr. H. H. Brown,
	Mr. Lyne,
	Mr. Slattery,
	Mr. See,
	Mr. Morton,
	Mr. Manning,
	Mr. Sheldon,
	Mr. Marks,
	Mr. Copeland,
	Mr. Carruthers,
	Mr. McMillan,
	Mr. Hassall.
	<i>Tellers.</i>
	Mr. Morgan,
	Mr. Lonsdale.

*Reduction agreed to.*

Further reduced Estimate (£27,294) proposed,—

Motion made (*Mr. Rose*),—That the item "Acting Inspectors, 1 at £438, and 1 at £390—£828," be reduced by £42.

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

WEDNESDAY, 29 MARCH, 1893.

No. 9.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND BILL (No. 4).

SCHEDULE.

SERVICES OF 1893.

RELIEF TO SUFFERERS BY FLOODS—

Expenses in connection with and relief to sufferers by the recent floods in country districts ... .. £7,500 0 0

MUNICIPALITIES—

Advances to Municipalities pending the passing of the District Government Bill, and in anticipation of endowment thereunder, equal to 5s. per £ of the total amount of the general rates for the year ... .. 65,000 0 0

ROADS AND BRIDGES AND OTHER PUBLIC WORKS—

For repairing Roads and Bridges and other Public Works damaged by the recent heavy rains... .. 50,000 0 0

IN

## IN ANTICIPATION OF LOAN VOTES.

## RAILWAYS—

Towards the completion of the quadruplication of the Suburban Line (to cover final certificates) ... ..	50,000	0	0
Towards the improvement of grades and curves (part of work carried out)	50,000	0	0
“ For additions and improvements to roads, stations, and buildings ; “ additional rolling stock ; safety appliances, and purchase of land “ required for extending works ... ..	50,000	0	0

## RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BRANCH—

Railway from Nyngan to Cobar (to meet pressing claims)...	25,000	0	0
Construction and Extension of Tramways—further sum ... ..	40,000	0	0

## HARBOURS AND RIVERS BRANCH—

Towards Construction of Jetties at foot of Erskine-street ... ..	2,500	0	0
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## ROADS AND BRIDGES—

Bridge, Lachlan River, Forbes—further sum... ..	1,500	0	0
Bridge, Darling River, Wentworth—further sum ... ..	4,700	0	0

## WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE—

Extension of the Sydney Water Supply and other works in connection therewith, including cast-iron pipes, tanks, reservoirs, resumption of lands, &c. ... ..	36,500	0	0
To complete the new offices of the Board ... ..	15,000	0	0

Total... .. £397,700 0 0

(Read.)

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*) to omit from lines 6 to 8 the words “ For additions and improvements to roads, stations, and buildings ; additional rolling stock ; safety appliances, and purchase of land required for extending works, £50,000.”

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 56.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. See,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Chapinan,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Jones.
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Black,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Willis.

Noes, 6.

Mr. Schey,
Mr. McGowen,
Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Sharp.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Houghton.

*Words stand.*

*Schedule as read agreed to.*

And the preamble having been agreed to,—

On motion of Mr. See, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had agreed to the Bill without amendment to the House.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 18.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS  
IN  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 5 APRIL, 1893.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Treasury.*

Question again proposed,—That the Item "Acting Inspectors, 1 at £438, and 1 at £390—£828"  
be reduced by £42,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 56.

Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Sheldon,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Walker.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Lync,
Mr. Suttor,
Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. See,
Mr. Barton,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Manning,
Mr. Levien,
Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Booth,
Mr. Jenneret,
Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Murphy.

*Tellers,*

Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction agreed to.*

Further reduced Estimate (£27,252) proposed,—

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

THURSDAY, 6 APRIL, 1893.

No. 2.

## AUSTRALASIAN RIGHTS PURCHASE BILL.

Power to divert  
water.

Clause 3. It shall be lawful for the projectors, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to take, divert, and appropriate water, **as approved by the Minister from time to time**, for any of the purposes set forth and mentioned in this Act, from the Colo River and the Grose River, by means of channels, returning to the stream again, the point of intake of the channel in respect of the Colo River, being about four and three quarter miles in a direct line above what is known as the First Rapid, and the **end outlet** of the channel being a point about a quarter of a mile below the said First Rapid and the point of intake of the channel in respect of the Grose River, being about one mile and a-half in a direct line above the junction of the Grose River and Burrellow Creek and the **end outlet** of the channel, being about half a mile below the junction of the Grose River and Burrellow Creek, and from time to time to enter upon either of the rivers aforesaid, and upon the banks and beds thereof, and to construct and erect and maintain on and in any portion of the banks or beds of or near to or alongside of the said rivers or either of them between the points of intake and return as aforesaid, and at a distance of not more than one chain from the centre of the channel on either side, any waterworks and plant for the purposes of such taking, diversion, appropriation, and utilisation of the waters of the rivers aforesaid. Provided that the water so taken, diverted, appropriated, and utilised as aforesaid shall be in due course returned to the stream again unpolluted. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 51.

Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Colls,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Sutter,	Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Cann,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Jones,	Mr. Fuller.
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Davis,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Rose,	Mr. McCourt,	

Clause as amended agreed to.

Noes, 10.

Mr. Black,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Wright,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Fegan.

*Tellers.*

Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Perry.

No. 3.

## SAME BILL.

Purposes for  
which water may  
be taken.

Clause 4. It shall be lawful for the said projectors to use all or any of the waters aforesaid, **as approved of by the Minister**, for any of the purposes hereinafter specified:—

To work any machinery that may be erected by the projectors for generating, making, and transmitting electricity "to" the city of "Sydney," and to any other towns or places along the main cable line.

To work any machinery that may be erected by the projectors for the purpose of executing or exercising any subsidiary powers, functions, duties, or authorities hereby vested in, or imposed on or hereafter to be vested in or imposed on the projectors. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Wright*) to insert after the word "aforesaid" in line 1 the words "as approved of by the Minister",—and

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 50.

Mr. See,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Colls,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Sutter,	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Cann,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Young,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Lee,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Stevenson,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Haynes.
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Chapman,	
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Hart,	

Words inserted.

Noes, 8.

Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Collins,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Black,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.

*Tellers.*

Mr. Miller,
Mr. Murphy.

No. 4.

No. 4.

## SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Wright*) to insert after the word "to" in line 4 the words "the boundaries of"  
Question put,—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 17.

Mr. See,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Wright,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Murphy.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Black,  
Mr. Langwell.

Noes, 38.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Baxister,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Caon,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Booth,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Dowel.
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Scobie,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Stevenson.

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

And question proposed, on motion of Mr. McCourt, to further amend the clause by inserting after the word "Sydney" in line 4, the words "in accordance with a plan numbered A1, now deposited with the Minister at the General Post Office, Sydney, a copy whereof is comprised in the Schedule to this Act"

Motion made (*Mr. Dowel*) That the Chairman leave the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Tuesday next,—and Question proposed,

And it being Seven o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to enable Government Business to be proceeded with, under Sessional Order adopted on 2nd February, 1893.

No. 5.

## SUPPLY—ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Treasury.*

The reduced Estimate (£27,252) having been further reduced,—

Motion made (*Mr. Garrard*),—That the item "Registrar of Funded Stock, Clerk of Correspondence, and Secretary to Tender Board, £637," be reduced by £77,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 57.

Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Wise,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Booth,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Dawson.
Mr. Eve,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Chapman.
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Houghton,	

Noes, 30.

Mr. McCourt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hoyle,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. E. M. Clark.
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Slattery,	
Mr. Lyne,	
Mr. Chanter,	
Mr. Hogan,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Bowes,	
Mr. Frank Farnell,	
Mr. Cullen,	
Mr. Jeanneret,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Donnelly,	
Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. Nicoll,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Dr. Cullen,	
Mr. McMillan,	
Sir Henry Parkes,	
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. Dickens.	

*Reduction agreed to.*

Further reduced Estimate (£27,202) proposed,—

No. 6.

No. 6.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Garrard*),—That the item "Deputy Registrar of Funded Stock, £343," be reduced by £53,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Schey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Wise,	Mr. Sharp.
Mr. Gillies,	
Mr. Garrard,	
Mr. Lees,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Chapman,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Barister,	
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Hindle,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Holborow,	

Noes, 50.

Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. See,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Nicoll,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Fegan.
Sir Henry Parkes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Molesworth.
Dr. Cullen,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 7.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the same item "Deputy Registrar of Funded Stock, £343," be reduced by £43,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Schey,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Chapman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Black,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Haynes.
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Sharp,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Lyne,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. A'Beckett,	
Mr. Bowes,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Hogan,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Nicoll,	
Mr. Newton,	
Mr. Gould,	
Mr. Murphy.	

*Reduction agreed to.*

And the reduced Estimate having been further reduced,—

No. 8.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. See*),—That the item "Clerks—1 at £367, 2 at £343, 1 at £333, 6 at £319, 2 at £295, 1 at £286, 2 at £276, 1 at £272, 1 at £267, 3 at £257, 4 at £248, 2 at £238, 1 at £219, 3 at £210, 1 at £200, 1 at £180, 2 at £175, 1 at £170, 2 at £160, 1 at £140, 4 at £100—£10,115," be reduced by £128,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 45.

Mr. See,	Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Black,	Mr. Barister,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hutchison.	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Edden,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Hart,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Scott,	
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cann,	

Noes, 7.

Mr. Gould.
Mr. Young,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. G. D. Clark.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Hoyle.

*Reduction agreed to.*

And the reduced Estimate having been further reduced,—

No. 9.

No. 9.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. See*),—That the item "Chief Messenger, £229," be reduced by £2,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. See,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Hart,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Rose.
Mr. Kelly,	

Noes, 11.

Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Gould,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Black,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Lees,
Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fegan.

*Tellers,*

Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Miller.

*Reduction agreed to.*

Further reduced Estimate (£26,795) proposed,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 7 APRIL, 1893, A.M.

No. 10.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Haynes*),—That the item "Messengers—1 at £140, 1 at £125, 1 at £120, and 1 at £70—£455," be reduced by £70,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Holborow.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Black,
Mr. Haynes.

Noes, 40.

Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. See,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Williams.
Mr. Barnes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Rose.
Mr. Hart,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 11.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*),—That the item "Incidental Expenses, £400" be reduced by £200,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. McCourt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Dawson.
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Holborow,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Edden,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Gould,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. See,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Newton.
Mr. Wisc,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Gillies.
Mr. McGowen,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 12.

No. 12.

*(Same Estimate.)*

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*),—That the item "Extra Clerical Assistance, £1,200" be reduced by £400,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Kelly,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Williams,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Kidd,
Mr. See,
Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Hoyle,
Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Campbell.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Walker.

*Reduction agreed to.*

Further reduced Estimate (£26,395) proposed,—

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Travelling expenses of Inspectors, including equipment allowances, £1,600," be reduced by £600,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

[6d.]

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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, 11 APRIL, 1893.

No. 1.

## LAW PRACTITIONERS BILL.

Clause 2. From and after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ~~ninety-two~~ <sup>Admission to</sup> ~~ninety-four~~ <sup>practice.</sup>, every male person, being a British subject, of the full age of twenty-one years, and whose good reputation and learning in law shall be certified to as hereinafter provided, shall be entitled to be, and shall, upon motion made either in Court or in chambers, before any Judge of the Supreme Court of this Colony, be admitted and enrolled without fee as a barrister or solicitor of the said Court. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Young*) to omit from line 2 the word "male"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 17.

Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Hegan,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Dangar,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Kwing,  
Mr. Marks,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Joseph Abbott.

Tellers,

Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Chapman.

Nocs, 31.

Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Gould,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Sheldon.
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Dale,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	

*Word omitted.*

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*) to add to the end of the clause the following words—"and no restriction whatever shall be placed upon the applicant with regard to his employment during the time he is studying for the examination."—and Question proposed.

And it being seven o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to enable Government Business to be proceeded with, under Sessional Order adopted on 2nd February, 1893.

No. 2.

## VINE DISEASES ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

Interpretation.

Clause 3. In the construction and for the purposes of this Act, or any regulation or proclamation thereunder, the following words in inverted commas shall have the meaning hereinafter assigned to them respectively, that is to say:—

“Central Board’ and” “Board” shall respectively mean the Central Vine Diseases Board, or the Board of any vine district proclaimed under the provisions of this Act.

“Disease” shall mean the disease in grape-vines caused by the insect called *Phylloxera vastatrix*, or any disease which the Governor shall, from time to time, by proclamation in the Gazette, declare to be a disease within the meaning of this Act.

“Diseased” shall mean affected, or liable, by reason of having been in contact, to be affected, with any the disease within the meaning of this Act.

“District” shall mean any vine district proclaimed under the provisions of this Act.

“District Inspector” shall mean an inspector of vineyards appointed by any Board of a vine district.

“Governor” shall mean the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council.

“Inspector” shall mean any inspector of vineyards appointed by the Minister.

“Minister” shall mean the Secretary for Mines and Agriculture.

“Prescribed” shall mean prescribed by this Act, or by any regulation made thereunder.

“Ratable Value”—The value of any vineyard as entered in the assessment roll of any district.

“Vine” shall mean a grape-vine, alive or dead, or any vine cutting.

“Vineyard” shall mean and include any parcel of land whereon one or more grape-vines may be planted, or growing, or be found.

“Root” or “Rooted up” shall mean the removal of the whole of the original cutting, layer, or stock, with at least six inches of the roots attached.  
(Read.)

Motion made (*Mr. Hayes*) to omit from line 4 the words “Central Board’ and”—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Schey,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Wall.
Mr. Scobie,	
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Chapman.

Noes, 19.

Mr. Lees,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Dale,	Mr. Hayes.
Mr. Jones,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Barnes,	

*Words stand.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 3.

## SAME BILL.

Powers of the Governor.

Clause 4. The Governor may from time to time, by proclamation in the *Gazette*, do any of the following acts:—

Declare any portion of the Colony a vine district, and assign to such district a specific name.

Alter the boundaries or name of any such district.

Divide a vine district into two or more such districts.

Unite two or more vine districts into one vine district.

Abolish any vine district.

Prohibit the introduction into this Colony from any place outside the Colony of any vine or part thereof, or any grapes or any package containing, or which has contained or been in contact with grapes or vines, the introduction of which has been or may be prohibited.

Prohibit the removal from any place within this Colony to any other place in this Colony of any vine or part thereof, or any grapes, package, implement, matter, or thing.

Declare any parcel of land or any building a quarantine for the reception of any vines or parts of vines or grapes known or supposed to be diseased.

Quarantine any vineyard, or any building, vessel, land, or place wherein or whereon any diseased vine or part thereof or grapes may be or may have recently been, or any vineyard within a radius of “one” mile from any vineyard in which disease has been found. (Read.)

Motion made (*Mr. Nobbs*) to omit from the last line but one the word “one” with a view to the insertion in its place of the words “a quarter of a”—

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.

Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Gardiner,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Suttor,	
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Wall,	
Mr. Dickens,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Lees,
Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Dale,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Black,
Mr. Bawister,
Mr. Danahey.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cook,
Mr. Cann.

*Word stands.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 12 APRIL, 1893, A.M.

Clauses 5 to 10 having been dealt with,—

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

Clause 11. If the owner, lessee, or occupier ceases for ~~one year~~ **two years** to cultivate his vine-<sup>Neglected</sup> yard, he shall, within three months after service of notice from an Inspector, at his own <sup>vineyard may be</sup> expense root up all vines therein. If he fail to do so, the Central or District Board, as the case may be, may cause such vines to be rooted up, and may recover the cost thereof from the owner in any Court of summary jurisdiction upon proof that the sum claimed has been expended in rooting up vines upon such owner's land. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Gardiner,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Kelly,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. Grahame,	

Noes, 9.

Mr. Dale,
Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. G. D. Clark.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lees,
Mr. Chapman.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

Clause 12. The owner, tenant, lessee, or person in charge of any vineyard shall immediately on the first appearance therein of ~~any~~ **the** disease notify the fact in writing of such appearance to an inspector or district inspector, as the case may be, or to the Minister, and in the event of his ~~failing~~ **wilfully neglecting** so to do, all claim by any person whatsoever to any compensation under the provisions of the Act in respect of such vineyard shall be forfeited, and such owner, tenant, lessee, or person, shall on conviction thereof pay a penalty not exceeding *one hundred pounds*, or be imprisoned for any term not exceeding *six months*. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Garrard*) to omit from line 4 the word "failing" with a view to the insertion in its place of the words "wilfully neglecting"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 4.

Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Suttor,
Mr. Miller.	Mr. Cann,
<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Dale,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Chapman.	Mr. Frank Farnell,
	Mr. Nobbs,
	Mr. Garrard,
	Mr. Slattery,
	Mr. Fegan,
	Mr. Hart,
	Mr. G. D. Clark,

Noes, 31.

Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Sharp,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon.
Mr. Wall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Lyne,	

*Word omitted.*

And the words proposed to be inserted having been inserted,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 6

No. 6.

## SAME BILL.

Compensation.

Clause 13. Compensation may be claimed—

- (I) In respect of any vineyard (in which there is no disease) which has been rooted up to an amount not exceeding ~~seventy-five pounds per centum~~ of the ratable value thereof.
- (II) In respect of any vineyard, except as provided in sections eleven and twelve, in which any vines are diseased, and which has been rooted up, an amount not exceeding fifty pounds per centum of the ratable value thereof.

But no compensation shall be claimed or recovered—

- (III) In respect of any loss sustained by reason of or in connection with the destruction of any diseased vine, part of vine, or grapes brought into this Colony, or any package containing, or which may have contained, or come into contact with any such vine or grapes.
- (IV) In respect of any loss sustained by reason of or in connection with the destruction of any vine, part of vine, grapes, package, or implements introduced into this Colony from any place outside the Colony or removed from any place within this Colony to any other place in this Colony contrary to or in violation of any prohibition proclaimed as aforesaid. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Garrard*) to omit from line 3 the words "seventy-five pounds per centum of"  
 Question put,—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 4.

Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Fegan.*Tellers,*Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 34.

Mr. Dale,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Sheldon.
Mr. Scobie,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Wall,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Black,	

*Words omitted.**Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clause 14 having been agreed to,—

No. 7.

## SAME BILL.

Compensation  
how determined.

Clause 15. (i) Every such claim shall be referred to an inspector or a district inspector, as the case may be, who shall estimate the amount of compensation to which the claimant is entitled.

(II) If the claimant and the inspector or ~~district inspector, as the case may be,~~ cannot agree upon the amount to be awarded, the matter in contention between the claimant and the inspector shall be referred to the Central Board to determine. **If the claimant and the district inspector cannot so agree,** the matter in contention between the claimant and the district inspector shall be referred to the Board of the vine district to determine. **In either case, instead of a reference to the Central Board or the District Board, the claimant may cause a reference to arbitration in the usual way.**

(III) In dealing with any such matter the Central Board or the Board, as the case may be, may take evidence on oath, and for that purpose the chairman for the time being of any such Board is hereby empowered to administer an oath.

(IV) The decision of the Central Board or the Board of the district or the arbitrators as to the amount of compensation to be paid shall be final. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Frank Farnell*) to insert at the end of subsection (II) the words "In either case instead of a reference to the Central Board or the District Board the claimant may cause a reference to arbitration in the usual way."—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Edden,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Nobbs,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Dale,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Hart,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Frank Farnell.
Mr. Schey,	

Noes, 4.

Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Hayes.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Chapman.

*Words inserted.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 16 to 33 having been dealt with,—

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

Clause 34. (I) Every Board shall have power to impose and levy annually a rate according to the value of every vineyard within the district not exceeding ~~five pounds~~ **one pound** per centum of the value of each such vineyard as entered in the assessment roll. Power of board to levy rate.

(II) ~~In the event of the funds at the disposal of the Board being insufficient to meet the claims for compensation in any year, such Board may levy a special rate on each vineyard in the district according to the value thereof as aforesaid sufficient to enable it to liquidate such claims.~~

(III) Forthwith after imposing any rate, the Board shall have prepared an assessment roll, which shall set out the amount of such rate payable in respect of every vineyard in the district; and such roll, after careful revision, shall be signed by the chairman and treasurer of the Board, and shall be *prima facie* evidence of the amount payable as rate on each vineyard named therein, and of the person liable to pay such rate. (*Read.*) Assessment roll.

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Slattery*) to omit subsection (II).

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 2.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Chapman.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Dale,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Hart,

Noes, 31.

Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Gardiner,

Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Wall,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Schey.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Holborow.

*Words omitted.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

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

On motion of Mr. Slattery the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, with amendments and an amended Title, to the House.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

## NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 20.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IX

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 18 APRIL, 1893.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Treasury.*

Question again proposed,—That the item "Travelling Expenses of Inspectors, including Equipment Allowances, £1,600," be reduced by £600.

While the Honorable Member for East Sydney (Mr. McMillan) was addressing the Committee, the Honorable Member for West Macquarie (Mr. Crick) rose to a Point of Order, and Mr. McMillan remaining standing, Mr. Crick said to him "Now you sit down," to which Mr. McMillan took exception, whereupon the Chairman called for the withdrawal of the words.

Mr. Crick, objecting to being called upon to withdraw the words, moved,—That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again so soon as the Point of Order has been decided, and also report the following Point of Order, That the Chairman was not correct in ruling Mr. Crick out of Order, he having called the Chair on a Point of Order, and Mr. McMillan remaining standing after Order being called by the Chair, Mr. Crick said to him, "Now you sit down,"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Crick,	
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Johnston.
Mr. Cam,	
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. Nicoll,	
Mr. Hogan,	
Mr. Schey,	
Dr. Ross,	
Mr. Traill,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Newton,	
Mr. John Wilkinson,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. York,	
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Gough,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Walker.	

Noes, 51.

Mr. Burdckin,	Mr. Danahy,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. McCourt,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Young,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. H. H. Brown.
Mr. Garrard,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. E. M. Clark.
Mr. Cotton,	

*Negatived.*

Whereupon Mr. Crick withdrew the words objected to.

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No. 2.

No. 2.

*Same Estimate.*

Question.—That the item “Travelling Expenses of Inspectors, including Equipment Allowances, £1,600,” be reduced by £600,—put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Dr. Ross,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Cann.
Mr. McCourt,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Lees,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Gough,	
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Holborow,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. E. M. Clark,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Fegan.	

Noes, 57.

Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Young,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Trull,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. See,	Mr. John Wilkinson,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. York,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Morgan,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Dr. Cullen,	Mr. Nicholson.
Mr. Nicoll,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon.
Sir Henry Parkes,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 3.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the same item, “Travelling Expenses of Inspectors, including Equipment Allowances, £1,600,” be reduced by £300,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Dr. Ross,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. McCourt.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Lees,	
Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Gough,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. E. M. Clark,	
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Fegan,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Holborow.	

Noes, 58.

Mr. Burdekin,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Young,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Trull,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. See,	Mr. York,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. John Wilkinson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Rose,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Hogan.
Mr. Bowes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Tonkin,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Leven.

*Reduction negatived.**Reduced Estimate for Treasury (£26,395) agreed to.*

The reduced Estimates for Stamp Duties and Customs, the Estimates for Gold Receivers, and Gold and Escort, and the reduced Estimates for Government Printer's Department, having been agreed to.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY,

WEDNESDAY, 19 APRIL, 1893, A.M.

No. 4.

*Stores and Stationery.*

Motion made and question proposed,—That the Estimate £100,337 be reduced by £62.

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*),—That the item "Comptroller-General of Stores, £533," be reduced by £33—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. O'Sullivan.

Tellers,

Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Collins.

Noes, 41.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Copland,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Cann,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Baviester,
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Newton.
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Tellers,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. Barnes,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 5.

*Same Estimate.*Motion made (*Mr. McCourt*),—That the item "Supervisor of Fuel and Light, £200," be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.

Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Baviester,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Miller,	Tellers,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Darnley,	

Noes, 33.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Copland,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Barnes,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Johnston,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Cann.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. McFarlane,	Tellers,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Torpy,	

*Omission of item negatived.*

No. 6.

*Same Estimate.*Motion made (*Mr. Rae*),—That the item "Fuel and Light for Departments within the Districts of Sydney, £10,000," be reduced by £2,000,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 17.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Edden,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Baviester,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Tellers,

Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Cotton.

Noes, 40.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Copland,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Torpy,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Newton,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Tellers,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. John Wilkinson.

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 7.

No. 7.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the item "Conveyance of Stores, £4,000," be reduced by £1,000,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Edden,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Cotton.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Rac,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 41.

Mr. Copland, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. McCourt, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Sutor, Mr. Tonkin, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Sec, Mr. Bowes, Mr. John Wilkinson, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Torpy, Mr. Cann, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Rose, Mr. Hassall, Mr. Hugh McKinnon, Mr. Newton, Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Grahame, Mr. Cook, Mr. Walker, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Barton, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Scott, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Donald, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Lees, Mr. Davis, Mr. Hutchinson. <i>Tellers,</i> Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald, Mr. R. G. D. Fitzgerald.
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*Reduction negatived.*

And the Estimate having been reduced by £62.

*Reduced Estimate (£100,275), agreed to.*

And the reduced Estimate for Ordnance and Barrack Department having been agreed to.

No. 8.

*Board of Health.*

Motion made and Question proposed, That the Estimate £10,763 be reduced by £689.

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*),—That the item "Health and Emigration Officer, £609," be reduced by £500,—and Question proposed.

Motion made (*Mr. Barton*),—That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 44.

Mr. Sec, Mr. Barton, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Sutor, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Tonkin, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Sharp, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Hugh McKinnon, Mr. Holborow, Mr. Rose, Mr. Bowes, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Torpy, Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Copland, Mr. Hassall, Mr. McCourt, Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Nicholson, Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald, Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Cann, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. John Wilkinson, Mr. Grahame, Mr. Morgan, Dr. Hollis, Mr. Scott, Mr. Newton, Mr. Gough, Mr. Davis, Mr. Black, Mr. Edden, Mr. Hart, Mr. Schey. <i>Tellers,</i> Mr. Walker, Mr. Murphy.
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Noes, 12.

Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Barister,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Rac,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Cook.

*Tellers,*

Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Miller.

*Agreed to.*

The Chairman left the Chair accordingly.

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No. 9.

SUPPLY, ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Board of Health.*

Question,—That the item "Health and Emigration Officer, £609," be reduced £500—put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 50.

Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. York,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Sehey,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Cann,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. McCourt.

*Reduction agreed to.*

Reduced Estimate (£10,263) proposed.

No. 10.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. G. D. Clark*),—That the item "Inspector to the Board of Health, £533," be reduced by £219,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 10.

Mr. Sehey,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. York,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Collins,
Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Hutchinson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. E. M. Clark.

Noes, 79.

Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Young,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Nicoll,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. See,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Torpy,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hugh Mackinnon,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Gillies.
Mr. Hassall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Barnes,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 11.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the same item "Inspector to the Board of Health, £533," be reduced by £100,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Fuller,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. York,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Hutchinson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Collins.

Noes, 73.

Mr. Sheldon, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Parkes, Mr. Tonkin, Mr. Neild, Mr. Young, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Carruthers, Mr. Gould, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Reid, Mr. See, Mr. Hugh Taylor, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Torpy, Dr. Ross, Mr. A'Beckett, Mr. Marks, Mr. Scobie, Mr. Eve, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Morton, Mr. Dowel, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Donald, Mr. Barton, Mr. Bowes, Mr. Danahey, Mr. Perry, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Gillies, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Molesworth, Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Hart, Mr. Wright, Mr. Alfred Allen, Mr. J. A. Mackinnon, Mr. Holborow, Dr. Hollis, Mr. Rose, Mr. Lees, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Sharp, Mr. E. G. Brown, Mr. Colls, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Nicoll, Mr. Newton, Mr. Cook, Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Bavister, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Edden, Mr. Traill, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Hindle, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Gough, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Morgan, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Cann, Mr. Dickens.
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*Tellers,*

Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction negatived.*

And the item having been reduced by £18.

No. 12.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. McCourt*),—That the item "Secretary, £295," be reduced by £95,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. Chanter, Mr. Tonkin, Mr. Neild, Mr. Schey, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Fuller, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Young, Mr. Cann, Mr. Collins, Mr. Parkes, Mr. Sharp, Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. York, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Hart, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Nicoll, Mr. Miller, Mr. Edden, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Lees, Mr. Cotton, Mr. Rae,	Mr. Gough, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Hindle, Mr. Cook, Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Hutchinson.  <i>Tellers,</i> Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Langwell.
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Noes, 50.

Mr. Torpy, Mr. Levien, Mr. Sutor, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Crick, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Dickens, Mr. Carruthers, Mr. Gould, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Reid, Mr. Hugh Taylor, Mr. A'Beckett, Dr. Ross, Mr. Alfred Allen, Mr. Marks, Mr. Eve, Dr. Hollis, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Morton, Mr. See, Mr. Garrard, Mr. Hassall, Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Ewing, Mr. Donald, Mr. Barton, Mr. Bowes, Mr. Danahey, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Gillies, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Molesworth, Mr. Wright, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. McFarlane, Mr. J. A. Mackinnon, Mr. Holborow, Mr. E. G. Brown, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Colls, Mr. Black, Mr. Rose, Mr. Newton.  <i>Tellers,</i> Mr. Murphy, Mr. Perry.
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*Reduction negatived.*

And the item having been reduced by £5, and the item "Clerks, £574," by £1.

No. 13

No. 13.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Stevenson*),—That the item, "Veterinarian, £348," be reduced by £100,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Fuller,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. York,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Darnley.

Tellers,

Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 70.

Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Wright, Mr. Carruthers, Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. Neild, Mr. Want, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Young, Mr. Gould, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Molesworth, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Morton, Mr. Holborow, Dr. Ross, Mr. Lee, Mr. Alfred Allen, Mr. Marks, Mr. Evc, Mr. Barnes, Mr. A'Beckett, Dr. Hollis, Mr. Fuller, Mr. Ewing, Mr. See, Mr. Garrard, Mr. Crick, Mr. Donald, Mr. Burton, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Perry, Mr. Torpy,	Mr. H. H. Brown, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Brunker, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Copeland, Mr. J. A. Mackinnon, Mr. Grahame, Mr. Black, Mr. Barister, Mr. Hart, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Scobie, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Bowes, Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Cook, Mr. Rose, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. E. G. Brown, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Colls, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Scott, Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Gough, Mr. Hindle, Mr. Newton, Mr. Langwell, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Danahay.
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Tellers,

Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction negatived.*

And the item having been reduced by £8, and the items Assistant Health Officer, Watson's Bay, £533, by £18; Superintendent and Overseer of Stores, Quarantine Station, by £5; Health Officer, Newcastle, £238, by £2; For maintenance, treatment, and isolation of persons suffering from leprosy, £1,500, by £250.

No. 14.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chanter*),—That the item "Inspector (Diseased Animals and Meat Act), £390," be omitted.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Chanter,  
Mr. Fuller,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Traill,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Langwell.

Tellers,

Mr. Black,  
Mr. Rae.

Noes, 50.

Mr. Hugh McKinnon, Mr. Cook, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Carruthers, Mr. Gould, Mr. A'Beckett, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Torpy, Mr. Molesworth, Mr. See, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Morton, Mr. Holborow, Dr. Ross, Mr. Lee, Mr. Alfred Allen, Mr. Marks, Mr. Barton, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Garrard, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Crick, Mr. Donald,	Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Gillies, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Perry, Mr. Hassall, Mr. Brunker, Dr. Hollis, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. J. A. Mackinnon, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Nicoll, Mr. Scobie, Mr. H. H. Brown, Mr. Newton, Mr. Colls, Mr. E. G. Brown, Mr. Rose, Mr. Bowes, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Hindle, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Scott.
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Tellers,

Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Johnston.

*Omission of item negatived.*

And the item having been reduced by £10; and "Contingencies," £3,020, by £350.

*Reduced Estimate (£9,596) agreed to.*

The Estimate for Board of Pharmacy, and reduced Estimates for Shipping Masters having been agreed to.

No. 15.

*Glebe Island Abattoirs.*

The Estimate (£11,967) having been reduced by £14,

Motion made (*Mr. Brunker*),—That the Estimate be further reduced by £468,—and Question put.  
Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Chanter,  
Mr. Shelton,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Marks,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Hart.

*Tellers,*  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Fegan.

Noes, 42.

Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Darnley,  
Dr. Ross, Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Dr. Hollis, Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Barton, Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Slattery, Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Want, Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Copeland, Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,  
Mr. See, Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Suttor, Mr. Black,  
Mr. Morton, Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Gould, Mr. Scott,  
Mr. A'Beckett, Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Kidd, Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Alfred Allen, Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Cotton, Mr. E. G. Brown,  
Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Sharp, Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Donald, Mr. Hutchinson.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Newton, Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Johnston, Mr. McGowen.

*Reduction negatived.*

Reduced Estimate (£11,953) agreed to.

No. 16.

*Marine Board of New South Wales.*

Motion made (Mr. G. D. Clark),—That the item, "President, £770," be reduced by £270, and  
Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. York,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Danahey.

*Tellers,*  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 35.

Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Kidd, Mr. Stevenson,  
Dr. Ross, Mr. Morton,  
Dr. Hollis, Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,  
Mr. Barton, Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Slattery, Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Want, Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Hogan, Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. See, Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Suttor, Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Brunker, Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Marks, Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Jenneret, Mr. Hart.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Donald, Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Cook, Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Alfred Allen,

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 17.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (Mr. G. D. Clark),—That the same item, "President, £770," be reduced by  
£170,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

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Question put, and Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.

Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Danahey.

*Tellers,*  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Rae.

Noes, 38.

Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Dr. Ross, Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Slattery, Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Barton, Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Alfred Allen, Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Dr. Hollis, Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Reid, Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Want, Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. See, Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,  
Mr. Copeland, Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Hogan, Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Scobie, Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Murke, Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Jenneret, Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Campbell, Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Holborow, Mr. Fegan.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Kidd, Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Donald, Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Cook,

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 18.

No. 18.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Davis*),—That the same item, "President, £770," be reduced by £57,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.		Noes, 26.	
Mr. Schey,	Mr. McCourt,	Dr. Ross,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Reid,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Want,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Fegan,	Mr. See,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Danahey.	Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Marks,
Mr. Miller,		Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Black,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Davis,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Dr. Hollis.	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Rae,		Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Holborow.

*Reduction negatived.*

And the Estimate having been reduced by £382.

*Reduced Estimate (£19,953) agreed to.*

And the Estimate for Life-boats and the reduced Estimate for Public Wharfs having been agreed to.

No. 19.

*Miscellaneous Services.*

Motion made and question proposed,—That the Estimate £193,434 be reduced by £7,800.

And the Committee desiring to deal with the items *seriatim*,—

The following Items were reduced by the sums named,—

Postage of Public Departments, £35,000, by £4,000.

Commission on Payments in England by the Government Financial Agents, £3,000, by £300.

Insurance, &amp;c., on English Shipments, £1,500, by £800.

Exchange on Remittances within and beyond the Colony, £12,000, by £1,000.

Commission on Payment of Debentures and Interest on Debentures in England, £325, by £100.

For the relief and conveyance of distressed Seamen belonging to the Colony from Foreign Ports, or from Wrecked Vessels, &amp;c., £400, by £200.

Motion made (*Mr. Davis*),—That the item "To subsidise tug-boats for Northern Rivers and Harbours, £6,400," be reduced by £2,000,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.		Noes, 42.	
Mr. Schey,		Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Rae,		Mr. Barton,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Davis,		Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. O'Sullivan,		Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Danahey.		Mr. Campbell,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
<i>Tellers,</i>		Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Black,		Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Miller.		Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Cann,
		Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Scott,
		Mr. See,	Mr. Langwell,
		Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Gough,
		Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Hutchinson,
		Mr. Graham,	Mr. Darnley,
		Mr. Hassall,	Mr. McGowen,
		Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Murphy,
		Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Kelly,
		Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Holborow.
		Mr. Morgan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
		Mr. Cook,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
		Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Newton.
		Mr. Alfred Allen,	
		Mr. G. D. Clark,	
		Mr. Gardiner,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 20.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Stevenson*),—That the item "To subsidise tug-boat for Clarence River, £900," be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Danahey.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Langwell.

Noes, 33.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. See,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hogan,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Gillics,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Kelly.
Mr. Cook,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Scott.
Dr. Hollis,	

*Omission of item negatived.*

And the item "To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the uninvested funds at the credit of the Government Savings Bank in the Treasury. £18,000," having been reduced by £390, and the item "To meet legal expenses, Treasury Department, £500," by £200, —

No. 21

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Frank Farnell*).—That the item "To meet the abatement which should, in terms of the Civil Service Act, be deducted from the pensions payable to officers whose services have been dispensed with, £1,051," be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Schey,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Cook,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Newton,	
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Darnley,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Reid,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Gillics,	Mr. Kelly,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. McCourt.
Mr. Campbell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. See,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Johnston.

*Reduction negatived.*

And the item "Interest at 4 per cent. on special deposits by trustees of late J. H. Challis's Estate, £800" having been omitted; and the item "Clerk-in-charge, payment of Imperial Military and Naval Pensioners in the Colony, £390," having been reduced by £10.

*Reduced Estimate (£185,634) agreed to.*

And the Estimate Advance to Treasurer (£200,000) having been agreed to.

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

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No. 22.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Attorney General—Quarter Sessions.*

The reduced Estimates for the Attorney General; Parliamentary Draftsmen; Crown Solicitor; and the reduction on the Estimate for Quarter Sessions (Salaries),—having been agreed to.

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*).—That the item "Travelling Expenses, £1,800," be reduced by £200,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 10.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Kirkpatrick,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Langwell.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 80.

Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Inglis,  
Mr. Wright,  
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Want,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Hugh Taylor,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Parkes,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Eve,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Scobic,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Joseph Abbott,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Dowel,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Jeanneret,

Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Ewing,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Henry Parkes,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. E. G. Brown,  
Dr. Cullen,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Burnes,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Manning,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Grahame,

Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. York,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. H. H. Brown,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Holborow.

*Tellers,*

Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction negatived.*

*Reduced Estimate for Quarter Sessions (£25,056) agreed to.*

No. 23.

*Trades Disputes Councils of Conciliation and Arbitration.*

The Estimate having been reduced by the sum of £39.

Motion made (*Mr. Ewing*),—That the Estimate be further reduced by £368,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Ewing,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Black,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Williams.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Langwell.

Noes, 65.

Mr. Dowel,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Danahay,  
Mr. Want,  
Mr. Manning,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Eve,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Burnes,  
Mr. Cotton,

Mr. Joseph Abbott,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Sir Henry Parkes,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Grahame,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Jeanneret,

Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. H. H. Brown,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Wright,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. E. G. Brown,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Murphy.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Willis,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

*Reduction negatived.*

*Reduced Estimate (£2,668) agreed to.*

No. 24.

*Department of Lands.*

Motion made and Question proposed,—That the Estimate (£82,035) be reduced by £1,064.

And the Committee desiring to deal with the items *seriatim*.

The following reductions were agreed to:—Ministerial and Despatch Branch, Inquiry Branch and Rabbit Branch, £6,454, by £156; Sales Division, £13,588, by £131; Lease Division, £7,244, by £61; Account and Store Branch, £9,058, by £30.

Motion made (*Dr. Hollis*),—That the item "Local Land Board Offices—Chairmen, £9,545," be reduced to £1,545,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.		Tellers,		Noes, 35.	
Mr. Nicoll,				Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Schey,				Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. McGowen,		Mr. Waddell,		Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. G. D. Clark,		Mr. Collins.		Mr. Gould,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Black,				Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Edden,				Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Bavister,				Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Wise,
Mr. Gardiner,				Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Miller,				Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Cann,				Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. McFarlane,				Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. York,
Mr. Stephenson,				Mr. Hassall,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Dr. Hollis,				Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. O'Sullivan,				Mr. Barton,	Mr. Colls.
Mr. Langwell,				Mr. Nobbs,	
Mr. Rae,				Mr. Barnes,	Tellers,
Mr. Holborow,				Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Williams.				Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Willis.
				Mr. See,	

*Reduction negatived.*

The item having been reduced by the sum of £355,

And the reductions proposed on the several remaining items under the head, "Local Land Board Offices," having been agreed to,

*Reduced Estimate—Department of Lands (£80,971) agreed to.*

The reduced Estimates for the remaining branches under the Secretary for Lands having been agreed to,

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 21 APRIL, 1893, A.M.

No. 25.

*Secretary for Public Works—Establishment.*

Motion made and Question proposed—That the Estimate (£78,091) be reduced by £9,657.

And the Committee desiring to deal with the items *seriatim*,

The reductions proposed to the items under General Division and Professional Division (as far as and including Harbours and Rivers and Water Supply) were agreed to.

Motion made (*Mr. G. D. Clark*),—That the item "Government Architect, £1,112," be reduced by £112,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.		Tellers,		Noes, 37.	
Mr. Sharp,				Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Vaughn,				Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Schey,				Mr. Garrard,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Gardiner,				Mr. Slattery,	Mr. See,
Mr. Black,				Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. G. D. Clark,				Mr. Donald,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Miller,				Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Cook,				Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. O'Sullivan,				Mr. Perry,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Edden,				Mr. Henry Clarke,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Stevenson,				Mr. Kidd,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Mr. Williams,				Mr. Barton,	Mr. York,
Mr. Bavister,				Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Langwell,				Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Danahey,				Mr. Rose,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Hutchinson.				Mr. Scobie,	
				Mr. Kelly,	Tellers,
				Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Campbell,
				Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Frank Farnell.
				Mr. Hassall,	

*Reduction negatived.*

The item having been reduced by £48,

And the remaining items under "Architect" having been reduced as proposed,—

No. 26.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Black*),—That the item, "Roads, Bridges and Sewerage—Commissioner and Engineer-in-Chief, £1,150," be reduced by £150,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Cook.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 32.

Mr. Barton,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. A. Beckett,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Ewing,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Bowes.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Hoyle.

*Reduction negatived.*

The item having been reduced by £50.

And the remaining items under "Roads, Bridges, and Sewerage," and the "Clerical Division," "Accounts Division," and "Water Conservation and Irrigation" having been reduced as proposed,—

*Reduced Estimate for Establishment (£68,434) agreed to.*

And the reduced Estimates for Public Works and Services, Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, and Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, having been agreed to.

No. 27.

*Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board.*

Motion made and question proposed,—That the Estimate £9,132 be reduced by £15.

Motion made (*Mr. Edden*),—That the item "President, £485," be reduced by £285,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Hutchinson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Grahame,  
Mr. Edden.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Donald,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Ewing,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Hogan.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Johnston.

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 28.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Edden*),—That the same item "President, £485," be reduced by £185,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Nobbs,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Hutchinson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Grahame.

Noes, 21.

Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Ewing,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Hayes.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. Rose.

*Reduction agreed to.*

Reduced Estimate (£8,947) proposed.

No. 29.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Fegan*),—That the item, "Wages of junior clerks, inspectors, assistants, cadets, workmen, &c.; materials, coals, and stores, £5,731," be reduced by £500,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 5.

Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Schey.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 42.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Vaughn,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Hogan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Rose,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 30.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Fegan*),—That the item "Incidental and Travelling Expenses, £500," be reduced by £200,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 5.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Schey.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Miller,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 37.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Rae,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Lyne,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Cook,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Donald,	
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. McGowen,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 31.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Fegan*),—That the item "Forage Allowance for 5 officers at £40 each, £200," be reduced by £100,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.

Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Danahey.

*Tellers,*

Mr. McGowen,  
Dr. Hollis.

Noes, 29.

Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Donald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. McCourt,	

*Reduction negatived.*

*Reduced Estimate (£8,947) agreed to.*

No. 32

No. 32.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Sir George Dibbs*),—That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Bowes,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Eddcn,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Nobbs,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Black,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Danahay,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. Rae,	

Noes, 5.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Vaughn.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Perry.

*Agreed to.*

Chairman left the Chair accordingly.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 21.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 25 APRIL, 1893.

No. 1.

## BALRANALD IRRIGATION BILL.

Clause 10. For the purposes of this Act there shall be vested in the Trust absolutely—

- (i) The irrigation area, except such land as the Minister may decide to set apart from time to time for public purposes. Property vested in the Trust.
- (ii) All dams, weirs, flood-gates, culverts, aqueducts, sluices, flumes, pipes, engines, pumping-machinery, reservoirs, and other works constructed or erected in pursuance of this Act. The lands so vested shall be held and administered by the Trust, subject to the provisions of this Act, and the approval of the Governor, but no part of the ~~same shall be sold, except with the consent of the Trust and of the Governor.~~ land described in the Schedule hereto annexed shall be sold.
- (iii) The water which is at any time in any swamp or creek near or within the irrigation area, and in any pipe, reservoir, or other work constructed by the Trust in pursuance of this Act.

Nothing in this Act shall be construed to limit or in any way interfere with the rights of the Crown to the general control of natural supplies of water, and the provisions of this Act shall be subject to the provisions of any general legislation to deal with water conservation throughout the Colony. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*).—To omit from the end of subsection (ii), the words "same shall be sold, except with the consent of the Trust and of the Governor." with a view to the insertion in their place of the words "land described in the Schedule hereto annexed shall be sold."

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

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Sec,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Dowel,  
Mr. Donnelly,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Ewing,  
Mr. Dangar,  
Mr. O'Sullivan.

Tellers,

Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Collins.

Words Omitted.

And the words proposed to be inserted having been inserted.  
Clause, as amended, agreed to.

Noes, 64.

Mr. Inglis,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Fuller,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Jeanneret,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Dale,  
Mr. Reid,  
Mr. Parkes,  
Mr. Marks,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. a'Beckett,  
Mr. Manning,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,

Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Cullen,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Traill,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Sir Henry Parkes,  
Dr. Cullen,  
Mr. Brunner,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Kirkpatrick,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Rae,

Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Gornly,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Joseph Abbott,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Hoyle.

Tellers,

Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.

Application for  
Loans.)

The Governor  
may grant  
Loans.

And clauses 11 to 39 having been dealt with,—

Clause 40. Whenever the Trust desires to raise money on loan for the construction of any works authorised by this Act the Trust shall make application to the Minister in writing stating full particulars as to the nature and extent of the land to be benefited by such works, of the existing liabilities (if any) of the Trust, and of the estimated cost of the proposed works; and on receipt of such application the Minister shall **after making such inquiries as may be deemed necessary** submit the same, together with such recommendations as he may deem proper to the Governor, and thereupon the Governor may "direct the granting of a loan to the Trust, subject to the same being voted by Parliament, or may" sanction the raising of a loan by the Trust. (*Read.*)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Copeland*) to omit from lines 8 and 9 the words "direct the granting of a loan to the Trust, subject to the same being voted by Parliament, or may"

On motion of Mr. R. B. Wilkinson the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again on Thursday, 25th May.

No. 2.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Department of Justice.*

Motion made and question proposed,—That the Estimate, £10,179, be reduced by £215.

Motion made (*Mr. Lonsdale*),—That the item "Accountant, £485," be reduced by £85.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Kelly.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Black,  
Mr. Rae.

*Reduction negatived.*

Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Fuller,  
Mr. Dowel,  
Mr. Levien,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Reid,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Parkes,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Alfred Allen,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Marks,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Jeanneret,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Joseph Abbott,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Donnelly,  
Mr. Bowes,

Noes, 68.

Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Kirkpatrick,  
Mr. Dangar,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Sir Henry Parkes,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Brunner,  
Mr. McMillan,  
Mr. Inglis,  
Mr. Morton,  
Dr. Cullen,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. Sharp,

Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. John Wilkinson,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. Grahame,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Copeland,

*Tellers,*

Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Molesworth.

No. 3.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*),—That the item, "Incidental Expenses, £400," be reduced by £150,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Holborow.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Hutchison.

*Reduction negatived.*

Estimate reduced by £215.

*Reduced Estimate (£9,964) agreed to.*

Noes, 64.

Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Fuller,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Levien,  
Mr. McMillan,  
Mr. Reid,  
Mr. Barton,  
Sir Henry Parkes,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Alfred Allen,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Marks,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Dowel,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Dangar,  
Mr. Joseph Abbott,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Donald,

Mr. Kirkpatrick,  
Mr. Donnelly,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Brunner,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Inglis,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Grahame,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Johnston,

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Huddle,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. Jeanneret,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. John Wilkinson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. McCourt,  
Dr. Cullen.

No. 4.

No. 4.

*Master-in-Equity.*

Motion made and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, £3,595, be reduced by £118.

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*),—That the item, "Master-in-Equity, £1,055," be reduced by £250,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Davies,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Newmau,	
Mr. Nicoll,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Kirkpatrick,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. Hindle,	
Mr. Sheldon,	
Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Cook,	

Noes, 44.

Mr. Reid,	Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Inglis,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. McCourt,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Levien,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Barbour,	Dr. Cullen.
Mr. Sydney Smith,	
Mr. Dowel,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Perry.

*Reduction negatived.*

Estimate reduced by £118.

*Reduced Estimate (£3,477) agreed to.*

No. 5.

*Prothonotary.*

Motion made and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, £13,125, be reduced by £814.

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the item, "Travelling Expenses of the Judges, £2,330," be reduced by £1,000, and Question proposed.

Mr. O'Sullivan moved,—That the Question be now put.

Question put,—That the Question be now put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Levien,
Mr. Crick,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Rose,
Mr. Davis,
Mr. Nicoll,
Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Cann,
Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Sharp,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Perry.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donald,
Mr. Dangar.

Noes, 59.

Mr. Reid,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Haynes,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Waddell,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. John Wilkinson,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Newman,	

*Negatived.*

No. 6.

No. 6.

*Same Estimate.*

Question put,—That the item “Travelling Expenses of the Judges, £2,330,” be reduced by £1,000.

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 53.

Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Barnes.
Mr. Stevenson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bowes,	
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Dungan,	

## Noes, 22.

Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Wise,
Mr. Want,
Mr. Neild.
Mr. Barton,
Mr. Suttor,
Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Levien,
Mr. Torpy.
Mr. John Wilkinson,
Mr. Reid,
Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Lync,
Mr. See,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Crick,
Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Cullen.

*Reduction agreed to.*

And the Estimate having been further reduced by £414,—

*Reduced Estimate (£11,711) agreed to.*

And the reduced Estimates for Divorce Court, Curator, Sheriff, Bankruptcy Court, Probate Office, District Courts, Coroners, Petty Sessions, Prisons, Shaftesbury Reformatory for Girls, and Patents and Copyright having been agreed to.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 26 APRIL, 1893, A.M.

No. 7.

*Miscellaneous Services.*

Motion made and Question proposed,—That the Estimate £5,344 be reduced by £100.

The item “For Expenses of Inquiries under Commission Act 44 Vic. No. 1, and Inquiries under Criminal Law Amendment Act sec. 383, £250,” having been reduced by £100.

Motion made (*Mr. McCourt*).—That the item “For Purchase of 200 copies of Legal Year Book of Australia, £90, be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 45.

Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Dungan,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Black,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cruickshank.
Mr. Bavister,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Wise,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. McFarlane,	

## Noes, 23.

Mr. Neild,
Mr. Suttor,
Mr. Barton,
Mr. Want,
Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. See,
Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Dickens,
Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Crick,
Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Lync,
Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. John Wilkinson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon.

*Item omitted.*

No. 8.

No. 8.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Frank Farnell*),—That the item "To meet abatements which should, in terms of the Civil Service Act, be deducted from pensions £1,343," be omitted,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Baviater,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Cruickshank,	
Mr. Gormly,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Black,	

Noes, 33.

Mr. See,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Neild,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Slattery,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Wise,
Mr. A. Beckett,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Dangar.
Mr. Sydney Smith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. John Wilkinson.
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Bowes,	

*Omission of item negatived.**Reduced Estimate (£5,154) agreed to.*

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 22.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 3 MAY, 1893, A.M.

No. 1.

## BANK ISSUE BILL.

Clause 2. The enactments in Part II of this Act shall have force for the period of "twelve" months from the passing thereof, and, if at the end of that period Parliament be not in session, then until the commencement of the then next session of Parliament, and for one month thereafter, but no longer. (Read.)

Period during which this Part is to remain in force.

Motion made (*Mr. Wise*),—To omit from line 1 the word "twelve" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "nine"

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

Ayes, 65.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. See,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Morton,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Bruncker,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Lyne,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Newton.
Mr. Burdokin,	
Mr. Ewing,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Alfred Allen.
Mr. Stevenson,	

Noes, 31.

Mr. Wise,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Black,
Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Gould,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Lees,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Marks,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cook,
Mr. Egan,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Walker,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Dawson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Molesworth.

Word stands.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 2.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

Power of the Governor to authorise increased issue of notes and to make them legal tender.

Clause 3. The Governor-in-Council may, from time to time as he thinks fit, by proclamation under his hand and published in the *Gazette*, and in at least three newspapers in the Colony

- (i) ~~Authorise any Bank to increase, during the period and to the extent mentioned in the proclamation, the issue and circulation of its notes payable on demand, but so that the additional issue and circulation do not at any time exceed in amount the then reserved profits of the Bank;~~
- (ii) Declare in respect of all Banks that the notes payable on demand by any Bank therein named and then or thereafter to be issued, circulated, or reissued within the said Colony under any lawful authority in that behalf shall, during the period mentioned in limited by the proclamation, be everywhere within the said Colony a good and legal tender of money to the amount therein expressed to be payable.

Provided that no proclamation shall be "made" under subsection (i) hereof unless the Governor-in-Council is satisfied that as between the Bank and its creditors its assets exceed its liabilities by at least the sum of the paid-up capital and the reserved profits.

Provided further that the bank shall pay all such notes of its own issue in gold on presentation at its Head Office within the Colony after the expiration of the period limited by any original proclamation under this section, or by successive proclamations thereunder if more than one, and the Governor-in-Council may require adequate security for the performance of this condition.

Provided also that no proclamation made under the authority of this section shall have force or effect beyond the time during which Part II of this Act continues and remains in force.

(Read.)

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Wise*) to insert after the word "made" in the first line of the first Proviso, the words "except with the consent of the said Bank and"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Wise,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Leas,  
Mr. Joseph Abbott,  
Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,  
Mr. Eavister,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Danahy,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Dawson.

Tellers,

Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Fegan.

Noes, 60.

Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Bruner,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Boves,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Tonkin,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Newton.
Mr. Ewing,	
Mr. See,	Tellers,
Mr. Perry,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

Same Clause.

Motion made (*Dr. Hollis*) to add to the end of the clause the following words—"Provided that any bank whose notes shall have been declared a legal tender shall not be allowed during the time such notes are legal tender to increase its issue by more than one-half."

Question

Question put,—Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Wise,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. McGowen.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Cotton,  
Dr. Hollis.

Noes, 60.

Mr. Neild,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. See,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Burdakin,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Merton,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Newton.
Mr. Bowes,	
Mr. Torpy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Molesworth.

*Addition of words proposed negatived.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

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

On motion of Sir George Dibbs, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, with amendments and an amended Title, to the House.

THURSDAY, 4 MAY, 1893.

No. 4.

ATTORNEYS ADMISSION' BILL.

Clause 1. Any person who "either before or after the passing of this Act, shall for the term of 'ten' years have been a *bonâ fide* clerk to an attorney, solicitor, or proctor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, and during that term shall have been *bonâ fide* engaged in the transaction and performance under the direction and superintendence of such attorney, solicitor, or proctor, or attorneys, solicitors, or proctors of such matters as are usually transacted and performed by attorneys, solicitors, or proctors, and who shall produce to a Judge of the Supreme Court satisfactory evidence that he has faithfully, honestly, and diligently served as such clerk, and who after the expiration of the said term of ten years has been bound by and has duly served to the like satisfaction of a Judge of the said Supreme Court under articles of clerkship to a practising attorney, solicitor, or proctor for the term of one year, and who" has passed the intermediate and final examinations prescribed by the examiners under the rules of the said Supreme Court for the time being, and who has given one month's notice in writing to the said Supreme Court of his intention to apply for admission to practise as an attorney, solicitor, or proctor, shall be admitted and enrolled an attorney, solicitor, and proctor of the said Supreme Court of New South Wales. (*Read*)

Persons *bonâ fide* clerks for ten years to an attorney, &c., entitled to admission.

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to omit from lines 1 to 11 the words "either before or after the passing of this Act, shall for the term of ten years have been a *bonâ fide* clerk to an attorney, solicitor, or proctor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, and during that term shall have been *bonâ fide* engaged in the transaction and performance under the direction and superintendence of such attorney, solicitor, or proctor, or attorneys, solicitors, or proctors of such matters as are usually transacted and performed by attorneys, solicitors, or proctors, and who shall produce to a Judge of the Supreme Court satisfactory evidence that he has faithfully, honestly, and diligently served as such clerk, and who after the expiration of the said term of ten years has been bound by and has duly served to the like satisfaction of a Judge of the said Supreme Court under articles of clerkship to a practising attorney, solicitor, or proctor for the term of one year, and who"—and Question proposed,—That the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause,—

And it being desired to move amendments in the words proposed to be omitted,—

Question put,—That the words, in line 1, "either before or after the passing of this Act" stand part of the clause.

Committee

Committee divided

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald,
Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. See,	Mr. Barbour,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Booth,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Carruthers.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Dowel.
Mr. Wright,	
Mr. Crick,	

Noes, 28.

Mr. Neild,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Darnley.
Mr. Kirkpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dale,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Cotton,	
Mr. Donald,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Chapman,	
Mr. Garrard,	
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. Cann,	

*Words stand.*

Motion made (*Mr. Alfred Allen*) to omit from line 2 the word "ten" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "five,"—and Question proposed,—That the word proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause,—

And it being seven o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to enable Government Business to be proceeded with, under Sessional Order adopted on 2nd February, 1893.

FRIDAY, 5 MAY, 1893, A.M.

No. 5.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Public Instruction, under the Act 43 Vic. No. 23.*

Motion made and Question proposed,—That the Estimate £748,451 be reduced by £24,718 (*Mr. Suttor*).

And the Committee desiring to deal with the Items *seriatim*,—

The reductions proposed to the Headings—Ministerial, Ministerial Office, Account Branch, Pay Branch, Examiner's Branch, Chief Inspector's Branch, Fort-street Training School, and Hurlstone Training School,—were agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, £6,056, Architect's Branch, be reduced by £118.

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*) to omit the amount, £4,590,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Black,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Jones,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Cook,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Cotton.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Wall,
Mr. Walker.

Noes, 45.

Mr. Barton,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cann,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Dangar,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. See,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Dickens,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Hoyle.
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	
Mr. Kidd,	

*Omission of amount negatived.*

Estimate, £6,056, reduced by £118.

And the reductions proposed to Headings—Teachers' Salaries and High Schools,—having been agreed to.

No. 6.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made and Question proposed,—That the Estimate "Contingencies, £129,250," be reduced by £600.

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the item "Cookery Instruction (Miscellaneous), £1,000," be reduced by £500.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Wall,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. McGowen.

Tellers,

Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Bavister.

Noes, 35.

Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Barton, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. Rose, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Jones, Mr. Scobie, Mr. Copeland, Mr. McCourt, Mr. See, Mr. Hassall, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Grahame, Mr. Lyne, Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Sharp, Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. J. A. Macinnon, Mr. Eve, Mr. Scott, Mr. Perry, Mr. Donald, Mr. Dangar, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Willis, Mr. Fegan.
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Tellers,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Bowes.

*Reduction of item negatived.*  
Estimate, £129,250, reduced by £600.

No. 7.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, "Technical Education Branch, £27,799," be reduced by £2,432.

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the item "Lecturers, Teachers, and Assistants, £11,250," be reduced by £2,250,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Rae.

Tellers,

Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Dawson.

Noes, 39.

Mr. Darnley, Mr. See, Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Barton, Mr. Suttor, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Perry, Mr. Lyne, Mr. Eve, Mr. Jones, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Barbour, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Bowes, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Danahey, Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Bavister, Mr. Cotton, Mr. Cann, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Scott, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Hindle, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. Gillies, Mr. Donald, Mr. Dangar, Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Fegan, Mr. McGowen.
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Tellers,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction of item negatived.*

No. 8.

*Same Estimate.*

Question put,—That the Estimate, "Technical Education Branch, £27,799,"—be reduced by £2,432.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 47.

Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Suttor, Mr. See, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Lyne, Mr. Gillies, Mr. Schey, Mr. Perry, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Bowes, Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. Rose, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Willis, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Miller,	Mr. Chapman, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Hassall, Mr. Grahame, Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Black, Mr. Edden, Mr. Cook, Mr. Rae, Mr. Cann, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Eve,	Mr. Jones, Mr. Scott, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Cotton, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Bavister, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Donald, Mr. Dangar.
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Tellers,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Hindle.

Noes, 2.

Tellers,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Fegan.

*Reduction agreed to.*

*Reduced Estimate—Public Instruction under the Act 43 Vic. No. 23—£723,733, agreed to.*

And the reductions proposed in the remaining Estimates, under the control of the Minister of Public Instruction, having been agreed to,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 23.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES)

TUESDAY, 9 MAY, 1893.

No. 1.

SUPPLY--ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Department of Mines.*Motion made (*Mr. Slattery*) and Question proposed,—That the Estimate £85,187 be reduced by £15,218.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight.—

WEDNESDAY, 10 MAY, 1893, A.M.

The Committee desiring to deal with the items *seriatim*,—

The reductions proposed under headings Ministerial and Clerical Staff were agreed to.

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the item "Chief Mining Surveyor, £628," be reduced by

£68, and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Edden.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 53.

Mr. Lyne,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Burdekin,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. A. Beckett,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Fuller,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Cullen,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Ewing,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Dr. Hollis,

Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. York,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Donnelly,  
Mr. McCredie,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Danahay.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Wall,  
Mr. Hoyle.

*Reduction negatived.*

The reductions proposed under the headings Survey Staff, Geological Staff, Coal-fields, Diamond Drill Branch, and Gold-fields having been agreed to.

No. 2.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Slattery*) and Question proposed,—That the item, "Contingencies £52,200," be reduced by £13,000.

And reductions having been made in several of the amounts,—

Motion made (*Mr. Slattery*) and Question put,—That the amount "To promote the Prospecting for Gold and other Minerals, to be disbursed in accordance with Regulations to be laid upon the Table of the Legislative Assembly (Resolution of Assembly), £20,000," be reduced by £10,000.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Lyne,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Suttor,	Dr. Hollis.
Mr. Slattery,	
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Barton,	
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Young,	
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Morton,	
Mr. Gould,	
Mr. Bowes,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. McCredie,	
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Wall,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Nicholson.	

Noes, 45.

Dr. Ross,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. York,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Bavieter.
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	

*Reduction negatived.*

*Reduced Estimate (Department of Mines £79,969) agreed to.*

No. 3.

*Prevention of Scab in Sheep.*

The Estimate, £20,146, having been reduced by £242.

Question put,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £19,904, for Prevention of Scab in Sheep.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 50.

Mr. Cann,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Suttor,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. York,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Young,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Bavieter,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Dickens,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Johnston.
Mr. Hayes,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Willis,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Black,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Scott,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Darnley.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Miller.

*Reduced Estimate agreed to.*

And the reductions proposed under the headings Imported Stock, Registration of Brands, Management of Pounds and Commons, and Public Watering Places and Artesian Boring, having been agreed to,—

No. 4.

*Agricultural Department.*

Motion made (*Mr. Slattery*) and Question proposed,—That the Estimate £43,401 be reduced by £28,401.

Motion made (*Mr. Slattery*),—That the item "Director of Agriculture, £770" be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee

## Committee divided.

Ayes, 48.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Hayes,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. York,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Bavisier,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Burton,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Sheldon,	
Mr. Black,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. McGowen.

Noes, 22.

Mr. Burdekin,
Dr. Ross,
Mr. Young,
Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Newman,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Campbell,
Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Jones,
Mr. Lonsdale,
Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Bowes,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Darnley.

*Tellers,*

Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Cullen.

*Item omitted.*

And disorder having occurred in the Committee,—

On motion of Sir George Dibbs the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again at a later hour of the day, and also report the disorder which had occurred.

Committee resumed.

And the Estimate having been further reduced by £27,631,—

*Reduced Estimate (Agricultural Department, £15,000) agreed to.*

No. 5.

*Forestry.*Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the Estimate, £19,336 be reduced by £5,000,—and

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Rae,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Dawson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Miller.
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Bavisier,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Cook,	

Noes, 35.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Rose,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Morgan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Ewing.
Mr. Tonkin,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 6.

*Same Estimate.*Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the same Estimate, £19,336 be reduced by £4,000,—and

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Miller,	Mr. Nicholson.
Mr. McGowen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Dr. Ross,	
Mr. Cann,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Chapman.
Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Bavisier,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Cruickshank,	

Noes, 37.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Bowes,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Copeland,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. Vaughn,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 7.

No. 7.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the same Estimate, £19,336 be reduced by £3,000,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Miller,	Mr. Rae,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. McGowen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Cook,	

Noes, 35.

Mr. Young,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Johnston,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Scobie,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Lonsdale.
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Sharp,	

*Reduction negatived.*

*Estimate reduced by £2,137, and Reduced Estimate (Forestry, £17,199), agreed to.*

And the Estimate "School of Mines and Assay Works, £5,000," having been reduced by £2,000.

No. 8.

*Miscellaneous Services.*

Motion made (*Mr. Slattery*) and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, Miscellaneous Services, £21,500,—be reduced by £13,450,—

And the several items on the Estimate having been reduced as proposed by the Minister,—

Motion made (*Mr. Slattery*) and Question put,—That the item "In aid of the Agricultural Societies of the Colony in proportion of 10s. for every £1 raised by private contributions, on condition that the annual subscriptions of members of each society amount to not less than £100,—£10,000" be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Suttor,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Cann,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Johnston.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Chapman.

Noes, 44.

Mr. Burdekin,	Mr. Miller,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Newman.
Mr. Rose,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Black,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Bowes,	

*Omission of item negatived.*

*Reduced Estimate (Miscellaneous Services, £18,050) agreed to.*

No. 9.

*Post Office.*

Motion made (*Mr. Kidd*) and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, £511,132, be reduced by £5,103.

And the Committee desiring to deal with the items *seriatim*,—

The reductions proposed by the Minister to various items were agreed to.

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the item "Postal Inspectors—2 at £485 and 1 at £476, £1,446," be reduced by £485,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Edden.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Rae,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 36.

Dr. Ross,	Mr. Davister,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Campbell,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Sharp,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Donnelly,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	M. Cruickshank,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Rose.
Mr. Sheldon,	

*Reduction negatived.*

And the item having been reduced by £45, and reductions to other items having been agreed to,—

*Reduced Estimate (Post Office, £506,029) agreed to.*

The reductions proposed in the remaining Estimates, under the control of the Postmaster-General, having been agreed to,—and also those under the Colonial Secretary proposed to the Estimates under the headings, Colonial Secretary, Auditor-General, Registrar-General, Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council, Aborigines Protection Board, Police, Lunacy, Master in Lunacy, Medical Board, The Medical Adviser to the Government, and Government Statistician.

And the Estimates for General Staff, Military and Naval and Torpedo Defences generally, and Warlike Stores having been further postponed,—

Motion made (*Sir George Dibbs*), and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, "Agent-General for the Colony, £5,936," be reduced by £272.

And Mr. Miller having proposed that the item, "Agent-General to represent the Colony, resident in London," be reduced by £500.

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

WEDNESDAY, 10 MAY, 1893.

No. 10.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Colonial Secretary—Agent-General for the Colony.*

Motion again proposed (*Mr. Miller*),—That the item "Agent-General to represent the Colony, resident in London, £2,000," be reduced by £500,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Willis.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Rae,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 63.

Mr. Rose,	Mr. Crick,
Dr. Rose,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Gornly,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Waddell,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Barbour,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Dowel,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Sec,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Danahy,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Ewing,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Hogan.
Mr. Jeanneret,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. E. M. Clark.
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Collins,	

*Reduction negatived.*

Item reduced by £180.

No. 11.

## No. 11.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the item, "Secretary, £900," be reduced by £200,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 32.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Traill,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Chanter,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Danahey.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Haynes.

## Noes, 60.

Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Brunker,
Dr. Ross,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Levein,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. York,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Barton,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Dowel,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Morton.
Sir George Dibbs,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Torpy,	
Mr. Collins,	
Mr. Crick,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. McMillan,	

*Reduction negatived.*

## No. 12.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the same item, "Secretary, £900," be reduced by £100,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 20.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Langwell.

*Tellers,*

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. O'Sullivan.

## Noes, 69.

Dr. Ross,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. McCredie,	Mr. See,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Levein,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Suttor,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Dowel,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. York,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Barton,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Chanter.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Morton,	
Dr. Cullen,	

*Reduction negatived.*

Item reduced by £70; and other items having been reduced as proposed.

No. 13.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*),—That the item "Extra Official Expenses, Incidental to the Office £500," be reduced by £200,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Chanter,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Donnelly.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Davis,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 64.

Mr. Haynes,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Reid,  
Mr. Want,  
Mr. Levien,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Leas,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Cullen,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Jeannerot,  
Mr. Wise,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. McMillan,

Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. McCredie,  
Dr. Cullen,  
Mr. Traill,  
Mr. Manning,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Fuller,  
Mr. York,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Ewing,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Holborow.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction negatived.*

*Reduced Estimate (Agent-General for the Colony, £5,661) agreed to.*

No. 14.

*Immigration.*

Motion made (*Mr. Gormly*),—That the Estimate, £3,000, be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Chanter,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Langwell.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Rae.

Noes, 65.

Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Gould,  
Mr. Alfred Allen,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Wise,  
Mr. Manning,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Torpy,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Leas,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Levien,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Bruce Smith,  
Mr. Sheldon,

Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Cullen,  
Dr. Cullen,  
Mr. Want,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Ewing,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Cook.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Dickens.

*Omission of Estimate negatived.*

No. 15.

No. 15.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Gormly*),—That the same Estimate, £3,000, be reduced by £2,000,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Chanter,  
Mr. Nicholson,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.

Tellers,

Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Murphy.

Noes, 66.

Dr. Ross,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Want,
Mr. Sutto,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. See,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Wise,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Manning,	Tellers,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Hutchison,	

*Reduction negatived.**Estimate reduced by £1,000, and Reduced Estimate (Immigration, £2,000) agreed to.*

No. 16.

*City of Sydney Improvement Board.*

Motion made (*Sir George Dibbs*) and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, £681, be reduced by £371,—

And the item, "Registrar and Board Officer, £371," having been omitted.

Motion made (*Mr. Houghton*),—That the item, "Contingencies, £110," be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Collins,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. O'Sullivan.

Tellers,

Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 63.

Mr. Neild,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Sheldon,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Want,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Sutto,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Barton,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. See,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Torpy,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Wise,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Tellers,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Perry,	

*Omission negatived.**Reduced Estimate (City of Sydney Improvement Board, £310), agreed to.*

And the reductions proposed under headings—Charitable Institutions and Fisheries Commission—having been agreed to.

No. 17.

No. 17.

*Fire Brigades.*

Motion made (*Sir George Dibbs*) and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, £1,254, be reduced by £27.

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the item, "Allowance in lieu of Uniform, to Superintendent, £30," be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Tellers,

Mr. Black,  
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 41.

Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Colls,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Lee,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Tellers,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Rae.

*Omission negatived.*

*Reduced Estimate (Fire Brigades, £1,227) agreed to.*

No. 18.

*Civil Service Board.*

The Estimate, £2,086, having been reduced by £36, Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £2,000 for Civil Service Board.

The Chairman having stated that it was not in order for the Honorable Member for Redfern, Mr. Schey, to discuss the actions of the Civil Service Board under this Question.

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That, the Chairman having given his opinion that Mr. Schey was not in order in discussing the actions or reports of the Civil Service Board on the Estimate entitled Civil Service Board, the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again so soon as the Point had been decided, and also report the Point of Order to the House,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

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Question put.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Tellers,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Davis,

Noes, 26.

Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Colls,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. York,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. See,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Tellers,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Hoyle.

*Negatived.*

No. 19.

*Same Estimate.*

Question put,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £2,000 for Civil Service Board.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Tellers,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Hassall.

Noes, 15.

Mr. Edden,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Tellers,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Langwell.

*Reduced Estimate (Civil Service Board, £2,000) agreed to.*

And

And the reductions proposed under the headings,—Botanic Gardens, Nursery Garden, Campbelltown, Government Domains, Garden Palace Grounds, Centennial Park, and Charitable Allowances,—having been agreed to,—

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

THURSDAY, 11 MAY, 1893.

No. 20.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES IN CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Colonial Secretary—Miscellaneous Services.*

Motion made (*Sir George Dibbs*) and Question proposed,—That the Estimate, £88,045, be reduced by £15,480.

And the Committee desiring to deal with the items *seriatim*,—

Several items having been reduced as proposed,—

Motion made (*Mr. Newton*),—That the item, "Wages for Gardener, and Tools and Incidental Expenses for East Maitland Gaol Reserve, £138" be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 3.

Mr. Schey,

*Tellers,*

Mr. McGowen,

Mr. Chapman.

Noes, 49.

Mr. Barton, Sir George Dibbs,

Mr. Neild, Mr. Johnston,

Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Fegan,

Mr. Gould, Mr. Campbell,

Mr. Hogan, Mr. Hassall,

Mr. Young, Mr. Sheldon,

Mr. Jeanneret, Mr. Slattery,

Mr. Waddell, Mr. Cullen,

Mr. Morton, Mr. Edden,

Mr. Perry, Mr. A'Beckett,

Mr. Suttor, Mr. Cann,

Mr. Darnley, Dr. Hollis,

Mr. Copeland, Mr. Danahoy,

Mr. Colls, Mr. Hart,

Mr. McCourt, Mr. Hoyle,

Mr. Lee, Mr. Cook,

Mr. Parkes, Mr. Stevenson,

Mr. Scobie, Mr. Hutchinson,

Dr. Cullen, Mr. McFarlane,

Mr. Houghton, Mr. Lyne,

Mr. Kidd, Mr. Newman.

Mr. Torpy, *Tellers,*

Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Dowel,

Mr. Hindle, Mr. Kelly.

Mr. G. D. Clark,

Mr. Henry Clarke,

\* *Omission negatived.*

And reductions to other items having been agreed to,—

No. 21.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the item, "General improvement, National Park, and acclimatisation of English Fish, £4,000," be reduced by £2,000,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Sheldon,

Mr. Chanter,

Mr. Vaughn,

Mr. Scott,

Mr. Wright,

Mr. Barbour,

Mr. Miller,

Mr. Chapman,

Mr. Perry,

Mr. Edden,

Mr. Gormly,

Mr. Fegan,

Mr. Cruickshank,

Mr. Nicoll,

Mr. Hutchison,

Mr. Cook,

Mr. Schey,

Mr. Langwell.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Murphy,

Mr. Rae.

Noes, 70.

Mr. Lonsdale,

Mr. A'Beckett,

Mr. Jeanneret,

Mr. Young,

Mr. Molesworth,

Mr. Gould,

Mr. Morton,

Mr. Levien,

Mr. Want,

Mr. McCourt,

Mr. G. D. Clark,

Mr. Haynes,

Mr. Neild,

Mr. Tonkin,

Mr. Parkes,

Mr. Marks,

Mr. Lee,

Mr. Campbell,

Mr. Hindle,

Mr. Barnes,

Mr. Scobie,

Mr. Lees,

Mr. Joseph Abbott,

Mr. Garrard,

Mr. Stevenson,

Mr. Kelly,

Mr. Hutchinson,

Mr. Waddell,

Mr. Gillies,

Mr. Cann,

Mr. Collins,

Mr. Kidd,

Sir George Dibbs,

Mr. McMillan,

Mr. Brunker,

Mr. Lyne,

Dr. Cullen,

Mr. Black,

Mr. O'Sullivan,

Mr. Darnley,

Mr. Sharp,

Mr. McCredie,

Mr. Johnston,

Mr. Gardiner,

Mr. McGowen,

Mr. Nicholson,

Mr. Houghton,

Mr. Bowes,

Mr. Dickens,

Mr. Holborow,

Mr. Eve,

Mr. Colls,

Mr. Slattery,

Mr. Hoyle,

Mr. Torpy,

Mr. Bavister,

Mr. Newman,

Mr. Ewing,

Mr. Copeland,

Mr. Sydney Smith,

Mr. Crick,

Mr. Rose,

Mr. Sec,

Mr. Cullen,

Mr. Danahoy,

Mr. Willis,

Mr. Hogan,

Mr. Suttor.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Frank Farnell,

Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 22

No. 22.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Sir George Dibbs*),—That the same item, "General improvement, National Park, and acclimatisation of English Fish, £4,000," be reduced by £1,000,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 44.

Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Rae,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Gould,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. See,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Waddell,	
Mr. Scobie,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Cann.
Mr. Nicoll,	
Mr. Cruickshank,	

*Reduction negatived.*

Noes, 48.

Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Stevenson,	
Dr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Hassall.

No. 23.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Houghton*),—That the item "Towards publication of work on Orchids, £100," be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Wright,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Crick,
Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Black,
Mr. Collins,
Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Perry.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Langwell.

*Omission negatived.*

Noes, 68.

Mr. Barbour,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Slattery,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Suttor,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. See,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Willis.
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Want,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Hassall.

No. 24.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Crick*),—That the item "Expenses in connection with the expenses of the Exhibit of this Colony at the Imperial Institute, London, £500," be reduced by £50,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. McCourt.
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Bavister,	

Noes, 46.

Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. McCredie,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Hogau,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Erc,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. See.
Mr. Garrard,	
Mr. Lyne,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Morton.

*Reduction negatived.*

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 12 MAY, 1893, A.M.

No. 25.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Sir George Dibbs*),—That the item, "Towards general improvements, Centennial Park, £3,000," be reduced by £2,000,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 44.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McGowen,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Slattery,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. See,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Darnley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon.

Noes, 13.

Mr. Neild,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Black,
Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Gardiner.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. G. D. Clark.

*Reduction agreed to.*

No. 26.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*),—That the item, "Market Square, Berrima, improvements, £100," be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Schey,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Sharp,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Black.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Chapman.

Noes, 45.

Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. McMillan,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. See,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Suttor,	
Mr. Lyne,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Murphy,	

*Omission negatived.*

No. 27.

No. 27.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. McMillan*),—That the item, "Compensation to H. C. Hoyle, Esq, M.P., for personal expenses incurred during the recent inquiry by Royal Commission into the working of the Baldwin engines, £100," be omitted,—and question put,

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Gould,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Gormly.
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Danahey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jones,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Langwell.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Barton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Chapman.
Mr. Wright,	
Mr. Suttor,	
Mr. Sheldon,	
Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. Copeland,	
Sir George Dibbs,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Slatery,	
Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Gough,	
Mr. Lyne,	
Mr. Scott,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	

*Item omitted.*

No. 28.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Sir George Dibbs*),—That the item, "New South Wales Zoological Society—special grant in aid of, £2,000," be reduced by £1,500,—and Question put,

Committee divided.

Ayes, 51.

Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Slatery,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Ewing,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. See,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Scott,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Murphy.
Mr. McCourt,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Sharp.
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Lyne,	

Noes, 6.

Mr. Neild,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Willis.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Johnston.

*Reduction agreed to.**Reduced Estimate (Miscellaneous Services, £73,465) agreed to.*

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

FRIDAY, 12 MAY, 1893.

No. 29.

## AUSTRALASIAN RIGHTS PURCHASE BILL.

Clause 4. It shall be lawful for the said projectors to use all or any of the waters aforesaid, as approved of by the Minister, for any of the purposes hereinafter specified:—

Purposes for which water may be taken.

To work any machinery that may be erected by the projectors for generating, making, and transmitting electricity to the city of "Sydney," in accordance with a plan numbered A 1, now deposited with the Minister at the General Post Office, Sydney, a copy whereof is comprised in the Schedule to this Act, "and to any other towns or places along the main cable line."

To work any machinery that may be erected by the projectors for the purpose of executing or exercising any "subsidiary" powers, functions, duties, or authorities hereby vested in, or imposed on or "hereafter" to be vested in or imposed on the projectors. (*Further considered.*)

Question

Question, on motion of Mr. McCourt, again proposed.—To insert after the word "Sydney," in line 4, the words "in accordance with a plan numbered A1, now deposited with the Minister at the General Post Office, Sydney, a copy whereof is comprised in the Schedule to this Act"

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

## Ayes, 48.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Johnston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Sharp,	

## Noes, 10.

Mr. Wise,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. Danahey.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Murphy.

*Words inserted.*

No. 30.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to omit from line 7 the words "and to any other towns or places along the main cable line."

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

## Ayes, 36.

Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. H. H. Brown,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Rue,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Dickens.
Mr. Johnston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Alfred Allen.
Mr. Cann,	

## Noes, 10.

Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Schey.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Darnley,

*Words stand.*

No. 31.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to omit from line 9 the word "subsidiary"

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

## Ayes, 36.

Mr. Dowel,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. H. H. Brown,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Torpy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. Hassall,	

## Noes, 8.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Darnley.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Danahey.

*Word stands.*

No. 32.

No. 32.

## SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to omit from line 10 the word "hereafter" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "hereinafter"

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

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Daruley,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Hindle.
Mr. Hassall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Frank Cotton.
Mr. McCourt,	

Noes, 6.

Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Neild,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Black.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Danahey.

*Word stands.*

No. 33.

## SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Rac,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Hindle.
Mr. Torpy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Cann.
Mr. Hassall,	
Mr. Garrard,	

Noes, 10.

Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Neild,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Black,
Mr. Daruley.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. G. D. Clark.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 34.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 5. The projectors are hereby empowered to construct, erect, maintain, and work any water-works, and other works and plant that may be required for making and generating electricity and transmitting it "to" the city of Sydney, and to any other towns or places along the main cable line. "And also to erect poles to carry wires across or along streets," and across Crown lands or private lands of any tenure above the surface, or to conduct wires beneath the surface of any such streets, or any such Crown lands or private lands, "and also across, along, under, or over any river, stream, or creek, or any bay, harbour, or inlet of the sea." And also to construct, erect, maintain, and work any water-works and other works and plant for the purpose of executing, exercising, or carrying out any of the powers, functions, duties, or authorities by this Act vested in or imposed on the said projectors. And also to make, generate, and transmit electricity for all or any of the purposes before mentioned. And also to enter upon any Crown lands or private lands of any tenure in the locality of any water-works or other works, or along the main cable line, or any branch thereof or therefrom for any purpose connected with the objects of this Act or any of them. Provided that the power to "distribute electricity" within any city, town, or place shall be subject to the written consent of the local authority. Provided further that the said projectors shall within three months after the passing of this Act commence and within three years after the passing hereof bring the said works into practical operation to the satisfaction of the Minister.

And

And the said Company shall within two months from the passing of this Act deposit with the Colonial Treasurer the sum of "five" thousand pounds, which sum shall be held by him as a Trust Fund, and in default of the payment of such deposit within the said period the rights and concessions provided for under this Act shall be forfeited. And in the event of the said works not being so commenced or completed as herein provided it shall be lawful for the Governor to order such sum to be forfeited to Her Majesty and to become part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. But after the completion of the said works to the satisfaction of the Minister as aforesaid the said sum of five thousand pounds shall be returned to the said projectors. (*Read.*)

The Chairman having, under the Standing Order No. 20, intimated to the Honorable Member for Redfern, Mr. Schey, his opinion that the speech being delivered was of such unwarrantable length as to obstruct the transaction of public business, directed him to discontinue his speech.

And Mr. Schey requiring that the Question whether he be further heard be put,—

Question,—That the Honorable Member, Mr. Schey, be further heard,—put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Schey,	Mr. Rae.
Mr. Kelly,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. Garrard,	
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Neild,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Darnley,	

*Negatived.*

Noes, 23.

Mr. Ewing,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Morgan.
Mr. Alfred Allen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Cann,	

No. 35.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Manning*) to insert after the word "to" in line 3, the words "the boundaries of"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.

Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Edden.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Neild,
Mr. Fegan.

Noes, 36.

Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Cotton.
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Black,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Cann,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

No. 36.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*) to omit from line 4 the words "And also to erect poles to carry wires across or along streets,"

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. McCredie,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Wall,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Hutcheson,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Rae.
Mr. Sydney Smith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Frank Farnell.
Mr. H. H. Brown,	

*Words stand.*

Noes, 11.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. McGowen.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Black.

No. 37.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Neild*) to omit from lines 7 and 8 the words "and also across, along, under, or over any river, stream, or creek, or any bay, harbour, or inlet of the sea."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35,

Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Cook,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Lees.
Mr. McCourt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. McCredie,	
Mr. Wall,	

*Words stand.*

Noes, 6.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Dawson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Neild.

No. 38.

SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Manning*) to add to the end of the clause, the words "Provided that the power to 'distribute electricity' within any city, town, or place shall be subject to the written consent of the local authority."

Mr. Darnley moved to amend the amendment by omitting therefrom the words "distribute electricity"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Dowel,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Davis,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Cann.
Mr. Johnston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Stevenson,	

*Words, of the amendment, stand.*

*Words proposed to be added to the clause, added.*

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Noes, 9.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Edden.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Neild.

No. 39.

No. 39.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. McCourt*) to add after the words just added the words,—Provided further that the said projectors shall, within three months after the passing of this Act, commence, and within three years after the passing hereof bring the said works into practical operation to the satisfaction of the Minister. And the said Company shall, within two months from the passing of this Act deposit with the Colonial Treasurer the sum of "five" thousand pounds, which sum shall be held by him as a Trust Fund, and in default of the payment of such deposit within the said period the rights and concessions provided for under this Act shall be forfeited. And in the event of the said works not being so commenced or completed as herein provided, it shall be lawful for the Governor to order such sum to be forfeited to Her Majesty, and to become part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. But after the completion of the said works to the satisfaction of the Minister as aforesaid, the said sum of five thousand pounds shall be returned to the said projectors.

Motion made (*Mr. Jeanneret*) to omit from line 6 of the amendment the word "five," with a view to the insertion of the word "two"

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

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Copland,	Mr. Hindle,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Morgan,
Sir Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Sehey,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Sterenson,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Rae.
Mr. Cann,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Black,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. McGowen,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. Torpy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Dowel,
Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Cotton,	
Mr. Suttor,	
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. Jeanneret,	
Mr. Dickens,	
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Willis,	
Mr. Lees.	

*Word stands.*

Words of further proviso added to the clause.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 7 to 21 having been dealt with,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

SATURDAY, 13 MAY, 1893, A.M.

No. 40.

SAME BILL.

Penalty for  
waste of motive  
power.

Clause 22. If any person supplied with electricity by the projectors wilfully or knowingly causes or suffers any meter, electric line, or other apparatus to be out of repair, he shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding *ten* pounds. (*Read.*)

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Copland,	Mr. Cann,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. Manning,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Rae.
Mr. Cruickshank,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. Neild,	Mr. Jeanneret.
Mr. McCourt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Bavieter.
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. Sehey,	
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Fegan,	

*Clause as read agreed to.*

And clauses 23 to 29 having been dealt with.

No. 41.

SAME BILL.

Procedure for  
recovery of  
penalties, &c.

Clause 30. Whenever, by any section of this Act, any person is made liable to any fine or forfeiture, or to pay any sum of money, whether as compensation or in any other way, and the mode of recovering such fine, forfeiture, or sum is not specified, the same may be recovered before any Stipendiary Magistrate or Police Magistrate, or before two Justices. "And all sums of money ordered by any such Stipendiary Magistrate or Police Magistrate or Justices to be paid, and all costs and expenses awarded by any such Stipendiary Magistrate or Police Magistrate or Justices may be recovered and enforced by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the person ordered to pay the same." Provided that nothing in this section shall prevent proceedings for the recovery of any fine, forfeiture, or sum as aforesaid being taken in any other Court of competent jurisdiction when the amount sought to be recovered exceeds *ten* pounds: Provided further that nothing in this Act contained shall exempt any wrongdoer from prosecution, fine, or imprisonment, under any public Act or Acts now or hereafter to be in force. (*Read.*) Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Edden*) to omit from lines 5 to 8 the words "And all sums of money ordered by any such Stipendiary Magistrate or Police Magistrate or Justices to be paid, and all costs and expenses awarded by any such Stipendiary Magistrate or Police Magistrate or Justices may be recovered and enforced by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the person ordered to pay the same."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. McCourt,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Grabame.
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Davis.
Mr. Dickens,	

Noes, 8.

Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Neild,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Black,
Mr. Hutchinson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Fegan.

*Words stand.*

*Clause as read agreed to.*

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

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 24.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 16 MAY, 1893.

No. 1.

## LAW PRACTITIONERS BILL.

Clause 2. From and after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ~~ninety-two~~ **ninety-four**, every male person, being a British subject, of the full age of twenty-one years, and whose good reputation and learning in law shall be certified to as hereinafter provided shall be entitled to be, and shall, upon motion made either in Court or in chambers, before any Judge of the Supreme Court of this Colony, be admitted and enrolled without fee as a barrister or solicitor of the said Court, and no restriction whatever shall be placed upon the applicant with regard to his employment during the time he is studying for the examination. (*Further considered.*)

Admission to practice.

Question, on motion of Mr. O'Sullivan, again proposed,—That there be added to the clause the words, "and no restriction whatever shall be placed upon the applicant with regard to his employment during the time he is studying for the examination."

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

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Jeannerct,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Selvey,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Garvan,
Mr. Keily,	Mr. Dowel,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Rne,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Hindle,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Hassall.

Noes, 10.

Mr. Young,
Mr. Neild,
Mr. John Wilkinson,
Mr. Wright,
Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Torpy.

*Tellers.*

Mr. Hart,
Dr. Cullen.

*Words added.**Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 2.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 3. There shall be elected, as hereinafter provided, annually in the month of December for the year next ensuing, by the practising "barristers" of the said Court, certain of their number, being not less than six nor more than twelve, for the examination, in the laws and the Court practice of this Colony, of candidates for admission as barristers of the said Court, and the certificate of any two of such examining barristers that any candidate has passed a satisfactory examination in the subjects enumerated in Schedule A of this Act of such

Examining Barristers and certificate of same.

subjects of law applicable to the Colony as may be prescribed from time to time by any General Rule of the Supreme Court, and that the applicant is a person of good fame and character, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be sufficient proof of the good reputation and learning in law of any candidate as aforesaid. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Waddell*) to insert after the word "barristers" in line 2, the words "and solicitors"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 4.

Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Tonkin.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Hassall.

Noes, 39.

Mr. Collins,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Jeannet,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Nicoll,
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Dawson.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Traill,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Frank Farnell.
Mr. Cruickshank,	
Mr. Darnley,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

Clauses 4 to 7 having been dealt with, and clause 8 read,

It being seven o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair, to enable Government Business to be proceeded with, under Sessional Order adopted on 2nd February, 1893.

No. 3.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1893.

*Railways and Tramways—Working Expenses.*

Question proposed.—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £2,177,551 for Railways and Tramways—Working Expenses (*Mr. See.*)

The Committee desiring to deal with the Departments *seriatim*,—

Question proposed.—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,265 for General Establishment (*Mr. See.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Crick*),—That the item, "Secretary, £800," be reduced by £60,—and

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Traill,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Edden,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Walker,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. O'Sullivan.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Dawson.

Noes, 59.

Mr. Reid,	Mr. McMillan,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Booth,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Leven,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. See,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Barton,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Danahay,
Mr. Curran,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Slatery,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Sheldon.
Mr. Holborow,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. John Wilkinson,	
Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Sutor,	
Mr. Bruce Smith,	

*Reduction negatived.*

And the item "Inspecting Officers, £1,150," having been omitted,—

No. 4.

No. 4.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item, "Clerks, £1,315," be reduced by £115,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Daraley,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Dr. Hollis.

Tellers,

Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Gardiner.

Noes, 45.

Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Barbour,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Suttor,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Johnston,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Bavisier,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Garvan,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Sec,	
Mr. Garrard,	Tellers,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Cullen,	

*Reduction negatived.**Reduced Estimate (General Establishment, £2,115) agreed to.*

No. 5.

*Same Estimate.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,965, for Account Branch (*Mr. See*).

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Chief Accountant, £1,000," be reduced by £200. And the Committee continuing to sit till after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 17 MAY, 1893, A.M.

Question put,—That the item be reduced. Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Fegan.

Tellers,

Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Sharp.

Noes, 40.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Bavisier,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Scott.
Sir George Dibbs,	Tellers,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Rac,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Hassall,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 6.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. McGowen*),—That the same item, "Chief Accountant, £1,000," be reduced by £80,—and Question put,

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Black,	Tellers,
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Fegan,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Rac,	
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Scott.	

Noes, 31.

Mr. Kidd,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. See,	Mr. Brunker.
Mr. Campbell,	Tellers,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Bavisier,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. Scobie,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 7.

No. 7.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Bookkeepers, £850" be reduced by £50,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Black,	
Mr. Schey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Scott,	
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Rae.	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. McCourt,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. See,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Hart,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 8.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Clerks, £1,015" be reduced by £25,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 3.

Mr. Schey.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Miller.

Noes, 35.

Mr. Jones,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. See,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Houghton,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Scott.
Mr. Kidd,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Haesall,	Mr. Sharp.
Mr. Brunker,	
Mr. McMillan,	

*Reduction negatived.**Estimate (Account Branch, £3,965) agreed to.*

No. 9.

*Same Estimate.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £515,065 for Existing Lines and Maintenance Branch (*Mr. See*).

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Engineer for Existing Lines, £1,200" be reduced by £140,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Black,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Miller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Sharp.
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Darnley,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Barton,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Haesall,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. See,	Mr. Cruickshank.
Mr. Scobie,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 10.

No. 10.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*).—That the item "Engineers and Surveyors, £5,800," be reduced by £1,425,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.

Mr. Hutchison,	
Mr. Schey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Black,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Hutchinson,	
Mr. Edden.	

Noes, 29.

Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. See,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Vaughn.
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Kidd,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. McCredie,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Copeland,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 11.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*).—That the same item, "Engineers and Surveyors, £5,800," be reduced by £50,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 2.

	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. Schey.	

Noes, 35.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Black,
Mr. See,	Mr. Houghton.
Sir George Dibbs,	
Mr. Copeland,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Bavister,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 12.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*).—That the item "Permanent-way Accountant and Staff, £1,911," be reduced by £200,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 7.

Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Miller,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Johnston.	
	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Black,	
Mr. McGowen.	

Noes, 28.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. See,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Cann,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Bavister.

*Reduction negatived.**Estimate (Existing Lines and Maintenance Branch, £515,665) agreed to.*

No. 13.

No. 13.

*Same Estimate.*

Question proposed.—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £13,910, for Signal and Interlocking Branch (*Mr. See*).

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Interlocking Engineer, £550," be reduced by £50,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.		Noes, 23.	
Mr. Schey,		Mr. Jones,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Miller,		Mr. McCourt,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Johnston,		Mr. Slattery,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. G. D. Clark,		Mr. Barton,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. McGowen,		Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Cook,		Mr. See,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Houghton.		Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Scobie,
		Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Cotton.
		Mr. Danahey,	
		Mr. Kidd,	<i>Tellers,</i>
		Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Darnley,
		Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Lonsdale.
		Mr. Stevenson,	

*Reduction negatived.*

*Estimate (Signal and Interlocking Branch, £13,910) agreed to.*

No. 14.

*Same Estimate.*

Question proposed.—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £756,900 for Locomotive Branch (*Mr. See*).

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Locomotive Engineer, £1,200," be reduced by £200,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Darnley.	Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Sharp,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Jones,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hutchison,		Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Edden.	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Brunner,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Hassall.	Mr. Morgan,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Miller,		Mr. Scobie,	Mr. McCredie.
Mr. G. D. Clark,		Mr. Hart,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,		Mr. See,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Rae,		Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Campbell.
Mr. Cook,		Mr. Copeland,	
		Mr. Danahey,	

*Reduction negatived.*

And the item "Assistant Locomotive Engineer, £650," having been, on motion of the Minister, omitted.

No. 15.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Johnston*),—That the item "Draftsmen, £2,969," be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.		Noes, 25.	
Mr. Schey,		Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Hutchinson,		Mr. Jones,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Miller,		Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Houghton.		Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Bavister,
		Mr. Barton,	Mr. Kidd,
		Mr. See,	Mr. Danahey,
		Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Copeland,
		Mr. Morgan,	Sir George Dibbs,
		Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Hassall.
		Mr. Hart,	<i>Tellers,</i>
		Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Stevenson,
		Mr. Brunner,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
		Mr. Edden,	
		Mr. McGowen,	

*Omission negatived.*

*Reduced Estimate (Locomotive Branch, £756,250) agreed to.*

No. 16.

*Same Estimate.*

Question proposed.—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £546,740 for Traffic Branch (*Mr. See*).

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Chief Traffic Manager, £1,100" be reduced by £200,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Cook.

Tellers,

Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. McGowen.

Noes, 22.

Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. McMillan,  
Mr. McCredie,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Cotton.  
Tellers,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Hassoll.

Reduction negatived.

Estimate (Traffic Branch, £546,740) agreed to.

No. 17.

Same Estimate.

Question proposed.—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £72,280 for General Charges—all Branches (*Mr. See*).

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Traffic Auditor £600" be reduced by £50,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Houghton.

Tellers,

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Johnston.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. McMillan,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. McCredie,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Danahey.  
Tellers,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Morgan.

Reduction negatived.

No. 18.

Same Estimate.

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Audit Inspectors £2,300" be reduced by £35,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Houghton.

Tellers,

Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Schey.

Noes, 24.

Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. McMillan,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. McCredie,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Rae.  
Tellers,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Morgan.

Reduction negatived.

No. 19.

Same Estimate.

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item "Clerical Branch—Audit Branch, £8,739," be reduced by £100,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Miller.

Tellers,

Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Houghton.

Noes, 25.

Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. McCredie,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. McMillan,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. Fegan.  
Tellers,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Rae.

Reduction negatived.

No. 20.

No. 20.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item, "Comptroller of Stores, £800," be reduced by £100,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 9.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Edden.

Tellers,

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Campbell,	
Mr. Scobie,	Tellers,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. See,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Copeland,	

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 21.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item, "Medical Officer, £900," be reduced by £100,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 10.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Fegan.

Tellers,

Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Edden.

Noes, 22.

Mr. Morgan,	Mr. See,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Rae.
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. McCredie,	Tellers,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Bruncker,	Mr. Lonsdale.

*Reduction negatived.**Estimate (General Charges—all Branches, £72,280) agreed to.*

No. 22.

*Same Estimate.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £264,826 for Government Tramways (*Mr. See*).

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item, "Superintendent (Locomotive), £700," be reduced by £50,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Houghton.

Tellers,

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Johnston.

Noes, 24.

Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Campbell,	Tellers,
Mr. See,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. G. D. Clark.

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 23.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item, "Engineer (Maintenance Branch), £500," be reduced by £75,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Sharp,	Tellers,
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Cann,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. See,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Cotton.
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Copeland,	Tellers,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Fegan.

*Reduction negatived.*

No. 24.

No. 24.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the item, "Assistant Manager (Traffic Branch), £450," be reduced by £50,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 6.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Johnston.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Sharp.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. Campbell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. See,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. McMillan,	
Mr. Brunker,	

*Reduction negatived.**Estimate (Government Tramways, £264,826) agreed to.**Reduced Estimate (Railways and Tramways—Working Expenses, £2,175,751) agreed to.*

And the Estimate, "Miscellaneous Services, £18,500," having been agreed to,—

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

WEDNESDAY, 17 MAY, 1893.

No. 25.

## SUPPLY.—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1893.

*Permanent and Volunteer Military and Naval Forces—Amended Estimate.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £214,114 for Permanent and Volunteer Military and Naval Forces, Pension to Major-General Richardson, and Warlike Stores (*Sir George Dibbs*).

And the Committee desiring to deal with the Departments *seriatim*,—

The Estimates under the headings Military Secretary, Permanent Forces, and Military Instructors, were agreed to.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £64,715, for Artillery Forces (*Sir George Dibbs*).

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the Estimate be reduced by £14,000.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

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Question put,—That the Estimate be reduced by £14,000.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 61.

Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Perry,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Hutcheson,
Mr. Collins,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Vaughan,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Wall,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Gillics,	Mr. Danahey.
Mr. Langwell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Darnley,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Walker,
Mr. Gould,
Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Barton,
Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. John Wilkinson,
Mr. See,
Mr. Young,
Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Mauning,
Mr. Neild,
Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Holborow,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction agreed to.**Reduced Estimate (Artillery Forces, £50,715) agreed to.*

No. 62.

No. 26.

*Same Estimate.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,567, for Commanding Engineer (*Sir George Dibbs*).

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*),—That the Estimate be reduced by £200,—and Question put. Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Schey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Collins,
Mr. McGowen,	Dr. Hollis.
Mr. Chapman,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. McCourt,	
Mr. Scott,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Graham,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Gough,	
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Edden,	

Noes, 48.

Mr. Gould,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Fuller,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Baviater,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. See,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Vaughn.
Mr. Torpy,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Perry,	
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction negatived.**Estimate (Commanding Engineer, £3,567) agreed to.*

No. 27.

*Same Estimate.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £8,365 for Military and Defence Works (*Sir George Dibbs*).

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the Estimate be reduced by £900,—and Question put. Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.

Mr. Schey,
Mr. Miller,
Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Scott,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Black,
Mr. McGowen,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Cann,
Mr. Davis,
Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Rae.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Kelly.

Noes, 48.

Mr. Morton,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Baviater,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. See,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Sheldon.
Mr. Hassall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Perry.

*Reduction negatived.**Estimate (Military and Defence Works, £8,365) agreed to.*

And the Estimates, under the headings "Permanent Submarine Miners, Permanent Medical Staff Corps, and Volunteer Force—Permanent Staff (unattached), and Mounted Regiment," having been agreed to.

No. 28.

*Same Estimate.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to her Majesty a sum not exceeding £8,606, for Volunteer Force—Artillery (*Sir George Dibbs*).

Motion made (*Mr. Miller*),—That the Estimate be reduced by £250,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 2.

*Tellers,*  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Schey.

Noes, 62.

Mr. Young,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Black,
Mr. McCourt,	Dr. Hollis,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. See,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Edden,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Newman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Gillies,	

*Reduction negatived.*

*Estimate (Volunteer Force—Artillery, £8,606) agreed to.*

And the remaining Estimates under Permanent and Volunteer Military and Naval Forces having been agreed to.

No. 29.

*Same Estimate.*

*Pension to Major-General Richardson.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty, a sum not exceeding £650 for Pension to Major-General Richardson (*Sir George Dibbs*).

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Johnston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. McCourt,	
Mr. Lees,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Davis,	
Mr. Chapman,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Walker,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Fegan,	

Noes, 42.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Parkes,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Donald,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Gillicie,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Hogan.
Mr. Barton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. See,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Eve,	Dr. Hollis.
Mr. Copeland,	

*Omission negatived.*

*Estimate (Pension to Major-General Richardson, £650) agreed to.*

And the Estimate "Warlike Stores, £15,000," having been agreed to.

*Reduced Estimate (Permanent and Volunteer Military and Naval Forces, Pension to Major-General Richardson and Warlike Stores, £200,114), agreed to.*

On motion Sir George Dibbs the Chairman left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

THURSDAY,

THURSDAY, 18 MAY, 1893.

No. 90.

## SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1892 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

*Supplementary Services of the year 1890.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,402 6s. 6d. for services of the year 1890 (*Sir George Dibbs*).

Motion made (*Mr. G. D. Clark*),—That the item "Allowance to Mr. G. T. C. Miller, M.P. for Monaro, at the rate of £300 per annum, from 17th December, 1889, to 29th April, 1890, £111 5s. 3d." be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Young,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Traill,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Collius,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Cullen,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Molesworth,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Darnley,	

Noes, 27.

Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Kidd.
Mr. See,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Torpy,	
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Jeanneret,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Sheldon,	
Sir George Dibbs,	
Sir Henry Parkes,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Nicholson,	
Mr. Gillies,	
Mr. Hugh McKimmon,	

*Item omitted.*

*Reduced Estimate (Supplementary Services for the year 1890, £4,291 1s. 3d.), agreed to.*

And, the Estimate for Services of the year 1891 having been reduced and agreed to.

No. 31.

*Same Estimates.**Supplementary Services of the year 1892.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £232,891 12s. 5d. for services of the year 1892. (*Sir George Dibbs*).

Motion made (*Mr. Houghton*),—That the item "Special Allowance to Officers during absence on leave of the Clerk of the Parliaments, £400," be reduced by £149 10s.,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 44.

Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hugh McKimmon,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Dr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. E. M. Clark,	
Mr. Lonsdale,	

Noes, 46.

Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Crick,
Mr. Neild,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Colls,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. John Wilkinson,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Lees,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. See,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Copeland,	Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. E. G. Brown,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Wall.
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dowel,	
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction negatived.*

And the item "Fees to Registrar-General as Chairman of Land Titles Commissioners, from 31st March, 1890, to 31st December, 1892, at £3 3s. per sitting, £450 9s., having been omitted.

No. 32.

*Same Estimates.**Same Services.*

Motion made (*Mr. Haynes*),—That the item, "Purchase of Books for Libraries at Bourke, Obar, and Brewarrina, and cost of carriage, £409 16s. 3d.," be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.		Noes, 24.	
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Barton,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Gould,	Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Rose,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Schey,	Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. See,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Newman,	Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Danahey,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Lyne,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Miller,		Mr. Hogan,	
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Black,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Haynes.	Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cann.

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

And the items "Expenses of compiling a pamphlet on the resources of the Western District of New South Wales, £150," and "Expenses in connection with official visit of the Hon. the Colonial Secretary to England and America, £1,000," having been, on motion of the Minister, omitted.

No. 33.

SAME ESTIMATES.

*Same Services.*

Motion made (*Mr. Cook*),—That the item "Council of Arbitration—Incidental Expenses (including purchase of books and compilation of 'Manual,' &c.), £100" be reduced by £75,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.		Noes, 15.	
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Gould,	
Mr. Sheldon,	Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Slattery,	
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Barton,	
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Edden,	Sir George Dibbs,	
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Gillies,	Mr. See,	
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Williams,	Mr. Torpy,	
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Newman,	Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Miller,	Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Cruickshank.	Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Black,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Hogan,	
Mr. McGowen,		Mr. Hutchinson.	
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Cann,	<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Donald,	Mr. McCourt.	Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,		Mr. Hugh McKinnon.	
Mr. Stevenson,			

*Reduction agreed to.*

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 19 MAY, 1893, A.M.

No. 34.

SAME ESTIMATES.

*Same Services.*

Motion made (*Mr. McCourt*),—That the item "For purchase of 100 copies of Legal Year Book of Australia, £50" be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.		Noes, 13.	
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Copeland,	
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Black,	Mr. Barton,	
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	
Mr. Brunker,	Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Slattery,	
Mr. Schey,	Dr. Hollis,	Sir George Dibbs,	
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Torpy,	
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Edden,	Mr. Bowes,	
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Williams,	Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Newman,	Mr. Hogan,	
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Miller,	Mr. See,	
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Cruickshank.	Mr. Hutchinson.	
Mr. Cann,	<i>Tellers,</i>	<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Danahey,		Mr. Rose,	
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Gillies.	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Gardiner.		
Mr. Stevenson,			

*Item omitted.*

*Reduced Estimate (Supplementary Services of the Year 1892, £231,166 3s. 5d.) agreed to.*

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

FRIDAY, 19 MAY, 1893.

No. 35.

## APPRENTICES BILL.

Clauses 1 to 12 having been dealt with.

Hours of labour.

Clause 13. No such apprentice as aforesaid shall be bound or required to serve his master by what is known as "piecework," or task work, or otherwise than in the ordinary course of work from day to day, or for more than eight **forty** hours during any one day **week**: "Provided always that this restriction shall not apply to apprentices bound to farming occupations or to other servants in husbandry, or to domestic service." (*Read*).

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*) to omit from lines 3, 4, and 5 the words "Provided always that this restriction shall not apply to apprentices bound to farming occupations or to other servants in husbandry, or to domestic service."

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

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. Sharp,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Houghton.

Noes, 3.

Mr. Black,
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Rac.

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 36.

## SAME BILL.

Court may settle disputes arising between master and apprentice, and award costs, &c.

Clause 14. In case of any difference or dispute between any such master and any such apprentice as aforesaid arising under any such indenture or assignment as aforesaid, the party feeling aggrieved may cause a summons to be issued forth of the ~~Petty Debt Court of Petty Sessions~~ of the district in which the ground of such difference or dispute arose, specifying the wrong or injury complained of, and the redress sought; and calling upon the other party to show cause upon a given day before such Court why that party should not be ordered to give and make that redress. And thereupon the Stipendiary or Police Magistrate "or any two Justices of the Peace" presiding on such occasion shall have power and authority to hear and to give and make such order upon such difference or dispute as in his or their discretion, equity, and right shall require, including the power of imposing any fine not exceeding the sum of *ten* pounds upon such master, or upon such apprentice as the case may be, as a penalty for any proved misconduct or breach of contract on his part towards the other. Such Magistrate or Justices may also discharge such apprentice, if he or they shall think proper, by certificate under his or their hand or hands, from the service of such master and may cancel the indenture of apprenticeship or any assignment thereof, which certificate shall be a complete bar to any action that may be brought on such indenture or assignment. And the Magistrate or Justices may award such costs of the proceeding in favour of or against either party thereto, as he or they may consider reasonable, as well as award the payment of any wages that may then be owing by the master to the apprentice. (*Read*).

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*) to omit from line 8 the words "or any two Justices of the Peace"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Neild,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Carruthers.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Waddell,	
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Hindle.

Noes, 3.

Mr. Rac.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Black,
Mr. Fegan.

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining clauses, two new clauses, the Schedules and Preamble of the Bill having been agreed to,—

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 25

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 23 MAY, 1893.

No. 1.

## CURRENT ACCOUNT DEPOSITORS BILL.

(Resolution)

Sir George Dibbs moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution:—

Resolved,—

That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to facilitate and legalise the obtaining of advances upon certain accounts in Banks which have suspended payment; to enable the Government to guarantee repayment of such "advances," and to issue Treasury Bills in connection therewith; and for purposes incidental to or consequent upon the above objects.

Motion made (*Mr. Schey*),—That the Resolution be amended by inserting after the word "advances," in line 3, the following words, "to empower the Government to take possession of such portion of the Assets of any such Bank as may be necessary, not being less in audited value than the whole sum of repayment so guaranteed."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 4.

Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Black.

Tellers,

Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Gardiner.

Noes, 85.

Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Wise,  
Mr. Haynes,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Reid,  
Mr. Garvan,  
Mr. Traill,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Burdckin,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Marks,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Levien,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Barnes,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Joseph Abbott,  
Dr. Cullen,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,

Mr. Wright,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Gillies,  
Sir Henry Parkes,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. McMillan,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. McCredie,  
Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Manning,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Dowel,  
Mr. Perry,  
Mr. Cunn,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Want,

Mr. Barton,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Slattery,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Gough,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Davis,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. E. M. Clark,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Scott,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. York,  
Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Wall,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Holborow,  
Mr. Sutor.

Tellers,

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Hassall.

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.  
Resolution as read agreed to.*

WEDNESDAY, 24 MAY, 1893, A.M.

No. 2.

## CURRENT ACCOUNT DEPOSITORS BILL.

The clauses of the Bill having been dealt with;—

## SCHEDULE.

"CURRENT ACCOUNT DEPOSITORS' ACT OF 1893"—Section 2.

*Certificate of amount due on Current Account.*

I [name], the provisional liquidator of the [name of company or corporation], certify that at the time of the suspension of payment by the said Bank there was due to [name of creditor] from the said Bank the sum of £ on his current "account."

Signature of Provisional Liquidator and Date. (*Read.*)

And the Schedule having been amended as indicated;—

Motion made (*Mr. Wise*) to insert after the word "account" in line 6 the words "free from any contingent lien, charge, or claim on the same."Question put;—That the words proposed to be inserted be so inserted.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. Wise,  
Mr. Reid,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Danahy,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Rae.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 50.

Mr. Burdekin,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Garryan,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Diekens,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. York,
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Williams,	Mr. Chapman.
Mr. Langwell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Johnston,	

*Insertion of words proposed negatived.*

And the Schedule having been further amended as indicated;—

*Schedule, as amended, agreed to.*

And the Preamble and Title having been dealt with;—

On motion of Mr. Barton, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments, and an amended Title, to the House.

No. 3.

## PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS BILL:—Message from the Legislative Council,—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having had under consideration the Legislative Assembly's Message dated the 28th March, 1893, in reference to the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Bill,—

Insists upon its amendment in clause 2,—

(1.) Because the existing state of the law should prevail with regard to elections until the Bill comes into force.

(2.) Because if an election takes place before the coming into force of this Act many electors would necessarily under this clause be disfranchised.

(3.) Because it would involve in all cases of a non-residential qualification the extreme inconvenience of producing a statutory declaration.

(4.) Because it might subject many innocent voters to the penalties of a misdemeanour; and, lastly,—because it is not desirable to place one measure of reform proposed in the Bill, and force it forward apart from all other reforms.

Insists upon its amendments in clause 20, line 41,—because a residence of one year at the least in the Colony of New South Wales and three months in the district is necessary to enable a voter to record an intelligent vote.

Insists upon its amendment in clause 20, line 42,—for a similar reason, and also for the convenience of preparing lists, and for the purposes of identification of the persons claiming an elector's right.

Insists upon its amendment in clause 20, line 43,—for similar reasons.

Insists upon its amendment in clause 20, line 44,—for verbal accuracy.

Insists upon its amendment in clause 20, which inserts new subsection 3,—because, in view of the conditions of their service, and the duties they may be called upon to undertake during a time of political excitement, it is not desirable to extend the franchise to Naval or Military Forces, or the Police.

Insists upon its amendment in clause 20, line 4, of page 7,—because inmates of private charitable institutions are not a burden upon the State, inasmuch as they need not necessarily be paupers.

Insists

Insists upon its amendment in clause 20, lines 4 and 5,—for the reason last given.

Insists upon its amendments in clause 33, page 12, lines 2 to 10 inclusive, except new question 8,—as consequential upon the Council's amendments in clause 23.

Insists upon its amendment, which proposes the omission of clause 34,—because persons not qualified by residence cannot, from the nature of their occupation, be so identified with the true interests of this country as to be entitled to the exercise of the franchise.

Insists upon its amendment which proposes new question at the end of subsection 1, clause 36,—as consequential upon amendment in clause 20.

Insists upon its amendments in clause 55, and also in clause 56, lines 14 and 15,—for the reasons hereinafter given for the rejection of provisions for voting outside district.

Insists upon its amendment in clause 56, line 16,—because the necessity for a public holiday on "Polling Day," has not hitherto been shown to be necessary, and would entail general loss and inconvenience.

Insists upon its amendment in clause 67,—for the same reasons as are assigned for insisting upon the amendments in clauses 55 and 56.

Insists upon its amendment in clause 78 with regard to polling-place outside district,—for reasons hereinafter stated with regard to clause 94, and insists upon the retention of the words, "or at any polling-place outside such district duly proclaimed under this Act," so as to make it conform with the provisions of clause 67.

Insists upon the omission of clause 93,—because subsection 2, of new clause, in lieu of clause 93, provides in a better way for carrying out the apparent intention of that clause.

Agrees to the omission of subsection 1, new clause, in lieu of clause 93, but insists upon the retention of subsection 2, with the following words inserted after the word "district," in line 2, viz. :—"at any polling-place duly proclaimed under section 70 of this Act,"—for the reasons already assigned for the omission of clause 93.

Insists upon the omission of clause 94,—because of the inconvenience, expense, delay, difficulties of identification, and complications that would necessarily follow the carrying out of the provision for voting outside districts pursuant to this clause.

Insists upon its amendments in clause 144, lines 46 and 47,—as consequential upon the rejection of the Police vote.

Insists upon the omission of clause 145,—because it has not been shown that electors have ever been prevented from recording their votes, and because there is no necessity for any such statutory interference between employer and employee.

Insists upon its amendment in clause 149,—because, while ample power is given to the Governor to correct errors, it is not desirable to confer the large validating powers contained in the concluding part of the clause.

Insists upon the omission of Schedule A and the insertion of new Schedule A in place thereof,—as containing necessary questions to be put to an elector.

Does not insist upon the Council's other amendments disagreed to by the Assembly, and agrees to the Assembly's amendments upon the Council's amendments in the said Bill.

*Legislative Council Chamber,  
Sydney, 20th April, 1893, a.m.  
(Considered.)*

JOHN LACKEY,  
President.

Motion made (*Mr. Barton*),—That the Committee does not insist upon its disagreements from the Council's amendments insisted upon by the Council, and agrees to the Council's amendments which amend its previous amendment in clause 78 and in the new clause in lieu of clause 93,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 69.

Mr. Chanter,	Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Sutton,	Mr. Burnes,	Mr. Lonsdale,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Cann,	Mr. Garvan,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Houghton,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,	Mr. Gould,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Ewing,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. Williams,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Langwell,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Wall,
Mr. Bre,	Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Reid,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Morton,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. Newton,	Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Brunner,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Newman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Garrard,	
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Dale,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. Cook,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Carruthers,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Black,
Mr. Davis,
Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Bavister.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Rae,
Mr. G. D. Clark.

*Agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Barton, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee does not insist upon its disagreements from the Council's amendments insisted upon by the Council, and agrees to the Council's amendments which amend its previous amendment in clause 78 and in the new clause in lieu of clause 93.

FRIDAY,

FRIDAY, 26 MAY, 1893.

No. 4.

## SMALL DEBTS RECOVERY ACT AMENDING BILL.

Judgment debt  
may be paid by  
instalments.

Clause 1. When any attachment order is being made under the provisions of the "Small Debts Recovery Act," or upon any application at any time by the garnishee, it shall be within the discretion of the Court adjudicating to provide by such order or to vary such order so as to provide for the payment of the amount of the judgment debt, or so much thereof as is to be satisfied by the order, by instalments to be paid by the garnishee at such periods as the Court may fix. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. McFarlane*) to add to the end of the clause the words—"Provided the time allowed for such extended payments shall not extend beyond twelve months from date of judgment."

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

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 8.

Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Wright,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. Garrard.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Neild.

## Noes, 36.

Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Perry,
Dr. Hollis,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Barton,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Schey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Scott,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Fegan,	

*Addition of words proposed negatived.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And clause 2 and the Preamble having been agreed to,

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

No. 5.

## WAVERLEY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH LAND SALE BILL.

The Committee having agreed to clauses 1 and 2.

Mr. Neild brought up the following new clause, and moved that it stand part of the Bill:—

3. The said Trustees shall, within three years from the sale of the said land, file with the Master in Equity, Sydney, an account showing what moneys have been received by the said Trustees under this Act, and how such moneys have been dealt with by them. (*Read.*)

Accounts to be  
filed with Master  
in Equity.

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

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 12.

Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. Lonsdale,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Danabey,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Edden.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Black,  
Mr. Bavister.

## Noes, 29.

Mr. McCredie,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Nicoll,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Newton.
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Barbour,	

*Negatived.*

And the Schedule and Preamble having been agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Henry Clarke, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment to the House.

No. 6.

No. 6.

## CITY OF SYDNEY LANES BILL.

*Consideration of Legislative Council's Amendments.**SCHEDULE of Amendments referred to in Message of 25th May, 1893.*Page 2, clause 1, line 12. *After "Sydney" insert "on the approval of the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council."*Motion made (*Mr. Lees*) That the Committee agree to the Legislative Council's amendment in this Bill,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Slattery,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. E. M. Clark,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Sehey,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Johnston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon.
Mr. Black,	

Noes, 14.

Mr. Rae,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Neild.
Mr. Durnley,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Hogan,	
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Lonsdale.	

*Agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Lees, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had agreed to the Legislative Council's amendment in this Bill.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 26.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 30 MAY, 1893.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES FOR 1893.

*Executive and Legislative.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £720, to defray additional charge under the head, "Executive and Legislative" (*Mr. See*).

Motion made (*Mr. Crick*),—That the item "Legislative Council—in adjustment of salaries reduced in Committee of Supply, prior to adoption of general scheme of reduction of 10 per cent. over £200—£320," be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Crick,	Mr. Hindle,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. Lees,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Cunn,	
Mr. Miller,	

Noes, 44.

Mr. Neild,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Dickens,
Sir George Dibbs,	Sir Henry Parkes,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. McMillan,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Young.
Mr. Waddell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Hart,	

*Omission of item negatived.*

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No. 2.

No. 2.

*Same Estimate.*

Motion made (*Mr. Crick*),—That the item "Legislative Assembly, in adjustment of salaries reduced in Committee of Supply prior to adoption of general scheme of reduction of 10 per cent. over £200,"—£110 be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. Black,	Mr. Kelly,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Crick,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Danahy,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Rae,	

Noes, 46.

Mr. Neild,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. McCredis,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Want,	Mr. Hogan,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. See,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Dowel,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Copland,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Hart,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Sir Henry Parkes,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Perry.
Mr. Morton,	

*Omission of item negatived.**Estimate (Executive and Legislative, £720) agreed to.*

No. 3.

*Colonial Secretary.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £25,406 to defray additional charge under the head "Colonial Secretary" (*Sir George Dibbs*).

Motion made (*Mr. O'Sullivan*),—That the item "Permanent and Volunteer Military and Naval Forces—Artillery, £14,000," be reduced by £7,000,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Danahy,	Mr. Garvan.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Black,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Jones,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Cruickshank,	
Mr. Donald,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Miller,	

Noes, 39.

Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Suttor,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Young,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Kidd,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Scobie,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Ewing,
Mr. Haynes,	Sir Henry Parkes.
Mr. Want,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Manning,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Copland,	
Mr. Chanter,	

*Reduction negatived.**Estimate (Colonial Secretary, £25,406) agreed to.*

And the remaining votes on the Additional Estimates for 1893 having been agreed to.

No. 4.

## LOAN ESTIMATE.

*Colonial Secretary—Military and Defence Works.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the year 1893, to be raised by loan, a sum not exceeding £874,806 for Public Works and other Services (*Mr. See*.)

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*),—That the item, "Military and Defence Works, £20,000" be omitted,—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Sebey,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Black.

*Tellers,*

Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. G. D. Clark.

Noes, 39.

Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. B. G. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. See,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Barnes,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Danahey,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. Newman.
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Lees,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Frank Farnell,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Bowes,	

*Omission of item negatived.*

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 31 MAY, 1893 A.M.

*Estimate (Loan, £874,806), agreed to.*

And the Additional Loan Estimate having been agreed to.

On motion of Mr. See, 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.

WEDNESDAY, 31 MAY, 1893.

No. 5.

APPROPRIATION BILL.

Clauses I to III having been agreed to.

Clause IV. Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade:—Any sum or sums of money not exceeding Seven hundred and forty-nine thousand six hundred and eleven pounds, to defray the Salaries Contingencies and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

125. Treasury ... ..	£26,621	0	0
126. Stamp Duties ... ..	4,468	0	0
127. Customs ... ..	70,228	0	0
128. Gold Receivers ... ..	150	0	0
129. Gold and Escort (irrespective of date of claims) ...	800	0	0
130. Government Printer's Department ... ..	71,409	0	0
131. Stores and Stationery ... ..	100,275	0	0
132. Ordnance and Barrack Department, Civil and Magazine Branch ... ..	8,957	0	0
133. Board of Health ... ..	9,846	0	0
134. Board of Pharmacy ... ..	140	0	0
135. Shipping Masters ... ..	2,945	0	0
136. Glebe Island Abattoirs ... ..	11,953	0	0

Marine Board of New South Wales:—

137. Marine Board, Sydney ... ..	£5,471	0	0
138. Local Marine Board, Newcastle ... ..	1,759	0	0
139. Harbour Masters ... ..	952	0	0
140. Colonial Light-houses ... ..	7,098	0	0
141. Sea and River Pilots ... ..	12,490	0	0
142. Boatmen ... ..	11,757	0	0
143. Telegraph Stations ... ..	1,415	0	0
144. Australian Coast Light-houses (irrespective of date of claims) ... ..	1,400	0	0
145. Miscellaneous (irrespective of date of claims) ... ..	7,943	0	0

£50,285 0 0

Less—Amount of reduction by vote in Committee of Supply ... ..

332 0 0

49,953 0 0

146. Life-boats (irrespective of date of claims) ... ..	1,300	0	0
147. Public Wharfs ... ..	4,932	0	0

Miscellaneous

## Miscellaneous Services (irrespective of date of claims):—

	£	s.	d.
148. Postage of Public Departments ...	31,000	0	0
149. Advertising for the Public Service ...	7,000	0	0
150. For the transmission of Telegraphic Messages ...	20,000	0	0
151. Commission on Payments in England by the Government Financial Agents	2,700	0	0
152. Insurance, &c., on English Shipments	790	0	0
153. Management of, and expenses in connection with payment of half-yearly dividends on, Inscribed Stock by the Bank of England ...	19,000	0	0
154. Exchange on Remittances within and beyond the Colony ...	11,000	0	0
155. Allowance for Postage and Stationery to Clerks of Petty Sessions, Land Agents, and Registrars of District Courts ...	2,000	0	0
156. Commission on payment of Debentures and Interest on Debentures in Sydney ...	225	0	0
157. For the relief and conveyance of distressed Seamen belonging to the Colony from Foreign Ports, or from Wrecked Vessels, &c. ...	210	0	0
158. In aid of the Sailors' Home, Newcastle	350	0	0
159. To subsidise Tug-boats for Northern Rivers and Harbours ...	6,400	0	0
160. To subsidise Tug-boat for Clarence River... ..	900	0	0
161. For Interest on Funds, in the temporary possession of the Government, belonging to Suitors in Equity and Lunacy Patients ...	2,300	0	0
162. To meet Unforeseen Expenses, to be hereafter accounted for ...	3,000	0	0
" 163. Amount payable to Railway Department for conveyance, without charge, of Members of Parliament, Distinguished Visitors, School Children, and others ...	25,000	0	0 "
164. To pay interest, at 4 per cent., on the uninvested Funds at the credit of the Government Savings Bank in the Treasury ...	17,610	0	0
165. To pay interest, at 4 per cent., on the uninvested Funds at the credit of the Civil Service Superannuation Account ...	5,000	0	0
166. To pay interest, at 4 per cent., on the balance at the credit of the Municipal Council of Sydney—Sinking Fund Account ...	295	0	0
167. To pay interest at 4 per cent. on balance at the credit of the Bankruptcy Unclaimed Dividend Fund...	100	0	0
168. To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the uninvested balance at credit of the Bankruptcy Estates Account ...	280	0	0
169. Sewerage Rates, Public Buildings ...	4,000	0	0
170. Water Rates, &c., various Public Buildings, Sydney and Country Towns ...	5,000	0	0
171. To pay interest at 4 per cent. and 5 per cent. on special deposits by the Savings Bank of New South Wales ...	15,130	0	0
172. To meet Legal Expenses, Treasury Department... ..	300	0	0

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
173. To meet the abatement which should, in terms of the Civil Service Act, be deducted from the pensions payable to officers whose services have been dispensed with ... ..	1,051	0	0			
174. Gratuities to officers whose services have been dispensed with ... ..	105	0	0			
175. To meet expenses of engrossing and searches in connection with conveyancing and other legal matters...	75	0	0			
176. Interest at 4 per cent. on special deposit by Sydney University—late J. H. Challis' Bequest ... ..	1,000	0	0			
177. Interest at 4 per cent. on daily credit balance of the Colonial Treasurer's Curator of Intestate Estates Account ... ..	3,500	0	0			
	<hr/>			185,221	0	0
178. To meet expenses connected with payment of Imperial, Military, and Naval Pensioners in the Colony ... ..				413	0	0
179. Advance to Treasurer—To enable the Treasurer to make advances to Public Officers, and on account of other Governments, and to pay expenses of an unforeseen nature which will afterwards be submitted for Parliamentary appropriation. The whole amount to be adjusted not later than the 31st December, 1894 ... ..				200,000	0	0
	<hr/>			£749,611	0	0

(Read.)

Motion made (*Mr. Frank Farnell*),—That the item, "163. Amount payable to Railway Department for conveyance, without charge, of Members of Parliament, Distinguished Visitors, School Children, and others, £25,000," be reduced by £3,212,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 30.

Mr. Murphy,  
Mr. Frank Farnell,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Crick,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Morton,  
Mr. Garvan,  
Mr. A'Beckett,  
Mr. Molesworth,  
Mr. Miller,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Cullen,  
Mr. Newman,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Black,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Gormly,  
Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Eve,  
Mr. Holborow.

## Tellers,

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. E. M. Clark.

## Noes, 63.

Mr. Want,  
Dr. Ross,  
Mr. Reid,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Young,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. See,  
Mr. Garrard,  
Mr. McCourt,  
Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Dowel,  
Mr. Jeanneret,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Rose,  
Mr. Bowes,  
Mr. Marks,  
Mr. Parkes,  
Mr. Alfred Allen,  
Mr. Chanter,  
Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Hart,  
Mr. Burdekin,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Hogan,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Henry Clarke,  
Mr. Hoyle,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Torpy,

Sir Henry Parkes,  
Mr. Sydney Smith,  
Mr. McMillan,  
Mr. Brunker,  
Mr. McCredie,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Hayes,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Scobie,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Colls,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Grahame,  
Mr. Hutchison,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Neild,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Lees,  
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Hutchinson,  
Mr. Danahy,  
Mr. Wright.

## Tellers,

Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Hassall.

*Reduction negatived.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And clauses IV (Railways) to XIV having been dealt with,—

No. 6.

## SAME BILL.

Clauses XV. No appropriation included in this Act shall lapse until the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four. (*Read.*)

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

No appropriation to lapse till 31 December, 1894.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. See,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Donald.
Mr. Dickens,	
Mr. Chapman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. R. G. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. Hassall.

Noes, 26.

Mr. Frank Farnell,	Mr. Bruncker,
Mr. McMillan,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. A'Beckett,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald
Mr. Crick,	Dr. Hollis.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Garvan,	
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Sehey,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Edden,	

Clause, as read, agreed to.

And the remaining clauses and preamble of the Bill having been agreed to,—

On motion of Mr. See, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with an amendment.

THURSDAY, 1 JUNE, 1893.

No. 7.

POSTAGE ACTS AMENDMENT BILL.

Clauses 1 to 4 having been dealt with,—

Free transmission and delivery of newspapers.

Clause 5. No newspaper shall be entitled to free transmission under section two of the Act thirty-seventh Victoria number one, unless such newspaper and every supplement thereto have been printed in New South Wales, from type set up in New South Wales, or from stereotyped plates made therefrom, and such newspaper has been registered in accordance with the preceding section, and the Postmaster-General is hereby empowered to require from the sender of any newspaper claiming exemption from postage satisfactory proof that the newspaper and supplement "and every portion thereof" have been printed as herein provided. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. McCourt*) to omit from the last line but one of the clause the words "and every portion thereof"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 50.

Mr. Willis,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Henry Clarke,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Nicoll,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Sehey,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Davis,
Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. See,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Perry.
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Newman,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Hassall.

Noes, 24.

Mr. Want,
Mr. Reid,
Mr. Young,
Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Donald,
Mr. Morton,
Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hart,
Mr. Marks,
Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Cook,
Mr. Bruncker,
Dr. Cullen,
Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Cullen,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. G. D. Clark.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Edden.

Words stand.

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

Same Clause.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 46.		Noes, 16.
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Reid,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Young,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Sharp,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. See,	Mr. Nicholson,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Marks,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Brunker,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Williams,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Donald.
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Murphy,	
Mr. Perry,	Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Bowes,	<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Newman,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Black,	Mr. Cann.	
Mr. Haynes,		

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And Clauses 6 to 15 having been dealt with.

No. 9.

SAME BILL.

Clause 16. No money order shall be granted for a larger sum than "twenty" pounds, and, after the commencement of this Act, the Postmaster-General or other officer in charge of the Money Order Office may levy and receive in respect of all money orders issued a commission at such rate as may be prescribed, and such commission shall be paid into the Treasury and form part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. (*Read.*)

Amount and cost of money orders.

Motion made (*Mr. McCourt*) to omit from line 1, the word "twenty" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "forty"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.		Noes, 7.
Mr. Want,	Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Morton,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Newman,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Williams,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Jeanneret,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hoyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Nicoll,	Mr. McCourt.
Mr. Young,	Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. McFarlane,	
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Sheldon,	
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Holborow,	
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Barbour,	<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Langwell.	
Mr. G. D. Clark,		
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,		

*Word stands.*

No. 10.

SAME BILL.

Clause 17. Letters, packets, or newspapers containing indecent or obscene publications, writings, prints, paintings, photographs, lithographs, engravings, books, cards, or other articles or matter of an indecent or obscene character, and the contents of such letters, packets, or newspapers, whether the same be posted in the Colony or elsewhere, shall for the purposes and within the meaning of this and the Principal Act be deemed to have been posted, and to be in fraud and violation of the said Acts. Post-cards and parcels shall for the purpose of this section be deemed packets. (*Read.*)

Prohibition from sending indecent articles, &c., by post.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.

Mr. Willis,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Young,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Miller,	Mr. Schey.
Mr. Garrard,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Crnickshank,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Newman,	

Noes, 2.

*Tellers,*Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Rae.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 11.

SAME BILL.

Prohibition from  
carrying on  
lotteries, &c.,  
through the  
post.

Clause 18. If the Postmaster-General has at any time reasonable ground to suppose any person to be engaged in receiving any money or valuable thing as or for the consideration for any assurance, undertaking, promise, or agreement expressed or implied to pay or give, or to procure or induce any other person to pay or give, any money, or valuable thing on any event or contingency of or relating to any horse-race, or other race, or any fight, game, sport, or exercise, or to be engaged in promoting or carrying out any scheme connected with any such assurance, undertaking, promise, or agreement as aforesaid, or any lottery, game of chance, or unlawful game, or in receiving money under pretence of foretelling future events, or to be engaged in any illegal or fraudulent business or undertaking, then the said Postmaster-General may, if he think fit, by notification in the *Gazette*, order that no letter, packet, newspaper, or parcel, addressed to any such person, either by his own or any fictitious or assumed name, or to any address without a name, shall be registered or delivered to any such person. The notification shall specify every name, whether real, fictitious, or assumed, and every address in respect of which the order is made; and the order shall upon notification thereof continue in force until the Postmaster-General shall cancel it, which he is hereby empowered to do by notice in the *Gazette*; and if while such order is in force any letter addressed to any such person by any name, or to any address, so specified as aforesaid, be received at any post office, it shall not be delivered to the person to whom or at the address to which it is addressed, but shall at once be sent to the dead letter office in Sydney, and shall, if it were originally posted in New South Wales, be opened, and immediately returned to the sender, or if not originally posted in New South Wales, be returned unopened to the colony or country whence it originally came. While such order is in force no money order shall be issued in favour of any person with respect to whom the order has been made, and no money order shall be paid to any such person. But nothing in this section shall have any application to any association legalised by the Act ~~thirteenth~~ **fourteenth** Victoria, number ~~fourteen~~ **thirteen**. (*Read*).

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Jones,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Edden,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Miller,
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. Jeanneret.
Mr. A'Beckett,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Murphy,	
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Bavister,	Dr. Hollis.

Noes, 13.

Mr. Willis,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Hassall,
Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Dawson.

*Tellers,*Mr. Sheldon,  
Mr. Langwell.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

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

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 27.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 7 JUNE, 1893.

No. 1.

LABOUR SETTLEMENTS BILL [*changed from* CROWN LAND ASSOCIATED SETTLEMENTS BILL].

Clause 1 having been agreed to.

Clause 2. This Act may be cited as the "Crown Land Associated Labour Settlements Act." Short title.  
(*Read.*)Motion made (*Mr. Reid*) to omit the word "Associated" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "Labour"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Willis,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Selcy,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Dr. Ross,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Rac,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Francis Clarke,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Hoyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Dickens,	
Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Houghton,	

Noes, 42.

Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Gould,	Mr. Booth,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. York,
Mr. Young,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Reid,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Wise,	Mr. McCredie,
Mr. Lonsdale,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Chanter,	Mr. Gillies,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. Newman,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Jones,	Mr. Gornly,
Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Jeannotet,	Mr. Baxister,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Daruley.
Mr. Donald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Brunker,	Dr. Hollis.
Mr. Wall,	

*Word omitted.*

And the word proposed to be inserted having been inserted,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 3 to 12 having been negatived, nine new clauses inserted, and the Preamble and Title dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Copeland the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments and an amended Title to the House.

THURSDAY, 8 JUNE, 1893.

No. 2.

## LABOUR SETTLEMENTS BILL.

*Recommitted.*

Duties of Board.

Clause 5. It shall be the duty of a Board, subject to regulations made by the Governor under this Act, to enrol such persons (hereinafter called "enrolled members") being of good repute ~~but in indigent circumstances~~, as it may think fit. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Copeland*) to omit from line 3 the words "but in indigent circumstances"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Parkes,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Alfred Allen,  
Mr. Booth,  
Mr. Reid,  
Sir Henry Parkes,  
Mr. Garvan,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Nicoll,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Hindle,  
Mr. Jones,  
Mr. Jeanneret,  
Dr. Hollis,  
Mr. Campbell,  
Dr. Cullen,  
Mr. Darnley.

Tellers,

Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Fegan.

Noes, 44.

Mr. Dickens, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Walker, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Torpy, Mr. Young, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Hogan, Mr. See, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Wright, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Scobie, Mr. Hutchison, Mr. Donald, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Cook, Mr. Joseph Abbott, Mr. Cullen, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Newton,	Mr. Perry, Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Edden, Mr. Colls, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Francis Clarke, Mr. Wall, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Scott, Mr. Gough, Mr. Holborow, Mr. Murphy.
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Tellers,

Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Johnston.

*Words omitted.**Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Copeland, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill 2<sup>o</sup>, with a further amendment, to the House.

No. 3.

## STEAM SERVICE BETWEEN SYDNEY AND VANCOUVER:—

*(Resolutions.)*

Mr. Kidd moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolutions,—

*Resolved,—*

(1.) That this House "approves" of a subsidy, at a rate not exceeding £10,000 per annum, being granted towards the monthly steam service now being performed between Sydney and Vancouver by Mr. James Huddart.

(2.) That the above Resolution be communicated by Address to His Excellency the Governor. (*Considered.*)

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 9 JUNE, 1893, A.M.

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*) to omit from the first Resolution all the words after the word "approves" with a view to the insertion in their place of the words "the Government inviting steamship owners to make definite proposals for running a monthly service between Sydney and America, with either San Francisco or Vancouver as terminal ports. Such proposals to be laid before Parliament at the opening of next Session, with a view to commencing the new service at the expiry of the present San Francisco Service."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Dowel, Mr. Dickens, Mr. See, Mr. Tonkin, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Vaughn, Mr. Black, Mr. Davis, Mr. Johnston, Mr. Gillies, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Francis Clarke, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Torpy, Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Kidd, Mr. Willis, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Morton, Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Inglis, Mr. Hogan, Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Newton, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Jeanneret, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Scobie, Mr. J. A. Mackinnon, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Colls, Dr. Cullen, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Donald.
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Tellers,

Mr. H. H. Brown,  
Mr. Rose.

Noes, 32.

Mr. Parkes, Mr. Reid, Mr. Bruce Smith, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Carruthers, Mr. Cook, Mr. Hutchison, Mr. Newman, Mr. Lees, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. A'Beckett, Mr. Jones, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Danahey, Mr. Bavister, Mr. Stevenson,	Mr. Canu, Mr. E. M. Clark, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Darnley, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Langwell, Mr. Edden, Mr. Rae, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Williams, Mr. Gough.
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Tellers,

Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Gardiner.

*Words stand.*

No. 4.

No. 4.

## SAME RESOLUTIONS.

Question put,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolutions,—

*Resolved*,—

- (1.) That this House approves of a subsidy, at a rate not exceeding £10,000 per annum being granted towards the monthly steam service now being performed between Sydney and Vancouver by Mr. James Huddart.
- (2.) That the above Resolution be communicated by Address to His Excellency the Governor.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.		Noes, 31.	
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cotton,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. H. H. Brown,	Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. See,	Mr. Inglis,	Mr. Reid,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Hogan,	Mr. Bruce Smith,	Mr. Edden,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Newton,	Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Schey.
Mr. Davis,	Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Jones,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Scobie,	Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Rose,	Mr. J. A. Mackinnon,	Mr. Lees,	Mr. Rae.
Mr. Gillies,	Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Newman,	
Mr. Morton,	Mr. Colls,	Mr. Chapman,	
Mr. Barbour,	Dr. Cullen,	Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Bavister,	
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Stevenson,	
Mr. Torpy,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Morgan,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. E. M. Clark,	
Mr. Francis Clarke,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.	Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Henry Clarke,		Mr. Lonsdale,	

*Resolutions agreed to.*

On motion of Sir George Dibbs the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had come to certain Resolutions.

FRIDAY, 9 JUNE, 1893.

No. 5.

## SIMPSON'S RAILWAY BILL.

*(Legislative Council's Amendments.)*

Schedule of Amendments referred to in Message of 9th June, 1893:—

Page 9, clause 37, line 44. *After* "worked" *insert* "as a railway for the conveyance of "passengers and goods"Page 9, clause 37, lines 46 and 47. *Omit* "and of the use thereof, shall be permanently "abandoned"Motion made (*Mr. Neild*),—That the Committee agree to the Legislative Council's Amendments in this Bill,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 55.		Noes, 8.	
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Garvan,	Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. See,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Black,	Mr. Waddell.	
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Hindle,	<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Cook,	
Mr. Donnelly,	Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Rae.	
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,		
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Gough,		
Mr. Dowel,	Mr. Nicholson,		
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Donald,		
Mr. Neild,	Mr. York,		
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Stevenson,		
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Wall,		
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Booth,		
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	Mr. Chapman,		
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Dawson,		
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. McGowen,		
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Fegan,		
Sir Henry Parkes,	Mr. Edden,		
Dr. Cullen,	Mr. Williams,		
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Schey.		
Mr. Vaughn,	<i>Tellers,</i>		
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,		
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Hassall.		
Mr. Lees,			
Mr. Cann,			

*Agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Neild the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had agreed to the Legislative Council's amendments in this Bill.

No. 9.

No. 6.  
SUNDAY CLOSING BILL.

(Resolution.)

Question,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution (*Mr. Alfred Allen*).

*Resolved*,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to secure the more effectual closing of public-houses on Sundays during prohibited hours. (*Further considered*.)

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Joseph Abbott,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Baxister,
Mr. Walker,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lees,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Darnley,	Mr. Alfred Allen.
Mr. McCreidiz,	
Mr. Cotton,	

Noes, 28.

Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Garvan,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Jeanneret,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Sec,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. Sharp,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Hassall,	

*Negatived.*

On motion of Mr. Alfred Allen, the Chairman left the Chair.

No. 7.

MENINDIE AND BROKEN HILL TRAMWAY BILL.

Clauses 3 to 16 having been dealt with,—

Clause 17. The Tramway shall be open to the public use upon payment of such rates, tolls, or charges as may be approved by the Commissioners, and such rates, tolls, or charges may be made, demanded, sued for, and recovered by the Promoter: Provided that, unless with the consent of the Promoter, such tolls or charges shall, respectively, be not less in amount than "fifty" per centum over and above the respective amounts of any similar tolls or charges in force on the Government Railways at the date of this Act: Provided that no differential charges shall be made, but that the charges, per class, of passengers and goods shall be equal to all persons using the Tramway: Provided also that Members of the Parliament of New South Wales shall be entitled to travel, free of charge, on the Tramway. (*Read*.)

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*) to omit from line 5 the word "fifty" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "twenty"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Lync,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. H. H. Brown,	Mr. Nicoll,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Gough.
Mr. Johnston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Booth,
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Neild.
Mr. Suttor,	
Mr. Cann,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Haynes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donald,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Black,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Fegan,	
Mr. Cook,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Dr. Hollis,	
Mr. Baxister,	
Mr. Williams,	
Mr. Houghton,	
Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. Schey,	

*Word stands.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And Clauses 18 to 20 having been dealt with,—

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

Clause 21. Upon publication of the notification mentioned in Part II of this Act, The Promoter shall be entitled to a lease for "twenty-one" years from the Crown dating from the opening of the Tramway for traffic of such Crown Lands as shall be necessarily used or required for the Tramway, including such Crown lands as shall be necessarily used or required for sidings, stations, station buildings, workshops, offices, embankments, approaches and other works and conveniences in connection with the Tramway, and shall pay to the Crown such annual rent not exceeding two shillings per acre for such Crown lands so used or required as the Minister for Lands may direct: Provided that after the expiry of the said twenty-one years the Promoter shall be entitled to a renewal of the said lease from year to year unless and until the Tramway shall be resumed by the Governor under the provisions of this Act. (*Read*.)

And

Rates and tolls chargeable.

Lease of Crown Lands.

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*) to omit from line 2 the word "twenty-one" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "fifteen";

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Nicoll,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. E. M. Clark,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Booth,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Neild,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Stevenson.
Mr. Willis,	
Mr. Sharp,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Cann.

Noes, 11.

Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Rac,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Cook,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Donnelly,
Mr. Bavister.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Black,
Dr. Hollis.

*Word stands.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clauses 22 to 24 having been dealt with,—

No. 9.

SAME BILL.

Clause 25. This Act shall become null and void if—

- (a) The construction of the Tramway is not commenced in a *bona fide* manner within six months from the date of this Act. Act to become null and void in certain events.
- (b) The Tramway is not completed, fully equipped, and ready for traffic to the satisfaction of the Commissioners within two years and six months from the date of this Act.
- (c) The Tramway is not at any time after the completion thereof, without reasonable cause, properly and efficiently maintained and worked in accordance with the provisions of this "Act." **Provided that no strike shall be taken as a reasonable cause where the Promoter has refused to submit the dispute to arbitration or conciliation under the Act of 1892 or any Act amending the same.**
- (d) The Promoter shall not provide and maintain engines and rolling stock reasonably sufficient for the conveyance of passengers and the average amount of tonnage which may be offered for carriage on the Tramway. **Provided that the Minister shall have power to extend the said periods in each case for such further periods as the Promoter shall have been unable to deliver the plant and material for the permanent way or equipment of the Tramway at Menindie owing to the Rivers Darling or Murray being temporarily unnavigable. (Road.)**

Motion made (*Mr. Rae*) to insert at the end of subsection (c) after the word "Act." the words "And no strike or cessation of work thereon due to disagreement between the promoter and his employees shall be deemed a reasonable cause if such cessation of work shall exceed a period of one month."—and

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. Black,
Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Cook,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Gardiner.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Rae,
Mr. Langwell.

Noes, 25.

Mr. Donald,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Booth,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. O'Sullivan.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Rose,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Nicoll,	
Mr. Darnley,	

*Insertion of words proposed, negatived.*

No. 10.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Cann*) to insert at the end of sub-section (c) after the word "Act." the words "Provided that no strike shall be taken as a reasonable cause where the Promoter has refused to submit the dispute to arbitration or conciliation under the Act of 1892 or any Act amending the same."—and Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Willis,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Williams.
Mr. Johnston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Edden,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Cook.
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Bavisier,	

Noes, 11.

Mr. Booth,
Mr. Torpy,
Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Lyne,
Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Barbour.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Rose.

*Words inserted.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And clause 26 having been negatived,—

No. 11.

SAME BILL.

Power of  
purchase of  
Tramway by  
Government.

Clause 27. At any time after the expiry of "twenty" years from the date of ~~this Act~~ the opening of the Tramway for traffic the Governor may, if he think fit, purchase the Tramway, and the rolling stock, equipment, goods, chattels, and land used or intended for use in connection with the Tramway, upon giving to the Promoter six months' notice, in writing, of his intention to do so. If the amount tendered for the purchase of the said property be considered inadequate by the Promoter, the amount shall be ascertained in the same manner as is provided for questions of disputed compensation under and in terms of the "Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act," and any Act amending or repealing the same. (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Dickens*) to omit from line 1 the word "twenty" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "fifteen"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. McFarlane,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Johnston.
Mr. Donald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Houghton.
Mr. Booth,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	

Noes, 10.

Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Dickens,
Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Schey,
Mr. Rae,
Mr. Williams,
Mr. Bavisier.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Langwell.

*Word stands.*

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 12.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Kelly*) to add after the words already added to the clause the following words:—"If the Tramway hereby authorised shall cease to be worked as a Tramway for the carrying of ores, minerals, metals, coal, coke, timber, and other goods and materials, live stock and passengers along the line of tramway by the Promoter, his heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns for twelve calendar months, the land, site, and permanent-way, there shall on proclamation by the Governor vest in and become the absolute property of the Crown, without making any allowance or compensation, or paying any consideration in respect thereof, to the Promoter, his successors, or assigns."—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Cook,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Langwell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Bavisier,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Sharp.
Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Cotton,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Darnley,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Tonkin,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. R. B. Wilkinson,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Rose,
Mr. McFarlane,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Booth,	Mr. Torpy.
Mr. McCourt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Willis.
Mr. Donald,	
Mr. Lyne,	

*Addition of words proposed negatived.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

And the remaining Clauses, Schedules, and Preamble of the Bill having been dealt with,—

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

SATURDAY,

SATURDAY, 10 JUNE, 1893, A.M.

No. 13.

MENINDIE IRRIGATION BILL (*Council Bill*).*(As amended and agreed to by Select Committee.)*

Clauses 1 to 59 having been dealt with,—

Clause 60. Subject to the performance by them of the conditions specified in this Act the Promoters shall, on the publication of the said notice, hold the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto, or the balance thereof from time to time, ~~of which no grant shall have been issued~~, under the provisions of this Act, as lessees from the Crown, and shall pay to the Crown an annual sum in name of rent, at a rate to be fixed as provided by the existing Lands Acts or any future amendment thereof. And ~~until such grant shall have been issued as aforesaid~~, the Promoters shall be entitled to sub-lease any part of the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto, or the balance thereof from time to time of which no such grant shall have been issued, and to enter into any contract for the sale of any such part of the said lands conditional upon the issue of any such grant thereof. (*Read.*)

Promoters to be Crown lessees until grants issued.

Promoters may sub-lease.

Motion made (*Mr. Langwell*) to omit from lines 3 and 4 the words "of which no grant shall have been issued,"

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

Ayes, 11.

Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Newton.

Tellers,

Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. McCourt.

Noes, 27.

Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Johnston,  
Mr. Black,

Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.

Tellers,

Mr. Gardiner,  
Mr. Langwell.

*Words omitted.*

No. 14.

## SAME BILL.

*Same clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Suttor*) to omit from lines 6 and 7 the words "until such grant shall have been issued as aforesaid,"

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the Chairman leave the Chair,—and Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 4.

Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Johnston.

Tellers,

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. McCourt.

Noes, 30.

Mr. Black,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. Darnley,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Cook,

Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Kidd,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. Langwell.

Tellers,

Mr. Cann,  
Mr. McGowen.

*Negatived.*

No. 15.

## SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Question put,—That the words "until such grant shall have been issued as aforesaid," proposed to be omitted stand part of the clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 5.

Sir George Dibbs,  
Mr. Lyne,  
Mr. Johnston.

Tellers,

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. McCourt.

Noes, 33.

Mr. Black,  
Mr. Fegan,  
Mr. Danahey,  
Mr. Rae,  
Mr. Donald,  
Mr. McGowen,  
Mr. Cann,  
Mr. Langwell,  
Mr. Copeland,  
Mr. Suttor,  
Mr. Tonkin,  
Mr. O'Sullivan,  
Mr. Kelly,  
Mr. Cruickshank,  
Mr. Newton,  
Mr. Vaughn,  
Mr. Dickens,  
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,

Mr. Cook,  
Mr. Stevenson,  
Mr. Barbour,  
Mr. Houghton,  
Mr. Schey,  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. McFarlane,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Sharp,  
Mr. Cotton,  
Mr. G. D. Clark,  
Mr. Bavister,  
Mr. Darnley,

Tellers,

Mr. Williams,  
Mr. Gardiner.

*Words omitted.*

No. 16.

No. 16.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Barbour*).—That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress and ask leave to sit again on Monday next,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 17.

Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Kidd,
Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cann.
Mr. Newton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Copland,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Selvey,	Mr. McCourt.
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Chapman,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. O'Sullivan.
Mr. Edden,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Rac.
Mr. Darnley,	
Mr. Cotton,	
Mr. Danahey,	

*Agreed to.*

Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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No. 28.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

*(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)*

MONDAY, 12 JUNE, 1893.

No. 1.

MATRIMONIAL CAUSES PROCEDURE AMENDMENT BILL [*Council Bill*].

All the clauses of the Bill having been agreed to,—

Mr. Sydney Smith brought up a new clause to follow clause 17.

Clause 18. It shall not be lawful to publish the evidence taken in any suit or any report or account of such evidence, provided that after any decree is made absolute such publication may be made upon the permission of the Court being given to that effect, and any such publication as aforesaid contrary to the provisions of this section may be dealt with as contempt of court. (*Read.*)

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Reid,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. McCredie.
Mr. Carruthers,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Chapman,
Mr. Marks,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Alfred Allen,	
Mr. Ewe,	
Mr. Murphy,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
Mr. Hugh McKinnon,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	
Mr. Molesworth,	
Mr. Wise,	
Mr. Joseph Abbott,	
Mr. Cotton,	

Noes, 37.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Willis,
Mr. Slattery,	Sir George Dibbs,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Neild,	Mr. Morgan,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Scott,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Lyne,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Vaughn,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Wright,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Gough,
Mr. Rowes,	Mr. Hogan,
Mr. See,	Mr. Sheldon.
Mr. Garvan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Henry Clarke,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Colls,	Mr. Bassall.
Mr. Newton,	
Mr. Cruickshank,	

*Negatived.*

And the Preamble having been agreed to.

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

No. 2.

## MENINDIE IRRIGATION BILL. [Council Bill.]

(As amended and agreed to by Select Committee.)

Promoters to be  
Crown Lessees  
until grants  
issued.Promoters may  
sub-lease.

Clause 60. Subject to the performance by them of the conditions specified in this Act the Promoters shall, on the publication of the said notice, hold the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto, or the balance thereof from time to time, ~~of which no grant shall have been issued, under the provisions of this Act, as lessees from the Crown, and shall pay to the Crown an annual sum in name of rent, at a rate to be fixed as provided by the existing Lands Acts or any future amendment thereof. And until such grant shall have been issued as aforesaid, the Promoters shall be entitled to sub-lease a lease, the term of which shall be for a period of twenty-eight years, with the option to the lessees of a renewal of such lease for a further period of twenty-eight years, and such Promoters shall be entitled to grant sub-leases of any part of the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto, or the balance thereof from time to time of which no such grant shall have been issued, and to enter into any contract for the sale of any such part of the said lands conditional upon the issue of any such grant thereof. (Further considered.)~~

Amendment on motion of Mr. Copeland, again stated.—That the word “sub-lease,” in line 7, be omitted, with a view to the insertion in its place of the words “a lease, the term of which shall be for a period of twenty-eight years, with the option to the lessees of a renewal of such lease for a further period of twenty-eight years, and such Promoters shall be entitled to grant sub-leases of ”

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Sir George Dibbs,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Hoyle.
Mr. Lyne,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Cannon,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Levien.
Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. See,	
Mr. Tonkin,	
Mr. Colls,	
Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Marks,	
Mr. Newton,	
Mr. Waddell,	
Mr. Torpy,	
Mr. Sharp,	
Mr. Francis Clarke,	
Mr. Morgan,	
Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. Hayes,	
Mr. Bowes,	
Mr. H. H. Brown,	

Noes, 41

Mr. Molesworth,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Alfred Allen,
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. A'Beckett,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Cruickshank,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Murphy.
Mr. Houghton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Bavisier,	
Mr. Nicoll,	

Word omitted.

And the words proposed to be inserted having been inserted, and the clause further amended as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

And clauses 61 to 65 having been dealt with,—

No. 3.

## SAME BILL.

Compensation  
for private  
lands.

Clause 66. 63. Where the land described in any notification under this Act, and resumed and taken for any of the purposes thereof, consists wholly or partly of land alienated by, or not the property of, the Crown, or is not Crown land as defined by this Act, or is held under any lease or license from the Crown, the owners, lessees, or licensees thereof shall be entitled to receive such sum of money, by way of compensation, for the land so described, as shall be agreed upon, or otherwise ascertained, under the provisions hereinafter contained. (Read.)

Motion made (Mr. Carruthers),—That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again,

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

TUESDAY,

TUESDAY, 13 JUNE, 1893, A.M.

Question put and Committee divided.

Ayes, 8.

Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Morgan,  
Mr. Carruthers,  
Mr. Francis Clarke,  
Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Gardiner.

Tellers,

Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Chapman.

Noes, 52.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Suttor,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Levien,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Kidd,
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Marke,	Mr. Langwell,
Mr. Campbell,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Hart,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. See,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Torpy,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Hoyle.
Mr. Barnes,	Tellers,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. H. H. Brown,
Mr. Houghton,	Mr. Hindle.
Mr. Edden,	

Negatived.

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

Same Clause.

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

Ayes, 52.

Mr. See,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Black,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Bowes,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Haynes,	Tellers,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Danahey,	

Noes, 2.

Tellers,

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Waddell.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

Clause 64. The estate and interest of every person entitled to lands required under this Act, or any portion thereof, "and whether to the legal or equitable estate therein," shall, upon due payment of the amount of compensation tendered by the Promoters, or assessed by the jury or arbitrators as hereinafter provided, be deemed to have been as fully and effectually conveyed to the Promoters as if the same had been conveyed by the persons legally or equitably entitled thereto by means of the most perfect assurances in the law. And every person shall, upon asserting his claim as hereinafter provided, and making out his title in respect of any portion of the said resumed lands, be entitled to compensation on account of such resumption in manner hereinafter provided. (*Read.*)

Conversion of  
estate of  
proprietor of  
resumed land  
into a claim.

Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*) to omit from line 2 the words "and whether to the legal or equitable estate therein,"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.

Mr. Levien,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. See,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Hoyle.
Mr. Donald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Langwell.
Mr. Cotton,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	

Noes, 3.

Mr. Willis.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Chapman.

*Words stand.*

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. Levien,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Williams,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. See,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Torpy,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Hart.
Mr. Sharp,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. McCourt.
Mr. Garrard,	
Mr. Cotton,	

Noes, 3.

Mr. Chapman.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Willis.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

Notice of claim for compensation.

Clause 68. 65. Every person claiming compensation in respect of any land so required, or in respect of any work or other matter done under the authority of this Act, shall, within "ninety" days from the publication of such notification, or at any time afterwards within such extended time as a judge of the Supreme Court shall, upon the application and at the cost of the claimant appoint in that behalf, serve a notice in writing upon the Promoters, which notice shall set forth the nature of the estate or interest of the claimant in such land, together with an abstract of his title, and if he claims in respect of damage, the nature of the damage which he has sustained or will sustain by reason of the taking of his land, or of such work or matter as aforesaid, and such notice may be in the form of the Third Schedule hereto, but with any modifications required by the nature of the claim.  
(*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Waddell*) to omit from line 3 the word "ninety" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "sixty"

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

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|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Mr. Levien,       | Mr. Cook,             |
| Mr. Hugh Taylor,  | Mr. Bavister,         |
| Mr. Sutor,        | Mr. Houghton,         |
| Mr. Carruthers,   | Mr. Barnes,           |
| Mr. Langwell,     | Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, |
| Mr. Barbour,      | Mr. Darnley,          |
| Mr. McGowen,      | Mr. Edden,            |
| Mr. Eve,          | Mr. Nicholson,        |
| Mr. Cann,         | Mr. Newton,           |
| Mr. Sharp,        | Mr. Hindle,           |
| Mr. Hoyle,        | Mr. Schey,            |
| Mr. Danahey,      | Mr. Hart,             |
| Mr. McCourt,      | Mr. Lees,             |
| Mr. Garrard,      | Mr. Fegan,            |
| Mr. Sydney Smith, | Mr. O'Sullivan,       |
| Mr. A'Beckett,    | Mr. Holborow.         |
| Mr. Donald,       |                       |
| Mr. Hutchinson,   | <i>Tellers,</i>       |
| Mr. G. D. Clark,  | Mr. Alfred Allen,     |
| Mr. Black,        | Mr. Willis.           |
| Mr. Williams,     |                       |

Noes, 3.

- Mr. Hassall.
- Tellers,*
- Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Chapman.

*Word stands.*

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

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|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Mr. Levien,       | Mr. Newton,           |
| Mr. Hugh Taylor,  | Mr. Cook,             |
| Mr. Sutor,        | Mr. Hutchinson,       |
| Mr. Carruthers,   | Mr. Lees,             |
| Mr. Langwell,     | Mr. Hart,             |
| Mr. Barbour,      | Mr. Nicholson,        |
| Mr. Hindle,       | Mr. Edden,            |
| Mr. Kelly,        | Mr. Bavister,         |
| Mr. Schey,        | Mr. Darnley,          |
| Mr. McGowen,      | Mr. J. D. FitzGerald. |
| Mr. Hoyle,        | Mr. Barnes,           |
| Mr. Sharp,        | Mr. Houghton,         |
| Mr. Cann,         | Mr. Danahey,          |
| Mr. Eve,          | Mr. O'Sullivan,       |
| Mr. McCourt,      | Mr. Fegan.            |
| Mr. Garrard,      |                       |
| Mr. Sydney Smith, | <i>Tellers.</i>       |
| Mr. Donald,       | Mr. Black,            |
| Mr. G. D. Clark,  | Mr. Holborow.         |
| Mr. Williams,     |                       |

Noes, 3.

- Mr. Waddell.
- Tellers,*
- Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Hassall.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

No. 9.

SAME BILL.

Clause 70. 67. If within "ninety" days after the service of notice of claim the claimant and the Promoters shall not agree as to the amount of compensation, the claimant shall be at liberty to proceed to arbitration under the Arbitration Act of "1892," or institute proceedings in the Supreme Court in the form of an action for compensation against the Promoters; and any such action may be tried before a Judge of the said Court, or in any Circuit Court, and a special jury of four persons: "Provided always that upon proper application, either of the Promoters or of the claimant, a special jury of twelve may be summoned for the trial of such action:" Provided also that with the consent in writing of the Promoters and the claimant, any such action may be so tried at any time (to be mentioned in such consent) before the expiration of ninety days from service of the notice of claim for compensation, but not within fourteen days from service of the notice of valuation on such claimant. (*Read.*)

*Compensation by action in Supreme Court.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*) to omit from line 1 the word "ninety" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "sixty"

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Fegan,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Houghton,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Newton.
Mr. McGowen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Sydney Smith,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Donald,	

Noes, 4.

Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Waddell.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Hassall,  
Mr. Chapman.

*Word stands.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

No. 10.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Garrard*) to insert in line 3, after the figures "1892" just inserted the word "or"—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 43.

Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. Francis Clarke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Sharp.
Mr. Garrard,	
Mr. Donald,	

Noes, 3.

Mr. Waddell.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Willis.

*Word inserted.*

No. 11.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*) to omit from lines 6, 7, and 8, the words "Provided always that upon proper application, either of the Promoters or of the Claimant, a special jury of twelve may be summoned for the trial of such action :"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 45.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Francis Clarke,
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Holborow.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Cruickshank.
Mr. A'Beckett,	
Mr. Garrard,	

Noes, 3.

Mr. Waddell.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Willis.

*Words stand.*

No. 12.

No. 12.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*Motion made (*Mr. Hugh Taylor*),—That the Question be now put.

Question put,—That the Question be now put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Donald,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Dickons,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Hayes,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Darnley.
Mr. Barnes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Francis Clarke,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Hassall.
Mr. Morgan,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. O'Sullivan.
Mr. Langwell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. G. D. Clark.
Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Kelly,	
Mr. Garrard,	
Mr. Black,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Hart,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that there were not forty Members in favour of the motion,—

*Negatived.*

No. 13.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 45.

Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Bavister,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Rae,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Francis Clarke,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Darnley.
Mr. Parkes,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Dawson.
Mr. Donald,	
Mr. Cook,	

Noes, 3.

Mr. Waddell.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Willis,
Mr. Chapman.

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 14.

SAME BILL.

Clause 71. 68. The issue to be tried in any such action shall be whether the claimant is entitled to a larger sum by way of compensation than the amount of the valuation so made by the Promoters and notified to the claimant as aforesaid; and, if so, to what sum. And if upon the trial of the said action the verdict shall be for a greater sum than the amount of the said valuation, the costs of the action shall be borne by the Promoters, but if the verdict shall be for a sum equal to "or less than" such valuation, then the costs shall be borne by the claimant. (*Read.*)

Issue in action of  
compensation  
verdict and  
costs.

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*),—That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Cook moved,—That the Question be now put.

Question put,—That the Question be now put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.		Noes, 19.	
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Holborow,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Black.
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Carruthers,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Chapman,	Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Lees,	Mr. Willis,	Mr. Bavister.
Mr. Sheldon,	Mr. Canu,	Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Rae,	
Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Danahey,	
Mr. Barnes,	Mr. Newton,	Mr. Parkes,	
Mr. Francis Clarke,	Mr. Darnley.	Mr. McCourt,	
Mr. McGowen,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Dawson,	
Mr. Dickens,	Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Schey,	
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Cruickshank.	Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Garrard,		Mr. Hart,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that there were not forty Members in favour of the motion,—

*Negatived.*

No. 15.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

The Honorable Member for Bourke, Mr. Willis, being directed by the Chairman, under Standing Order, No. 20, to discontinue his speech on account of its unwarrantable length, required that the Question whether he be further heard be put,—and Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.		Noes, 33.	
Mr. Chapman,	Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Hart,	
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Garrard,	
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Francis Clarke,	
Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	Mr. Levien,	Mr. Carruthers,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Murphy,	Mr. Barbour,	
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Bowes,	Mr. A'Beckett,	
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Eve,	
Mr. Lees,	Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Kidd,	
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Newton,	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Cruickshank,	
Mr. Black,	Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Holborow,	
Mr. Fegan.	Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Darnley.	
<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Hutchinson,	<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Parkes,	
Mr. Rae.	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. McCourt.	
	Mr. Dickens,		
	Mr. Cann,		

*Negatived.*

No. 16.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 5.		Noes, 47.	
Mr. Willis,	Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Langwell,	
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Hindle,	Mr. Barnes,	
Mr. Carruthers.	Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Hart,	
<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Cotton,	Mr. Lees,	
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Cann,	
Mr. Chapman.	Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Edden,	
	Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Williams,	
	Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Rae,	
	Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Cruickshank,	
	Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Newton,	
	Mr. Fegan,	Mr. McGowen,	
	Mr. Cook,	Mr. Sharp,	
	Mr. Eve,	Mr. Black,	
	Mr. A'Beckett,	Mr. Schey,	
	Mr. Suttor,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	
	Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Darnley,	
	Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Gardiner,	
	Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Kelly,	
	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Sheldon,	
	Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Murphy.	
	Mr. Danahey,	<i>Tellers,</i>	
	Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	
	Mr. Parkes,	Mr. Levien.	
	Mr. Dickens,		
	Mr. Francis Clarke,		

*Negatived.*

No. 17.

No. 17.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*Motion made (*Mr. Waddell*) to omit from the last line but one, the words "or less than"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Francis Clarke,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Sehey,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. O'Sullivan.
Mr. Donald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Eve,	
Mr. Holborow,	

Noes, 4.

Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Waddell.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Chapman.

*Words stand.*

No. 18.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. McCourt,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Francis Clarke,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Murphy,
Mr. Hutchinson,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Sehey,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Kidd,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Rae.
Mr. Holborow,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Lees.
Mr. G. D. Clark,	
Mr. Donald,	

Noes, 4.

Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Waddell.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Chapman.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

No. 19.

SAME BILL.

Clause 72- 69. All moneys payable under this Act by way of compensation to any claimant, whether under the verdict of a jury or otherwise, shall be paid together with costs (if any) and interest at the rate of "six" pounds per centum per annum, reckoned from the date of the notification aforesaid within one month after the determination of such compensation to the person lawfully entitled thereto, or to his agent duly authorised in that behalf in writing, but the claimant shall be bound to make out his title to the estate or interest claimed by him in all cases where the claim is in respect of the deprivation of some estate or interest in land: "Provided that in the case of land under the surface taken for the purpose of constructing a subterranean tunnel for water supply, no compensation shall be allowed or awarded unless the surface of the overlying soil be disturbed, or the support to such surface be destroyed or injuriously affected by the construction of such tunnel, or unless any mines or underground workings in or adjacent to such land be thereby rendered unworkable or be so affected as aforesaid." (*Read.*)

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*) to omit from line 3 the word "six" with a view to the insertion in its place of the word "eight"

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

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Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. See,	Mr. Francis Clarke,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Hutchinson,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Sharp,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Slattery,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Cruickshank,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. G. D. Clark,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. Holborow,	
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Cann,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Barnes.
Mr. Lees,	

Noes, 4.

Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Black.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Willis.

*Word stands.*

No. 20.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*) to omit from line 8 to the end of the clause the words, "Provided that in the case of land under the surface taken for the purpose of constructing a subterranean tunnel for water supply, no compensation shall be allowed or awarded unless the surface of the overlying soil be disturbed, or the support to such surface be destroyed or injuriously affected by the construction of such tunnel, or unless any mines or underground workings in or adjacent to such land be thereby rendered unworkable or be so affected as aforesaid."  
(*Read.*)

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Dickens,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Francis Clarke,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Danahey,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Bavister,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Holborow,	Mr. Black.
Mr. Newton,	
Mr. See,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Eve,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. Langwell.

Noes, 3.

Mr. Chapman.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Dawson,  
Mr. Waddell.

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And clause 73 70 having been agreed to,—

No. 21.

SAME BILL.

Principles upon which compensation may be awarded.

Compensation for land taken, and severance.

No compensation where works incomplete.

Clause 74- 71. In estimating or assessing the compensation, if any, to be paid under this Act, regard shall be had by the valutors and by the jury (on any issue), or by the arbitrators and their umpire to, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to apply the following principles so far as the same may be applicable in each case, namely:—

(i) Regard shall be had not only to the value of the land taken by the promoters, but also to the damage, if any, to be sustained by the claimant by reason of the severing of the lands taken from other lands, or other injuries suffered by him by reason of the exercise of the powers expressed or incorporated in this Act; and the valutors, jury, or arbitrators, shall assess the same according to what they shall find to have been the value of such lands, estate, or interest at the time notice was given of such lands being required or having been taken.

(ii) No compensation shall be awarded in any case where the injury for which compensation is claimed appears to have been the result of the execution of works which were incomplete at the time of such injury, if it shall appear that such works are being "bona fide" prosecuted to completion. (*Read.*)

Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Cook*) to omit from the last line the words "*bonâ fide*"

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

## Ayes, 40.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Schey,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Carruthers,	Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Donald,	Mr. Holborow,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Cann,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Dawson,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Baviester,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Danahey,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Newton,	Mr. Sydney Smith.
Mr. See,	Mr. Hindle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. Francis Clarke,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Langwell,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Houghton,	

## Noes, 3.

Mr. Willis.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Waddell,  
Mr. Chapman.

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And clause 75 72 having been agreed to,—

No. 22.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 76. 73. Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, it shall be lawful for the Promoters, "if they think fit, to enter into an agreement in writing with any person claiming compensation in respect of any land required, or in respect of any works or other matter done under the authority of this Act, to refer such claim to the decision of two arbitrators and their umpire, and in such event any such agreement shall be read and construed as a submission of such claim within the meaning of the 'Arbitration Act, 1892.'" (*Read.*)

Power to refer claims to arbitration.

Motion made (*Mr. Chapman*) to omit from line 2 to the end of the clause the words, "if they think fit, to enter into an agreement in writing with any person claiming compensation in respect of any land required, or in respect of any works or other matter done under the authority of this Act, to refer such claim to the decision of two arbitrators and their umpire, and in such event any such agreement shall be read and construed as a submission of such claim within the meaning of the 'Arbitration Act, 1892.'" with a view to the insertion in their place of the words "or claimant, if they think fit, to refer any claim to arbitration under the Arbitration Act of 1892, and such decision shall be final."

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

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 36.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Black,
Mr. McCourt,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Slattery,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Darnley,
Mr. Schey,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Tonkin,	Mr. Fegan,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Cook,	Mr. Lees.
Mr. Donald,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cann,	Mr. Levien,
Mr. O'Sullivan,	Mr. Sharp.
Mr. Danahey,	

## Noes, 3.

Mr. Chapman.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Willis,  
Mr. Waddell.

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

And clauses 77 74 to 89 85 having been dealt with,—

No. 23.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 90. 86. In the event of any dispute, question, or difference arising between the Promoters and the Minister, the same shall be referred to two arbitrators, one to be appointed by the Governor and the other by the Promoters, and in such event this section shall be read and construed as a submission within the meaning of the "Arbitration Act, 1892," of such dispute, question, or difference, to such arbitrators. (*Read.*)

Disputes between Minister and Promoters referred to arbitration.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 44.

Mr. Hugh Taylor,	Mr. Cook,
Mr. Suttor,	Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Barbour,	Mr. Sheldon,
Mr. Copeland,	Mr. Hindle,
Mr. Hutchison,	Mr. Barnes,
Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Dawson,
Mr. Bowes,	Mr. Newton,
Mr. Levien,	Mr. Cotton,
Mr. Garrard,	Mr. Rae,
Mr. Hayes,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Eve,	Mr. Black,
Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Lees,
Mr. Sharp,	Mr. Hart,
Mr. Langwell,	Mr. Schey,
Mr. Hassall,	Mr. Edden,
Mr. Hogan,	Mr. G. D. Clark,
Mr. Donald,	Mr. Daruley,
Mr. Cann,	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,
Mr. Alfred Allen,	Mr. Fegan.
Mr. O'Sullivan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kelly,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Danahay,	Mr. Tonkin.
Mr. Bavister,	

Noes, 3.

Mr. McCourt.  
*Tellers,*  
Mr. Chapman,  
Mr. Willis.

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

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

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

RICHD. A. ARNOLD,  
Clerk Assistant.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. August 31 ...	John Sandrocotta Marshall, Charles Lancelot Garland, and Henry Ernest Albert Millar, of Sydney.	Three .....	Mr. Garrard .....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the "Hillgrove and Armidale Water-power Electric Company (Limited)," a Company registered in Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, to construct and maintain machinery, works, and other appliances for making, generating, and transmitting electricity and supplying the same to any city, town, mine, company, co-partnership, person or persons whatsoever, within the county of Sandon, in the said Colony of New South Wales, and for other purposes therein mentioned.
„ 31 ...	William Evans, Presiding Officer of The Pride of Blackheath Tent No. 38 of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Black- heath.	One .....	Mr. Donald .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each elector to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 31 ...	William Abbott, Presiding Officer of the North Sydney Tent of the Inde- pendent Order of Recha- bites, at North Sydney.	One .....	Mr. E. M. Clark.....	Similar prayer.
„ 31 ...	A. W. Shearston, Presiding Officer of Alexandria Lodge of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Darling Point.	One .....	Mr. Neild.....	do
„ 31 ...	William U. Alley, Presiding Officer of the Happy Dawn Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars, at Araluen.	One .....	Mr. Chapman .....	do
„ 31 ...	William Martin, B. A., Pre- siding Officer of St. Bar- nabas' Branch of the Church of England Tem- perance Society, at St. Barnabas' School, George- street West.	One .....	Mr. Kelly.....	do

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1892. August 31 ...	Catherine Stewart, Presiding Officer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, at Yass.	One .....	Mr. Vaughn .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 31 ...	Harold Wheen, Presiding Officer of the Wesleyan Temperance Society, at Bourke.	One .....	Mr. Langwel .....	Similar prayer.
„ 31 ...	Charles Jones, Presiding Officer of the Wesleyan Temperance Society, at Rockdale.	One .....	Mr. Carruthers .....	do
„ 31 ...	John H. Wise, Presiding Officer of Tent Jubilee No. 24 of Independent Order of Rechabites, at Dulwich Hill.	One .....	Do .....	do
„ 31 ...	Andrew Kinross, Presiding Officer of the Rose of Murrumbidgee Lodge 299 of the Independent Order of Good Templars, at Murrumbidgee.	One .....	Do .....	do
„ 31 ...	Jane Rutherford, Presiding Officer of the Burwood Branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, at Burwood.	One .....	Do .....	do
„ 31 ...	Fanny M'Goudie, President of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, at Mittagong.	One .....	Mr. Kidd .....	do
„ 31 ...	Edward J. H. Knapp, J.P., Chairman of a Public Meeting, convened in the Outer Domain, on Sunday, 28th August, 1892.	One .....	Do .....	do
„ 31 ...	S. Hungerford, President of the St. Thomas Branch of the Church of England Temperance Society, at Enfield.	One .....	Do .....	do
„ 31 ...	Annie Croaker, Presiding Officer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union Society, at Moss Vale.	One .....	Do .....	do
„ 31 ...	Mary J. Wise, Presiding Officer of Women's Christian Temperance Union, at Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Wise .....	d
„ 31 ...	The Australasian Mining Exchange of Sydney (Limited).	Four .....	Mr. Carruthers .....	Representing that the Australasian Mining Exchange of Sydney Bill, which was introduced into this House during the last Session of Parliament, and passed through several stages, was interrupted by the close of the Session, and praying that leave may be granted to proceed with the said Bill during the present Session.
„ 31 ...	The Land Company of Australasia (Limited), of Sydney.	Two .....	Mr. Neild .....	Representing that the Segenhoe Estate Irrigation Bill, which was introduced into this House during the last Session of Parliament, and passed through several stages, was interrupted by the close of the Session, and praying that leave may be given to proceed with the said Bill during the present Session.
Sept. 1 ...	James G. M'Credie, Presiding Officer of the Hearts of Oak Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Walker .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 1 ...	W. Mathieson, Presiding Officer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, at Singleton.	One .....	Mr. Gould .....	Similar prayer.
„ 1 ...	M. C. Lewis, Presiding Officer of Captain Cook Tent of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Alfred Allen .....	do

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1892 Sept. 1 .....	F. M. Smith, Presiding Officer of Excelsior Tent of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Leichhardt.	One .....	Mr. G. D. Clark .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 1 .....	L. Delugal, Presiding Officer of the Queen's Own Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Tamworth.	One .....	Mr. Dowel .....	Similar prayer.
„ 1 .....	E. Stanley Wilkinson, B.A., President of the Eveleigh-street Branch of the Church of England Temperance Society, Redfern.	One .....	Mr. McGowen.....	do
„ 1 .....	Alfred Robbins, Presiding Officer of the Pymont and Ultimo Wesleyan Band of Hope, at Pymont.	One .....	Mr. Davis .....	do
„ 1 .....	Jos. Woodhouse, Presiding Officer of the Wesleyan Temperance Society, at Dubbo.	One .....	Mr. Morgan.....	do
„ 1 .....	Walter L. Beavan, Honorary Secretary of the St. Paul's Branch of the Church of England Temperance Society, Redfern.	One .....	Mr. McGowen.....	do
„ 1 .....	S. G. J. Webb, Presiding Officer of Women's Christian Temperance Union, Society, at Bathurst.	One .....	Mr. Suttor .....	do
„ 1 .....	John Deniff .....	One .....	Mr. Waddell .....	Stating the circumstances under which the Petitioner was tried and convicted at the Court of General and Quarter Sessions, at Dubbo, on the charge of stealing £78 from Christie Cunningham; alleging that he was entirely innocent of the charge, such innocence being established by an inquiry held by Henry J. Byrnes, Esquire, J.P.; representing also the sufferings and losses which resulted from his conviction and imprisonment; and praying the House to take the premises into consideration, and grant such relief as may seem just.
„ 1 .....	Alexander Thorley Bolton, James Gormly, Harry Berkeley Fitzhardinge, James Robert Garland, and Charles Hardy, trustees of the Wagga Wagga School of Arts.	One .....	Mr. Gormly.....	Representing that the Wagga Wagga School of Arts Enabling Bill, which was introduced into this House during the last Session of Parliament, and passed through several stages, was interrupted by the close of the Session; and praying that leave may be granted to proceed with the said Bill during the present Session.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 1st September, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 2.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT  
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1892. Sept. 6.....	Matthew Maddern, Presiding Officer of the Wesleyan Methodist Temperance Society, Wagga Wagga.	One .....	Mr. Gormly .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
Sept. 6.....	George Middleton, President of the Church of England Temperance Society, at Blacktown.	One .....	Mr. Garrard.....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	J. C. Jones, Presiding Officer of the Band of Hope Society, at Hunter's Hill.	One .....	„ .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	J. Ward Harrison, Presiding Officer of the Wesleyan Methodist Temperance Society, at Deniliquin.	One .....	Mr. Barbour.....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	William Chappell, Presiding Officer of Silverstream Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Broken Hill.	One .....	Mr. Cann .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	George Mortimer, Presiding Officer of Prince Alfred Division, Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Parramatta.	One .....	Mr. Hugh Taylor ..	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	James C. Elton and Isaac R. Boardman, Presiding Officers of the Macleay Tent of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Kompsey.	Two .....	Mr. Dangar .....	Similar prayer.

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Sept. 6.....	J. M. Donaldson, Presiding Officer of the Rose of Sharon Division, Daughters of Temperance, Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Wise .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
Sept. 6.....	Kirton A. Corner, Presiding Officer of the Wesleyan Temperance Society, at Berry.	One .....	Mr. Morton .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	Alfred J. S. Harding, Presiding Officer of the Juvenile Temperance Society, at Brushgrove.	One .....	Mr. McFarlane .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	E. Heaydon, Presiding Officer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, at Dubbo.	One .....	Mr. Morgan .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	E. C. Perciony, Presiding Officer of the Independent Order of Good Templars, Milton Lodge, No. 96.	One .....	Mr. Morton .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	John Edwin Juleff, Presiding Officer of Manoah Tent, No. 40, of the Independent Order of Rechabites at, Cootamundra.	One .....	Mr. Barnes .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	R. H. Drinkwater, Presiding Officer of Bud of Hope Division, No. 11, of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Waratah.	One .....	Mr. Edden .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	J. A. Soper and F. R. King, Officers of the Petersham Baptists' Society of Christian Endeavour.	Two .....	Mr. Bavister.....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	Mary Anna Bruce Lament, Presiding Officer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, at Maitland.	One .....	Mr. Gillies .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	John Grant, Presiding Officer of No. 461, Pilot Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars, at Nambucca Heads.	One .....	Mr. Dangar .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	J. J. Wheeler, Chairman of meeting of the Electors of Balmain, held at the Temperance Hall, Montague street.	One .....	Mr. G. D. Clark .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	William H. Atwill, Presiding Officer of the Perseverance Tent, No. 44, Independent Order of Rechabites, at Marrickville.	One .....	Mr. Bavister.....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	G. Hooker, Presiding Officer of the Band of Refuge Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars, at Brushgrove.	One .....	Mr. McFarlane.....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 6.....	Mayor of the Borough of Goulburn.	One .....	Dr. Hollis.....	Representing that the Goulburn Water Supply Charges Bill, which was introduced into this House during the last Session of Parliament, and passed through several stages, was interrupted by the close of the Session, and praying that leave may be granted to proceed with the said Bill during the present Session.
Sept. 6.....	Thos. F. Thompson, Henry Gorman, Waukin Wynne, and John Pope, of Sydney.	Four .....	Mr. Garrard.....	Representing that the Sydney Electric Lighting Bill, which was introduced into this House during the last Session of Parliament, and passed through several stages, was interrupted by the close of the Session, and praying that leave may be granted to proceed with the said Bill during the present Session.

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Sept. 6.....	The North Sydney Investment and Tramway Co. (Limited), of Sydney.	Three.....	Mr. Dowel .....	Representing that the Willoughby and Gordon Tramway Acts Amending Bill, which was introduced into this House during the last Session of Parliament, and passed through several stages, was interrupted by the close of the Session, and praying that leave may be granted to proceed with the said Bill during the present Session.
Sept. 6.....	Alexander Gow, J.P., of Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Alfred Allen.....	In favour of the passing into law, as speedily as possible, the Liquor Licenses Amendment Bill, providing for Sunday closing.
Sept. 6.....	Certain residents of Rockley, Long Gully, &c.	Forty.....	Mr. Crick .....	Suggesting that certain clauses should be embodied in any new Mining Act which may be passed; and praying the House to take the premises into earnest consideration.
Sept. 7.....	Certain residents of Broken Hill and district.	Two thousand and ninety-three.	Mr. Cann .....	Representing that the tramway proposed to be constructed under the McIndie and Broken Hill Tramway Bill would prove of great benefit to the Petitioners; submitting reasons why it should be made; and praying the House to take the facts stated in their petition into favourable consideration.
Sept. 7.....	Certain residents of Broken Hill and district.	Two .....	„ .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 7.....	Thomas Augustus Smith, Presiding Officer of Captain Cook Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Botany.	One .....	Mr. Hoyle .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
Sept. 7.....	W. M'Ghee, Presiding Officer of the Pride of Merewether Tent of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Merewether.	One .....	Mr. Hogan .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 7.....	George Evans, Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Deniliquin.	One .....	Mr. Barbour.....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 7.....	Evan Lewis, Presiding Officer of the Welsh Congregational Church, at Lambton.	One .....	Mr. Melville.....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 7.....	Thomas Croudace, Manager of the Scottish Australian Mining Company (Limited).	One .....	Mr. Melville.....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable a Company called the Scottish Australian Mining Company (Limited) to construct a railway from their Durham Colliery, in the parish of Kahibah, to and to connect with the Great Northern Railway.
Sept. 8.....	Certain Selectors, intending Selectors, and townspeople of Pilliga.	Seventy-eight .....	Mr. Sheldon.....	Representing the opinions of the Petitioners relating to throwing open for selection at the expiry of present leases the land comprised in the leasehold areas of the North-western District, Central Division; and to stopping the present system of auction sales; and praying favourable consideration of these matters when the House shall deal with legislation concerning the public lands.
Sept. 8.....	C. W. Caldwell, Presiding Officer of the Hope of Petersham Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Petersham.	One .....	Mr. Danahey .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
Sept. 8.....	Claude Neate, Presiding Officer of the Waratah Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars, at Blackheath.	One .....	Mr. Donald .....	Similar prayer.

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Sept. 8.....	Thomas Rendall, junior, Presiding Officer of Star of the Valley Lodge, at Kangaroo Valley.	One .....	Mr. Campbell .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
Sept. 8 .....	John Osborne, Secretary of the New South Wales Alliance for the Suppression of Intemperance, Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Reid .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 8.....	E. B. Bowes, Laura Hogg, Alice A. Masterman, and Susan R. Ren, Presiding Officers of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, Sydney.	Four .....	Mr. Bowes .....	Similar prayer.
Sept. 8.....	Certain Women of New South Wales.	Four .....	Mr. Alfred Allen.....	Representing that the employment of women as barmaids is degrading to womanhood, and the source of much evil; and praying the House to take into consideration the Licensing Act Amendment Bill, proposed to be introduced by Mr. Dangar.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 8 September, 1892.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
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1892. Sept. 13 .....	A. B. James, Presiding Officer of the General Gordon Tent No. 20 of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Granville.	One .....	Mr. Garrard .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 13 .....	James Richardson, Presiding Officer of Bright and Morning Star Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Islington.	One .....	Mr. Fegan .....	Similar prayer.
„ 13 .....	John Bailey, Presiding Officer of the Golden Hope Division No. 43, Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Granville.	One .....	Mr. Garrard .....	Similar prayer.
„ 13 .....	A. M. Greenaway, Presiding Officer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union at Gunnedah.	One .....	Mr. Kirkpatrick .....	Similar prayer.
„ 13 .....	James Kerr, Presiding Officer of Pride of the Meadow Tent of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Broad Meadow.	One .....	Mr. Fegan .....	Similar prayer.
„ 13 .....	David J. Steenbom, Presiding Officer of the Day Dawn Division No. 5, of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance at Newcastle.	One .....	Mr. Graham .....	Similar prayer.
„ 13 .....	Rev. E. E. Crosby, Chairman of a public meeting held in connection with the Band of Hope at the Hay-street Wesleyan Church, Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Martin .....	Similar prayer.
„ 15 .....	Certain Residents of Wentworth and District.	Fifty-two .....	Mr. Cann .....	Representing that the tramway proposed to be constructed under the Menindie and Broken Hill Tramway Bill would prove of great benefit to the Petitioners; submitting reasons why it should be made; and praying the House to take the facts stated in their Petition into favourable consideration.

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1892. Sept. 15 .....	Certain residents of Narrandera and District.	Forty-nine .....	Mr. Gormley .....	Representing that the tramway proposed to be constructed under the Menindie and Broken Hill Tramway Bill would prove of great benefit to the Petitioners; submitting reasons why it should be made; and praying the House to take the facts stated in their Petition into favourable consideration.
,, 15 .....	G. Ricketts, Presiding Officer of the Advance Tent of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Taree.	One .....	Mr. Levien .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.

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Sydney, 15th September, 1892.

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1892. Sept. 20 .....	The President, Vice-Presidents, and Honorary Secretaries of the Wagga Wagga Land Conference.	Five .....	Mr. Gormly.....	Representing that at a conference of delegates from Farmers' Unions throughout the Colony of New South Wales, held at Wagga Wagga, certain resolutions were agreed to, suggesting amendments in the land laws; and praying that the resolutions be taken into consideration by the House when the subject of land legislation is before it.
„ 20 .....	B. J. Dinning, Presiding Officer of the Wesleyan Band of Hope, Windsor.	One .....	Mr. Burdekin .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink; and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 20 .....	C. H. Ausburn, Presiding Officer of the Richmond Temperance Association, at Richmond.	One .....	Do .....	Similar prayer.
„ 20 .....	Edmund Best, Presiding Officer of Rescue Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars and others, at Parkes.	One .....	Mr. Gardiner .....	Similar prayer.
„ 20 .....	A. G. Smith, Chairman of a public meeting held at Kendall.	One .....	Mr. Hugh M'Kinnon	Similar prayer.
„ 20 .....	George Kirk, Presiding Officer of The Rose of Ashfield Tent No. 6 of the Independent Order of Rechabites, at Ashfield.	One .....	Mr. Bavister .....	Similar prayer.
„ 21 .....	E. J. Price, Presiding Officer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, at Penrith.	One .....	Mr. Lees .....	Similar prayer.

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1892. Sept. 21 .....	Rev. W. Waller Taylor, M.A., Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Bulli.	One .....	Mr. Campbell .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 21 .....	Henry Jones, Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Bathurst.	One .....	Mr. Suttor .....	Representing that the public sale of alcoholic drinks is inimical to the welfare and happiness of the people, and that they who have to bear the cost and shame which are the direct outcome of this traffic ought to possess the legal right to determine the number of licenses granted in their several electorates; and praying the House to pass the Bill of which the Postmaster-General has given notice.
„ 22 .....	The Directors of the Vale of Clwydd Coal-mining and Copper Smelting Company (Limited).	Five .....	Mr. Wright .....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the directors and shareholders of the "Vale of Clwydd Coal-mining and Coppers-melting Co. (Limited)," to alter, vary, repeal, or add to the present rules and regulations of the said Company, and to change the name and style of the said Company.
„ 22 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of Windsor and District.	Four .....	Mr. Burdekin .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.
„ 22 .....	The West Sydney Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association.	Five .....	Mr. Kelly .....	Similar prayer.
„ 22 .....	The General Committee of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	Thirteen .....	Mr. Slattery .....	Similar prayer.
„ 22 .....	The Redfern Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	Seven .....	Mr. Hoyle .....	Similar prayer.
„ 22 .....	The East Sydney Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	Six .....	Mr. Reid .....	Similar prayer.
„ 22 .....	The Parramatta Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	Two .....	Mr. Hugh Taylor .....	Similar prayer.
„ 22 .....	The Newtown Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	Six .....	Mr. Molesworth .....	Similar prayer.
„ 22 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of Singleton and District.	Four .....	Mr. Gould .....	Similar prayer.
„ 22 .....	The Brewers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, and Licensed Victuallers of Taree, Wingham, and Districts.	Seven .....	Mr. Young .....	Similar prayer.
„ 22 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of Vegetable Creek and District.	Seven .....	Mr. Wright .....	Similar prayer.
„ 22 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of Moss Vale and District.	Five .....	Mr. M'Court .....	Similar prayer.

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1892. Sept. 22 .....	Ebenezer Price, President of the Baptist Church Temperance Society, Bathurst.	One .....	Mr. Suttor .....	Stating that the Petitioner believes that there are manifest and terrible evils directly and indirectly resulting from the legalised traffic in intoxicating drinks; that as these with all their consequent sorrow and loss, fall upon the people, it is just and right that public law should vest in the electors of every Parliamentary electorate the authority for dealing with the said traffic; and praying the House to pass a Bill which shall give such power to the electors of every electorate throughout the Colony.
„ 22 .....	Certain Citizens of Broken Hill.	Two thousand four hundred and ninety.	Mr. Cann .....	Protesting against the construction of a tram-line from Broken Hill to Menindie by private enterprise; urging that it be constructed by the Government as a State enterprise; alleging that the undertaking would prove a highly reproductive work; and praying that a Government official be deputed to inspect and report upon the proposed route, with a view to Parliament being asked to sanction the undertaking in the interest of the people as a whole.
„ 22 .....	Certain Ratepayers of the Municipality of Goulburn.	Two hundred and seventy-seven.	Mr. Rose .....	Praying that, for the reasons in the Petition set forth, the House will refuse to pass the Goulburn Water Supply Charges Bill. *

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1892. Sept. 27 .....	The Balmain Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers.	Nine .....	Mr. Murphy .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.
„ 27 .....	S. Kirkley, Chairman of a Public Meeting held in the Campbell-street Lecture Hall, Balmain.	One .....	Mr. G. D. Clark.....	Stating that the meeting had heard that steps were about to be taken to secure more satisfactory legislation respecting the evils of the liquor traffic, and that as the Petitioners believe the traffic not only to be an injury to man, but detrimental to the welfare of the State, they pray that the Legislature now in session will pass such measures as will more largely restrict or wholly abolish the traffic with its attendant evils.
„ 27 .....	Certain Citizens of Broken Hill.	Four hundred and two.	Mr. Cann.....	Representing that having attached their signatures to a Petition already presented to the House, praying for the construction of a Tram-line from Broken Hill to Menindie, their signatures were attached under the misconception that such Tram-line was to be a State undertaking, and not to be carried out by private enterprise; and praying that a Government official be at once deputed to inspect and report upon the proposed route, with a view to Parliament being asked to sanction the undertaking in the interests of the people of the Colony as a whole.

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1892. Sept. 28 .....	The Glebe Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	One .....	Mr. Bruce Smith .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.
„ 28 .....	The North Sydney Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	Two .....	Mr. Cullen .....	Similar prayer.
„ 28 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Morning Star Division, No. 7, Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at The Glebe.	One .....	Mr. Bruce Smith .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 28 .....	The Presiding Officer of Olive Branch Division, No. 25, Daughters of Temperance, at East Maitland.	One .....	Mr. Bruncker .....	Similar prayer.
„ 28 .....	The Chairman of a Public Meeting of the St. Philip's Branch of the Church of England Temperance Society, held at Auburn.	One .....	Mr. Nobbs .....	Similar prayer.
„ 29 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Excelsior Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars, at Jamberoo.	One .....	Mr. Fuller .....	Similar prayer.
„ 29 .....	The Chairman of a Public Meeting of the inhabitants of Jamberoo.	One .....	Do .....	Similar prayer.
„ 29 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Sunbeam Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Deniliquin.	One .....	Mr. Barbour .....	Similar prayer.
„ 29 .....	The President of the Temperance Society and Band of Hope, at Narrandera.	One .....	Mr. Gormly .....	Similar prayer.
„ 29 .....	The Brewers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, and Licensed Victuallers of Broken Hill.	One .....	Mr. Cann .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 29th September, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 6.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

## PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHERE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. Oct. 4 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of the Licensing District of Tenterfield, and the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	Two .....	Mr. Lee .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.
„ 4 .....	The United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	Thirteen .....	Mr. Barton .....	Similar prayer.
„ 4 .....	The Brewers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, and Licensed Victuallers of Glen Innes.	One .....	Mr. Wright .....	Similar prayer.
„ 4 .....	The Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Orange.	One .....	Mr. Torpy .....	Similar prayer.
„ 4 .....	The South Sydney Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers of New South Wales.	Three .....	Mr. Young (for Mr. Wise).	Similar prayer.
„ 4 .....	The Brewers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Vignerons, Licensed Victuallers, and Property Holders of Newcastle.	Twelve .....	Mr. Grahame .....	Similar prayer.
„ 4 .....	The Narrandera Branch of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales.	Twelve .....	Mr. Gormly .....	Similar prayer.
„ 4 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of Murrumburrah and Harden Districts.	Thirteen .....	Mr. Gough .....	Similar prayer.
„ 4 .....	The Chairman of a Public Meeting held at the corner of George and Hay Streets, Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Barton .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.

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1892. Oct. 4 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Band of Hope Society at Sutherland.	Eighty-six .....	Mr. Garrard .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 4 .....	Certain Members of the Congregation of the Wesleyan Church, Cleveland-street, Surry Hills, Sydney.	One hundred and forty.	Mr. Young (for Mr. Wise).	Similar prayer.
„ 4 .....	The Presiding Officer of Adamstown Division No. 55 of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance at Adamstown.	Two .....	Mr. Edden .....	Similar prayer.
„ 4 .....	The Chairman of a Meeting of the residents of Laurieton and surrounding District.	One .....	Mr. Young .....	Stating that in their opinion a Bill should be passed at the earliest possible moment, providing for the taking of a plebiscite vote of the men and women of the country on the direct issue of prohibition, and praying that an Act legalising the taking of the said plebiscite vote may be passed at the earliest opportunity.
„ 5 .....	The Australasian Rights Purchase Association (Limited).	Three .....	Mr. Ewing .....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to authorise "The Australasian Rights Purchase Association (Limited)," a Company registered in Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, under the "Companies Acts," or their licensees or assigns, to take and divert water for mechanical power from the Colo River and the Grose River by means of channels returning to the stream again; and also to construct and work the plant requisite for generating electricity and transmitting it to the city of Sydney and to any other places along the main cable line.
„ 5 .....	John Mitchell Purves, of Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Barbour .....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to authorise John Mitchell Purves, of Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, gentleman, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, to construct and maintain a tramway from a point on the Darling River, at or near the town of Menindie, in the Colony aforesaid, to a point at or near the town of Willyama (Broken Hill), in the Colony aforesaid, and connecting with the tramway system of the Broken Hill mines; and to use horse, steam, or other motive power upon the said tramway, and to carry passengers, ores, minerals, metals, coal, coke, timber, and other goods and materials, and live stock thereon.
„ 6 .....	George Frederick Beck Hancock.	One .....	Mr. Dickens (for Mr. H. H. Brown).	Praying for leave for the Hillgrove Water and Electric Power Company to appear before the Select Committee on the Bill in person, or by solicitor or counsel, and if necessary, to adduce evidence and send for persons and papers, and to examine and cross-examine witnesses called before the said Committee.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 6th October, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 7.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

## PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892.				
Oct. 11 .....	The Wine and Spirit Merchants of Sydney.	Sixteen .....	Mr. O'Sullivan .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.
„ 11 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of the Licensing District of Walcha.	One .....	Mr. Copland .....	Similar prayer.
„ 11 .....	The Women's Christian Temperance Union of New South Wales.	One .....	Mr. Molesworth .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 11 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Newtown.	One .....	Mr. Molesworth .....	Similar prayer.
„ 12 .....	Certain residents of Menindie.	Three hundred and eighty-three.	Mr. Cann .....	Representing that the tramway proposed to be constructed under this Bill would prove of great benefit to the Petitioners; submitting reasons why it should be made; and praying the House to take the facts stated in their Petition into favourable consideration.

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1892.				
Oct. 12 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Congregational Total Abstinence Association.	Two .....	Mr. Cullen .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 12 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Good Templar Lodge, at Gunnedah.	One .....	Mr. Kirkpatrick.....	Similar prayer.
„ 12 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Wesleyan Band of Hope, at Gunnedah.	One .....	Mr. Kirkpatrick.....	Similar prayer.
„ 12 .....	The Sydney Wesleyan Ministers' Meeting.	One .....	Mr. Reid .....	Similar prayer.
„ 12 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of the Shoalhaven Licensing District.	Two .....	Mr. Morton.....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House, with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.
„ 12 .....	Certain Hotel-keepers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, and others of Albury and District.	Fifty.....	Mr. John Wilkinson	Similar prayer.
„ 12 .....	The Chairman of the Sydney Wesleyan Ministers' Meeting.	One .....	Mr. G. D. Clark.....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the laws of this Colony for the protection of girls and young women, and for the suppression of open immorality, are totally inadequate for these purposes; and praying the House to pass the Vice Suppression Bill now under consideration.
„ 12 .....	The Chairman of a Public Meeting held in Sydney Domain.	One .....	Mr. Dangar .....	Representing that the said meeting passed a resolution deprecating the employment of females in public-houses, and praying the House to pass the Bill which will be introduced by Mr. Dangar, the Honorable Member for The Macleay.
„ 13 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Southern Cross Division, No. 27, of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, at Kiama.	One .....	Mr. Fuller .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 13 .....	Certain residents of Narrandera.	One hundred and seven.	Mr. Gormly .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.
„ 13 .....	Certain adult male residents of Balmain.	One hundred and twenty-six.	Mr. Johnston .....	Similar prayer.

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1892. Oct. 13 .....	Certain residents of The Nepean electorate.	Thirty .....	Mr. Lees .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.
„ 13 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of the Wollongong Licensing District.	Two .....	Mr. Nicholson.....	Similar prayer.
„ 13 .....	The Brewers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Licensed Victuallers, and Aerated Water Manufacturers of Bathurst.	Twenty-five .....	Mr. Suttor .....	Similar prayer.
„ 13 .....	Certain residents of Sydney and suburbs.	Seven hundred and seventy-one.	Mr. Slattery .....	Similar prayer.
„ 13 .....	Benjamin Crispin Simpson..	One .....	Mr. Neild .....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to authorise the construction of an extension of the Railway commonly known as the Rosehill Railway, in three sections, from a point about nine chains seventy-five links from the northern end of the Rosehill Station Platform, crossing the Paramatta River, traversing the Districts of Rydalmere, Pennant Hills, Dundas, and Castle Hill, and terminating at Dural.
„ 13 .....	Certain residents of Glen Innes, Inverell, and surrounding districts.	Three thousand five hundred and forty-two.	Mr. Cruickshank ...	Submitting reasons for the construction of the Railway from Inverell to Glen Innes, and praying that the said work may be proceeded with as early as practicable.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 13th October, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 8.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

## PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. Oct. 18 .....	Independent Order of Good Templars Lodge of Young.	Three .....	Mr. G. D. Clark .....	Representing that the Petitioners are strongly opposed to compensation of the liquor traffic; that they regard every license simply a privilege or permit granted to an individual to sell for one year only, and that such privilege does not create a vested interest; and praying the House to pass a Local Option or Prohibition Act, without compensation.
„ 18 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of Mudgee and district.	Three .....	Mr. Haynes .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill of 1892 are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that in any legislation extending the principle of Local Option it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses should be incorporated; and praying the earnest consideration of the House, with a view to the rejection of the Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for confiscation of licenses.
„ 18 .....	Certain residents of St. Leonards electorate.	Twenty-eight .....	Mr. Cullen .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, no system of Local Option is complete without the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for the confiscation of licenses; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation as aforesaid.
„ 18 .....	Certain residents of Redfern electorate.	Twenty-nine .....	Mr. Hoyle .....	Similar prayer.

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1892. Oct. 18 .....	The Minister of the Wesleyan Church, Surry Hills.	One .....	Mr. Hoyle .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the laws of this Colony for the protection of girls and young women, and for the suppression of open immorality, are totally inadequate for these purposes; and praying the House to pass the Vice Suppression Bill now under consideration.
„ 19 .....	The Chairman of a Public Meeting held in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street.	One .....	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 19 .....	Certain Residents of the Hawkesbury electorate.	Thirty-one .....	Mr. Sydney Smith, for Mr. Burdekin.	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, no system of Local Option is complete without the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for the confiscation of licenses; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation as aforesaid.
„ 19 .....	The Chairman of a Meeting of the Committee of the Sydney Rescue Work Society.	One .....	Mr. G. D. Clark.....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the laws of this Colony for the protection of girls and young women, and for the suppression of open immorality, are totally inadequate for these purposes; and praying the House to pass the Vice Suppression Bill now under consideration.
„ 19 .....	George Verey and others ...	Fifty .....	Mr. Molesworth.....	Similar prayer.
„ 19 .....	Certain Members of the Church of England in Balmain.	Seventeen .....	Mr. Johnston .....	Similar prayer.
„ 19 .....	The Most Reverend the Primate, Chairman of a Public Meeting assembled at the Young Men's Christian Association Hall in Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Parkes .....	Similar prayer.
„ 19 .....	Certain Residents of New South Wales.	Two thousand and thirty-eight.	Sir Henry Parkes ...	Stating that it is expedient that the electoral franchise should be extended to women, and that the time is now ripe for such a measure; and praying that the House will take measures to further the object of the Petitioners.
„ 20 .....	The Presiding Officer of the Sons of Temperance, at Goulburn.	One .....	Dr. Hollis .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink, and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 20 .....	The Presiding Officer of the St. John's Darlinghurst Branch of the Church of England.	One .....	Mr. Reid .....	Similar prayer.
„ 20 .....	Edward J. H. Knapp, J.P.	One .....	Mr. McMillan.....	Representing that the meeting views with indignation the proposal to compensate publicans, should the people veto the renewal of their licenses; that such a proposal will impose extra burdens upon the people; and praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill as originally proposed.
„ 20 .....	Certain Residents of Hay and district.	Thirty-two .....	Mr. Newton.....	Representing that the tramway proposed to be constructed under this Bill would prove of great benefit to the Petitioners; submitting reasons why it should be made; and praying the House to take the facts stated in their Petition into favourable consideration.

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1892. Oct. 20 .....	Members of the Temperance and Morality Committee appointed by the Congregational Union of New South Wales.	Five .....	Mr. Cullen .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the laws of this Colony for the protection of girls and young women, and for the suppression of open immorality, are totally inadequate for these purposes; and praying the House to pass the Vice Suppression Bill now under consideration.
„ 20 .....	Samuel Wilkinson, Chairman of a meeting of the Committee of the Association for the Promotion of Morality and Social Purity.	One .....	Mr. Alfred Allen ...	Similar prayer.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 20th October, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 9.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892.				
Oct. 25 .....	The Baptist Union of New South Wales in annual session assembled.	Three .....	Mr. Garrard .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink; and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each elector to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 25 .....	The Presiding Officer of No. 19 Northern Star Tent, at Glen Innes.	Two .....	Mr. Wright .....	Similar prayer.
„ 25 .....	Certain adult male members of Parramatta.	Fifty-seven .....	Mr. Hugh Taylor ...	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, no system of Local Option is complete without the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for the confiscation of licenses; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation as aforesaid.
„ 25 .....	Certain male adult members of Redfern.	Sixty-nine .....	Mr. Sharp .....	Similar prayer.
„ 25 .....	Certain adult male members of Newtown.	Fifty-four .....	Mr. Molesworth .....	Similar prayer.
„ 25 .....	Thomas Roseby, M.A., LL.D.	One .....	Mr. Eve .....	Representing that the meeting regards with satisfaction the introduction of a Local Option Bill, giving the people their undoubted right to either reduce or prohibit the traffic in intoxicating liquors within prescribed districts without compensation; and praying the House to favourably consider the premises, with a view of granting the relief asked for.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. Oct. 25 .....	Richard Bennetts, Chairman of a Meeting of the Sydney City Mission.	One .....	Mr. Lees .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the laws of this Colony for the protection of girls and young women, and for the suppression of open immorality, are totally inadequate for these purposes; and praying the House to pass the Vice Suppression Bill now under consideration.
„ 25 .....	The Baptists Union of New South Wales, in annual session assembled.	One .....	Mr. Garrard .....	Similar prayer.
„ 25 .....	The Most Reverend the Primate, Chairman of the Social Reform Committee, appointed by the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Molesworth .....	Similar prayer.
„ 25 .....	The Women's Christian Temperance Union.	Three .....	Mr. Hindle .....	Representing that the age provided by the present law of the Colony at which a girl may consent to her seduction is too low; and praying the House to pass the Vice Suppression Bill.
„ 25 .....	The Baptist Union of New South Wales, in annual session assembled.	Three .....	Mr. Garrard .....	Representing that Petitioners deplore the alarming prevalence of betting and gambling, and urging that stringent legislation be adopted to repress the evil; that not only should the law against totalisators be more effectually enforced, but that the gigantic "sweeps" that are carried on should be stopped; that the Post Office should not be used for transmitting sweep tickets; that the publication of all betting information in newspapers and other forms should be strictly prohibited; and praying the House to take such measures as in its wisdom it may deem best to carry out the above objects.
„ 26 .....	The Chairman of the Committee of the Sydney Female Refuge.	One .....	Mr. Lees, for Mr. McMillan.	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, the laws of this Colony for the protection of girls and young women, and for the suppression of open immorality, are totally inadequate for these purposes; and praying the House to pass the Vice Suppression Bill now under consideration.
„ 26 .....	The Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Burwood.	One .....	Mr. Danahey .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink; and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 26 .....	Joseph Morris, Chairman of a Public Meeting of residents of Molong.	One .....	Mr. G. D. Clark .....	Representing that Petitioners view with indignation the proposal to compensate publicans, should the people veto the renewal of their licenses; that such a proposal will impose extra burdens upon the people; and praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill as originally proposed.
„ 26 .....	The Good Templars of Kendall and Laurieton.	One .....	Mr. Young .....	Similar prayer.
„ 26 .....	Certain residents in the district of Orange.	Three hundred and eighty-seven.	Mr. Newman .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink; and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.

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1892. Oct. 27 .....	Certain residents of Tingha, Wandsworth, Ollera, Kangaroo Camp, &c.	Five hundred and five.	Mr. Lonsdale .....	Referring to the rejection by the Public Works Committee of the proposed Railway line from Glen Innes to Inverell; alleging that the line from Guyra <i>via</i> Tingha to Inverell being the alternative one, it is desirable that the claims to railway communication of the residents along and within easy distance of that line should be recognised; that the first recognition of those claims would be manifested by a resurvey being ordered of those portions of the line where the grades are greater than 1 in 60; and praying the House to take such steps as may seem to it expedient to cause such resurvey to be made as soon as conveniently possible.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 27th October, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. Nov. 1 .....	William Stafford .....	One .....	Mr. Darnley .....	In reference to the inquiry by a Select Committee into the matter of his dismissal from the Police Force, and praying the House to complete that inquiry by the immediate appointment of another Select Committee.
„ 1 .....	Albert G. Smith, President of the Band of Hope, Kendall.	One .....	Mr. G. D. Clark.....	Stating that, in the opinion of Petitioner, there are enormous evils resulting from the traffic in intoxicating liquors; and praying the House to pass a Bill providing for the taking of a plebiscite vote of the men and women of the country on the question of prohibition.
„ 1 .....	Loyal Albert Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, Bathurst.	Two .....	Mr. Suttor .....	Alleging that there are many and frightful evils flowing from the legalised traffic in intoxicants; that as this traffic is declaredly kept up for the convenience of the people, and as they have to bear all the sorrow, suffering, and loss incident to and caused by such traffic, Petitioners are of opinion that the people should have the right to determine whether it shall cease or be continued; and praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill.
„ 1 .....	The Borough of Paddington	One .....	Mr. Neild .....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the Council of the Borough of Paddington to close certain portions of Marshall-street, a public street in the said Borough, and a certain right-of-way leading therefrom; and to vest the fee-simple of part of the land comprised in the closed portion of the said street and said right-of-way in the Marshall's Paddington Brewery (Limited), a company duly registered under the "Companies Act," and the remaining part thereof in the trustees of the will of George Brereton, deceased; and to vest in the said Borough, for the improvement of Oxford-street, certain pieces and parcels of land owned by the said Marshall's Paddington Brewery (Limited), fronting Oxford-street; and for other purposes in furtherance of or consequent on the aforesaid objects.

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1892. Nov. 1 .....	Loyal Albert Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, Bathurst.	Two .....	Mr. Suttor .....	Representing that they are in favour of the Vice Suppression Bill, and strongly urging that clauses be inserted in the said Bill for the suppression of the circulation by post and otherwise of immoral literature, and the exposing to view of indecent pictures; and praying the House to pass into law the Vice Suppression Bill, with needed amendments.
„ 2 .....	Certain adult male members of Balmain.	One hundred and eighty-nine.	Mr. Murphy .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, no system of Local Option is complete without the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for the confiscation of licenses; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation as aforesaid.
„ 2 .....	Lot Bishop and John P. Green.	Two .....	Mr. Hart .....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the present or other the trustees for the time being of the Mechanics' School of Arts at Raymond Terrace, in the Colony of New South Wales, to sell the lands, hereditaments, buildings, and premises, and goods and chattels vested in them as such trustees as aforesaid, and to apply the proceeds of such sale if, and when effected, in the manner and for the purposes hereinafter specified.
„ 3 .....	Certain residents of Orange	Four .....	Mr. Danahey, for Mr. Newman.	Representing that they deplore the existing evils caused by the drink traffic, and pledging themselves to use all legitimate means for their removal; and that in their opinion it is desirable that electors should be empowered to decide whether there should be an increase in the number of public-houses or a reduction therein, or whether the trade in intoxicating liquors should be prohibited; and praying the House to support the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, as introduced by the Honorable Mr. Kidd.
„ 3 .....	M. J. Smail, Secretary of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.	One .....	Mr. McGowen .....	Representing that at a meeting of adults of both sexes held in the Town Hall, Redfern, resolutions were unanimously passed in favour of full local option without compensation; and praying the House to pass a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill with as little delay as possible.
„ 3 .....	The Licensed Victuallers of the Young and Temora Licensing Districts.	Forty-one .....	Mr. Gough .....	Representing that the provisions of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill are unjust, and calculated to inflict great injury upon all classes of the community; that it is desirable that an efficient system of compensation should be incorporated; and praying for the rejection of the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, or the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 1st November, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 11.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. Nov. 10 ...	The Members of No. 9 Grand Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Walker .....	Alleging that the evils arising from the daily increasing use of intoxicants are so great that an alteration in the laws relating to the drink traffic is urgently required; and further, that whereas the drink traffic is supposed to be for the convenience of the people, the Petitioners affirm the desirability of full Local Option without compensation; and praying the House to take the above premises into favourable consideration.
Nov. 10 ...	The Members of the Corowa Border Temperance Club, the Corowa Temperance Society, and others.	Forty-nine .....	Mr. Lync .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink; and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 10th November, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



1892.  
 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
 NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 12.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. Nov. 15.....	George Chandler, Chairman of Public Meeting held in Deniliquin.	One .....	Mr. Chanter .....	Representing that the meeting is of opinion that any attempt to provide for compensation to publicans whose licenses may be cancelled is wrong in principle, and protesting against the imposition of any such burden upon the tax-payer; and praying the House to favourably consider the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, with a view of granting the relief asked for.
,, 15 .....	Certain residents of the Macleay Electorate.	Sixty .....	Mr. Dangar .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink; and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
,, 15 .....	Certain adult male residents of the Glebe.	Thirty-five .....	Mr. Houghton .....	Representing that in the opinion of the Petitioners no system of Local Option is complete without the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for the confiscation of licenses; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation as aforesaid.
,, 16 .....	Certain Farmers and Stock-owners in the district of Tenterfield.	Two hundred and fifty-eight.	Mr. Lee .....	Setting forth that they are assessed under the provisions of the Pastures and Stock Protection Act, and that they find the payment of such assessment a burdensome and unnecessary tax, as the high prices obtained for marsupial skins are sufficient inducement for their destruction; and praying for the repeal of the said Act, or an amendment thereof.
,, 16 .....	Certain adult male residents of Sydney.	One hundred and seventeen.	Mr. Traill .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, no system of Local Option is complete without the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for the confiscation of licenses; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation as aforesaid.

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1892. Nov. 16. ....	Certain adult male residents of Newtown electorate.	Thirty-eight ...	Mr. Molesworth .....	Representing that, in the opinion of the Petitioners, no system of Local Option is complete without the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation for the confiscation of licenses; and praying the earnest consideration of the House with a view to the incorporation of an efficient system of compensation as aforesaid.
„ 16 .....	Certain adult male residents of Redfern.	Sixty-five .....	Mr. Sharp .....	Similar prayer.
„ 17 .....	G. C. Percival, Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Milton.	One .....	Mr. Morton .....	Stating that, in the opinion of the meeting, no compensation should be granted to publicans whose houses are closed by a Local Option Vote; and praying that the House will reject the compensation clause proposed to be embodied in the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill.
„ 17 .....	James Hodge, Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Albury.	One .....	Mr. John Wilkinson	Representing that the meeting views with indignation the proposal to compensate publicans, should the people veto the renewal of their licenses; that such a proposal will impose extra burdens upon the people; and praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill as originally proposed.
„ 17 .....	R. B. Cropley, Chairman of a Public Meeting held at the Protestant Hall.	One .....	Mr. Walker .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink; and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 17th November, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 13.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. Nov. 22.....	Certain residents of the district of Hillgrove.	Three hundred and twenty.	Mr. Garrard .....	Setting forth that mining is their principal industry; that in working and developing their mines some less expensive motive-power than that of steam is necessary; that the adoption of electricity generated by water-power for the working of machinery, as proposed by the Hillgrove and Armidale Water-power Electric Bill now before the House, will overcome the present difficulties of carrying on the business of mining within the said district; and praying the House to pass the said Bill.
„ 22 .....	Certain residents of Bermagui.	Twenty-eight .....	Mr. Henry Clarke .....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink; and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, to reduce the number of licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.
„ 23 .....	William Brereton, Joseph Brereton, Elizabeth McAnally, Charlotte Hamilton, Mary Ann Sherlock, Theresa Agnes Moore, and Frances Brereton.	Seven .....	Mr. McGowen.....	Setting forth that the Oxford-street Improvement Bill has been introduced into the House to enable the Council of the Borough of Paddington to close certain portions of Marshall-street in the said Borough, and a certain right-of-way leading therefrom, and to vest the fee-simple of a part of the said land in the Marshall's Paddington Brewery (Limited); that the said Bill has been referred to a Select Committee for consideration and report; and praying that they, being largely interested in the questions to be considered, may be granted permission to appear before the said Select Committee in person, or by solicitor or counsel, and, if necessary, to adduce such evidence as they may be advised, and examine and cross-examine witnesses called before the said Committee.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 24th November, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 14.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. Nov. 30 ...	The Presiding Officer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union at Goulburn.	One .....	Dr. Hollis.....	Representing that there are bitter and manifold evils in this Colony through intoxicating drink; and praying for the passage of a Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill, which will enable each electorate to prevent the issue of new licenses, to reduce the number of licenses, and to enact prohibition as each may please to decide.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 1st December, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.**  
**NEW SOUTH WALES.**

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1892. Dec. 7 .....	The United Licensed Victuallers' Association.	Three.....	Mr. Slattery.....	Setting forth that Petitioners are entirely opposed to any infraction of the Licensing Acts of 1882-83 in the direction of subletting bars to either male or female occupants; that "threepenny" and "sixpenny" bars (otherwise called private bars) are a necessity for all licensed victuallers depending upon the patronage of the wealthier as well as the poorer sections of the community; that barmaids employed by licensed victuallers, as distinct from those alleged to occupy sublet bars, are well-conducted and deserving of the respect of the community; that to prevent the employment of barmaids would not decrease the consumption of liquor, but would close an important avenue of female labour, the market for which is already overcrowded; and praying the House to take the foregoing into earnest consideration, with a view of rejecting the Liquor Licensing Law Amendment Bill to be introduced by Mr. Dangar.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
 Sydney, 8th December, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 16.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1892. Dec. 13 .....	Certain licensed fishermen of Botany Bay and George's River.	Sixty-three ....	Mr. Carruthers .....	Alleging that the Petitioners are unable to gain a decent livelihood owing to the closing of many of the waters in which they have for years past been accustomed to haul their nets, and notably owing to the permanent closing of the whole of Port Hacking by Act of Parliament; that they believe that Port Hacking abounds with shoal fish not caught with the line, which the Petitioners should be permitted to catch in nets; and praying the House to pass a Bill to amend the Act closing Port Hacking against net fishing.
„ 13 .....	The Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough of Parramatta.	Seven .....	Mr. Frank Farnell...	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the Council of the Borough of Parramatta to establish and levy a special rate for street-watering purposes within certain portions of the Borough of Parramatta, in addition to the rates authorized by the Municipalities Act of 1867, and for the other purposes therein set forth.
„ 14 .....	Certain residents of the Colony.	Thirty thousand and fifty-seven.	Mr. McGowen .....	Representing that at the Circuit Court held in Deniliquin in October last, Richard Sleath, W. J. Ferguson, E. J. Polkinghorne, John Bennetts, Herman Herbele, and R. A. Hewitt, and others, were charged, amongst other things, with having conspired, with others, to solicit, incite, and procure certain persons to unlawfully combine, conspire, and agree together, by divers unlawful means, to deter, prevent, molest, intimidate, and obstruct certain of Her Majesty's liege subjects from carrying on and following their lawful occupations and callings, and were convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for periods varying from three months to two years—sentences which your Petitioners consider extremely harsh and

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1892. Dec. 14 .....	Certain residents of the Colony.	Thirty thousand and fifty-seven.	Mr. McGowen.....	excessive; that the offence was practically the establishment of pickets in the neighbourhood of the mines, a system which has prevailed and been countenanced by the law authorities of this Colony for many years, and has lately been declared to be legal in England, where much lighter sentences have invariably been imposed for similar offences; and praying early and favourable consideration of the premises, and that the House will direct His Excellency's attention to the excessiveness of the sentences imposed, and appeal that the persons named may be forthwith released, and further that at an early date the law may be so amended as to render it impossible in future for persons to be sentenced to such excessive terms of imprisonment for the offence of which the persons named have been convicted.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 15th December, 1892.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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**NEW SOUTH WALES.**

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1893. Jan. 17 ...	Alexander Pentleton Stewart, Thomas Robertson, and William Travis, of Hay.	Three.....	Mr. Newton .....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the Trustees of the Hay Athenæum to mortgage certain lands and buildings situated in the town of Hay, and for the declaring the trusts of the moneys raised by such mortgage.
Jan. 18 ...	Certain residents of the Colony.	One thousand eight hundred and sixty.	Mr. M'Gowen .....	Representing that at the Circuit Court held in Deniliquin in October last, Richard Sleath, W. J. Ferguson, E. J. Polkinghorne, John Bennetts, Herman Herbele, and R. A. Hewitt, and others, were charged, amongst other things, with having conspired, with others, to solicit, incite, and procure certain persons to unlawfully combine, conspire, and agree together, by divers unlawful means, to deter, prevent, molest, intimidate, and obstruct certain of Her Majesty's liege subjects from carrying on and following their lawful occupations and callings, and were convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for periods varying from three months to two years—sentences which your Petitioners consider extremely harsh and excessive; that the offence was practically the establishment of pickets in the neighbourhood of the mines, a system which has prevailed and been countenanced by the law authorities of this Colony for many years, and has lately been declared to be legal in England, where much lighter sentences have invariably been imposed for similar offences; and praying early and favourable consideration of the premises, and that the House will direct His Excellency's attention to the excessiveness of the sentences imposed, and appeal that the persons named may be forthwith released, and further that at an early date the law may be so amended as to render it impossible in future for persons to be sentenced to such excessive terms of imprisonment for the offence of which the persons named have been convicted.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
 Sydney, 19th January, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
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No. 18.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

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1893. Jan. 24 .....	The Chairman of a public meeting of the citizens of Goulburn.	One.....	Dr. Hollis.....	Representing that in the opinion of the Petitioners the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill is a measure deserving of public support; and protesting against the proposal to embody in the Bill the principle of compensation; and praying the House to take the premises into favourable consideration, and grant such relief as may seem best.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 25th January, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
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1893. Feb. 8.....	John Lee and George Lee, of Bathurst.	Two .....	Mr. Waddell .....	Praying for leave to bring in a Bill to enable the trustees for the time being of a certain settlement made by William Lee and Maria Brady, and dated the twelfth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, to effect sales, mortgages, leases, and exchanges of the lands and hereditaments comprised in or subject to the trusts of the said settlement.
Feb. 9 .....	Certain selectors, homestead lessees, and other residents of Walgett and surrounding district.	One hundred and twenty-three.	Mr. Sheldon.....	Representing that it is essential in the interest of the country generally that when the present leases held by the Pastoralists in the Central Division expire in 1895 there should be no further renewal of the same, as the land is urgently required by the people for settlement; and praying the House to refuse any further extension of the leases referred to.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 9th February, 1893.

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Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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1893. Feb. 15 .....	Certain orchardists and vineyard proprietors in the District of Liverpool.	Thirty-two .....	Mr. Garrard .....	Praying the House, for the reasons in the Petition set forth, to reject the Vine Diseases Act Amendment Bill.
Feb. 16 .....	W. R. Gullick, General Manager of the Picturesque Atlas Publishing Company (Limited).	One .....	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald	Praying for leave to appear in person or by Solicitor or counsel.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 16th February, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
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No. 21.

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WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. Feb. 28 .....	George Ralph, of Church-street, Parramatta.	One .....	Mr. Hugh Taylor ...	Praying the House to reject the Parramatta-street Watering Bill.
„ 28 .....	James H. Rainford, J. H. Decent, and P. R. Holdsworth.	Three.....	Mr. G. D. Clark .....	Praying that the said J. H. Decent may be heard in person or by Counsel before Select Committee.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 2nd March, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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No. 22.

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1893. Mar. 8 .....	J. E. Moulton, President of the New South Wales Conference of Wesleyan Methodists.	One .....	Mr. Lees .....	Praying the House to enact, with the least possible delay, a law which will make exhibitions such as "Glove Contests" illegal and impossible.
,, 9 .....	Certain Certificated Conveyancers of the Supreme Court of New South Wales.	Fifteen .....	Mr. McGowen .....	Praying the House to reject the Attorneys Bills of Costs and Practice of Conveyancing Act Amendment Bill.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 9th March, 1893.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. Mar. 21 ...	Certain licensed fishermen of Botany Bay.	Twenty-eight ...	Mr. Parkes .....	Praying the House to pass the Fisheries Act Amendment Bill, introduced by Mr. Carruthers.
„ 21 ...	Certain residents of Redfern and vicinity.	Two hundred and fifty-three.	Mr. Sharp.....	Stating that there have been disgraceful and degrading spectacles presented at recent pugilistic encounters, two of which have terminated with fatal results; and praying the House, in view of these facts, to introduce some drastic measure which will make the recurrence of such disgraceful scenes impossible.
„ 22 ...	Certain electors in the Hastings and Manning District.	Four hundred and nineteen.	Mr. Hugh McKinnon	Suggesting that the present tariff should be amended, by imposing a duty on stock, increasing the duties on farm products, timber, and tobacco, remitting the excise duty on tobacco, and abolishing the £100 license for manufacturing tobacco; and praying the House to take the facts submitted into consideration, and amend the present tariff in accordance with the schedule submitted by them.
„ 23 ...	Certain coke manufacturers, coal producers, and others interested in these industries of the Colony.	Thirteen .....	Mr. Newton.....	Stating that, for the reasons in their Petition set forth, the tramway proposed to be constructed under the provisions of this Bill would be beneficial to them; and praying the House to take the facts stated in the Petition into favourable consideration.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 23rd March, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 24.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. Mar. 29 .....	Certain residents of Sydney and surrounding districts.	Four thousand and fifty-two.	Mr. Alfred Allen ...	Praying the House to pass a measure to prohibit glove contests.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 29th March, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 25.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. April 5 .....	Certain licensed fishermen of Port Jackson.	Fifty-eight .....	Mr. G. D. Clark.....	Praying the House to pass the Fisheries Act Amendment Bill.

Legislative Assembly Offices.  
Sydney, 6th April, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. April 11 ...	Certain licensed fishermen of George's River.	Twenty-three ...	Mr. Frank Farnell ...	Praying the House to pass the Fisheries Act Amendment Bill, introduced by Mr. Carruthers.
„ 11 ...	Certain squatters, homestead lessees, and others.	Four hundred and eighteen.	Mr. Cann .....	Stating that the Cobham Lake is rapidly drying up, and praying the House to sanction the construction of a road across the Coally Flat, by means of an embankment, to be carried out under the superintendence of the Department of Public Works and Water Conservation Department.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 13th April, 1893.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. April 18 .....	Certain inhabitants of the Borough of Parramatta, and surrounding districts.	Four hundred and fifty-four.	Mr. Hugh Taylor ...	Praying the House to reject the Simpson's Railway Bill.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 20th April, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 28.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. April 25 .....	Charles Whyte, M.A., Chairman of the Congregational Union of New South Wales.	One .....	Mr. Kidd .....	Praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 27th April, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 29.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. May 4 .....	William Monie, the younger, of Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Rose .....	For leave to introduce the "Goulburn and Crookwell Railway Bill."

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 4th May, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.**  
**NEW SOUTH WALES.**

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**No. 30.**

**WEEKLY ABSTRACT**

OF

**PETITIONS RECEIVED**

BY THE

**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.**

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. May 9 .....	Nicholas Johns, Henry Harper, and George Stone.	Three.....	Mr. Frank Farnell ...	Praying the House to reject the "Scottish Australian Mining Company (Limited) Railway Bill."
„ 10.....	William Saumarez Smith (Primate), John Walker, William Allen, and John Kent.	Four .....	Mr. Reid .....	Praying the House to pass the "Disorderly Conduct Suppression Bill," and the "Postage Acts Amendment Bill."
„ 12.....	Thomas Kench.....	One .....	Mr. Alfred Allen.....	Praying the House to pass the "Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill."

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
 Sydney, 12th May, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 31.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT  
OF  
PETITIONS RECEIVED  
BY THE  
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. May 16 ...	Office-bearers of the Peter-sham and District Ministerial Association.	Five.....	Mr. Kidd .....	Praying that Electorates may have power conceded to them to protect themselves by the passing of "Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill," to prevent the issue of new licenses, to reduce the number of licenses, and to enact prohibition.
„ 17.....	Certain residents of Broken Hill, Silverton, Wilcannia, and surrounding districts.	Two thousand five hundred and fifty-four.	Mr. Cann .....	Praying the House will take immediate action against the unlimited ingress of Afghans and camels into the Colony of New South Wales.
„ 18.....	Certain inhabitants of the city, town, and district of Goulburn.	One thousand three hundred and fifty-two.	Mr. Holborow .....	Praying the House to take the "Goulburn and Crookwell Railway Bill" into favourable consideration, with a view to its becoming law as early as possible.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 19th May, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 32.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. May 23 .....	J. M. Main, Chairman of a public meeting of the residents of Alexandria.	One .....	Mr. McGowen .....	Praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill.
,, 25 .....	Rev. F. B. Boyce, Chairman of a public meeting of the citizens of Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Garrard .....	Similar prayer.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 27th May, 1893.

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Clerk of the Legislative Assembly



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 33.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

WHEN RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED.	NUMBER OF SIGNATURES.	BY WHOM PRESENTED.	ABSTRACT OF PRAYER.
1893. 6 June.....	The Most Reverend William Saumarez Smith, D.D., Bishop of Sydney.	One .....	Mr. Molesworth .....	Praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic Local Option Bill.
6 " .....	Members of the National Division of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance.	Thirty-four .....	Mr. Darnley .....	Similar prayer.
7 " .....	George Toyer .....	One .....	Sir Henry Parkes.....	Similar prayer.
7 " .....	P. M'Dearmaid Boyle and John Ison, Chief Templar and Secretary of the United Lodge.	Two .....	Mr. Cann .....	Similar prayer.
7 " .....	Peter Dean .....	One .....	Mr. Lonsdale .....	Similar prayer.
9 " .....	Thomas Kench and Charles E. Wigzell.	Two .....	Mr. Lees .....	Similar prayer.

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 9th June, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

REGISTER OF PUBLIC BILLS ORIGINATED IN THE ASSEMBLY DURING THE SESSION OF 1892-3.

Short Titles.	By whom initiated.	Originated in Committee of the Whole.	Message from Governor recommending provision for.	Overtured.	Presented and read 1 <sup>st</sup> .	Proceeded with under 5th Standing Order.	Negatived on Motion for 2 <sup>d</sup> .	Read 2 <sup>d</sup> and Committed.	Reported.	Recommitted.	Reported.	Report adopted.	Read 3 <sup>d</sup> and passed.	Sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council without Amendment.	Agreed to by Council with Amendments.	Council's Amendments agreed to.	Council's Amendments disagreed to.	Council's Amendments agreed to and amended.	Council agree to Amendment upon their Amendments.	Order of the Day discharged and Bill withdrawn.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent.	Remarks.		
Agreement Validating Act Repeal	Mr. Willis	1893.	1893.	1892.	1892.	1892.		1893.	1893.			1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	Not returned by Legislative Council. Referred to Select Committee 18th April, 1893; reported by Select Committee, 30th May, 1893. Stopped by Prorogation.		
Agricultural Holdings	Mr. Bowes					5 Oct.																			Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Apprentices	Mr. Houghton			1893. 4 Oct. 1893.	1893. 19 Jan.			19 May.	19 May.			19 May.	23 May.	23 May.											Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Appropriation	Mr. See	31 May A.M.		31 May A.M.	31 May A.M.			31 May.	1 June A.M.			1 June A.M.	1 June A.M.	1 June A.M.	2 June A.M.									6 June	Mr. Speaker authorised to present to H. E. The Governor at Government House without delay, 2 June, 1893, a.m. Stopped by Prorogation.	
Asiatic Races Restriction and Regulation.	Sir George Dibbs	12 Apl.	2 Feb.	12 Apl.	12 Apl.																				do do	
Attorneys Admission	Mr. Crick			19 Jan.	19 Jan.			4 May.																	do do	
Attorneys Bills of Costs and Practice of Conveyancing Act Amendment.	Mr. Fuller			11 Jan.	14 Feb.																				do do	
Attorneys Bills of Costs and Practice of Conveyancing Act Amendment (No. 2).	Mr. Fuller			15 Mar.	15 Mar.																				do do	
Australian Agricultural Company Land Investing.	Mr. Slattery			4 May.	4 May.			1 June	1 June			1 June	1 June	1 June	8 June										13 June A.M.	
Balranald Irrigation	Mr. B. B. Wilkinson.			14 Dec.	14 Dec.			21 Mar.	2 June			2 June	8 June	8 June	12 June										13 June A.M.	
Bank Holidays Act Amendment.	Mr. McCourt			4 Oct. 1893.	4 Oct. 1893.																				1892. 6 Dec.	
Bank Issue	Sir George Dibbs	23 Apl. A.M.		23 Apl. A.M.	28 Apl. A.M.			3 May. A.M.	3 May. A.M.			3 May. A.M.	3 May. A.M.	3 May. A.M.		3 May. A.M.	3 May. A.M.								4 May.	
Bankruptcy Act Amendment	Mr. Walker																								Standing orders suspended, 28th April, a.m. Stopped by Prorogation.	
Bankruptcy Acts Amendment	Mr. Barton			1892.	1892.	4 Oct. 5 Oct.																			do do	
Birds Protection (changed from) Birds Protection Act Amending.	Mr. Carruthers			11 Oct.	11 Oct.			14 Feb.	14 Feb.			14 Feb.	15 Feb.	15 Feb.		2 May.				*19 May.	25 May.				1 June	Short title amended in Legislative Council. * Message to Council, 23rd May, 1893.
Borough of Erskineville Naming	Mr. Joseph Abbott			1893. 11 Jan.	1893. 11 Jan.			7 Mar.	7 Mar.			7 Mar.	9 Mar.	9 Mar.	21 Mar.										23 Mar.	

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>o</sup> .	Proceeded with under 67th Standing Order.	Negative on Motion for 2 <sup>o</sup> .	Read 2 <sup>o</sup> and Committed.	Reported.	Recommitted.	Reported.	Report adopted.	Read 3 <sup>o</sup> and passed.	Sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council without Amendment.	Agreed to by Council with Amendments.	Council's Amendments agreed to.	Council's Amendments disagreed to.	Council's Amendments agreed to, and amended.	Council agree to Amendment upon their Amendments.	Order of the Day discharged and Bill withdrawn.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent.	Remarks.		
Camel Driving Restriction	Mr. Willis	1893.	1892.	1892. 6 Oct.	1892. 6 Oct.	1892.	1893.	1893.	1893.			1893.	1893.	1893.	1892.	1893.	1893.							1893.	Speaker ruled that Bill dealt with trade, and should have originated in a Committee of the Whole, 14 March, 1893.	
City of Sydney Lanes	Mr. Lees			1893. 14 Feb.	1893. 14 Mar.				9 May			9 May	10 May	10 May		25 May	26 May							6 June	Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Coal-mines Regulation	Mr. Slattery	11 Jan.	7 Dec.	1893. 11 Jan.	1892. 11 Jan.				9 May			17 Mar.	21 Mar.	21 Mar.												
Consolidated Revenue Fund	Mr. See	1892. 3 Nov.	1892. 2 Nov.	1892. 3 Nov.	1892. 3 Nov.				3 Nov.			3 Nov.	3 Nov.	3 Nov.	10 Nov.									1892. 15 Nov.	Standing Orders suspended, 3 November, 1892. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means.	
Consolidated Revenue Fund (No. 2)	Mr. See	1893. 23 Jan. A.M.	1893. 25 Jan. A.M.	1893. 26 Jan. A.M.	1893. 26 Jan. A.M.				26 Jan. A.M.			26 Jan. A.M.	26 Jan. A.M.	26 Jan. A.M.	31 Jan.									1893. 14 Feb.	Standing Orders suspended, 25 January, 1893. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means.	
Consolidated Revenue Fund (No. 3)	Mr. See	22 Feb.	21 Feb.	22 Feb.	22 Feb.				22 Feb.			22 Feb.	22 Feb.	22 Feb.	23 Feb.									23 Feb.	Standing Orders suspended, 22 February, 1893. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means.	
Consolidated Revenue Fund (No. 4)	Mr. See	20 Mar.	23 Mar.	20 Mar.	20 Mar.				20 Mar.			20 Mar.	20 Mar.	20 Mar.	30 Mar. A.M.									5 Apl.	Standing Orders suspended, 23 March, 1893. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means.	
Consolidated Revenue Fund (No. 5)	Mr. See	26 April	25 Apl.	26 Apl.	26 Apl.				26 Apl.			26 Apl.	26 Apl.	26 Apl.	28 Apl. A.M.									2 May	Standing Orders suspended, 26 April, 1893. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means.	
Conspiracy and Protection of Property.	Mr. Wise			15 Feb.	15 Feb.				7 Mar.			7 Mar.	14 Mar.	14 Mar.		17 May A.M.										Stopped by Prorogation.
Conveyancers' Enabling (changed from) Real Property Act further Amendment.	Mr. Fuller			10 Jan.	17 Jan.				14 Mar.			14 Mar.	15 Mar.	15 Mar.		23 Mar.	2 May								9 May	Short Title amended in Legislative Council.
Crown Lands	Mr. Copeland	2 Feb. A.M.	25 Jan	2 Feb. A.M.	2 Feb. A.M.																					Stopped by Prorogation.
Crown Land Associated Settlements (changed to) Labour Settlements (which see).																										
Current Account Depositors	Sir George Dibbs.	23 May	23 May (2)	23 May 1892. 4 Oct.	23 May 1892. 4 Oct.				21 May A.M.			21 May A.M.	24 May A.M.	21 May A.M.	25 May										20 May	Standing Orders suspended, 23 May, 1893.
Debts Recovery (changed from) Small Debts Recovery Act Amending.	Mr. Edden			4 Oct.	4 Oct.				26 May			26 May	31 May	31 May		12 June	12 June								13 June A.M.	
Diseases in Sheep Acts further Amendment.	Mr. Dickens					4 Oct.			1892. 11 Oct.			1892. 11 Oct.	1892. 13 Oct.	1892. 13 Oct.		1892. 26 Oct.	17 Jan.								31 Jan.	
District Government	Sir George Dibbs.	21 Nov.	21 Nov.	24 Nov.	24 Nov.																					Stopped by Prorogation.
Distress for Rent Abolition	Mr. Walker					4 Oct.	23 Mar.																			Stopped by Prorogation.
Divorce Amendment and Extension.	Mr. Neild																									Passed and Reserved last Session.
Dog Act Further Amendment	Mr. Morton			4 Oct.	5 Oct.				1893. 23 Feb.			1893. 23 Feb.	1893. 23 Feb.	1893. 23 Feb.												Not returned by Legislative Council.
Eight Hours	Mr. Schey					4 Oct.																				do
Employers Liability Act Amendment.	Mr. Kelly					4 Oct.										10 Feb. A.M.	16 Mar.								1893. 23 Mar.	do

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 67th Standing Order.	Negative on Motion for 2 <sup>d</sup> .	Read 2 <sup>d</sup> and Committed.	Reported.	Recommitted.	Reported.	Report adopted.	Read 3 <sup>d</sup> and Passed.	Sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council without Amendment.	Agreed to by Council with Amendments.	Council's Amendments agreed to.	Council's Amendments disagreed to.	Council's Amendments agreed to and amended.	Council agree to Amendment upon their Amendments.	Order of the Day discharged and Bill withdrawn.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent.	Remarks.	
Fisheries Act Amendment.....	Mr. Carruthers ..	1892.	1892.	1892.	1892.	1892.	1893.	1893.	1892.	1893.	1893.	1892.	1892.	1892.	1892.	1893.	1893.				1893.	1893.		Point of Order.—That Bill related to Trade—over-ruled by Mr. Speaker, 2 May, 1893. Stopped by Prorogation.	
Fisheries and Oyster Fisheries Regulation.	Mr. Frank Farnell			4 Oct.	5 Oct.																17 Jan.			Ruled out of order in consequence of not having been recommended by a Message, 17 January, 1893. Stopped by Prorogation.	
Friendly Societies Act Amendment.	Mr. Cullen .....			1893.	1893.																				
Funded Stock .....	Mr. See.....	13 Oct.	12 Oct.	13 Oct.	13 Oct.			18 Apl. 1892.	19 Oct.				19 Oct.	20 Oct.	20 Oct.	27 Oct.								1892.	
Homestead Protection .....	Mr. Donald .....			1893.	1893.																				
Illegitimacy Disability Removal	Mr. Neild.....			9 Mar. 1892.	9 Mar. 1892.								1893.	1893.	1893.										do do
Imprisonment for Debt Abolition	Mr. O'Sullivan ..			4 Oct.	4 Oct.			22 Nov.	17 Jan. 1892.				17 Jan. 1892.	19 May 1892.	19 May 1892.										Not returned by Legislative Council.
Income Tax .....	Mr. See.....	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.			1893.	1893.			1893.	1893.	1893.											Title amended in Committee of the Whole, 7 December, 1892, a.m. Not returned by Legislative Council.
Income Tax Assessment.....	Mr. See.....	15 Feb.	15 Feb.	16 Feb.	16 Feb.			22 Feb. A.M.	22 Feb. A.M.			23 Feb.	15 Mar.	15 Mar.											Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means, No. 4. Not returned by Legislative Council.
Income Tax Assessment (No. 2)	Mr. See.....	15 Feb.		21 Feb.	21 Feb.																				Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means, No. 5. Ruled out of order as containing provisions other than for an Income Tax, 23 February, 1893.
Labour Protection .....	Mr. Sheldon .....	14 Feb.		23 Feb.	23 Feb.			2 Mar. A.M.	8 Mar. A.M.	9 Mar.	9 Mar.	9 Mar.	21 Mar.	21 Mar.											Brought in on order of leave of former Bill, 23 February, 1893. Not returned by Legislative Council.
Labour Settlements (changed from) Crown Land Associated Settlements.	Mr. Copeland .....	1 June	30 May	1 June	1 June			7 June A.M.	8 June A.M.	8 June A.M.	8 June A.M.	8 June A.M.	8 June	8 June											Stopped by Prorogation.
Land Boilers Inspection.....	Sir George Dibbs.					20 Oct.																			Title amended and Short Title altered in Committee of the Whole.
Law of Libel Amendment.....	Mr. O'Sullivan ..			1892.	1892.																				Not returned by Legislative Council.
Law Practitioners.....	Mr. Neild.....			1 Dec.	1 Dec.																				Stopped by Prorogation.
Law Vocations Abolition.....	Mr. Walker.....			6 Oct.	6 Oct.																				Not returned by Legislative Council.
Legal Practitioners.....	Mr. Crick.....			18 Oct.	19 Oct.																				Stopped by Prorogation.
Lessees Land Purchase.....	Mr. Neild.....			5 Oct.	5 Oct.																				Order of Day read, and no motion being made, Bill dropped 6th December, 1892. Resolution for leave amended in Committee of the Whole, 12 October, 1892. Resolution from Committee of the whole amended in House, 13 April, 1893. Stopped by Prorogation.
Liquor Traffic Loan' Option.....	Mr. Kidd.....	1892.	1892.	1893.	1893.																				

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 67th Standing Order.	Negatived on Motion for 2 <sup>d</sup> .	Read 2 <sup>d</sup> and Committed.	Reported.	Recommitted.	Reported.	Report adopted.	Read 3 <sup>d</sup> and passed.	Sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council without Amendment.	Agreed to by Council with Amendments.	Council's Amendments agreed to.	Council's Amendments disagreed to.	Council's Amendments agreed to, disagreed to, and amended.	Council agree to Amendment upon their Amendments.	Order of the Day discharged and Bill withdrawn.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent.	Remarks.		
Loan.....	Mr. See.....	1893. 31 May A.M.	1892. .....	1893. 31 May A.M.	1893. 31 May A.M.	1892. .....	.....	1893. 1 June A.M.	1893. 1 June A.M.	1893. .....	1893. 1 June A.M.	1893. 1 June A.M.	1893. 1 June A.M.	1893. 1 June A.M.	1893. 7 June A.M.	.....	.....	1893. .....	.....	.....	.....	1893. .....	1893. 12 June	Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means. Bill not brought in.		
Marine Board Reconstruction Navigation Acts Amendment.	Mr. See.....	.....	2 Nov.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Marine Board Reconstruction ..	Mr. Davis.....	.....	1892. .....	.....	.....	25 Oct.	.....	31 Jan.	31 Jan.	.....	.....	31 Jan.	2 Feb.	2 Feb.	1892. .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Masters and Servants.....	Mr. Will's.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 Nov.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.	
Metropolitan Municipalities Cattle and Sheep Driving.	Mr. Baxister.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Act Amendment.	Mr. Carruthers.....	.....	.....	1892. 23 Nov.	1892. 23 Nov.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.	
Mining on Private Lands.....	Mr. Copeland.....	6 Oct.	6 Oct.	6 Oct.	6 Oct.	.....	.....	8 Feb.	15 Feb. A.M.	23 Feb	0 Mar. A.M.	15 Feb. A.M.	9 Mar.	9 Mar.	1893. .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Mortgages Act Amendment.....	Mr. Alfred Allen.....	.....	.....	5 Oct.	6 Oct.	.....	.....	23 Feb.	23 Feb	.....	.....	23 Feb	1 Mar.	1 Mar.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do do	
Municipal Council of Sydney Electric Lighting.	Mr. Martin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 May	.....	Ruled beyond Order of Leave by Mr. Spenker, 20th May, 1893.	
Municipalities Act Amendment.	Mr. Wise.....	.....	.....	6 Sept.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bill not brought in.	
Municipalities Act of 1867 Amendment.	Mr. Neild.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Municipalities Act of 1867 Amendment (No. 2.)	Mr. Carruthers.....	.....	.....	11 Oct. 1893.	12 Oct. 1893.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.	
Municipal Loans Extension .....	Sir George Dibbs.....	.....	.....	10 May 1892.	10 May 1892.	.....	.....	11 May	11 May	.....	.....	11 May	16 May	16 May	.....	8 June A.M.	8 June A.M.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 June A.M.	.....
Municipal Wharves .....	Mr. E. M. Clark.....	.....	.....	11 Oct. 1893.	11 Oct. 1893.	.....	.....	20 May	20 May	.....	.....	20 May	30 May	30 May	.....	9 June A.M.	9 June A.M.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 June A.M.	.....
Newcastle Friendly Societies and Trades Hall.	Sir George Dibbs.....	.....	.....	19 Jan. 1892.	13 Apl. 1892.	.....	.....	1 June A.M.	1 June A.M.	.....	.....	1 June A.M.	1 June	1 June	12 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 June A.M.	.....
Newcastle Harbour Trust .....	Mr. Lyne.....	12 Oct. 1893.	11 Oct.	12 Oct. 1893.	12 Oct. 1893.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.
Newcastle Pasturage Reserve Act, Amendment.	Mr. Copeland.....	16 Mar.	.....	16 Mar.	16 Mar.	.....	.....	21 Mar.	21 Mar.	.....	.....	21 Mar.	22 Mar.	22 Mar.	.....	5 Apl.	6 Apl.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18 Apl.	.....
Offenders Probation.....	Mr. Crick.....	.....	.....	22 Feb.	22 Feb.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do do
Ordnance Lands Transfer .....	Mr. Barton.....	.....	.....	.....	30 Aug	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Pro forma Bill.
Parliamentary Electorates and Elections.	Mr. Barton.....	6 Oct. 1892.	6 Oct.	6 Oct. 1892.	6 Oct.	.....	.....	12 Oct.	10 Nov.	10 Nov.	10 Nov.	10 Nov.	17 Nov.	17 Nov.	.....	14 Mar.	.....	.....	24 Mar. A.M.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 June	*Message to Council, 28 March, 1893. Message from Council, insisting, not insisting, and agreeing to Assembly's amendments upon their amendments, 20 April, 1893, A.M. Disagreement from Council's amendments not insisted on, and Council's further amendments agreed to, and Message to Council, 25 May, 1893. Assented to in Council Chamber, 13 June, 1893. Not returned by Legislative Council.
Party Processions Act Repeal.....	Mr. Neild.....	.....	.....	4 Oct.	4 Oct.	.....	.....	1893. 28 Mar.	1893. 28 Mar.	.....	.....	1893. 28 Mar.	1893. 29 Mar.	1893. 29 Mar.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Postage Acts Amendment .....	Mr. Kidd.....	20 Oct.	12 Oct.	20 Oct.	2 Nov.	.....	.....	9 Mar.	2 June A.M.	.....	.....	2 June A.M.	6 June	6 June	.....	8 June	8 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 June A.M.	.....

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>o</sup> .	Proceeded with under Great Standing Order.	Negative on Motion for 2 <sup>o</sup> .	Read 2 <sup>o</sup> and Committed.	Reported.	Recommitted.	Reported.	Report adopted.	Read 3 <sup>o</sup> and passed.	Sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council without Amendment.	Agreed to by Council with Amendments.	Council's Amendments agreed to.	Council's Amendments disagreed to.	Council's Amendments agreed to and amended.	Council agree to Amendment upon their Amendments.	Order of the Day discharged and Bill withdrawn.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent.	Remarks		
Public Instruction Act Amendment.	Mr. Melville	1892.	1892.	1892.	1892.	1892.	1893.	1892.	1892.	.....	.....	1892.	1892.	1892.	1893.	1893.	1893.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.	
Public Works Act Further Amendment.	Mr. Lyne	12 Oct.	11 Oct.	12 Oct.	12 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do do	
Public Works (Committee Remuneration) Reduction.	Mr. Houghton	.....	.....	.....	.....	10 Jan.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23 Feb.	.....	.....	do do	
Racing Association	Mr. Crick	.....	.....	18 Oct.	19 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do do	
Real Property Act further Amendment (changed to) Conveyancer's Enabling (which see)	.....	.....	.....	18 Oct.	19 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Reduction of Cost of Litigation.	Mr. Walker	.....	.....	4 Oct. 1893.	4 Oct. 1893.	.....	.....	25 Oct. 1893.	25 Oct. 1893.	.....	.....	25 Oct. 1893.	26 Oct. 1893.	26 Oct. 1893.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Standing Orders suspended, 23 March, 1893.	
Royal Agricultural Society of New South Wales Enabling.	Mr. Copeland	.....	.....	23 Mar. 1892.	28 Mar. 1892.	.....	.....	23 Mar.	23 Mar.	.....	.....	23 Mar.	29 Mar. A.M.	29 Mar. A.M.	20 Mar.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29 Mar.	Standing Orders suspended, 23 March, 1893.	
Small Debts Recovery Act Amending (changed to) Debts Recovery (which see).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Sydney Harbour Trust	Mr. Lyne	12 Oct.	11 Oct.	12 Oct.	12 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.	
Totalizator Legalising	Mr. Frank Farnell	.....	.....	1 Dec.	1 Dec.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 Feb.	.....	Motion made for 2 <sup>o</sup> reading, amendment to refer to Select Committee negative, and no further action taken, 7 February, 1893.	
Trade Disputes Conciliation and Arbitration Act Amendment.	Mr. Cann	.....	.....	5 Oct.	13 Oct.	.....	31 Jan.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Trades Hall and Literary Institute.	Mr. Slattery	.....	.....	1 Dec.	1 Dec.	.....	.....	9 Mar.	9 Mar.	.....	.....	9 Mar.	14 Mar.	14 Mar.	5 Apl.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 Apl.	.....
Trade Union Act Amendment	Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.	
Treasury Indemnity	Mr. See	.....	.....	6 June	6 June	.....	.....	7 June	7 June	.....	.....	7 June	7 June	7 June	9 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Trust Property Act Amendment	Dr. Callen	.....	.....	7 Feb. 1892.	7 Feb. 1892.	.....	.....	16 Mar.	16 Mar.	.....	.....	16 Mar.	21 Mar.	21 Mar.	.....	11 Apl.	.....	.....	9 June	12 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Vice Suppression	Mr. Neild	.....	.....	4 Oct.	4 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Motion made for 2 <sup>o</sup> reading and amendment to refer to Select Committee carried, 25 October, 1892. Not reported from Select Committee.	
Vine Diseases (changed from) Vine Diseases Act Amendment.	Mr. Slattery	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	.....	.....	11 Apl.	12 Apl. A.M.	.....	.....	12 Apl.	13 Apl.	13 Apl.	.....	30 May	1 June A.M.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 June	Short Title altered in Committee of the Whole, 12 April, 1893, a.m.
Wages Attachment Abolition	Mr. Crick	.....	.....	19 Jan. 1892.	19 Jan. 1892.	.....	.....	2 May	2 May	.....	.....	2 May	4 May	4 May	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not returned by Legislative Council.	
Water Conservation and Utilization.	Mr. Lyne	1892.	11 Oct.	12 Oct.	12 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.	
Wentworth Electorate Subdivision Act Amendment.	Mr. Cann	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 Sept.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Point of Order that Bill conflicted with clauses in Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Bill passed this Session, sustained by Mr. Speaker, 6 December, 1892.	
Workmen's Combination Laws Declaration.	Mr. Willis	.....	.....	5 Oct.	5 Oct.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.	

No. 2.

REGISTER OF PRIVATE BILLS INTRODUCED UPON PETITION TO THE ASSEMBLY DURING THE SESSION OF 1892-3.

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>d</sup> and Committed.	Reported.	Report adopted.	Read 3 <sup>d</sup> . Passed, and sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council without Amendment.	Agreed to by Council with Amendments.	Council's Amendments agreed to.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent.	Remarks.
Australasian Mining Exchange of Sydney .....	Mr. Carruthers .....	1892. 31 Aug.	1892. 31 Aug.	1892. 31 Aug.	1892. .....	1892. .....	1892. 11 Oct.	1892. 11 Oct.	1892. 11 Oct.	1892. 13 Oct.	1893. .....	1893. .....	1893. .....	1893. .....	Proceeded with under 75th Standing Order. Not returned by Legislative Council.
Australasian Rights Purchase .....	Mr. Ewing .....	1892. 5 Oct.	1892. 6 Oct.	1892. 6 Oct.	1892. 11 Oct.	1892. 16 Nov.	1893. 6 April	1893. 13 May A.M.	1893. 26 May	1893. 9 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not returned by Legislative Council.
Goulburn and Crookwell Railway .....	Mr. Rose .....	1893. 4 May	1893. 12 May	1893. 12 May	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Stopped by Prorogation.
Goulburn Water Supply Charges .....	Dr. Hollis .....	1892. 6 Sep.	1892. 6 Sep.	1892. 6 Sep.	.....	.....	1892. 13 Sep.	1892. 17 Jan.	1892. 17 Jan.	1892. 18 Jan.	1892. 14 Feb.	.....	.....	.....	23 Feb. Proceeded with under 75th Standing Order
Gunnedah School of Arts Enabling .....	Mr. Kirkpatrick .....	1893. 21 Feb.	1893. 22 Feb.	1893. 22 Feb.	1893. 23 Feb.	1893. 23 Mar.	1893. 2 May	1893. 2 May	1893. 2 May	1893. 4 May	1893. 17 May A.M.	.....	.....	.....	23 May
Hay Atheneum Trustees Enabling .....	Mr. Newton .....	1892. 17 Jan.	1892. 18 Jan.	1892. 18 Jan.	1892. 10 Jan.	1892. 1 Feb.	1892. 9 Mar.	1892. 9 Mar.	1892. 9 Mar.	1892. 9 Mar.	1892. 14 Mar.	1892. 23 Mar.	.....	.....	6 April
Fillgrove and Armidale Water-power Electric .....	Mr. Garrard .....	1892. 31 Aug.	1892. 4 Oct.	1892. 4 Oct.	1892. 5 Oct.	1892. 1 Nov.	1892. 21 Feb.	1892. 21 Feb.	1892. 21 Feb.	1892. 23 Feb.	1892. 7 Mar.	.....	.....	.....	14 Mar.
Lee and Brady Settlement .....	Mr. Waddell .....	1892. 8 Feb.	1892. 9 Feb.	1892. 9 Feb.	1892. 14 Feb.	1892. 1 Mar.	1892. 23 May	1892. 23 May	1892. 23 May	1892. 26 May	1892. 1 June	.....	.....	.....	8 June
Menindie and Broken Hill Tramway .....	Mr. Barbour .....	1892. 5 Oct.	1892. 6 Oct.	1892. 6 Oct.	1892. 18 Oct.	1892. 10 Nov.	1892. 23 Mar.	1892. 9 June	1892. 9 June	1892. 10 June A.M.	.....	1892. 12 June	1892. 12 June	.....	13 June A.M. Standing Order No. 71 suspended to admit of presentation of Petition, 5 October, 1893.
Oxford-street Improvement .....	Mr. Neild .....	1892. 1 Nov.	1892. 10 Nov.	1892. 15 Nov.	1892. 16 Nov.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not reported by Select Committee.
Parramatta-street Watering .....	Mr. Frank Farnell .....	1892. 13 Dec.	1892. 15 Feb.	1892. 15 Feb.	1892. 26 April	1892. 23 May	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	71st Standing Order suspended to admit of presentation of Petition, 13 December, 1892. Stopped by Prorogation.
Raymond Terrace School of Arts Sale .....	Mr. Hart .....	1892. 2 Nov.	1892. 15 Nov.	1892. 15 Nov.	1892. 16 Nov.	1892. 29 Nov.	1892. 17 Jan.	1892. 17 Jan.	1892. 17 Jan.	1892. 18 Jan.	1892. 7 Feb.	.....	.....	.....	14 Feb.
Scottish Australian Mining Company (Limited) Railway .....	Mr. Melville .....	1892. 7 Sep.	1892. 5 Oct.	1892. 6 Oct.	1892. 11 Oct.	1892. 23 Nov.	1892. 2 June	1892. 3 June A.M.	1892. 3 June A.M.	1892. 7 June	1892. 9 June	.....	.....	.....	13 June A.M.
Segenhoe Estate Irrigation .....	Mr. Neild .....	1892. 31 Aug.	1892. 31 Aug.	1892. 31 Aug.	.....	.....	1892. 31 Aug.	1892. 2 June	1892. 2 June	1892. 3 June A.M.	1892. 9 June	.....	.....	.....	13 June A.M. Proceeded with under 75th Standing Order.
Simpson's Railway .....	Mr. Neild .....	1892. 13 Oct.	1892. 10 Nov.	1892. 15 Nov.	1892. 16 Nov.	1892. 21 Dec.	1892. 2 June	1892. 2 June	1892. 2 June	1892. 7 June	.....	1892. 9 June	1892. 9 June	.....	13 June A.M. Select Committee authorised to make visit of inspection, 23 November, 1892.
Sydney Electric Lighting .....	Mr. Garrard .....	1892. 6 Sep.	1892. 6 Sep.	1892. 6 Sep.	.....	.....	*	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1892. 2 Mar.	.....	Proceeded with under 75th Standing Order.* 2 <sup>d</sup> reading negatived, 2 March, 1893.
Valo of Clwydd Coal-mining Company's .....	Mr. Wright .....	1892. 22 Sep.	1892. 4 Oct.	1892. 4 Oct.	1892. 5 Oct.	1892. 18 Oct.	1892. 2 June	1892. 2 June	1892. 2 June	1892. 2 June	1892. 8 June	.....	.....	.....	13 June A.M. Proceeded with under 75th Standing Order.
Wagga Wagga School of Arts Enabling .....	Mr. Gormly .....	1892. 1 Sep.	1892. 1 Sep.	1892. 1 Sep.	.....	.....	1892. 11 Oct.	1892. 11 Oct.	1892. 11 Oct.	1892. 13 Oct.	.....	1892. 27 Oct.	1892. 23 Nov.	.....	7 Dec. Proceeded with under 75th Standing Order.
Willoughby and Gordon Tramway Acts Amending .....	Mr. Dowel .....	1892. 6 Sep.	1892. 6 Sep.	1892. 6 Sep.	.....	.....	1892. 25 Oct.	1892. 25 Oct.	1892. 25 Oct.	1892. 26 Oct.	1892. 26 Oct.	.....	1892. 10 Nov.	1892. 9 Feb.	14 Feb. do do

No. 3.

REGISTER OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BILLS BROUGHT FROM THE COUNCIL DURING THE SESSION OF 1892-3.

Short Titles of		Brought up and read 1 <sup>st</sup> .	Referred to Select Committee.	Reported by Select Committee.	Read 2 <sup>d</sup> , and committed.	Reported.	Recommitted.	Reported.	Report adopted.	Read 3 <sup>d</sup> passed without Amendment, and returned to Council.	Read 3 <sup>d</sup> , passed with Amendments, and sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent reported.	Remarks.
Public Bills.	Private Bills.														
	Australian Gas-light Company Electric Lighting and Supply.	1892. 31 Aug.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1893.	1892.	1893.	1893.	1893. 28 Feb.	1893.	Motion made for 2 <sup>d</sup> , and amendment "this day six months" carried, 13 September, 1892; 2 <sup>d</sup> negatived, 28 February, 1893.
Bay Road Railway Station		1893. 2 May			17 May	17 May			17 May		18 May	24 May, A.M.		6 June	Stopped by Prorogation.
Bills of Sale (No. 2)		23 Mar. 1892.			1892. 27 Oct.	1892. 27 Oct.			1892. 27 Oct.		1893. 27 Oct.			1892. 1 Nov.	Standing Orders suspended; case of urgent and pressing necessity, 27 October, 1892.
	Church of England Property Act of 1880 Amendment.	1893. 13 Oct.			1893. 27 Oct.	1893. 27 Oct.			1893. 27 Oct.		1893. 27 Oct.			1893. 1 Nov.	Standing Orders suspended; case of urgent and pressing necessity, 27 October, 1892.
	City Bank of Sydney.	1892. 21 Feb.			1892. 9 Mar.	1892. 9 Mar.			1892. 9 Mar.		1893. 14 Mar.			1893. 21 Mar.	
	Colonial Sugar Refining Company.	1892. 8 Sept.			1892. 2 <sup>d</sup> negatived, 11 Oct.								1892. 11 Oct.		Proceeded with under Standing Order No. 68.
Coroners' Courts		1892. 20 Oct.													Stopped by Prorogation.
Disorderly Conduct Suppression.		1892. 12 Oct.													do do
	King's School Council	1893. 2 Nov.			1893. 17 Jan.	1893. 17 Jan.			1893. 17 Jan.		1893. 18 Jan.			1893. 31 Jan.	
Lunacy Act Further Amendment.		1893. 23 Mar.			2 June, A.M.	2 June, A.M.			2 June, A.M.	2 June, A.M.				8 June	
Married Women's Property		1892. 3 Nov.			14 Mar.	14 Mar.			14 Mar.		15 Mar.	6 April.		18 April.	Proceeded with under Standing Order No. 68.
Matrimonial Causes Procedure Amendment.		1892. 26 Oct.			12 June	12 June			12 June	12 June				13 June, A.M.	
Medical		1893. 31 Aug.			1892. 6 Oct.										Proceeded with under Standing Order No. 68. Stopped by Prorogation.
	Menindie Irrigation	1893. 18 Jan.	23 Feb.	22 Mar.	10 June, A.M.	13 June, A.M.			13 June, A.M.		13 June, A.M.				do do
Municipalities Act Amendment		1893. 17 May, A.M.													do do
Neeropolis (Additional Areas)		1893. 25 May			1 June, A.M.	1 June, A.M.			1 June, A.M.	June, A.M.				12 June,	
Probate Act of 1890 Amendment.		1893. 11 Mar.											1893. 9 May		
Do do (No. 2.)		1893. 11 May			7 June, A.M.	7 June, A.M.	7 June	7 June	7 June, A.M.		8 June, A.M.	9 June, A.M.		13 June, A.M.	
Public Works Committee Amendment.		1893. 1 June							7 June						do do
	Saint Francis' Roman Catholic Church Land Sale.	1892. 11 April.			19 May	19 May			19 May		23 May	25 May		6 June	
Summary Convictions Amendment		1892. 23 Nov.													do do
Supreme Court		1893. 1 June													do do
Trade Marks Act Amendment		1893. 15 Mar.			6 April.	6 April.			6 April.	11 April.				19 April.	
	Waverley Roman Catholic Church Land Sale.	1893. 9 May			26 May	26 May			26 May	30 May				6 June	



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

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77	113	1893. 7 June.....	3	Mr. Kelly .....	.....	Agricultural and Forestry Departments .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
12	23	1892. 19 October .....	2	Mr. Chanter.....	.....	Agricultural centre of Moama .....	2 November 1892.	92/688	2 November 1892.	3 November 1892.
59	82	1893. 28 March .....	4	Mr. Gardiner .....	.....	Alienation and leasing of portions 17 and 13, parish of Mount Allen, county of Blaxland.	7 June 1893.	93/417	.....	.....
22	29	1892. 2 November .....	3	Mr. O'Sullivan.....	.....	Amount of gold and silver in coins exported from New South Wales.	16 November 1892.	92/724	16 November 1892.	17 November 1892.
51	71	1893. 1 March .....	9	Mr. Frank Farnell..	.....	Appointment of Mr. J. L. Parsons and others .....	21 March 1893.	93/204	.....	.....
52	72	1892. 2 .....	2	Mr. Wright .....	.....	Appointment of Mr. Martin, M.P., to position in connection with Chicago Exhibition.	21 .. 1892.	93/202	21 March 1892.	22 March 1892.
2	17	1893. 5 October .....	14	Mr. Danabey .....	.....	Appointments in Departments under Secretary for Mines..	8 December 1893.	92/789	8 December 1893.	9 December 1893.
54	72	1893. 2 March .....	4	Mr. Dangar .....	.....	Art Unions .....	2 May 1893.	93/310	2 May 1893.	3 May 1893.
75	102	1892. 17 May .....	6	Mr. Garvan .....	.....	Banking and Commercial Crisis .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
79	115	1893. 9 June.....	2	Mr. Carruthers .....	.....	Boiling-down Establishments in the Municipal District of Rockdale.	.....	.....	.....	.....
47	64	1892. 14 February .....	6	Mr. Wright .....	.....	Bonuses in Public Instruction Department.....	22 February 1892.	93/140	22 February 1892.	23 February 1892.
7	17	1893. 5 October .....	22	Mr. Cann .....	.....	Broken Hill Strike .....	18 January 1892.	93/37	18 January 1892.	19 January 1892.
6	17	1893. 5 .....	21	Mr. Jones .....	.....	Brombee or Mullamuddy Public School .....	19 October 1893.	92/634A	.....	.....
73	102	1892. 17 May .....	4	Mr. Molesworth ...	.....	Cartage and Horse hire in connection with the Easter Encampments.	30 May 1892.	93/409	30 May 1892.	31 May 1892.

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2	17	1892. 5 October	18	Mr. Lees	Cases tried in Penrith Court		1892. 1 November	92/676	1892. 1 November	1892. 2 November
7	68	1893. 22 February	4	Mr. Traill	Case of Charles Lowe, convicted of conspiracy.		1893. 16 May	93/361	1893. .....	1893. .....
8	73	7 March	2	Mr. Frank Farnell.	Case of the Picturesque Atlas Company v. J. H. Decent.		.....	.....	.....	.....
58	79	21 " 1892.	4	Mr. Hoyle	.....	Case of Tramway Motor-driver Volk	21 March	93/197	21 March	22 March.
13	23	19 October	4	Mr. Rose	.....	Civil Service Superannuation	.....	.....	.....	.....
29	36	23 November	2	Mr. Chanter	.....	Common at Deniliquin	11 January	93/18	11 January	12 January.
48	65	15 February	3	Mr. Schey	.....	Contracts for the Railway Service	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	16	4 October	20	Mr. Fuller	.....	Court-house, Kiama	1892. 30 November	92/758	1892. 30 November	1892. 1 December.
64	93	26 April	4	Mr. Jeanneret	.....	Erection of Wharves for the Borough of Hunter's Hill	1893. 8 June	93/456	.....	.....
18	26	16 October	5	Dr. Ross	.....	Establishment of a Model Farm or Farms in the Western District.	Rescinded, 11 January, 1893.		.....	.....
38	51	11 January	5	Dr. Ross	.....	Establishment of Model Farms at Bathurst, Orange, Molong, and Wellington.	29 March	93/233	11 May	12 May.
19	26	26 October	6	Dr. Ross	.....	Establishment of an Australian Stock Institute at Rodd Island.	9 March	93/173	9 March	10 March.
39	52	12 " 1892.	2	Mr. Dawson	.....	Exhibits from New South Wales to the Chicago Exposition	2 February	93/88	2 February	3 February.
23	30	3 November	3	Mr. O'Sullivan	.....	Expenditure upon Public Works	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	17	5 October	15	Mr. Young	.....	Ferry at Kendall, Camden Haven	15 February	93/116	.....	.....
57	78	16 March	2	Mr. Garrard	.....	Field of Mars Common	1892. 2 May	93/299	1892. 2 May	1892. 3 May.
24	31	10 November	3	Mr. Parkes	.....	Floating Baths, Farm Cove	1892. 1 December	92/769	1892. 1 December	1892. 2 December
53	72	2 March	3	Mr. Hoyle	.....	Foreigners employed in the Public Works Department	1893. 7 June	93/450	1893. 7 June	1893. 8 June
49	70	28 February	4	Mr. Dickens	.....	Forestry Department	1892. 18 May	93/379	1892. 18 May	1892. 19 May.
11	22	18 October	7	Mr. Ewing	.....	Forfeiture of W. Baker's Conditional Purchases, Land District of Murwillumbah.	1892. 1 December	92/770	1892. 1 December	1892. 2 December
40	52	12 January	3	Mr. Wadell	.....	Gold-mining Lease at Cobar applied for by Neil Morrison and others.	1893. 5 April	93/243	.....	.....
36	50	10 " 1892.	5	Mr. Hutchinson	.....	Gold-mining Leases near Britannia Reef, Forbes	1892. 18 May	93/380	.....	.....
68	95	2 May	4	Mr. O'Sullivan	.....	Government Asylums	.....	93/330	9 May	10 May.
5	17	5 October	17	Mr. Walker	.....	Government Fees to Barristers	1892. 1 March	93/158	1892. 1 March	1892. 2 March.

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72	99	11 May 1893.	5	Mr. Bavister.....		Harbours and Rivers—Irrigation and Water Conservation and Roads Departments.	1893.		1893.	1893.
35	50	10 January 1892.	2	Mr. McGowen.....		Inspector of Weights and Measures.....	2 February	93/90	2 February	3 February.
41	54	18 " 1892.	2	Mr. Wright.....		Men engaged at Darling Harbour during Wool Season.....	7 March	93/163	7 March	8 March.
69	95	2 May 1892.	5	Mr. Black.....		Mining Property at Sebastopol, Temora.....				
33	45	14 December 1893.	3	Mr. Hutchinson.....		Mining Tenement—No. 31 Bonnie Dundee Reef, and Lots 8 and 9, Section 8, Town of Parkes.	7 March	93/161		
26	32	15 November 1893.	5	Mr. Molesworth.....		Moneys advanced to the Premier on his recent visit to England and America.	17 January..	93/90	17 January..	18 January.
76	102	17 May 1892.	7	Mr. Haynes.....		Mount Brown Gold-mine.....				
3	26	26 October 1893.	7	Mr. Tonkin.....	Mr. Benjamin Lee, Stipendiary Magistrate		1892.		1892.	1892.
							6 December	92/783	6 December	7 December
45	63	9 February 1892.	3	Mr. Tonkin.....		Mr. Benjamin Lee, Stipendiary Magistrate.....	1893.		1893.	1893.
							1 March	93/155	1 March	2 March.
31	40	1 December 1893.	4	Mr. Murphy.....		Mr. Josiah Thomas, J.P.....	1892.		1892.	1892.
							6 December	92/781	6 December	7 December
65	93	26 April 1892.	5	Mr. Black.....		Names of Members of Parliament, &c., on Share Lists of local Banking Institutions.				
4	17	5 October 1893.	16	Mr. Bavister.....		Nationality and Occupation of Persons in the Colony.....				
							1893.		1893.	1893.
66	94	27 April 1893.	2	Mr. Fuller.....		Police Magistrates.....	23 May	93/386	23 May	25 May.
37	51	11 January 1892.	3	Mr. Burdckin.....		Postal Service between Windsor and Pitt Town, and between Windsor and Wiseman's Ferry.	18 April	93/271		
71	99	11 May 1892.	3	Mr. Black.....		Premises rented by Government.....				
							1892.		1892.	1892.
9	18	6 October 1893.	10	Mr. Fuller.....		Proposed Branch Railway to Jamberoo.....	18 October..	92/625	18 October..	19 October.
25	32	15 November 1893.	3	Mr. G. D. Clark.....		Public Land sold by present Government.....				
							1893.		1893.	1893.
56	75	9 March 1892.	4	Mr. M'Court.....		Public School Teachers.....	29 March	93/231	29 March	30 March.
32	44	13 December 1893.	11	Mr. Fegan.....		Railway Employés.....				
20	27	27 October 1892.	3	Mr. Booth.....		Removal of Thomas Frawley, Sheriff's Officer, from Dubbo to Coonamble.	18 January..	93/33	18 January..	19 January.
27	33	16 November 1893.	5	Mr. Ewing.....		Reservation of Land in the Town of Quirindi for a Presbyterian Church and Manse.	19 " ..	93/62		
43	57	25 January 1892.	5	Mr. Ewing.....		Retirement of Mr. John Whitton, late Engineer-in-Chief for Railways.	9 March	93/175	9 March	10 March.
42	54	18 " 1892.	3	Mr. Willis.....		Retirement of Mr. W. M. M. Arnold from the Civil Service	31 January..	93/75	31 January..	1 February.
17	26	26 October 1892.	4	Mr. Darnley.....		Rodd Island.....	11 " ..	92/20	11 " ..	12 January.

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	No.	Date.	Entry.							
44	62	1893. 8 February ...	2	Mr. Schey.....		Royal Commission on charges made against the Chief Commissioner of Railways.	1893. 21 February	93/127	1893. 21 February	1893. 22 February.
55	74	1892. 8 March .....	2	Mr. Schey.....		Salaries and Wages of Employés in Railway and Tramway Department.	2 May .....	93/302	2 May .....	3 May. 1892.
30	39	1892. 30 November...	2	Mr. Chanter.....		Sale of Crown Lands in Counties of Cadell, Denison, Townsend, Hume, Urana, and Wakool.	1892. 13 December	92/791	1892. 13 December	1892. 14 December
15	25	1893. 25 October ...	3	Mr. Chanter.....		Sale of Crown Lands situated South of the Murrumbidgee River.	Rescinded, 30th November, 1892.			
63	93	1893. 26 April .....	3	Mr. E. M. Clark ...		Separation of Mossman's Ward from Borough of North Sydney.				
23	35	1892. 22 November...	2	Mr. Alfred Allen...		Sericulture in New Italy and in other Districts of this Colony.	1893. 15 February	93/113		
14	24	1892. 20 October ...	3	Mr. Cullen .....		Site for Public Baths at Lavender Bay, North Sydney ...	1892. 29 Nov.....	92/750	1892. 29 Nov.....	1892. 30 Nov.
70	98	1893. 10 May .....	2	Mr. E. M. Clark ...		Site of Public School Buildings at Nareburn .....	1893. 9 June.....	93/464		
61	90	1893. 19 April .....	3	Mr. Houghton .....		Staff Colour-Sergeant William Jifkins, Volunteer Permanent Staff.	1893. 30 May .....	93/408	1893. 30 May .....	1893. 31 May.
46	63	1892. 9 February ...	4	Mr. Schey.....		State Labour Farm for Relief of Unemployed .....	1892. 21 February	93/126	1892. 21 February	1892. 22 February
8	18	1893. 6 October ...	9	Mr. Fuller .....		Statues proposed to be put in Martin-place .....	1892. 25 October ..	92/650	1892. 25 October..	1892. 26 October.
62	91	1893. 20 April .....	2	Mr. Scott .....		Stockton Coal Mine.....	1893. 27 April ...	93/295	1893. 27 April ...	1893. 28 April.
16	25	1892. 25 October ...	4	Mr. Chanter.....		Survey of Reserves contiguous to the Punt Crossing-place at Tocumwal.	1892. 23 Nov.....	92/734	1892. 23 Nov.....	1892. 24 Nov.
21	28	1893. 1 November...	3	Mr. Cullen .....		Tenders for Artesian Tubing.....	1893. 30 " .....	92/759	1893. 30 " .....	1893. 1 December
60	85	1893. 6 April .....	2	Mr. G. D. Clark ...		Transfer of License of " Railway Hotel," Bathurst.....	1893. 4 May .....	93/323	1893. 4 May .....	1893. 5 May.
50	71	1892. 1 March .....	3	Mr. Chapman .....		Travelling Expenses to Officers in the Civil Service .....				
34	45	1893. 14 December ..	4	Mr. Hutchinson ...		Unclaimed Deeds of Land, Land Titles Office .....	1893. 2 May .....	93/313	1893. 2 May .....	1893. 3 May.
74	102	1892. 17 May .....	5	Mr. Alfred Allen...		Village and Industrial Settlements .....	1892. 30 " .....	93/407	1892. 30 " .....	1892. 31 " "
10	19	1893. 11 October ...	9	Mr. Morton .....		Vote for National Prizes for 1892.....	1893. 7 March ...	93/168		
67	95	1893. 2 May .....	3	Mr. Willis .....		Water Conservation Department .....	1893. 16 May .....	23/362	1893. 16 May .....	1893. 17 May.
78	113	1892. 7 June.....	4	Mr. McCourt .....		Year Book of Australia.....				

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	No.	Date.	Entry.							
75	76	1892. 27 January ...	6	Mr. Wall .....		Applications under the 45th section of the Crown Lands Act.	1892. 6 December	92/782	1892. 6 December	1892. 7 December
100	101	15 March .....	4	Mr. Dawson .....		Appraisement of Bullanamang Run, Monaro District .....	6 Sept.....	92/451	6 Sept.....	7 Sept.
94	92	25 February ...	5	Mr. O'Sullivan .....		Arthur Brice's Conditional Purchase in the Queanbeyan District.	6 " .....	92/449	6 " .....	7 " .....
66	67	1891. 21 December ..	15	Mr. Melville .....		Australian Agricultural Company ( <i>in part</i> ) .....	6 " .....	92/456	6 " .....	7 " .....
						" " ( <i>in completion</i> ) .....	11 January..	93/19	11 January..	12 January.
56	54	1892. 25 November..	7	Mr. G. D. Clark ...		Civil Service Pensions and Leave of Absence .....	1893. 25 October.	92/649	1893. 25 October..	1893. 26 October.
78	80	4 February ...	4	Mr. Vaughn .....		Closing of Walker-street North, and Extension of Bellevue-street, St. Leonards.	6 Sept.....	92/455	6 Sept.....	7 Sept.
1	7	1891. 29 July .....	19	Mr. Barnes .....		Conditional Purchase of George Vincent, at Gundagai .....	6 " .....	92/457	6 " .....	7 " .....
104	103	1892. 17 March .....	5	Mr. Garrard .....		Convictions under the Licensing Act ( <i>further—in part</i> ) ...	1893. 4 May .....	93/324	1893. 4 May .....	1893. 5 May.
110	110	30 " .....	3	Mr. Waddell .....		District Courts and Courts of Quarter Sessions at Brewarrina.	1892. 6 Sept.....	92/461	1892. 6 Sept.....	1892. 7 Sept.
105	106	23 " .....	2	Mr. Neild .....		Electric Tramway, Randwick to Waverley .....	4 October..	92/511	4 October..	5 October.
108	107	24 " .....	4	Mr. Black .....		Free Railway Passes .....	4 " .....	92/540	4 " .....	5 " .....
128	94	1884. 6 May .....	6	Mr. Hutchinson ...		Government Printing Office .....	30 August..	92/360	30 August..	31 August.
128	94	6 " .....	6	Mr. Hutchinson ...		Government Printing Office .....	1893. 7 June.....	93/448	1893. 7 June.....	1893. 8 June.
98	99	1892. 10 March .....	2	Mr. Ewing .....		James Baker's Conditional Purchase, Tweed River .....	1892. 6 Sept.....	92/450	1892. 6 Sept.....	1892. 7 Sept.
101	102	16 " .....	2	Mr. McCourt .....		Messrs. Angus and Company's Railway Contract, Ryde to Hornsby.	4 October..	92/542	4 October..	5 October.
103	103	17 " .....	4	Mr. R. B. Wilkinson .....		Pastoral Leases and Occupation Licences in the Western or Central Divisions.	6 Sept.....	92/452	6 Sept. ....	7 Sept.
102	103	17 " .....	3	Mr. Hoyle .....		Payments made to Railway Contractors—Angus & Co., M'Sweeney, Proudfoot & Co., and John Ahearn.	4 October..	92/544	4 October..	5 October.
81	82	9 February ..	6	Mr. Hutchison .....		Railways, Special Trains, Free Passes, &c. ....	4 " .....	92/543	4 " .....	5 " .....
10	91	24 " .....	3	Mr. McCourt .....	Release of prisoners .....		1893. 16 May .....	93/360		
36	24	1891. 8 September..	6	Dr. Ross .....		Road between Cudal and Davy's Plains .....	1892. 6 Sept.....	92/458	1892. 6 Sept.....	1892. 7 Sept.
86	84	1892. 11 February ...	5	Mr. Gormly .....		Special Areas in the Wagga Wagga and Hay Land Districts ( <i>in part</i> ).	6 " .....	92/459	6 " .....	7 " .....
						" " ( <i>further—in part</i> ) .....	1893. 7 March ...	93/162		
						" " ( <i>further—in part</i> ) .....	1892. 23 May .....	93/384		
89	87	17 " .....	7	Dr. Ross .....		Special Lease of Crown Lands at Jervis Bay .....	1892. 6 Sept.....	92/454	1892. 6 Sept.....	1892. 7 Sept.
104	57	1884. 15 February ..	4	Mr. Hutchinson ...		Spirits, Wine and Beer—Convictions under the Licensing Act ( <i>further—in part</i> ).	31 August..	92/397	31 August..	1 Sept.
96	95	1892. 2 March .....	5	Mr. Houghton .....		The Civil Service .....	2 November	92/686	2 November	3 November
90	89	22 February ...	4	Mr. Wright .....		Wharf in Lime and Erskine Streets .....	6 Sept.....	92/453	6 Sept.....	7 Sept.

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	VOTES.				VOTES.			VOTES.				VOTES.				
	No.	Date.	Entry.	On whose Motion.	No.	Date.	Entry.	No.	Date.	Entry.	By whom.	No.	Date.	Entry.	By whom and how.	
Appointment of the Right Honorable Sir Robert William Duff as Governor of the Colony.	109	1893. 31 May	8	Sir George Dibbs	109	1893. 31 May	8	.....	.....	.....	Mr. Speaker	110	1893. 1 June	.....	His Excellency the Governor.	
Civil Service Pensions.....	38	1892. 29 Nov.	7	Mr. G. D. Clark	38	1892. 29 Nov.	7	.....	.....	.....	Mr. Speaker	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Parliamentary Representatives Allowances.....	56	1893. 24 Jan.	2	Mr. J. D. Fitz-Gerald.	56	1893. 24 Jan.	2	.....	.....	.....	Mr. Speaker	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Steam Service between Sydney and Vancouver	113	1893. 7 June	13	Mr. Kidd	114	1893. 9 June a.m.	11	.....	.....	.....	Mr. Speaker	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Stock Tax	76	1893. 14 Mar.	6	Mr. Chapman	76	1893. 14 Mar.	6	.....	.....	.....	Mr. Speaker	.....	.....	.....	.....	
The Governor's Opening Speech	1	1892. 30 Aug.	11	Mr. Waddell	3	1892. 1 Sept.	6	4	1892. 6 Sept.	1	Mr. Speaker, accompanied by the House.	4	1892. 6 Sept.	1	His Excellency the Governor.	
Withdrawal of Estimates	55	1893. 19 Jun.	2	Mr. See	55	1893. 19 Jan.	2	.....	.....	.....	Mr. Speaker	.....	.....	.....	.....	

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 13 June, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES APPOINTED DURING THE SESSION OF 1892-3.

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 .....	30 August, 1892. Votes No. 1, Entry 11... (On motion of Mr. Waddell.)	{ Mr. Barbour, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Bowes, Mr. Dangar, Mr. Morgan,	{ Mr. Perry, Mr. Scott, Mr. Sheldon. Mr. Waddell.	Mr. Waddell.....	1	1	.....	30 August, 1892.
2	Elections and Qualifications .....	31 August, 1892. Votes No. 2, Entry 1... (By Speaker's warrant, taking effect 8 September, 1892.)	{ Mr. Cullen, Mr. Gould, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Parkes,	{ Mr. Torpy, Mr. John Wilkinson, Mr. Wright.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	Vale of Clwydd Coal-mining Com- pany's Bill.	5 October, 1892. Votes No. 17, Entry 9... (On motion of Mr. Wright.)	{ Mr. Alfred Allen, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Fegan, Mr. Garrard,	{ Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Tonkin, Mr. Torpy, Mr. Wright.	Mr. Wright .....	3	1	1	18 October, 1892.
4	Hillgrove and Armidale Water-power Electric Bill.	5 October, 1892. Votes No. 17, Entry 13... (On motion of Mr. Garrard.)	{ Mr. Cotton, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Crick, Mr. Dale, Mr. Ewing,	{ Mr. Garrard, Mr. Lonsdale, Mr. Lyne, Mr. McCourt.	Mr. Garrard .....	5	4	4	1 November, 1892.
5	Standing Orders* .....	5 October, 1892. Votes No. 17, Entry 33... (On motion of Sir George Dibbs for Mr. Barton.)	{ Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barton, Mr. Crick, Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Garvan,	{ Mr. Melville, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Reid, Mr. Want, Mr. Young.	Mr. Speaker .....	3	2	.....	.....
6	Library† .....	5 October, 1892. Votes No. 17, Entry 34... (On motion of Sir George Dibbs for Mr. Barton.)	{ Mr. Speaker, Mr. Barton, Mr. Dickens, Mr. Ewing, Mr. J. D. FitzGerald,	{ Mr. O'Sullivan, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Reid, Mr. Bruce Smith, Mr. Truill.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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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.		
7	Refreshment* .....	5 October, 1892. Votes No. 17, Entry 35... (On motion of Sir George Dibbs for Mr. Barton.)	Mr. Barton, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Bavister, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Levien, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Colls, Mr. McGowen.	Mr. Henry Clarke..	1	1	.....	.....
8	Scottish Australian Mining Company (Limited) Railway Bill.	11 October, 1892. Votes No. 19, Entry 4... (On motion of Mr. Melville.)	Mr. Danahey, Mr. Levien, Mr. Edden, Mr. Melville, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Hugh Taylor, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Tonkin, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Willis.	Mr. Melville.....	6	4	4	23 November, 1892.
9	Australasian Rights Purchase Bill ...	11 October, 1892. Votes No. 19, Entry 5... (On motion of Mr. Ewing.)	Mr. Cotton, Mr. Martin, Mr. Cullen, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Parkes, Mr. Ewing, Mr. Rae, Mr. Lyne, Mr. Wall.	Mr. Ewing .....	7	5	7	16 November, 1892.
10	Menindie and Broken Hill Tramway Bill.	18 October, 1892. Votes No. 22, Entry 6... (On motion of Mr. Barbour.)	Mr. Barbour, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Booth, Mr. Lee, Mr. Cann, Mr. Lyne, Mr. Copeland, Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Hugh Taylor.	Mr. Barbour.....	4	3	9	10 November, 1892.
11	Vice Suppression Bill† .....	25 October, 1892. Votes No. 25, Entry 11... (On motion of Mr. Morton.)	Mr. Barton, Mr. McMillan,‡ Mr. Carruthers, Mr. McCourt,§ Mr. Crick,‡ Mr. Morton, Dr. Cullen, Mr. Neild, Mr. Ewing, Mr. O'Sullivan,§ Mr. Frank Farnell,§ Mr. Wall. Mr. Lees ‡	Mr. Neild .....	9	5	2	.....
12	Simpson's Railway Bill  .....	16 November, 1892. Votes No. 33, Entry 2... (On motion of Mr. Neild.)	Mr. Bavister, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Neild, Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Garrard, Mr. Parkes, Mr. Lyne, Mr. Wright.	Mr. Neild .....	7	7	7	21 December, 1892.
13	Oxford-street Improvement Bill .....	16 November, 1892. Votes No. 33, Entry 4... (On motion of Mr. Neild.)	Mr. Gormly, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Hart, Mr. Neild, Mr. Leas, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Marks, Mr. Perry, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Waddell.	Mr. Neild .....	2	2	4	.....
14	Raymond Terrace Mechanics School of Arts Sale Bill.	16 November, 1892. Votes No. 33, Entry 6... (On motion of Mr. Hart.)	Mr. Edden, Mr. Lee, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Scobie, Mr. Gillies, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Sutor. Mr. Hart,	Mr. Hart .....	1	1	5	29 November, 1892.

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† Leave given to Committee to sit during any adjournment.

‡ Discharged.

§ Added, 13 April, 1893.

|| Leave given to Committee to make visit of inspection, and to sit during any adjournment.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES APPOINTED DURING THE SESSION OF 1892-3—continued.

No. OF COMMITTEE.	DESIGNATION OF COMMITTEE.	WHEN AND HOW APPOINTED.	MEMBERS.	CHAIRMAN.	NO. OF MEETINGS.		NO. OF WITNESSES EXAMINED.	WHEN REPORTED.
					Called.	Held.		
15	Post Office Savings Bank—National Bank.*	29 November, 1892. Votes No. 38, Entry 4 (On motion of Mr. Dowel.)	Mr. Dowel, Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Garvan, Mr. Gough, Mr. Houghton, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Molesworth,† Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Rose, Mr. See, Mr. Walker.‡	Mr. Dowel	44	40	33	21 February, 1893; 6 April, 1893; 2 May, 1893 (Progress of Evidence); 16 May, 1893. (Final.)
16	Selection made by James Conolly at Tamworth.	13 December, 1892. Votes No. 44, Entry 13 (On motion of Mr. Levien.)	Mr. Burdick, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Davis, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Haessall, Mr. Levien, Mr. Miller, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Wall.	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
17	Hay Athenaeum Trustees Enabling Bill	19 January, 1893. Votes No. 55, Entry 7. (On motion of Mr. Newton.)	Mr. Barbour, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Langwell, Mr. McGowen, Mr. Newton, Mr. Suttor, Mr. R. B. Wilkinson.	Mr. Newton	1	1	1	1 February, 1893.
18	Picturesque Atlas Company	24 January, 1893. Votes No. 56, Entry 7... (On motion of Mr. Frank Farnell.)	Mr. Dale, Mr. Eve, Mr. Ewing, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Garrard, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Nobbs, Mr. Sharp, Mr. Hugh Taylor.	Mr. Frank Farnell.	21	19	29	.....
19	Lec and Brady Settlement Bill.....	14 February, 1893. Votes No. 64, Entry 4. (On motion of Mr. Waddell.)	Mr. Barton, Mr. Bavister, Mr. Dale, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Hindle, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Perry, Mr. Waddell.	Mr. Waddell	3	1	4	1 March, 1893.
20	Gunnedah School of Arts Enabling Bill	23 February, 1893. Votes No. 69, Entry 3. (On motion of Mr. Kirkpatrick.)	Mr. Collins, Mr. Larnley, Mr. Donald, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Hart, Mr. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Lee, Mr. Suttor.	Mr. Hart	1	1	1	23 March, 1893.
21	Menindie Irrigation Bill §	23 February, 1893. Votes No. 69, Entry 5. (On motion of Mr. McCourt.)	Mr. A'Beckett, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Cann,   Mr. Cotton, Mr. Dickens, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Lyne, Mr. McCourt, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Young.¶	Mr. Barbour	6	6	6	22 March, 1893.
22	Calaghan's Conditional Purchases, Braidwood and Queanbeyan.	1 March, 1893. Votes No. 71, Entry 8 ... (On motion of Mr. Holborow.)	Mr. Joseph Abbott, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Carruthers, Mr. Colls, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Holborow, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Rose, Dr. Ross.	Mr. Holborow	1	1	.....	2 March, 1893.

\* Leave given to Committee to sit during any adjournment and to report evidence from time to time.

† Discharged.

‡ Added, 8 February 1893.

§ Council Bill referred to Select Committee.

|| Added.

¶ Discharged, 8 March, 1893.

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					Called.	Held.			
23	William Stafford, ex-Mounted Sergeant of Police.	12 April, 1893. Votes No. 87, Entry 5 (On motion of Mr. Darnley.)	{ Mr. Chapman, Mr. G. D. Clark, Mr. Danahey, Mr. Darnley, Sir George Dibbs,	{ Mr. Garrard, Mr. Hogan, Mr. Johnston, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Rose.	Mr. Darnley.....	7	6	3	12 May, 1893.
24	Agricultural Holdings Bill.....	18 April, 1893. Votes No. 89, Entry 6 (On motion of Mr. Copeland.)	{ Mr. Bowes, Mr. Brunker, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Copeland, Dr. Cullen,	{ Mr. Ewing, Mr. Garrard, Mr. McFarlane, Mr. Scobie, Mr. Young.	Mr. Bowes .....	10	8	8	30 May, 1893.
25	Working of the Government Labour Bureau.	26 April, 1893. Votes No. 93, Entry 10 (On motion of Mr. J. D. FitzGerald.)	{ Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Ewing, Mr. J. D. FitzGerald, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Langwell,	{ Mr. McGowen, Mr. Parkes, Mr. Rae, Mr. Waddell, Mr. Wall.	Mr. J. D. FitzGerald	16	16	10	2 June, 1893.
26	Parramatta Street-Watering Bill .....	26 April, 1893. Votes No. 93, Entry 12 (On motion of Mr. Frank Farnell.)	{ Mr. Barbour, Mr. Bowes, Mr. Dale, Mr. Frank Farnell,	{ Mr. Garrard, Mr. Hassall, Mr. Hugh Taylor.	Mr. Frank Farnell.	4	3	5	23 May, 1893.
27	Case of John Deniff .....	7 June, 1893. Votes No. 113, Entry 10 (On motion of Mr. Waddell.)	{ Mr. Barton, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Hindle,	{ Mr. Kelly, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Perry, Mr. Waddell.	Mr. Waddell.....	4	2	3	.....
28	Claim of James Guilien, of Broger's Creek.	7 June, 1893. Votes No. 113, Entry 11 (On motion of Mr. Morton.)	{ Mr. Barnes, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Colls, Mr. Cullen,	{ Mr. Donald, Mr. Fuller, Mr. Jones, Mr. McCourt, Mr. Morton.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Legislative Assembly Offices,  
Sydney, 13 June, 1893.

F. W. WEBB,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

1892.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

**PRIVILEGE—TOOHEY v. MELVILLE.**

(JUDGMENT OF SUPREME COURT.)

*Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 30 August, 1892.*

The Acting Colonial Secretary to The Speaker of the Legislative Assembly.

Sir,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, 13 June, 1892.

With reference to the action noted in the margin, I have the honor to inform you that the Crown Solicitor reports that, on the 4th instant, the Supreme Court, in a written judgment, which appeared in the newspapers, decided the demurrer in favour of the defendant, holding that the Chairman of Committees had power to eject a disorderly Member. Mr. Smith adds that whether the plaintiff was disorderly is a question of fact yet to be tried.

Toohey v.  
Melville.

I have, &amp;c.,

F. B. SUTTON.

SUPREME COURT.—SATURDAY, JUNE 4.

*In Banco.*—(Before Mr. Justice WINDEYER and Mr. Justice INNES.)

TOOHEY v. MELVILLE.

The Court delivered its reserved judgment on the above demurrer.

Mr. Justice WINDEYER said: This is an action brought by a Member of the Legislative Assembly against the Chairman of Committees of the Whole House, for assaulting and forcibly expelling and causing the plaintiff to be assaulted and expelled from the Legislative Chamber, and for preventing the plaintiff from re-entering it. To this declaration the defendant has pleaded the general issue and a plea of justification. This plea alleges that the defendant was the Chairman of Committees of the Whole House, and was presiding as such Chairman whilst the said Assembly was so sitting in Committee, and thereupon the plaintiff was guilty of disorderly conduct in the said Committee by wilfully and persistently interrupting and obstructing the proceedings and business of the said Committee, and by disregarding and disobeying the lawful directions and rulings of the defendant given to the plaintiff by the defendant, as and being such Chairman as aforesaid, and by persisting in standing when the defendant, as such Chairman, directed him to be seated, and by persisting in addressing the defendant and speaking in the said Committee when the defendant, as such Chairman, had ruled that he was out of order in so doing, and had requested him to desist therefrom; and the defendant says that by reason of the premises it then became and was necessary, in order to enable the said proceedings and business of the said Committee to continue and be conducted in a proper and orderly manner, and to preserve order and decency of debate in the said Committee, to cause the plaintiff to be removed from the said Chamber, and prevented from re-entering the said Chamber during the said sitting, wherefore the defendant, for the purposes aforesaid, and not otherwise, directed the Sergeant-at-Arms of the said Assembly to remove the plaintiff from the said Chamber, and prevent him from re-entering the same during the said sitting of the said Committee. This plea has been demurred to, on the ground that there was no right or power in the defendant as Chairman of Committees to cause the plaintiff to be removed from the Chamber without a previous resolution of the House to that effect. The question raised by this demurrer altogether differs from the questions raised in *Keiley v. Carson*, *Fenton v. Hampton*, *Doyle v. Falconer*, and *Taylor v. Barton*, inasmuch as in this case the removal of the plaintiff by the defendant, as Chairman of Committees, was a course taken, not in any way to punish the plaintiff for misconduct, but simply to maintain order, and to enable the deliberations of the Committee of the Whole House to be carried on. No such question, therefore, arises here as to the limited punitive powers of colonial Assemblies as arose in the cases referred to, and the question of the power of the defendant as Chairman of Committees to cause the removal of the plaintiff from the Chamber must be decided on the same principles as would determine the legality of similar action by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Commons, should there be no Standing Order of the House of Commons providing for the mode of dealing with such a case. It is admitted that there is no Standing Order of the Legislative Assembly prescribing any particular course to be taken by the Chairman of Committees on disorder arising, and that no Standing Order of the House of Commons applicable to the case has been adopted by the Legislative

Assembly beyond the 176th Standing Order of the House of Commons which was in force in 1857, and which runs as follows:—"Order is maintained in the House by Mr. Speaker, and in a Committee of the Whole House by the Chairman of such Committee; but disorder in a Committee can only be censured by the House on receiving a report thereof." It is somewhat remarkable that in the history of a nation whose people from time immemorial have enjoyed the right of free speech, and whose right of discussing matters in public meetings has been almost in daily exercise for centuries, that so few cases have been decided in our courts as to the powers of a chairman of any public body, the practical common sense of our race, apparently, having settled any such disputes as may have arisen without recourse to courts of law. It is admitted that the law is clear as laid down in *Keiley v. Carson*, *Doyle v. Falconer*, and *Taylor v. Barton*, that "there is an inherent power in every Legislative Assembly to protect itself against obstruction, interruption, or disturbance of its proceedings by the misconduct of its Members in the course of those proceedings"; and that all powers of that kind are incidental to and inherent in a Legislative Assembly, "which are necessary to the existence of such a body, and the proper exercise of the functions which it is intended to execute." "Whatever," say their Lordships, in the case of *Taylor v. Barton*, "is necessary for these purposes is impliedly granted whenever any such legislative body is established by competent authority." Protective and self-defensive powers being evidently necessary to enable a legislative body to transact its business, their Lordships, in *Doyle v. Falconer*, say, "If a Member of a colonial House of Assembly is guilty of disorderly conduct in the House while sitting he may be removed or excluded for a time, or even expelled. . . . The right to remove for self-security is one thing, the right to inflict punishment is another. . . . If the good sense and conduct of the Members of colonial Legislatures prove insufficient to secure order and decency of debate, the law would sanction the use of that degree of force which might be necessary to remove the person excluded from the place of meeting, and to keep him excluded." The inherent right, therefore, of the Assembly to remove a disorderly Member interrupting its proceedings being conceded, the only questions that remain are whether this right can be exercised by the Assembly when in Committee, and, if so, whether the Committee can exercise it through its Chairman. As to the right of the Committee to turn out a disorderly Member interrupting its proceedings, though the objection formally taken on the demurrer was that there must be a resolution of the House authorising the Chairman of Committees to act, it seemed to be virtually conceded by the plaintiff's counsel that the Committee could by resolution order the removal of the offending Member, and the argument before us was practically narrowed down to the question whether the Chairman should not have been armed by such a resolution before he acted. Certainly no reason was adduced why the Legislative Assembly, when in Committee, should not have the same power of self-preservation against the obstruction caused by intruders or disorderly members of its own body as it has when the Speaker is in the Chair. It is the same legislative body simply acting under a special mode of procedure and with a different President, and every reason in favour of the right of removing all persons obstructing its proceedings founded on the right of self-protection applies as forcibly to the House when in Committee as when the Speaker is in the Chair. In the absence of any Standing Order expressly empowering the Chairman to remove a disorderly Member obstructing the proceedings, and in the absence of any legal decision upon the point, we have to decide whether the power of ordering the removal of a disorderly Member is given by the Standing Order 176 before referred to, which authorises the Chairman of Committees to maintain order when the House is in Committee, or is a power inherent in him by virtue of his office as Chairman irrespective of any Standing Order. The contention on behalf of the defendant is that inasmuch as the removal of a disorderly Member on the order of the Chairman may at times be the only mode of maintaining order, the power to remove must be included amongst the powers given to the Chairman when he is authorised to maintain order. This contention is, we think, well-founded. It requires little consideration to show that, unless the Chairman is armed with this authority, the deliberations of the Committee may be completely obstructed, and that the Committee may be rendered unable to discharge its functions altogether. If, as contended, a resolution must be passed empowering the Chairman to order the removal of the offending Member, the same disorder which in the first instance prevented the business being carried on, and which necessitated the resolution, might still be continued, and the deliberations of the Committee when debating the resolution proposed might be completely obstructed. On the discussion of such a resolution, moreover, further disorder might arise, necessitating the moving of another resolution for the removal of another offending Member, and so on *ad infinitum*, thus making the discussion of the original resolution impossible. Every argument founded upon the inconvenience and impossibility of passing a resolution by the Committee authorising the removal of a disorderly Member applies with equal force to obtaining the authority of the House, which would have to be preceded by a resolution in Committee that the Chairman leave the Chair and report the matter to the House, the passing of which resolution might be obstructed with further disorder. It is absurd to suppose if a Member assaulted another and a violent contest took place that the fight should be allowed to continue till a resolution was passed ordering the removal of the offending Member. It would be equally absurd to require a resolution ordering the removal of a Member who insisted on beating a drum which drowned the voices of Members taking part in the proceedings, and which would alike prevent the moving of a resolution ordering his removal. These may be said to be extreme cases not likely to arise; but it is by extreme cases that we must test the validity of the argument that the Chairman has not the power preemptorily to order the removal of a Member interrupting the proceedings of the Committee. The necessity of the case is at once the basis of the power and the test of the legality of its exercise in any given instance. How the interruption is caused is of no consequence provided the necessity arises. The Chairman of Committees, in Committees of the Whole House, or the Speaker, if the House is sitting, is clothed with every power which is necessary to maintain order. The common right to remove an intruder or a Member obstructing the proceedings which is in the Whole Committee is both by virtue of the appointment of the Chairman and by the Standing Order delegated to the Chairman. Chosen by the House to guide its deliberations in Committee, and to maintain the order which is necessary for such deliberations, in all matters of order, he voices its opinion and gives practical expression to its will. All that the Committee would do if asked its opinion he does, on the assumption that he is expressing its will, and knowing that if he acts in opposition to the tacit will of the Committee, as a whole, its dissent will be quickly expressed. In this respect it appears to me that the Common Law powers of the Chairman of Committees are clearly as great as, and are certainly no less than, those possessed by the Chairman of any other lawful meeting of citizens. As Lord Denman (in the case of the *Queen v. Doyle*, 12 and E. 2, 157) observes with reference to the powers of a Chairman of a vestry meeting, "It is on him that it devolves both to preserve order in the meeting and to regulate the proceedings"

proceedings, so as to give all persons a reasonable opportunity of voting. He is to do the acts necessary for these purposes on his own responsibility, and subject to the being called upon to answer for his conduct if he does anything improperly." The Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly no less requires to be invested with this power than does a justice of the peace or the chairman of an ordinary public meeting. In the case of *ex parte* Cary, 3 Wil. and O. 304, speaking of the power of a justice of the peace to order the removal from the police court of a practitioner obstructing its proceedings by improper conduct, Sir Alfred Stephen says, in delivering the judgment of the Court, "We entertain no doubt that any person offending in the manner and to the extent supposed, and so that a repetition of such behaviour is reasonably apprehended, may also be forthwith removed from the room; and, if so, he may be kept out of or prevented from entering it during the remainder of the proceedings. For such a power exists in the case of any ordinary meeting, where a person otherwise entitled to be present so obstructs the proceedings that they cannot, without immediate 'abatement' of the nuisance, be peaceably continued; and it would be absurd to suppose that at least an equal power is not possessed by public functionaries in the discharge of their important duties. But to remove a turbulent or misbehaving person for the moment merely without the correlative necessary power of continuing his enforced absence for the required period of peaceful progress would be nugatory and idle." If it is said, as has been argued before us, that the possession of such a power by the Chairman of Committees is dangerous as enabling him to remove Members of opinion opposed to his own on a false pretext of their being disorderly, the answer is that the possibility of a power being dangerous if abused is no reason why such power should not be given if it is necessary for the proper transaction of any public business. The love of justice and fair play, and the sense of moral obligation attaching to the discharge of the duties of exalted station actuating those called upon to perform them, have hitherto prevented the degradation of high office by any such displays of arbitrary power. It is not too much to expect that they will suffice in the future as they have in the past. The same independent spirit of criticism and of resistance to any form of oppression which has always animated a free people will restrain any abuse of such power through mere indiscretion. In every case where such powers are exercised by a Speaker, by a Chairman of Committees, or by the chairman of a public meeting, presiding for the nonce, there is always an appeal to the opinion of the meeting, and it may be safely assumed that if the action of the chairman is not approved it will not be supported. For the purposes of the argument in this case, it must be assumed as stated in the plea that the removal of the plaintiff was necessary to enable the proceedings of the Committee to be carried on, and upon that assumption I am of opinion that the Chairman of Committees had power to order the removal of the plaintiff from the Chamber, and, as decided by the Privy Council in *Taylor v. Barton*, to keep him out for the remainder of the sitting; for, as Sir Alfred Stephen remarks in *ex parte* Corey, "to remove a turbulent or misbehaving person for the moment merely, without the correlative power of continuing his enforced absence for the required period of peaceful progress, would be nugatory and idle." For these reasons our judgment must be for the defendant. Mr. Justice Stephen authorises me to state that he concurs in this judgment.

Mr. Justice LYNES said: I have not had an opportunity of seeing the judgment just read; but I understood that we were all of opinion that the demurrer must be over-ruled. At the conclusion of the argument I wrote down the following short statement of the view which I entertained, and, as I remain of the same way of thinking, it may be taken as the expression of my individual opinion. Concurring as I do with the rest of the Court, it is unnecessary to give a more elaborate judgment. I am of opinion that the plea is good. I see no reason for supposing that, when the House of Assembly is in Committee of the Whole, the Chairman of that Committee is not invested with the same power for the preservation and maintenance of order as a chairman of any public meeting is invested with for that purpose. Mr. Rogers has argued that the Chairman, before directing the removal of any person who is disorderly and absolutely preventing the business from proceeding, must in some way or other get what he terms "the sense of the whole meeting" as an authority for taking such action. I grant that, but I say that when a meeting places a chairman in the chair they clothe him with the requisite authority for maintaining that, the maintenance of which is absolutely necessary for the purposes—nay to the very existence—of the meeting. Standing Order 176 of the House of Commons of 1857, adopted by our Legislative Assembly, states: "Order is maintained in the House by Mr. Speaker, and in a Committee of the Whole by the Chairman of such Committee; but disorder in a Committee can only be censured by the House on receiving a report thereof." Now, this to my mind, indicates in the clearest manner the difference between the "maintenance" or preservation of order, which is absolutely necessary to an immediate necessity for the conduct of business, and the "censure" or punishment of disorder, which is to be a subsequent proceeding, having as its main object the prevention of the recurrence of such disorder in the future. This is not a question of the expulsion of a Member from Parliament; it is not a question of the suspension of a Member; it is in no sense a question of punishment of a Member for any offence against Parliament; it is a simple question of at once, there and then, turning a disorderly man out of an assemblage for the purpose of rendering it possible for that assemblage to proceed with the business immediately in hand. That there must be a power instantly to stop such disorder is manifest; and that that power is vested in the Chairman of a Committee of the Whole House, is, to my mind, equally manifest, from the necessity of the thing.

Judgment for defendant accordingly.



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## NEW SOUTH WALES.

ADDRESSES OF CONDOLENCE WITH HER MAJESTY  
THE QUEEN AND THEIR ROYAL HIGHNESSES THE  
PRINCE AND PRINCESS OF WALES.

(REPLY TO DESPATCH FORWARDING.)

Presented to Parliament by Command.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies to The Governor the Right Honorable the  
Earl of Jersey, G.C.M.G., &c., &c., &c.

(New South Wales—No. 13.)

My Lord,

Downing-street, 14 March, 1892.

I have received and laid before the Queen the Addresses from the Legislative Council and Assembly, which accompanied your Lordship's despatch No. 10 of the 30th January, expressing sympathy with Her Majesty and their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales on the occasion of the death of the Duke of Clarence and Avondale.

I am commanded by Her Majesty, on her own behalf, and on that of the Prince and Princess of Wales, to request that you will convey to both Houses of the Legislature the grateful thanks of the Royal Family for the kind feelings which are expressed in their Addresses, which have been an additional comfort to them in their bereavement.

I have, &c.,  
KNUTSFORD



1892.

## NEW SOUTH WALES.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE GOVERNOR AND COMMANDER-  
IN-CHIEF OF THE COLONY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

(DESPATCH FORWARDING.)

Presented to Parliament by Command.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies to Governor, the Right Hon. the Earl of  
Jersey, G.C.M.G., &c., &c., &c.

(New South Wales, No. 53.)

My Lord,

Downing-street, 13 July, 1892.

At the Colonial Conference of 1887 considerable discussion took place upon the question whether the Governor of a self-governing Colony should exercise the prerogative of pardon upon his own discretion and judgment, or whether he should be guided, as in other matters of local concern, by the opinion of his responsible advisers, but no conclusion was arrived at, as the delegates of the different Colonies were not unanimous in their views. No change has, therefore, been made up to the present time, and the existing Royal instructions to the Governor of New South Wales contain the following clause respecting the exercise of the prerogative of mercy in capital cases:—

“The Governor shall not pardon or reprieve any such offender unless it shall appear to him expedient so to do upon receiving the advice of the said Executive Council thereon, but in all such cases he is to decide either to extend or to withhold a pardon or reprieve, according to his own deliberate judgment, whether the members of the Executive Council concur therein or otherwise, entering, nevertheless, on the minutes of the said Executive Council a minute of his reasons at length in case he should decide any such question in opposition to the judgment of the majority of the members thereof.”

2. Since 1887 the question has received further consideration, and I have recently learnt that all the Australasian Colonies desire that, if Her Majesty so pleased, the instructions to their Governors should in this respect be modified, so that the Ministry of the day may become responsible for the carrying out or commutation of a capital sentence as they already are for all other matters connected with the administration of justice. I accordingly lost no time in taking the Queen's pleasure upon the subject, and Her Majesty has graciously signified her willingness to accede to the desire of her Colonial subjects, and to command that fresh instructions should be prepared for the purpose.

3. I have now the honor to transmit to you fresh instructions under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet containing a clause respecting the exercise of the prerogative of mercy, and adopting the language of the similar clause in the instructions issued to the Governor-General of Canada—language which will, I trust, be satisfactory to your Ministers, as it always has been to the Government of the Dominion.

4. As the clause makes no mention of a report from the Judge in a capital case, it will rest with your Ministers to consider what should be the practice in this respect; and, as they may be glad to be made acquainted with the course which is followed in the Dominion of Canada, I transmit to you a copy of the section in the Canadian Act which relates to this subject. (Sec. 8 of Chapter 181 of the Acts of 1886.)

5. I availed myself of this opportunity to advise Her Majesty that the instructions might, with advantage, be amended in certain other particulars, a course of which Her Majesty has approved; and the result is embodied in the instructions now transmitted. These instructions have, as you will observe, been throughout simplified in language, and shortened by the omission not only of clauses which are scarcely suited to the conditions of a colony under Responsible Government, but also by the omission of clauses relating to matters of detail in legislation, and to the keeping of records, which, although necessary to the proper conduct of Government, are not of sufficient importance to be retained in instructions passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet. Your Ministers, to whom you will be good enough to communicate this despatch, will doubtless do what is necessary to enable you to comply with the wishes of Her Majesty's Government in these respects.

6. The clause declaring the necessary quorum of the Executive Council is retained, so as to preclude any question being raised as to whether the Council is duly constituted at any meeting. The Council is created by the Letters Patent, and in the absence of any law on the subject, the Crown is the only authority which can determine the conditions essential for due exercise of its functions; and the most

convenient as well as the most formal method of determining such conditions is by a declaration contained in instructions issued by Her Majesty under an order of the Privy Council. You will recognise that it is essential to fix the number of the quorum; inasmuch as in the absence of an authoritative declaration that a smaller number is sufficient, it might be urged that no meeting of the Council would be duly constituted unless every member of it were present; and looking to the importance of its functions, it is most desirable that no room for doubt should exist.

7. For similar reasons the clause relating to the Presidency of the Council is also retained, as it will preclude all question as to the power of the Executive Council to proceed with the transaction of business in the event of the Governor not being present.

8. As I have before pointed out, certain clauses relating to matters of detail have been omitted, but it is expedient, as a matter of convenience to the Secretary of State in dealing with the laws sent home for consideration, as well as one of practical importance to the Colony affected by such laws, that each different matter should be dealt with in a separate law, so that things which have no proper relation to each other should not be intermixed in one and the same law, and that no clause be inserted in any law which is foreign to what the title of such law imports, and that no perpetual clause be part of any temporary law.

9. It is also desirable that all laws transmitted by you should be fairly abstracted in the margin, and be accompanied with a report by the Attorney-General, and in such cases as appear to you to require it with statements explanatory of the reasons for passing such laws.

10. You will continue to transmit for my information, and that of other Departments of the Public Service and for record in this office, a sufficient number of copies of the Journals and Minutes of the Proceedings of both Houses of the Legislature, and of such annual returns as have been ordinarily transmitted relative to the Revenue and Expenditure, Defence, Public Works, Legislation, Civil Establishment, Population, Schools, Imports and Exports, Agriculture, Manufactures, and other statistics of the state and condition of the Colony.

I have, &c.,

KNUTSFORD.

Colonial Secretary for necessary action.—JERSEY, 23/8/92.

*Section 8 of Canadian Act, Chapter 181, of 1886.*

8. In the case of any prisoner sentenced to the punishment of death, the judge before whom such prisoner has been convicted shall forthwith make a report of the case to the Secretary of State, for the information of the Governor-General; and the day to be appointed for carrying the sentence into execution shall be such as in the opinion of the judge will allow sufficient time for the signification of the Governor's pleasure before such day, and if the judge thinks such prisoner ought to be recommended for the exercise of the Royal mercy, or if, from the non-decision of any point of law reserved in the case, or from any other cause it becomes necessary to delay the execution, he or any other judge of the same Court, or who might have held or sat in such Court, may, from time to time, either in term or in vacation, reprove such offender for such period or periods beyond the time fixed for the execution of the sentence as are necessary for the consideration of the case by the Crown. (32-33 V., c. 29, s. 107; 36 V., c. 3, s. 6.)

NEW SOUTH WALES.

INSTRUCTIONS passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, to the Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies:—

VICTORIA R.I.

Dated 9th July, 1892.

INSTRUCTIONS to our Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over our Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies, or to our Lieutenant-Governor or other Officer for the time being administering the Government of our said Colony and its Dependencies.—Given at our Court at Windsor, this ninth day of July, 1892, in the fifty-sixth year of our Reign.

Preamble.

WHEREAS by certain Letters Patent bearing date the twenty-ninth day of April, 1879, we did constitute, order, and declare that there should be a Governor and Commander-in-Chief (therein and hereinafter called the Governor) in and over our Colony of New South Wales and its dependencies (which said Colony and its Dependencies are therein and hereinafter called the Colony): And whereas we did thereby authorise and command the Governor to do and execute all things that belong to his said office, according to the tenor of our said Letters Patent, and of such Commission as might be issued to him under our Sign Manual and Signet, and according to such instructions as might from time to time be given to him under our Sign Manual and Signet or by our Order in our Privy Council or by us through one of our Principal Secretaries of State, and to such laws as were then or should thereafter be in force in the Colony: And whereas we did issue certain instructions under our Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the twenty-ninth day of April, 1879: And whereas we are minded to give these further instructions to our said Governor: Now know you that we do hereby revoke the aforesaid instructions, and we do by these our Instructions under our Sign Manual and Signet direct and enjoin and declare our will and pleasure as follows:—

Recites Letters Patent of 29th April, 1879, constituting the office of Governor.

Recites instructions of 29th April, 1879. Revokes aforesaid instructions.

Interpretation.

I. In these our instructions, unless inconsistent with the context, the term "the Governor" shall include every person for the time being administering the Government of the Colony.

Oaths to be administered by the Governor.

II. The Governor may, whenever he thinks fit, require any person in the public service to take the Oath of Allegiance, together with such other oath or oaths as may from time to time be prescribed by any law in force in the Colony. The Governor is to administer such oaths or cause them to be administered by some Public Officer of the Colony.

Governor to communicate instructions to Executive Council.

III. The Governor shall forthwith communicate these our instructions to the Executive Council, and likewise all such others, from time to time, as he shall find convenient for our service to impart to them.

Governor to preside. Governor to appoint a President. Senior Member to preside in the absence of the Governor and President. Seniority of Members.

IV. The Governor shall attend and preside at the meetings of the Executive Council, unless prevented by some necessary or reasonable cause, and in his absence such member as may be appointed by him in that behalf, or in the absence of such member the senior member of the Executive Council actually present shall preside; the seniority of the members of the said Council, being regulated according to the order of their respective appointments as members thereof.

V.

V. The Executive Council shall not proceed to the despatch of business unless duly summoned by authority of the Governor, nor unless two members at the least (exclusive of the Governor or of the member presiding) be present, and assisting throughout the whole of the meetings at which any such business shall be despatched. Quorum.

VI. In the execution of the powers and authorities vested in him, the Governor shall be guided by the advice of the Executive Council, but if in any case he shall see sufficient cause to dissent from the opinion of the said Council, he may act in the exercise of his said powers and authorities in opposition to the opinion of the Council, reporting the matter to us without delay, with the reasons of his so acting. In any such case it shall be competent to any member of the said Council to require that there be recorded upon the minutes of the Council the grounds of any advice or opinion that he may give upon the question. Governor to take advice of Executive Council.

VII. The Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is hereby authorised, from time to time, in our name by an instrument or instruments under the Great Seal of the Colony, to summon to the Legislative Council of the Colony such person or persons as the Governor and Executive Council shall think fit, in accordance with the provisions of an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the eighteenth and nineteenth years of our Reign, intituled an Act to enable Her Majesty to assent to a Bill, as amended, of the Legislature of New South Wales, "to confer a Constitution on New South Wales, and to grant a Civil List to Her Majesty." Constitution of the Legislative Council.  
Imperial Act 18 & 19 Vic., c. 54, 1855.  
Local Act, No. 41 of 1853: Schedule to the Imperial Act.

VIII. The Governor shall not, except in the cases hereunder mentioned, assent in our name to any Bill of any of the following classes:— Description of Bills not to be assented to.

1. Any Bill for the divorce of persons joined together in holy matrimony.
2. Any Bill whereby any grant of land or money, or other donation or gratuity, may be made to himself.
3. Any Bill affecting the currency of the Colony.
4. Any Bill imposing differential duties (other than as allowed by the Australian Colonies' Duties Act, 1873).
5. Any Bill, the provisions of which shall appear inconsistent with obligations imposed upon us by treaty.
6. Any Bill interfering with the discipline or control of our forces in the Colony by land or sea.
7. Any Bill of an extraordinary nature and importance, whereby our prerogative, or the rights and property of our subjects not residing in the Colony, or the trade and shipping of the United Kingdom and its Dependencies, may be prejudiced.
8. Any Bill containing provisions to which our assent has been once refused; or which have been disallowed by us;

Unless he shall have previously obtained our instructions upon such Bill through one of our Principal Secretaries of State, or unless such Bill shall contain a clause suspending the operation of such Bill until the signification in the Colony of our pleasure thereupon, or unless the Governor shall have satisfied himself that an urgent necessity exists requiring that such Bill be brought into immediate operation, in which case he is authorised to assent in our name to such Bill, unless the same shall be repugnant to the law of England, or inconsistent with any obligations imposed upon us by treaty. But he is to transmit to us by the earliest opportunity the Bill so assented to, together with his reasons for assenting thereto. Powers in urgent cases.

IX. The Governor shall not pardon or reprieve any offender without first receiving in capital cases the advice of the Executive Council, and in other cases the advice of one, at least, of his Ministers; and in any case in which such pardon or reprieve might directly affect the interests of our Empire, or of any country or place beyond the jurisdiction of the Government of the Colony, the Governor shall, before deciding as to either pardon or reprieve, take those interests specially into his own personal consideration in conjunction with such advice as aforesaid. Regulation of power of pardon.

X. All Commissions granted by the Governor to any persons to be Judges, Justices of the Peace, or other officers, shall, unless otherwise provided by law, be granted during pleasure only. Judges, &c., to be appointed during pleasure.

XI. The Governor shall not quit the Colony without having first obtained leave from us for so doing under our Sign Manual and Signet, or through one of our Principal Secretaries of State, except for the purpose of visiting the Governor of any neighbouring Colony for periods not exceeding one month at any one time, nor exceeding in the aggregate one month for every year's service in the Colony. Governor's absence.  
Temporary leave of absence.

XII. The temporary absence of the Governor for any period not exceeding one month shall not, if he have previously informed the Executive Council, in writing, of his intended absence, and if he have duly appointed a deputy in accordance with our said Letters Patent, be deemed a departure from the Colony within the meaning of the said Letters Patent. Governor's absence and departure from the Colony.  
Interpretation clause.

V.R.I.



1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

SUCCESSOR TO GOVERNOR THE EARL OF JERSEY.  
(APPOINTMENT OF.)

*Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 21 March, 1893.*

Cablegram from The Chief Secretary to The Agent-General.

Sydney, 21 February, 1893.

INFORM Secretary of State the following our views appointment Governor. The Blake episode showed that opinions Colonial Governments are respected. This incident was before us when replying question which aroused discussion Imperial Parliament. Colony claims no rights in selection and appointment, but expects before final appointment Government should be informed in advance, so that we may have opportunity informing Secretary of State whether appointment in our opinion would be viewed with satisfaction and confidence.

Cablegram from The Agent-General to The Chief Secretary.

London, 22 February, 1893.

COLONIAL Office informs me Right Honorable Robert William Duff, Privy Councillor, Member of the House of Commons, Banffshire, and a Member of Gladstone's last two Administrations, has been appointed the Governor of New South Wales; that he is well qualified in all respects. \* \* \* \*

Cablegram from The Agent-General to The Chief Secretary.

London, 1 March, 1893.

MR. DUFF leaves on 14th April, "Parramatta."



1892-3.

## NEW SOUTH WALES.

THE RIGHT HONORABLE SIR ROBERT WILLIAM DUFF, P.C., G.C.M.G.,  
GOVERNOR AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE COLONY OF  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

(COMMISSION APPOINTING.)

Presented to Parliament by Command.

(L.S.) VICTORIA R.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen,  
Defender of the Faith, Empress of India: To Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Councillor,  
ROBERT WILLIAM DUFF, Greeting:

We do by this Our Commission under Our Sign Manual and Signet appoint you the said ROBERT WILLIAM DUFF to be Our Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies during Our pleasure, with all the powers, rights, privileges, and advantages to the said Office belonging or appertaining.

II.—And we do hereby authorise, empower, and command you to exercise and perform all and singular the powers and directions contained in Our Letters Patent under the Great Seal of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date at Westminster, the twenty-ninth day of April, 1879, constituting the said Office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief, or in any other Our Letters Patent adding to, amending, or substituted for the same, according to such Orders and Instructions as Our said Governor and Commander-in-Chief for the time being hath already received or as you may hereafter receive from Us.

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 Our Commission under Our Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date the eighteenth day of August, 1890, appointing Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Councillor VICTOR ALBERT GEORGE, EARL OF JERSEY, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, to be Our Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies.

IV.—And we do hereby command all and singular Our Officers, Ministers, and loving subjects in Our said Colony and its Dependencies, and all others whom it may concern, to take due notice hereof, and to give their ready obedience accordingly.

Given at Our Court at Windsor, this fourth day of March, 1893, in the fifty-sixth year of  
Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,  
RIPON.

NOTE.—The Letters Patent constituting the office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief were laid before Parliament on the 28th October, 1879, and the Instructions were laid upon the Tables of the Legislative Council and Assembly on the 2nd November and 27th October, 1892, respectively.



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## NEW SOUTH WALES.

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1892-3.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

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APPOINTMENT OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE SIR ROBERT  
WILLIAM DUFF AS GOVERNOR OF THE COLONY.

(MESSAGE No. 1.)

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*Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 30 May, 1893.*

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R. W. DUFF,  
*Governor.*

*Message No. 1.*

The Right Honorable Sir Robert William Duff has the honor to inform the Legislative Assembly that Her Majesty has been graciously pleased, by a Commission under Her Sign Manual and Signet, bearing date at Windsor, the fourth day of March, 1893, to appoint him to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies, and that on the twenty-ninth of May instant he assumed the Government of the Colony.

*Government House,  
Sydney, 30 May, 1893.*



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

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**ELECTORAL ROLLS.**

(YEARS 1880, 1881-82, 1882-83, 1883-84, 1884-85, 1885-86, 1886-87, 1887-88, 1888-89, 1889-90, 1890-91, 1891-92, AND 1892-93.)

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*Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 11 October, 1892.*

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RETURN showing the past operation of the Expansive Clauses (6, 7, 8, and 9) of the "Electoral Act of 1880" (44 Vic. No. 13)—the Names of the Electorates which were proclaimed capable of returning an Additional Member to the Legislative Assembly, at the General Election, June, 1891, under the same clauses—and the Number of Electors in each Electorate in New South Wales, upon the Roll thereof for the Years 1880, 1881-82, 1882-83, 1883-84, 1884-85, 1885-86, 1886-87, 1887-88, 1888-89, 1889-90, 1890-91, 1891-92, and 1892-93 respectively.

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Electoral Districts.	Number of Members.														Grand Total.			
	General Election, Nov.-Dec., 1882.		General Election, October, 1885.			General Election, February, 1887.		General Election, February, 1889.			General Election, June, 1891.							
	Under Proclamation.																	
	Under Section 5 of Act.	24 October, 1882.	4 March, 1884.	17 September, 1884.	4 July, 1885.	9 July, 1885.	Total.	24 November, 1886.	Total.	5 July, 1887.	14 March, 1888.	6 July, 1888.	By Act of Parliament, 5 <sup>th</sup> Vic., No. 24.	18 January, 1879.		Total.	14 January, 1891.	5 June, 1891.
Albury	1					1		1						1			1	1
Argyle	2					2		2						2			2	2
Balmain	1	1		1		3		3		1				4			4	2
Balranald	2					2		2						2			2	2
Bathurst	1					1		1						1			1	1
The Bogan	2					2		2					1	3			3	3
Boorowa	1					1		1						1			1	1
Bourke	1	1				2		2					1	3			3	3
Braidwood	1					1		1						1			1	1
Camden	2					2		2		1				3			3	3
Canterbury	2	1		1		4		4						4			4	4
Careour	2					2		2						2			2	2
The Clarence	1					1		1						1			1	1
Central Cumberland	2			1		3		3					1	4			4	4
Durham	1					1		1						1			1	1
Eden	2					2		2						2			2	2
Forbes	2					2		2						2			2	2
The Glebe	1				1	2		2						2			2	2
Glen Innes	1					1		1		1				2			2	2
Gloucester	1					1		1						1			1	1
Goulburn	1					1		1						1			1	1
Grafton	1					1		1						1			1	1
Grenfell	1					1		1						1			1	1
Gundagai	1					1		1						1			1	1
Gunnedah	1					1		1						1			1	1
The Gwydir	1					1		1						1			1	1
Hartley	1					1		1						1		1	2	2
The Hastings & Manning	2					2		2						2			2	2
The Hawkesbury	1					1		1						1			1	1
The Hume	2					2		2						2			2	2
The Hunter	1					1		1						1			1	1
The Upper Hunter	2					2		2						2			2	2
Illawarra	1					1		1			1			2			2	2
Inverell	1					1		1						1			1	1
Kiama	1					1		1						1			1	1
The Macleay	1					1		1		1				2			2	2
East Macquarie	2					2		2						2			2	2
West Macquarie	1					1		1						1			1	1
East Maitland	1					1		1						1			1	1
West Maitland	1					1		1						1			1	1
Molong	1					1		1						1			1	1
Monaro	2					2		2						2			2	2
Morpeth	1					1		1						1			1	1
Mudgee	3					3		3						3			3	3
The Murray	2					2		2						2			2	2
The Murrumbidgee	2		1			3		3						3			3	3
The Namoi	1					1		1						1	1		2	2
The Nepean	1					1		1						1			1	1
Newcastle	2					2		2		1				3			3	3
New England	2					2		2						2	1		3	3
Newtown	2				1	3		3						3		1	4	4
Northumberland	2					2	1	3						3			3	3
Orange	2					2		2						2			2	2
Paddington	2		1			3		3		1				4			4	4
Parramatta	1					1		1						1			1	1
Patrick's Plains	1					1		1						1			1	1
Quambeyan	1					1		1						1			1	1
Redfern	2	1				3	1	4						4			4	4
The Richmond	1		1			2		2	1					3			3	3
Shoalhaven	1					1		1						1			1	1
St. Leonards	1	1				2		2		1				3			3	3
Sturt													1	1			1	1
East Sydney	4					4		4						4			4	4
South Sydney	4					4		4						4			4	4
West Sydney	4					4		4						4			4	4
Tamworth	2					2		2						2			2	2
Tenterfield	1					1		1						1			1	1
Tumut	1					1		1						1			1	1
Wellington	1					1		1						1			1	1
†Wentworth	1			1		2		2					1	1			1	1
Wilcannia													1	1			1	1
Wollombi	1					1		1						1			1	1
Yass Plains	1					1		1						1			1	1
Young	2					2		2						2			2	2
GRAND TOTAL	108	5	3	3	2	122	2	124	1	7	1	3	3	137	2	2	141	141

\* The Roll for 1885-86 not having been perfected, the Roll for 1884-85 was partially used in substitution for it. † This Electorate was subdivided by commenced and took effect from the 19th January, 1886, the date of next ‡ The Roll for 1887-88 not having been perfected, the Roll for 1886-87 was partially used in substitution for it.

Rolls for 1880.	Rolls for 1881-82.	Rolls for 1882-83.	Rolls for 1883-84.	Rolls for 1884-85.	Rolls for 1885-86.	Rolls for 1886-87.	Rolls for 1887-88.	Rolls for 1888-89.	Rolls for 1889-90.	Rolls for 1890-91.	Rolls for 1891-92.	Rolls for 1892-93.
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1,365	1,234	1,136	1,322	1,288	1,322	1,447	1,444	1,432	1,503	1,599	1,622	1,561
2,770	2,819	2,759	2,897	2,912	2,692	2,759	2,783	2,893	2,893	2,971	3,070	3,143
3,221	3,859	4,354	5,119	5,757	6,759	7,900	8,686	9,128	9,336	9,683	9,789	9,934
2,949	3,404	3,387	3,615	3,765	3,777	4,036	4,064	4,469	4,038	3,722	3,791	3,939
1,426	1,445	1,463	1,637	1,720	1,773	1,863	1,962	1,957	2,072	2,000	2,025	2,088
3,280	3,250	3,577	4,628	4,722	4,386	4,876	4,923	5,298	5,576	5,711	6,102	6,470
1,387	1,353	1,291	1,202	1,104	1,107	1,103	1,081	1,142	1,191	1,195	1,243	1,204
3,748	3,494	3,972	5,768	5,714	3,889	4,431	5,289	5,483	6,818	6,260	6,540	6,740
1,564	1,619	1,601	1,609	1,403	1,427	1,501	1,571	1,609	1,701	1,795	1,869	1,757
3,438	3,637	3,931	4,271	4,448	4,448*	4,977	5,347	5,542	5,560	5,608	5,815	6,064
5,421	5,761	6,737	8,059	9,470	10,520	12,645	15,221	16,514	17,392	18,146	18,704	18,889
2,667	2,689	2,858	3,006	3,105	3,095	3,514	3,814	3,730	4,006	4,053	3,685	3,597
1,956	1,721	1,638	1,728	1,772	1,832	1,951	1,934	1,944	1,989	2,099	2,102	2,128
3,523	3,597	3,860	4,761	5,841	6,011	7,882	9,005	9,689	9,806	9,656	9,914	10,262
1,472	1,481	1,489	1,438	1,429	1,433	1,491	1,543	1,570	1,629	1,665	1,750	1,696
2,552	2,605	2,740	2,808	3,008	3,140	3,289	3,425	3,521	3,629	3,601	3,717	4,085
2,704	2,617	2,674	3,054	2,548	2,461	2,409	2,384	2,499	2,761	3,069	3,589	3,868
1,967	2,147	2,359	2,755	3,129	3,256	3,653	4,042	4,269	4,399	4,480	4,752	5,223
1,575	1,577	1,860	2,257	2,218	2,426	2,832	3,040	2,301	2,667	2,660	2,699	2,740
1,527	1,678	1,426	1,696	1,548	1,655	1,638	1,725	1,771	1,784	1,821	1,665	1,701
1,546	1,596	1,657	1,822	1,949	2,079	2,187	2,200	2,319	2,483	2,540	2,550	2,758
1,897	1,918	1,965	1,981	2,008	2,124	2,068	2,128	2,287	2,405	2,542	2,640	2,655
1,614	1,646	1,550	1,692	1,524	1,456	1,597	1,647	1,767	1,804	1,918	2,052	2,040
1,749	1,806	1,744	1,817	1,896	2,375	2,614	2,224	2,221	2,294	2,254	2,282	2,240
1,916	1,956	2,085	1,876	1,953	1,953	2,047	1,982	1,983	2,119	2,246	2,320	2,433
1,949	1,791	1,684	1,817	1,799	1,901	2,174	2,390	2,466	2,696	2,776	2,935	3,066
1,677	1,719	2,012	1,965	2,047	2,003	2,220	2,325	2,401	2,644	2,826	3,022	3,301
2,328	2,356	2,379	2,515	2,556	2,590	2,933	3,012	3,117	3,206	3,353	3,394	3,437
1,971	2,021	2,025	2,075	2,103	2,103	2,283	2,328	2,474	2,551	2,623	2,616	2,699
2,949	3,016	2,777	2,654	2,665	2,713	2,606	2,640	2,641	2,952	3,027	3,199	3,182
1,366	1,356	1,274	1,253	1,288	1,364	1,403	1,530	1,627	1,730	1,935	1,980	2,093
2,790	2,773	2,668	2,715	2,743	2,822	2,871	2,947	3,045	3,164	3,224	3,415	3,604
1,831	1,743	1,711	1,692	1,792	2,365	2,873	3,111	3,172	3,457	3,698	3,273	3,403
1,783	1,882	1,779	1,908	1,883	1,839	2,049	2,177	2,336	2,220	2,367	2,062	1,999
1,288	1,335	1,379	1,484	1,491	1,565	1,621	1,774	1,649	1,579	1,639	1,849	2,110
1,738	1,808	1,894	2,089	2,216	2,577	3,932	3,367	3,587	3,754	3,501	3,148	3,177
2,055	2,070	2,062	2,008	2,077	2,239	2,805	2,842	2,605	2,722	2,708	2,600	2,620
1,112	1,122	1,080	1,037	1,050	1,083	1,109	1,133	1,187	1,214	1,190	1,282	1,281
966	966	984	982	1,018	1,075	1,161	1,227	1,265	1,311	1,359	1,325	1,386
1,223	1,233	1,214	1,349	1,468	1,647	1,633	1,773	1,864	1,640	1,742	1,627	1,605
1,855	1,937	1,859	1,754	1,722	1,866	1,867	1,887	2,017	2,054	2,106	2,128	2,119
2,590	2,653	2,736	2,843	2,773	2,846	3,109	3,533	3,639	3,698	3,435	3,401	3,425
1,169	1,178	1,162	1,191	1,187	1,189	1,250	1,281	1,313	1,259	1,279	1,279	1,259
4,443	4,491	4,982	5,120	4,638	4,026	3,933	3,808	3,975	4,030	4,020	4,083	4,091
3,191	3,316	2,942	3,010	2,768	2,721	2,879	2,846	2,929	2,901	3,052	3,015	2,804
5,258	5,143	4,876	5,979	6,805	6,961	7,936	7,750	7,577	7,258	7,594	7,594	7,816
1,744	1,758	1,987	2,173	2,148	2,163	2,517	2,707	2,968	2,731	3,063	3,2168	3,115
1,338	1,336	1,474	1,568	1,676	1,717	1,862	2,148	2,516	2,563	2,610	2,695	2,931
3,383	3,338	3,312	3,532	3,875	4,362	5,160	6,153	6,345	6,627	7,272	7,778	7,798
3,430	3,582	3,923	4,061	3,625	3,635	3,908	3,910	4,161	4,386	5,063	5,338	5,519
3,376	3,524	3,812	4,358	4,929	5,406	6,123	6,766	7,112	7,513	7,748	8,163	8,463
3,765	3,567	3,563	3,754	4,066	4,910	5,482	6,206	6,559	6,689	7,406	7,444	7,583
2,463	2,626	2,702	2,426	2,444	2,689	2,684	2,682	2,736	2,969	3,004	3,094	3,041
4,044	4,273	4,546	5,358	6,034	6,728	7,742	8,381	9,295	9,457	10,056	10,396	10,817
1,429	1,473	1,538	1,707	1,829	1,875	2,046	2,170	2,269	2,131	2,205	2,165	2,228
1,522	1,538	1,561	1,475	1,524	1,575	1,737	1,785	1,794	1,810	1,885	1,939	2,034
1,712	1,681	1,679	1,601	1,597	1,936	2,608	1,920	1,768	1,759	1,800	1,635	1,665
5,409	5,358	5,947	6,630	7,385	7,675	8,592	9,159	9,324	9,604	10,006	9,960	10,606
2,632	2,673	2,924	3,686	3,999	4,668	5,170	5,439	5,930	6,224	6,717	7,150	8,032
1,938	1,941	1,942	1,959	1,990	2,022	2,166	2,335	2,500	2,603	2,647	2,809	2,887
2,717	2,810	3,082	3,523	3,831	4,264	5,283	5,807	6,349	6,727	7,138	7,379	7,520
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,930	6,053	6,640	8,306	9,018
8,992	8,504	8,045	8,923	8,799	10,240	10,888	10,889	10,889	10,036	10,037	10,041	10,191
8,127	7,997	7,905	8,562	8,978	8,724	9,620	9,730	9,548	9,759	10,175	9,862	10,274
8,882	9,451	9,330	10,061	10,036	10,439	11,523	11,442	11,409	11,240	10,810	10,821	11,059
3,638	3,442	3,015	2,884	2,882	2,871	3,067	3,208	3,170	3,586	3,791	3,970	4,092
1,411	1,353	1,385	1,412	1,910	2,312	2,326	2,320	2,498	2,499	2,390	2,330	2,055
1,931	1,898	1,854	1,907	1,840	1,844	1,744	1,737	1,769	1,745	1,760	1,838	1,825
1,639	1,527	1,268	1,337	1,269	1,316	1,342	1,441	1,553	1,652	1,612	1,660	1,703
1,901	1,900	2,997	3,828	3,835	4,882	5,444	5,617	1,447	1,169	1,207	1,096	1,139
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1,288	1,299	1,347	1,409	1,435	1,672	1,912	2,134	2,257	2,283	2,388	2,460	2,171
1,858	1,891	2,002	1,990	1,823	1,838	1,953	1,972	2,077	2,109	2,203	2,2498	2,317
3,049	4,656	3,518	3,629	3,457	3,502	3,425	3,171	3,292	3,398	3,185	3,187	3,353
188,414	192,214	196,250	214,011	221,483	232,244	256,781	270,394	280,153	290,314	298,039	305,516	314,156

Act of Parliament (51 Vic. No. 24) into three Electoral Districts, viz.:—Wentworth, Wilcannin, and Sturt, each to return one Member. The Act dissolved the Legislative Assembly after the passing of the Act.  
 § The Roll for 1891-92 not having been perfected, the Roll for 1890-91 was partially used in substitution for it.

## EFFECT of Expansive Clauses on Electoral Rolls for 1892-93.

Electoral Districts.	Roll. — 1890-91.	Roll. — 1891-92.	Roll. — 1892-93.	Remarks.
The Glebe .....	4,480	4,752	5,223	May be proclaimed capable of returning <i>three</i> Members to Parliament at the next General Election.
Goulburn.....	2,540	2,550	2,758	Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1891-92 only 2,758 instead of 3,000.
Grafton .....	2,542	2,640	2,655	Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1891-92 only 2,655 instead of 3,000.
The Gwydir.....	2,776	2,935	3,006	May be proclaimed capable of returning <i>two</i> Members to Parliament at the next General Election.
The Hawkesbury ...	2,623	2,616	2,699	Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1891-92 only 2,699 instead of 3,000.
The Murrumbidgee...	7,220	7,594	7,816	Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1891-92 only 7,816 instead of 8,000.
The Nepean.....	2,610	2,695	2,931	Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1891-92 only 2,931 instead of 3,000.
Newcastle .....	7,272	7,778	7,798	Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1891-92 only 7,798 instead of 8,000.
Northumberland.....	7,406	7,444	7,583	Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1891-92 only 7,583 instead of 8,000.
The Richmond .....	6,717	7,150	8,032	May be proclaimed capable of returning <i>four</i> Members to Parliament at the next General Election.
Shoalhaven .....	2,647	2,809	2,887	Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1891-92 only 2,887 instead of 3,000.
St. Leonards .....	7,138	7,379	7,520	Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1891-92 only 7,520 instead of 8,000.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

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PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS BILL.

(MESSAGE No. 2.)

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*Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 6 October, 1892.*

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JERSEY,

*Message No. 2.*

*Governor.*

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 54th section of the Constitution Act, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill for the redistribution of New South Wales into Electoral Districts, and for the sub-division of such districts; for remodelling the franchise and the law applicable to elections to the Legislative Assembly; for determining the number of Members to serve in the said Assembly; for the periodical adjustment of Electoral Districts, and for other purposes in furtherance of, or consequent on, the aforesaid objects.

*Government House,*

*Sydney, 6th October, 1892.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

**ELECTORAL.**

(INFORMATION RESPECTING PRESIDING OFFICERS AND POLL-CLERKS ENGAGED FOR THE LATE SOUTH SYDNEY ELECTION.)

*Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 7 March, 1893.*

[Laid upon the Table of this House in answer to Question No. 3, of 7 March, 1893.]

Question.

3. MR. SCHEY asked THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,—

- (1.) Will he lay upon the Table a list of the presiding officers and poll-clerks engaged for the late South Sydney election?
- (2.) Were any of such appointees servants of the Government; if so, which and in what Departments are they employed?
- (3.) What fees were paid to such Government servants (if any), and were the salaries of same subjected to any deduction while engaged in their electoral employment?
- (4.) Is it a fact that well-known business men, and presumably of good standing, were appointed to such positions?
- (5.) Will he frame such instructions as will secure, so far as possible, that in future cases such appointments shall be given to persons who may then be out of other employment?

Answer.

(1.) LIST OF PRESIDING OFFICERS AND POLL-CLERKS:—*Presiding Officers*: Messrs. William Solomon, C. Corbett, W. H. Whiddon, Ernest Rollason, Wm. Wiley, W. I. B. Mote, C. Morgan, H. Dahms, E. C. Wigzell, L. Solomons. *Inside Poll-clerks*: D. W. Solomons, E. Pickering, Wallace Robertson, David Bell, S. A. Byrne, Alfred Evans, Erick Foy, Wm. Pidgeon, Richard M'Coy. *Outside Poll-clerks*: Fred. Lambert, G. J. York, W. H. Bailey, W. M'Connell, Wm. Rainsford, David Pass, Hy. Croydon, George Beyer, James P. Graham, H. R. Balding, Robt. Wallace, John Solomons, James Scarsbrook, S. Chadwick, W. N. Stevens, Edgar Pivani, De Burg Hoeter, George Layon, Lewis Buchanan.

(2 & 3.) There were no Government servants employed.

(4 & 5.) There were very few business men appointed. All that were employed were efficient and reliable, who have served at former elections. There were employed at the election thirty-eight persons, twenty-nine of whom were out of work, in some cases in want of bread.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

EXTENSION OF THE ELECTORAL FRANCHISE TO  
WOMEN.

(PETITION FROM CERTAIN RESIDENTS OF NEW SOUTH WALES, IN FAVOUR OF.)

*Received by the Legislative Assembly, 19 October, 1892.*

To the Honorable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, in  
Parliament assembled.

The humble Petition of the undersigned residents of New South Wales,—

RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH:—

1. That it is expedient that the electoral franchise should be extended to women.
2. That the time is now ripe for such a measure.

Your Petitioners therefore humbly pray your Honorable House will take measures to further the  
object of your Petitioners.

And your Petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

[*Here follow 2,038 signatures.*]