

Sessional Papers

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 2 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 1.

SYDNEY HARBOUR BRIDGE BILL.

(Resolution.)

Mr. J. H. Cann moved, That the Committee agrees to the following Resolution :—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to sanction the construction of a high-level cantilever bridge across Sydney Harbour by connecting Dawes' Point with Milson's Point, together with the necessary approaches, railway connections, and other works connected therewith ; to provide for the use of such works by the Constructing Authority and other persons ; to provide for the cost of the said works and other expenses connected therewith ; to impose a rate on certain lands in relation to such works ; for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto ; and for such purposes to amend the Public Works Act, 1912, and certain other Acts.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. M'Garry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Wade,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Kearsley,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Boston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Briner,	Dr. Arthur,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Haynes.
Mr. Crane,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Mr. Robson,	

Agreed to.

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

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 2.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 8 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 1.

CLOSER SETTLEMENT (SUPER-TAX) BILL—(*Further considered*):—

Clause 2 having been dealt with,—

Clause 3. The Minister, by notification in the Gazette, on the recommendation of the Advisory Board, may declare as a land-locked district any lands which are situated—
within the Eastern or Central Division of the State of New South Wales, as described in accordance with the provisions of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, "1913"; or within fifteen miles from the River Murray, in the Western Division of the said State as so described;

and which are not situate within any city, town, or suburban area, and are not exclusively used for mining or mining purposes.

The Minister may in like manner rescind or alter, wholly or in part, any such declaration.

[*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. William Brown*) to insert in line 4 after the figures "1913" the words "and within ten miles of a railway."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cohen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Haynes,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Mr. Price,	

Noes, 29.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hickey,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Fingleton.
Mr. Keegan,	

Insertion of proposed words negatived.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Committee

† 76341 57—

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keogan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Morrish.

Noes, 21.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Price,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. Cohen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	

Agreed to.

And clauses 4 and 5 having been dealt with,—

No. 3.

CLOSER SETTLEMENT (SUPER-TAX) BILL.

Tax on lands included in land-locked district.

Clause 6. Upon the expiration of "twelve months" after the declaration of a land-locked district has been made, there shall be levied, and the owner or mortgagee in possession of any cultivable land within such district shall, subject to the exemptions and deductions hereinafter provided, pay yearly to the Colonial Treasurer—in addition to any other tax leviable from and payable by such owner or mortgagee—a tax at the following rates on each pound of the estimate by the advisory board of the unimproved value of such cultivable land, exclusive of any such land which may reasonably be required in connection with a bona fide and continuous business of dairying which is carried on by such owner or mortgagee, or which in the opinion of the advisory board is being used for purposes equally desirable and as profitable as cultivation, that is to say:—

For the first year after such expiration, twopence.

For the second year, fourpence.

For the third year, sixpence.

For the fourth year and each successive year thereafter, ninepence :

Provided that where at least one-tenth of the said cultivable land is under cultivation, the tax shall be as follows:—

For the first year after such expiration, nil.

For the second year, one penny.

For the third year, twopence.

For the fourth year, threepence.

For the fifth year, fourpence.

For each successive year after the fifth, sixpence. [*Read.*]

Notion made (*Mr. Hunt*) to leave out from line 1 the words "twelve months" and insert the words "two years," instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hickey,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Osborne.

Noes, 18.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Bruntnell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	

Words stand.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

And the remaining clauses having been dealt with,—

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

WEDNESDAY, 9 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 4.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BILL—(*Further considered*):—

Clauses 2 to 7 having been dealt with,—

Clause 8. (1) Where any person (in this section referred to as the principal), in the course of or for the purposes of his trade or business, contracts with any other person (in this section referred to as the contractor) for the execution by or under the contractor of the whole or any

Sub-contracting.
Act 1906. s. 4.

any part of any work undertaken by the principal, the principal shall be liable to pay to any workman employed in the execution of the work any compensation under this Act which he would have been liable to pay if that workman had been immediately employed by him; and where compensation is claimed from or proceedings are taken against the principal, then, in the application of this Act, reference to the principal shall be substituted for references to the employer, except that the amount of compensation shall be calculated with reference to the earnings of the workman under the employer by whom he is immediately employed:

Provided that, where the contract relates to threshing, ploughing, or other agricultural work, and the contractor provides and uses machinery driven by mechanical power for the purposes of such work, he and he alone shall be liable under this Act to pay compensation to any workman employed by him on such work. Exceptional cases.

(2) Where the principal is liable to pay compensation under this section, he shall be entitled to be indemnified by any person who would have been liable to pay compensation to the workman independently of this section, and all questions as to the right to and amount of any such indemnity shall in default of agreement be settled by arbitration under this Act.

(3) Nothing in this section shall be construed as preventing a workman recovering compensation under this Act from the contractor instead of the principal.

(4) This section shall not apply in any case where the accident occurred elsewhere than on, or in, or about premises on which the principal has undertaken to execute the work or which otherwise are under his control and management.

(5) Every tributer working in connection with any mine as defined by the Mining Act, 1906, and also any wages men employed by any such tributer shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be workmen employed by the person with whom the tribute agreement was made by the tributer. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Estell*) to add the following words to stand as paragraph (5):—

(5) Every tributer working in connection with any mine as defined by the Mining Act, 1906, and also any wages men employed by any such tributer shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be workmen employed by the person with whom the tribute agreement was made by the tributer.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Gardiner,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Keegan,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	

Words added.

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

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

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

THURSDAY, 10 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 5.

SYDNEY HARBOUR BRIDGE BILL.

Clauses 1 to 7 having been dealt with,—

Clause 8. (1) Six-elevenths of the capital cost of the works shall be borne by the Chief Capital cost
now borne.
Commissioner for Railways and Tramways.

(2) Five-elevenths of the capital cost shall be borne by the councils of the city and of the municipalities and shires mentioned in the Second Schedule. [*Read.*]

And

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 11 AUGUST, 1916, A.M.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Kearsley,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Keegan,	

Noes, 11.

Dr. Arthur,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. James,
Mr. Lane,
Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Price,
Mr. Thompson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Robson.

Agreed to.

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

On motion of Mr. J. H. Cann, Mr. Bagnall, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 6.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS (APPEALS) BILL—(*Consideration of Legislative Council's Amendments referred to in Message of 13th April, 1916*).

Motion made (*Mr. Hoyle*), That the Committee disagrees to the Legislative Council's amendments.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Hickey,
Mr. Keegan,	Mr. Osborne.

Noes, 16.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. James,	Mr. Grimm.
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. Robson,	

Legislative Council's amendments disagreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Bagnall, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report that the Committee had disagreed to the Legislative Council's amendments.

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

1916.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

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No. 3.
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WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

—
TUESDAY, 15 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 1.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Further considered).

Postponed Clause 3. Section thirteen of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

Amendment
o. s. 13.

(a) Subsection three is repealed and the following is substituted for it:—

(3) "The Governor may appoint persons qualified for appointment as judges of the court to be additional judges of the court" **provided that the additional judges of the court shall not at any time exceed three in number.** Any additional judge so appointed "shall" **except as hereinafter provided** have the same rights, powers, jurisdiction, and privileges as the judge of the court.

(b) Subsection four is repealed and the following is substituted for it:—

(4) The Governor may, upon a report by the court that a judge is prevented by any cause from attending to his duties as judge, or that the judge or judges of the court is or are unable to cope promptly and expeditiously with the matters in the court's lists or with the demand for judicial services made upon the court, or is or are from considerations of natural justice averse to adjudicating upon any specific matter, appoint a deputy judge or deputy judges to act temporarily as a judge or judges of the court from amongst persons qualified to be judges of the court, and such person or persons shall while so acting have all the jurisdiction and powers of a judge of the court.

(c) Subsection five is repealed and the following is substituted for it:—

(5) The court shall be constituted by the judge or an additional or deputy judge, or where and as prescribed any two or more of them together sitting in each case with or without assessors. There may be two or more sittings of the court held at the same time.

(d) Subsection seven is repealed and the following is inserted in its place:—

(7) The judges of the court shall have the same rank and title as the judges of the Supreme Court, and shall amongst themselves and amongst such judges have precedence according to the time and order of their appointments, and shall be entitled to the same pensions as judges of the Supreme Court, and for the purposes of determining the pension rights under the foregoing provisions of the present Act he shall be taken to have been appointed a judge of the Supreme Court on the date of his appointment to be "President of the Court of Arbitration" under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1901, in the year one thousand nine hundred and five, and to have been and remained a judge of the Supreme Court with the salary and right of retirement or pension of such judge from that date to the date of his ceasing to hold any judicial office:

Provided that for the purposes of the said pension, section two of the Judges Pensions Amendment Act, 1906, is amended by substituting for the words "appointed before the commencement of this Act," where occurring for the second time, the words "appointed before the commencement of the Judges Pensions (Amendment) Act, 1906."

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7. (a) The Governor may from time to time from among persons qualified to be judges appoint judges of the court in succession to the senior judge holding office at the commencement of the Industrial Arbitration (Amendment) Act, 1916.

(b) Any judge so appointed in succession to the said senior judge shall, if a Supreme Court judge, have the same rank, title, status, and precedence and the same salary and right as judges of the Supreme Court, or if a District Court Judge or barrister-at-law the status, salary, and rights of such senior judge prior to the passing of the Industrial Arbitration (Amendment) Act, 1916. The additional judges, other than the first additional judge holding office at the commencement of the Industrial Arbitration (Amendment) Act, 1916, shall, except as hereinafter provided, have the same rank, title, status, and precedence, and the same salary and rights as judges of District Courts. Such rights and precedence shall count from the date of appointment, unless in the case of a senior judge he is already a Supreme Court judge, or in the case of an additional judge, he is already a District Court judge, when they shall count from the date of appointment as Supreme Court or District Court judge, as the case may be.

(c) The said first additional judge holding office at the commencement of the Industrial Arbitration (Amendment) Act, 1916, shall have the same status, salary, and rights as if the said Act had not passed. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Cohen*) to leave out from lines 3 and 4 the words "The Governor may appoint persons qualified for appointment as judges of the court to be additional judges of the court."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Hickey,	

Noes, 22.

Dr. Arthur,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cocks,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Levy.
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Haynes,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	

Words stand.

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

No. 2.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL (*continued*):—

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes 31

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Grahame,	Capt. Toombs.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Kearsley,	

Noes, 20

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Briner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Lane.
Mr. Cocks,	
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	

Agreed to.

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

Postponed Clause 4. Section thirteen is further amended by adding thereto the following subsection:—

(8) The court constituted by the judge and two assessors who shall be elected in the manner prescribed to represent the interest of employers and employees respectively shall have jurisdiction and power to hold inquiries into the questions of—

- (a) the cost of living in the State or any portion of it;
(b) the average standard of living of the community as a whole;

(c)

- (c) the minimum rate of wage necessary to enable an adult male employee to maintain himself and his wife and a family of three children in becoming relation to the average standard of living of the community as a whole ;
- (d) the minimum rate of wage necessary to enable an adult female employee to support herself in becoming relation to the average standard of living of the community as a whole ;

and from time to time to make and declare general rulings upon such questions for the guidance of the court and boards, and of suitors before the court and boards. Such rulings may be made by a majority of the members of the court as so constituted, and shall when made, and until altered, withdrawn, or replaced, be binding upon and be given effect by the court and boards. The Minister shall have the right to call for such general rulings from the court. [*Read.*]

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Black,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Dnrack,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Griffith,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Kearsley,	

Noes, 19.

Dr. Arthur,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. William Brown,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bruntell,	Mr. Cocks,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Colquhoun.
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	

Agreed to.

No. 4.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL (*continued*):—

Postponed Clause 7. Subsection one of section twenty-four of the Principal Act is "amended" ^{Amendment of s. 24.} by the substitution for paragraph (g) of the subsection of the following paragraph;—

- (g) declaring that preference of employment shall be given to the members of any industrial union of employees. An industrial union or members thereof shall be entitled to such preference, if no other industrial union is also registered in respect of the same industry, so long as such industrial union be not involved in any strike :

and by the addition to it of the following new paragraphs after paragraph (g) :—

- (h) declaring with regard to such industries or callings that an authorised representative of any union shall have the powers of an inspector under this Act ;
- (i) abrogating or varying absolutely or conditionally contracts of service or for labour; including contracts of apprenticeship, made at any time before or after the commencement of this Act in any case in which the board is satisfied that the intention or effect of such contracts is to defeat the terms of any award or the operations of the board ;
- (j) giving such retrospective effect as may be right, fair, and honest, or as may be consented to by the parties to the whole or any part of its award ;

Motion made (*Mr. Estell*) to insert in line 1 after the word "amended" the words "by the substitution for paragraph (g) of the subsection of the following paragraph :—

- (g) declaring that preference of employment shall be given to the members of any industrial union of "employees." An industrial union or members thereof shall be entitled to such preference, if no other industrial union is also registered in respect of the same industry, so long as such industrial union be not involved in any strike ; and

Amendment moved (*Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick*) to insert in line 2 after the word "employees" the words "Provided that 'in all cases' returned soldiers shall have first right of appointment " whether unionist or not."

And the Committee continuing to sit after midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 16 AUGUST, 1916, A.M.

Mr. Kearsley proposed to amend the amendment by the omission of the words "in all cases" and the insertion of the words "other things being equal," instead thereof.

Question, That the words "in all cases" proposed to be left out stand part of the proposed amendment,—put.

Committee divided.

Names of minority (Noes) recorded.

Words stand.

Question put,—That the words "Provided that in all cases returned soldiers shall have the first "right of appointment whether unionist or not" proposed to be inserted be so inserted.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 17.

Dr. Arthur,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Bruntnell,	
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Colquhoun,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Zuill,	

Noes, 28.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Grahame,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Hollis,	

Insertion of proposed words negatived.
Words, as originally proposed, inserted.

No. 5.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued.)

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Boston,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Fingleton,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. Lang.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Kearsley,	

Noes, 16.

Dr. Arthur,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Levy.
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Colquhoun,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Mr. Zuill,	

Agreed to.

And postponed clauses 8 and 11 having been dealt with, and a new clause to follow,—clause 6 inserted.

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

Mr. Estell brought up the following new clause to follow clause 9, as follows:—

9A. The following new section is inserted after section 29 of the Principal Act:—

29A. On and after the publication of an award declaring that preference of employment in any industry shall be given to members of an industrial union of employes, all persons not members of such union, but by the nature of their employment qualified to be members thereof, who may then be or may subsequently become during the operation of such award employed in the said industries, shall be liable to pay in full to the said union the amount of the entrance fee and annual subscription provided by the rules of the union to be paid on account of membership in such union; and the court or an industrial or other magistrate shall, upon application made by the secretary of the union in the manner prescribed, make an order directing such persons to pay the full amount of such entrance fee and subscription to the said union: Provided that if any person so liable shall have once paid the amount of entrance fee for such union his liability hereunder shall be reduced to a liability for the amount of annual subscription only. [*Read.*]

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Gardiner,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Griffith,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hickey,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGarry,	

Noes, 16.

Dr. Arthur,
Mr. Briner,
Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. James,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Zuill,
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Lane.

Agreed to.

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

THURSDAY,

THURSDAY, 17 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 7.

FORESTRY BILL.

Clauses 1 to 3 having been dealt with,—

Clause 4. In this Act, unless the context requires another meaning,—

Definitions.

“ ‘Commissioner’ means member of the Commission, and includes the Chief Forestry Commissioner.”

“ ‘Crown lands’ means lands vested in His Majesty, and not permanently dedicated to any public purpose, or granted or lawfully contracted to be granted in fee-simple under the Crown Lands Acts.

“ ‘Crown Lands Acts’ has the meaning given to that expression in the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.

“ ‘Exclusive rights’ means rights granted under section fifteen of the Act hereby repealed.

“ ‘Lease’ when referring to a lease under the Crown Lands Acts includes a promise of lease under those Acts; and ‘lessee’ means the holder of such lease, and includes the holder of any such promise.

“ ‘The Minister’ means the Minister of the Crown charged with the administration of this Act.

“ ‘Prescribed’ means prescribed by this Act or the regulations.

“ ‘Products’ means products of growing or dead timber, trees, shrubs, or vegetable growth of economic value.

“ ‘State forest’ means land dedicated under this Act, or under the Act hereby repealed, as a State forest.

“ ‘The Commission’ means the Forestry Commission of New South Wales constituted under this Act.

“ ‘The regulations’ means the regulations made under this Act.

“ ‘Timber reserve’ means land temporarily reserved, before or after the commencement of this Act, for forestry purposes.

“ ‘Tree’ includes a sapling. [Read.]

Motion made (*Mr. Mark F. Morton*) to leave out from lines 2 and 3 the words, “ ‘Commissioner’ means member of the Commission, and includes the Chief Forestry Commissioner.”

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Noes, 19.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Cusack,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Kearsley,	

Mr. M. Abbott,	Lient.-Col. Nicholson,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Bruntuell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cohen,	
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	

Words stand.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

Clause 5. (1) There shall be a Forestry Commission constituted as follows:—

3 constitution
of commission.

The Governor shall, as soon as he thinks advisable after the passing of this Act, appoint a Chief Forestry Commissioner, who shall, “ until the appointment of other commissioners,” constitute the Forestry Commission.

The Governor may from time to time appoint another commissioner or other commissioners, not being more than two, who on their appointment, respectively, shall, with the Chief Forestry Commissioner, constitute the Forestry Commission.

(2) Each commissioner shall, subject to this Act, hold his office for a term of seven years from the date of his appointment, but may be reappointed.

(3) No uncertificated bankrupt or insolvent shall be capable of being appointed a commissioner, and any commissioner who is declared a bankrupt, or who applies to take the benefit of any Act for the relief of insolvent debtors, or who compounds by deed or instrument in writing with his creditors, shall be incapable of continuing a commissioner, and his office shall thereupon be vacant.

(4) A commissioner may be removed from his office by the Governor only for misbehaviour or incapacity, or upon resolutions passed by both Houses of Parliament.

(5) Any vacancy that may occur in the office of a commissioner during the term of such office shall be filled by the appointment by the Governor of a commissioner who shall hold office for the unexpired portion of such term. [Read.]

Motion made (*Mr. Price*) to leave out from line 3 the words “ until the appointment of other “ commissioners.”

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Cusack,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. McGirr.
Mr. Griffith,	

Noes, 18.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Price,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cohen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Briner.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	

Words stands.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

And clauses 6 to 9 having been dealt with,—

No. 9.

FORESTRY BILL (*continued*).

Officers.

Clause 10. (1) "The Governor may, on the recommendation of the commission, appoint such officers and other persons as he thinks necessary for the purposes of this Act: Provided that the yearly salary of such officer or person is over five hundred pounds."

The commission may appoint officers and other persons as it considers necessary, provided that the yearly salary of any such officer or person is not over five hundred pounds.

The provisions of the Public Service Act, 1902, or of any Act amending it shall not apply to officers and persons so appointed: Provided that nothing herein contained shall affect the rights accrued or accruing under the said Acts or any Acts thereby repealed to any such officer or person whose services are transferred by appointment under this section; and such officers and persons may continue to contribute to any account and shall be entitled to receive any payment, pension, or gratuity as if they were officers within the meaning of the said Acts.

(2) The commission may provide for the training of forest officers, the conduct of research work, and the collection of statistics in connection with forestry. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Cohen*) to leave out from lines the words: "The Governor may, on the recommendation of the commission, appoint such officers and other persons as he thinks necessary for the purposes of this Act: Provided that the yearly salary of such officer or person is over five hundred pounds."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Gardiner.

Noes, 18.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Price,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cohen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Mark F. Morton.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Laue,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	

Words stand.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

No. 10.

SAME BILL.

Special powers of Commission.

Clause 11. "(1) The commission may dispose of timber and products on any State Forest or Timber Reserve, and—

- (a) take and sell such timber and products;
- (b) convert any such timber into logs, sawn timber, or any other merchantable article, and sell the same;
- (c) convert any such products into merchantable articles, and sell the same;
- (d) construct roads, railways, and tramlines, and other works for the transport of timber, and purchase and use vehicles and vessels with the necessary motive power;
- (e) construct or purchase sawmills and other mills with the necessary machinery and plant for converting timber, and manufacturing articles from timber, and use such mills for those purposes."

"(2) The commission may purchase horses, cattle, and sheep, and depasture them on State Forests or timber reserves." and may sell such horses, cattle, and sheep. [*Read.*]

Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Fuller*) to leave out subclause (1).

And the Committee continuing to sit after midnight,—

FRIDAY, 18 AUGUST, 1916, A.M.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. John Storey.
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Griffith,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Kearsley,	

Words stand.

Noes, 20.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Cohen,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Lec,	
Mr. W. Millard,	

No. 11.

FORESTRY BILL (*continued*):—

Same clause.

Motion made (*Mr. Mark F. Morton*) to leave out subclause (2):

Question put (*to test the Committee*),—That the words "The commission may purchase horses, cattle, and sheep, and depasture them on State forests,"—stand part of the clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Fingleton,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Lang.
Mr. Hollis,	

Words stand.

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

Noes, 17.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Thompson,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Briner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Price.
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	

No. 12.

SAME BILL.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Fingleton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Griffith,	

Agreed to.

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

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

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 4.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 23 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 1.

DENTISTS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.

Clauses 1 to 3 having been dealt with,—

Clause 4. Section ten five of the same Act is amended as follows:—

- (a) In subsection one after "continue to so practise" insert the words "as an unregistered dentist." Amendment
of s. 5.
- (b) In the same subsection omit "an examination in surgical dentistry, mechanical dentistry, and materia medica," insert the words "a written or oral and practical examination in surgical and mechanical dentistry, and a written or oral examination in materia medica."
- (c) In subsection two omit "an examination in surgical dentistry," insert the words "a written and oral and practical examination in surgical and," and before "materia medica" insert the words "a written or oral examination in."
- (d) In subsection three after the words "his own account," insert the words "or as an operative dental assistant to a registered dentist in New South Wales."
- (d) (e) "In subsection four, after the first paragraph and before the first proviso, insert the words:—'Any person who proves to the satisfaction of the Board that he has practised in dentistry in New South Wales on his own account for not less than eight years prior to the commencement of this Act shall be entitled to be registered as a dentist under this Act.'"
- (e) (f) In the same section insert at the end of the first proviso the words "and of good professional reputation."
- (g) In the same section after the last proviso add the words:—

Provided further that any person who has secured a certificate, diploma, membership, degree, license, letters, testimonial, or other title, status or document granted by some university, or other public institution in a British Possession or foreign country, and which is not recognised by the Board as entitling the holder thereof to practise dentistry in New South Wales, and has been engaged for a period of not less two years prior to the passing of this Act in the acquirement of professional knowledge in dentistry in this State, shall upon passing the examinations prescribed by the Board be entitled to be registered as a dentist under this Act.—[Read].

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Cohen*) to leave out paragraph (d) (e).

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

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Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Robson.

Noes, 14.

Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Lee,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Zuill.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,
Mr. Osborne.

Words stand.

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

And the remaining clauses having been dealt with,—

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

No. 2.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDING) BILL.

(Resolution.)

Motion made (Mr. Griffith), That the Committee agrees to the following resolution:—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to amend the law with regard to Local Government, including the Government of the City of Sydney; to regulate within the City of Sydney buildings and erections; “to define the qualifications of electors and to regulate the voting in Shires and Municipalities”; to apply to Shires the provisions of the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880–1905; to amend certain Acts; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto.

Amendment moved (Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick) to leave out from lines 4–5 the words “to define the qualifications of electors, and to regulate the voting in Shires and Municipalities.”

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Black,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Griffith,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Hickey,
Mr. Hoyle,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Kearsley,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Ball,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Levy.
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	

Words stand.

Resolution agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Griffith, Mr. Bagnall, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

FRIDAY, 25 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 3.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDING) BILL.

Clauses 1 to 3 having been dealt with,—

Clause 4. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Act and unless disqualified by this or any other Act, every person being a natural-born or naturalised British subject of the full age of twenty-one years, whether male or female, married or unmarried, shall be qualified to be an elector for the purposes of the Local Government Acts, 1906–1916, and shall be entitled—

- (a) to be enrolled for the ward or riding in respect of which he has the necessary qualification; and
- (b) to vote at any election of aldermen or councillors for the ward or riding.

(2.)

(2) In order to have the necessary qualification of an elector in respect of a ward or riding, a person must on the day prescribed for enrolment— ^{Residence and enrolment.}

- (a) have resided or had his principal place of abode in the ward or riding for a continuous period of one month immediately prior to such day; and
 (b) be enrolled on an electoral or supplemental roll for the time being in force under the law relating to the election of members of the Legislative Assembly for an electoral district comprising any part of the ward or riding:

Provided that in any case where a person has not the necessary qualification on the day prescribed for enrolment, but would have the necessary qualification if the day on which a revision court sits were the day prescribed for enrolment, the person shall be entitled to be enrolled by the revision court.

(3) A person entitled to enrolment shall be enrolled for the ward or riding in which he resides or has his principal place of abode, and for that ward or riding only. ^{Enrolment where elector resides.} [*Read.*]

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Burgess.	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Keegan,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Colquhoun.
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Levy,	

Agreed to.

And the remaining clauses having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. J. H. Cann, Mr. Durack, Acting Chairman, left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

S. G. BOYDELL,
 Clerk Assistant.

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 5.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 29 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 1.

TRADE UNION (AMENDMENT) BILL.

(Resolution.)

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Committee agrees to the following Resolution :—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to amend the law with respect to Trade Unions and their objects and powers; to amend the Trade Union Act, 1881, and certain other Acts; and for other purposes.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Griffith,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Keegan,	Mr. Morrish.

Noes, 24.

Mr. Briner,	Mr. Price,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Ball,
Mr. James,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hall, Mr. Durack, Acting Chairman, left the Chair to report that the Committee had come to a resolution.

WEDNESDAY, 30 AUGUST, 1916.

No. 2.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL (*Further considered*).

Clauses 1 to 5 having been dealt with,—

Amendment of s. 5. Clause 6. (1) The first paragraph of subsection one of section five of the same act is omitted and the following substituted for it:—

The Governor shall from time to time appoint a Chief Railway Commissioner for New South Wales and "three" Assistant Railway Commissioners for New South "Wales." "The Governor shall allot the duties of the Assistant Commissioners "respectively," and may, on the recommendation of the Commissioners, vary any "such allotment of duties."

New subsection 3A. (2) The following new paragraph is inserted next after subsection three of the same section:—

(3A) The Governor may appoint as deputy of the Chief Commissioner any Assistant Commissioner who shall, during the illness, suspension, or absence of the Chief Commissioner, exercise his powers and perform his duties.

Amendment of subsection 4. (3) In the first paragraph of subsection four of the same section omit "any Commissioner" insert "any Assistant Commissioner."

(4) Omit the second paragraph of the same subsection and insert the following:—

Where an Assistant Commissioner is appointed in pursuance of this section to act as deputy of the Chief Commissioner the Governor may appoint a person to be deputy of such Assistant Commissioner while so acting. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Price*) to leave out from line 4 the word "three."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Bageall,	Mr. Gus Miller,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Cusack,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Latimer.
Mr. Hickey,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Graff,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. James,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Nesbitt,
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Price.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Ball,
Mr. Lane.

Word stands.

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

Motion made (*Mr. Price*) to insert in line 5 after the word "Wales" the words "one of whom" "shall be appointed Commissioner for Tramways."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Briner,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Price,
Mr. Waddell.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Zuill.

Noes, 31.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cusack,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Fingleton,	Capt. Toombs.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Hickey.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	

Insertion of proposed words negatived.

No. 4.

No. 4.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL.

Same clause.

Motion made (*Mr. Coken*) to leave out from lines 5-7 the words "The Governor shall allot the duties of the Assistant Commissioners respectively, and may, on the recommendation of the Commissioners, vary any such allotment of duties."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGowen.
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Seobie,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Fingleton,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Briner,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zaill.
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	

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

And clauses 7 and 8 having been dealt with,—

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

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 6.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS
IN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 6 SEPTEMBER, 1916.

No. 1.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS (APPEALS) BILL (*Consideration of Legislative Council's Message dated 5th September, 1916.*)

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having had under consideration the Legislative Assembly's Message, dated 11th August, 1916, a.m., in reference to the Government Railways (Appeals) Bill,—

Insists upon its amendments disagreed to by the Assembly in the Bill,—

Because the function to be exercised by the Board being judicial, it is expedient that the presiding officers should have had judicial experience.

Because there is no reason to believe that a Stipendiary or Police Magistrate presiding at such an inquiry would influence the Board to confine the appellant to strictly legal evidence and not allow him every reasonable latitude in presenting his case.

*Legislative Council Chamber,
Sydney, 5th September, 1916.*

FRED. FLOWERS,
President.

Motion made (*Mr. Hoyle*), That the Committee insists upon the Assembly's disagreements from the Council's amendments.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Black,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Hickey,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Fingleton.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGarry,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Briner,
Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Nesbitt,
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson.

Tellers,

Mr. Lane,
Mr. Zuill.

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hoyle, Mr. Durack, Acting Chairman, left the Chair to report that the Committee had insisted upon the Assembly's disagreements from the Council's amendments.

THURSDAY, 7 SEPTEMBER, 1916.

No. 2.

TESTATOR'S FAMILY MAINTENANCE AND GUARDIANSHIP OF INFANTS BILL (*Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments referred to in Message of 6th September, 1916*).

The amendments in clauses 3, 5, 6, 9, and 12 having been dealt with,—

Court may order access by grandparents.

New clause 21. In the event of the death, before or after the passing of this Act, of the parents or of one of the parents of an infant they court may order that the maternal or paternal grandparents of such infant or any one of them shall have access to such infant at such times and places as the court shall deem proper.

Provided that applications under this section shall be heard in camera. [Considered.]

Motion made (*Mr. D. R. Hall*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendment which inserts a new clause.

And the amendment having been amended as indicated,—

Question put,—That the Legislative Council's amendment, as amended, be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Hollis,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 16.

Dr. Arthur,
Mr. Ball,
Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Graff,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. James,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Zuill.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Nesbitt.

Legislative Council's amendment, as amended, agreed to.

On motion of Mr. D. R. Hall, Mr. Durack, Acting Chairman, left the Chair to report that the Committee had disagreed to one, amended another, and agreed to the remainder of the Council's amendments.

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

NOTE.—The amendments made by the Committee of the Whole in the Council's amendments are shown by the words inserted being printed in *italics*.

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 7.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 12 SEPTEMBER, 1916.

No. 1.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.

*(Resolution.)*Motion made (*Mr. Black*), That the Committee agrees to the following Resolution:—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to amend the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act, 1912, the Naturalised Subjects Franchise Act 1916, the Constitution Act, 1902, the Liquor Act, 1912, and the Oaths Act, 1900, to give an opportunity to persons absent on service with His Majesty's forces to vote "by proxy;" and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto.

Amendment moved (*Mr. Cohen*) to leave out from line 4 the words "by proxy."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Fingleton,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. John Storey.
Mr. Hollis,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Dr. Arthur,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Latimer.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	

*Words stand.**Resolution agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Black, Mr. Ball, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

No. 2.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL (*Further considered*).

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER, 1916, A.M.

Clauses 9 to 14 having been dealt with, and clause 15 postponed, and clauses 16 and 17 dealt with,—

Clause 18. The following section is inserted next after section one hundred of the same Act :—

100A. Every officer shall be entitled to at least one week's leave on full pay in respect of each twelve months of actual service, in addition "to" bank and public holidays **observed throughout the State**, and every officer who has completed twenty years of service shall be entitled to at least one month's extended leave on full pay: Provided that any officer who cannot take his leave on any **such** bank or public holidays by reason that he has been required to work on such days shall be entitled in lieu thereof to leave on full pay for the same number of days at some future time. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Hollis*) to insert in line 2 after the word "to" the words "good conduct."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang.

Noes, 26.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Tellers,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. McGarry.
Mr. Hickey,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	

Insertion of proposed words negatived.

Clauses 19 and 22 having been postponed, and clauses 20 and 21 dealt with,—

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

WEDNESDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER, 1916.

No. 3.

SUNDAY TRADING (AMENDMENT) BILL :—

Clause 1 having been dealt with,—

Clause 2. The Principal Act is amended as follows :—

- (a) In section two omit all words after "the hours of", insert "seven and half-past ten a.m., and half-past twelve and 'ten' p.m."
- (b) Omit section three.
- (c) In section four omit "Part III" wherever occurring, insert "Part II".
- (d) In the same section omit all words after "the hours of", insert "half-past seven and 'half-past ten' a.m., and half-past twelve and ten p.m."
- (e) In section six omit paragraph (c).
- (f) In section eight omit the word "court" with a view to the insertion of the word "clerk." [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick*) to leave out from line 3 the word "ten" and insert the words "half-past six," instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Grahame	Tellers,
Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. Lang.
Mr. Hollis,	

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

Noes, 22.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Fuller,	Tellers,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Kearsley.
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. W. Millard,	

No 4.

No. 4.

SUNDAY TRADING (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Same clause.

Motion made (*Mr. Fingleton*) to leave out from line 7 the words "half-past ten" and insert the word "eleven," instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cohen,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Seobie,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Price.
Mr. Hoskins,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Briner,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Hickey,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Morrish,
Mr. John Storey,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Osborne.

Words stand.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

Clause 3 having been agreed to,—

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

THURSDAY, 14 SEPTEMBER, 1916.

No. 5.

COAL MINES REGULATION (AMENDING) BILL (*Further considered*).

Clauses 10 to 12 having been dealt with,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after midnight,—

FRIDAY, 15 SEPTEMBER, 1916, A.M.

And clauses 13 to 15 having been agreed to,—

Postponed clause 8. ~~General rule thirty-nine of section fifty-four of the Principal Act is hereby repealed, and the following new sections are inserted next after section thirty-two of the~~ New s. 32A of Principal Act.
Principal Act:—

32A. (1) The Minister may appoint duly qualified persons to be check-inspectors on behalf of the persons employed in or about mines. Check-inspectors of General Rule 39.

(2) Every candidate for appointment as check-inspector shall "be" nominated by a majority ascertained by ballot of the persons employed in the mines in the district defined as hereinafter provided, and shall be the holder of a first-class certificate as manager or a second-class certificate as under-manager granted under this Act or shall have had not less than five years' experience as an inspector under general rule thirty-nine of section fifty-four of this Act.

(3) The Minister may by notice in the Gazette define districts or groups of mines, and appoint check-inspectors to such districts or groups of mines.

(4) Every check-inspector shall be appointed for such period, not exceeding ~~twelve months~~ two years, as the Minister may determine, but shall be eligible for re-appointment, and shall be paid a salary at such rate not exceeding three hundred pounds per annum, as may be provided by Parliament.

32B. (1) The owner, agent, and manager of a mine shall allow a check-inspector, at any time while men are working below ground, to go to every part of the mine and to inspect the shafts, levels, planes, working-places, return airways, ventilating apparatus, old workings, machinery, and appliances. Inspection by check-inspector.

(2) The check-inspector may be accompanied, if the owner, agent, or manager thinks fit, by himself or one or more officers of the mine, and every facility shall be afforded by the owner, agent, manager, and all persons employed in the mine, for the purpose of inspection.

(3) The check-inspector shall forthwith make a true report of the result of the inspection, and such report shall be recorded in a book to be kept at the mine for the purpose, and shall be signed by the check inspector; and if the report states the existence or apprehended existence of any danger, the owner, agent, or manager shall forthwith cause a true copy of the report to be sent to the inspector of the district.

32b.

Inspection
by check-
inspector.

32b. (1) Every check-inspector shall have the same powers, and shall be afforded the same facilities for inspection, and shall be required to make the same reports, as are respectively provided in relation to inspectors on behalf of workmen by general rule thirty-nine of section fifty-four of this Act.

(2) Any check-inspector who, without the consent of the owner of the mine, divulges or makes known to any person, except as a witness in a court of justice, any information obtained by him in the discharge of his duties respecting any matter connected with any mine, other than information as to the safety of the mine and appliances, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds, and shall be dismissed from his office.
[Further considered.]

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Estell*) to insert in line 6, after the word "be," the words "nominated by a majority ascertained by ballot of the persons employed in the mines in the district defined as hereinafter provided, and shall be"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Hoyle,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Kearsley,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Robson,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Price.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	

Words inserted.

No. 6.

COAL MINES REGULATION (AMENDING) BILL—(continued).

Same clause.

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	

Noes, 22.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Colquhoun.
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Price,	

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Estell, Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report the Bill, with amendments, to the House.

No. 7.

INSTITUTION FOR DEFECTIVE CHILDREN BILL.

Clauses 1 to 15 having been agreed to,—

Schedule.

Mr. Joseph Coulter	£1,000	1,500
Miss K. Bergen	250	
Miss Kimbell	100	[Read.]

Motion made (*Mr. David Storey*), to leave out the figures "1,000" and insert the figures "2,000," instead thereof.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Griffith,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Kearsley,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. W. Millard,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. James,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald.
Mr. Levy,	

The numbers being equal, the Temporary Chairman (*Mr. John Storey*) said that he proposed to follow the usual custom. If he voted with the *Noes* a blank would be created, and the Committee would have the opportunity to vote for some other sum in excess of that now provided for in the bill. He therefore declared the question to have passed in the *negative*.

Figures left out.

No. 8.

INSTITUTION FOR DEFECTIVE CHILDREN BILL (*continued*):—

Same Schedule.

Question put,—That the figures “2000” proposed to be inserted in place of the figures left out, be so inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	

Noes, 25.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Gardiner,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Hickey,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Lang.
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Kearsley,	

Insertion of proposed figures negatived.

No. 9.

SAME BILL.

Same Schedule.

Motion made (*Mr. David Storey*) to fill the blank by the insertion of the figures “1500.”

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Price.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Levy,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. J. H. Cann,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Griffith,
Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Hickey,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Morrish.

Figures inserted.

Schedule, as amended, agreed to.

And a new clause having been agreed to,—

On motion of Mr. Griffith, Mr. John Storey, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report the Bill, with amendments, to the House.

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 8.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER, 1916.

No. 1.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

Clause 1 having been agreed to,—

Clause 2. AMENDMENTS OF PRINCIPAL ACT.

And the Committee requiring that the amendments set out in the Schedule be put *seriatim*.

Question put,—That the amendment in section 20, subsection 3 (b) which omits the words “is in receipt of aid from any public charitable institution, except as a patient under treatment for accident or disease at a hospital ; or”—be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Page,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Edden,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Kearsley,	

Noes, 25.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Ball,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Thomas.
Mr. Cocks,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Price.
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	

Agreed to.

The amendments down to and including that in section 37 having been dealt with,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 20 SEPTEMBER, 1916, A.M.

The proposed omission of sections 39 to 44 having been postponed, and the amendment of sections 45 to 98 dealt with.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

Clause 2. AMENDMENTS OF PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

Section 100, subsection (1) (d), ~~Omit paragraph (d)~~, insert the following:—

(d) (e) Have you left the electoral district for which you are enrolled for a longer period than one month prior to the _____ day of _____ one thousand nine hundred and _____ (stating the day next before the day of the issue of the writ for the election). [*Considered.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Black*) to leave out the words "Omit paragraph (d)."

The Honorable Member for Willyama (*Mr. Wright*) desired to move an amendment in subsection (b) of the Act,—

The Temporary Chairman (*Mr. G. R. W. McDonald*) said that he would not accept the amendment.

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

The Point of Order is,—

Clause 100 being under discussion for the insertion of amendment in subsection (d), the Member for Murray claimed that another amendment in subsection (b) might be submitted.

The Temporary Chairman (*Mr. G. R. W. McDonald*) refused to accept the amendment.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 13.

Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hickey,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Scobie,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Keegan.

Noes, 39.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Griffith,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. John Storey.
Mr. Fingleton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grabame,	

Negatived.

Words left out.

Amendment as amended agreed to,—

And the amendment of sections 105 to 130 and Schedules eight and eleven having been dealt with,—

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

AMENDMENTS OF PRINCIPAL ACT—*continued.*

Postponed sections 39 to 44 *considered,—*

Motion made (*Mr. Black*) That the Committee agrees to the amendments in sections 39 to 44 inclusive, which omits the sections.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Dooley,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Hickey.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. William Brown,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Ball,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Bruntnell.
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Levy,	

Agreed to.

Clause 2, as amended, agreed to.

Clause 3 having been agreed to,—

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

WEDNESDAY, 20 SEPTEMBER, 1916.

No. 4.

SYDNEY CORPORATION AMENDMENT (COSTS) BILL.

Clauses 1 to 4 having been dealt with,—

Clause 5. Section twenty-one of the Sydney Corporation Amendment Act, 1905, is amended by omitting the words "and a jury" wherever appearing therein. [*Read.*]

Question

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

Ayes, 27.		Noes, 22.	
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGirr,	Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. Briner,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Gus. Miller,	Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Price,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,	Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Page,	Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Colquhoun,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Griffith,	Captain Toombs,	Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Hickey,	Mr. Wright.	Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Lang.	Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Keegan,		Mr. Levy,	
Mr. McGarry,		Mr. Harry Morton,	

Agreed to.

No. 5.

SYDNEY CORPORATION AMENDMENT (COSTS) BILL (*continued*).

Clause 6. The following section is inserted next after section twenty-one of the same Act:—

21A. Any tenant or occupier of land resumed by the council by notification published on and after the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, who would not be entitled under the other provisions of this Act to compensation in respect of such resumption—by reason of his tenancy being weekly or monthly only—may within ninety days from the publication of such notification of resumption send in a claim in manner hereinbefore provided, which claim shall be considered and dealt with by a Board which shall consist of the town clerk of the city of Sydney for the time being and one member to be from time to time nominated and appointed by His Excellency the Governor for the purpose, and for such term as His Excellency may name. Such board shall have full power to deal with such claim and to assess and award compensation to the claimant or to refuse compensation. The provisions hereinbefore in this Act contained as to payment of interest and costs shall not apply to claims made under this section, but the board shall have power to deal with and award such costs to the claimant or the council as it may consider just, and the payment of any such costs may be enforced by action in the district court. The maximum amount of compensation to be awarded under this section shall not in any case exceed a sum equal to the nett profits of the claimant during the period of twelve months or any lesser period immediately preceding the date of resumption from the business (if any) carried on by him upon the premises resumed, which amount may be recovered by action in a district court. If at any time the members of the board are unable to agree as to the amount of compensation or as to costs to be paid under this section, they shall refer the matter to the public trustee, whose decision thereon shall be final and binding on all parties: There shall be no appeal from the decision of the board or the public trustee, as the case may be.

New s. 21A
Compensation
to non-lease-
holders.

The board or the public trustee may call for the production of any documents in the possession or power of either party which they or he may think necessary for determining the matter under consideration, and may examine the parties or their witnesses on oath and administer the oaths necessary for that purpose and shall in regard to the issuing of subpoenas compelling the attendance of witnesses and production of documents, the taking of evidence and committal for contempt, have the powers in that behalf conferred on courts of petty sessions.

The members of the board and the public trustee shall be entitled to be paid for their services under this section out of the city fund such sum or sums as the council may from time to time determine. [*Read.*]

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

Ayes, 29.		Noes, 23.	
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lang,	Mr. Ball,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Briner,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. McGowen,	Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Gus. Miller,	Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,	Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Page,	Mr. Cohen,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. John Storey,	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Grahame,	Captain Toombs,	Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Wright.	Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. McGirr.	Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Kearsley,		Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Keegan,		Mr. Nesbitt,	

Agreed to.

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

No. 6.

LIQUOR (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2).

*(Resolution.)*Motion made (*Mr. D. R. Hall*), That the Committee agrees to the following Resolution :—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to amend the law relating to persons engaged in the sale of liquor ; to provide for the abatement of rents of licensed premises and for the reduction of license fees ; for the postponement of the payment of interest on mortgages and of interest and instalments of purchase moneys of licensed premises ; for the closing of bars and other places in licensed and registered premises during prohibited "hours" ; to suspend the taking of the local option vote at the next General "Election" ; to amend the Liquor Act, 1912, the Liquor Referendum Act, 1916, the Billiards and Bagatelle Act, 1902, the Justices Act, 1902, and other Acts ; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto.

Amendment moved (*Mr. Robson*) to insert in line 6 after the word "hours" the words "to make provision for determining the hour of closing of licensed premises and registered clubs after the expiration of the operation of the Liquor Referendum Act, 1916."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.		Noes, 29.
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. Ashford,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Thompson,	Mr. J. H. Cann,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Colquhoun,		Mr. Estell,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Graft,	Mr. Brinsley Hall.	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Haynes,		Mr. Griffith,
Mr. Hoskins,		Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. James,		Mr. Hickey,
Mr. Lane,		Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Harry Morton,		Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Mark F. Morton,		Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Nesbitt,		Mr. Keegan,
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,		Mr. Lang,
		Mr. McGarry,
		Mr. McGirr,
		Mr. McGowen,
		Mr. Gus. Miller,
		Mr. Morrish,
		Mr. Page,
		Mr. Price,
		Mr. Scobie,
		Mr. John Storey,
		Captain Toombs,
		Mr. Wright.
		<i>Tellers,</i>
		Mr. T. S. Crawford,
		Mr. G. R. W. McDonald.

Insertion of proposed words negatived.

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

Same Resolution.

Amendment moved (*Mr. Robson*) to insert in line 6 after the word "Election" the words "to prohibit the removal of licenses and the granting of new licenses during the present war."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.		Noes, 25.
Mr. Ball,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	Mr. Ashford,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Price,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Thompson,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Fuller,		Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Graft,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Griffith,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Lane.	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. James,		Mr. Hickey,
Mr. Harry Morton,		Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Mark F. Morton,		Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Nesbitt,		Mr. Keegan,
		Mr. Lang,
		Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
		Mr. McGarry,
		Mr. McGirr,
		Mr. Gus. Miller,
		Mr. Page,
		Mr. Scobie,
		Mr. John Storey,
		Mr. Wright.
		<i>Tellers,</i>
		Mr. Morrish,
		Captain Toombs.

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.**Resolution agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. D. R. Hall, Mr. Durack, Acting Chairman, left the Chair to report that the Committee had come to a resolution.

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 9.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 27 SEPTEMBER, 1916.

No. 1.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Further considered*).

Clauses 5, 6, and 7, and the Schedule having been dealt with,—

Mr. Black brought up new clause to follow Clause 4 :—

Persons on service with His Majesty's forces.

New Clause 5. (1) Any person absent from the State on service with His Majesty's forces (including non-combatants acting in connection with such service) may "in the form of ^{Voting of} the Schedule to this Act nominate the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly" ^{soldiers, &c.,} to vote for him under ^{by proxy.} this Part at the next general election.

Such nomination may be made and a vote given in pursuance thereof whether the said person is of or under or over the age of twenty-one years, and whether or not he or she is qualified to vote under the Principal Act.

(2) Such person shall indicate the political party for which he desires the vote to be given, by writing in the square in the nomination paper opposite to the name of that party the figure 1. He may also, if he chooses, place the figure 2 in the square opposite to the name of any other political party.

Such second nomination shall be given effect to only if for any reason a vote cannot be given for the first nomination :

Provided that any such nomination shall not be invalidated should the nominator write upon such ballot paper the name of the candidate for whom he desires to vote; Provided always that the candidate named is nominated for the electorate in which the nominator had his principal place of abode at the time of enlistment.

(3) The Governor, or any person appointed by him in that behalf, may appoint persons to distribute the nomination papers among the persons so absent on service, to collect such papers when filled in, and to forward the same to Sydney addressed to the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Ball*), to leave out from lines 2 and 3 the words "in the form of the Schedule" to this Act nominate the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly," and insert the words "nominate any relative or person qualified to vote in the State of New South Wales," instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.		Noes, 22.	
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Kearsley,	Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Keegan,	Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Lang,	Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Gus. Miller,	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Minahan,	Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Harry Morton,	Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Wright.	Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. T. S. Crawford,		Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. James,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Morrish,	Mr. Lanc,	Mr. Colquhoun.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Osborne.	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. Hollis,		Mr. W. Millard,	

Words stand.

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

And two new clauses having been dealt with,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER, 1916, A.M.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL.

Mr. Holman brought up a new Schedule.

Schedule.

FORM OF NOMINATION PAPER.

PART I.

I _____, [*Christian name and surname in full*]
 _____, [*occupation before enlisting*] of _____,
 _____, [*residence at time of enlisting*] desire to vote
 for the return of a Member of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales for the electorate
 in which I resided prior to my enlistment.

I nominate the Clerk of the said Legislative Assembly to vote for a candidate of the
 political party against whose name I have written the figure 1 for such electorate.

Dated at _____ the _____ day of _____ 191 _____
(*Signature.*)

Signed by the abovenamed person in my presence the day and
 year abovementioned—

Captain (*or as the case may be.*)

(Commissioned or non-commissioned officer of the forces
 with which the said person is serving.)

PART II.

- Labour (" Ministerial ")
- Liberal
- Labour (~~Independent~~) (non-Ministerial)
- Progressivist
- Independent

NOTE.—The voter may if he choose, place the figure 2 against the name of any other
 political party, such nomination to be given effect to only if for any reason a vote cannot be
 given for a candidate of the political party against whose name the figure 1 has been written.

The voter may also write on the nomination paper the name of the candidate for whom he
 wishes to vote.

First ballot.

Name of electorate _____
 Name of candidate for whom vote is given _____

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
 of New South Wales.

Date _____

Second ballot.

Name of candidate for whom vote is given _____

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
 of New South Wales.

Date _____

[*Considered.*]
 Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Minahan*) to leave out from Part II, line 3 the word " Ministerial." Question put,—That the word proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule. Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

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| Dr. Arthur. | Mr. Hollis, |
| Mr. Ashford, | Mr. Holman, |
| Mr. Bagnall, | Mr. Hoskies, |
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. James, |
| Mr. Black, | Mr. Lane, |
| Mr. Boston, | Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, |
| Mr. William Brown, | Mr. W. Millard, |
| Mr. Burgess, | Mr. Morrish, |
| Mr. Colquhoun. | Mr. Harry Morton, |
| Mr. T. S. Crawford, | Mr. Mark F. Morton, |
| Mr. Fallick, | Mr. Osborne, |
| Mr. Fingleton, | Mr. Robson, |
| Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, | Mr. Thompson, |
| Mr. Graff, | Mr. Zuill. |
| Mr. Griffith, | |
| Mr. Grimm, | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Brinsley Hall, | Mr. Bruntnell, |
| Mr. D. R. Hall, | Mr. Nesbitt. |

Noes, 9.

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| Mr. Cochran, |
| Mr. Kearsley, |
| Mr. Keegan, |
| Mr. McGarry, |
| Mr. Gus. Miller, |
| Mr. Minahan, |
| Mr. Wright. |
| <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Lang, |
| Mr. McGirr. |

Word stands.

No. 3.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Same Schedule.

And the word " Independent " having been left out,—

Motion made (*Mr. Holman*) to fill the blank by the insertion of the word " non-Ministerial."

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

The Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

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| Mr. Ashford, | Mr. Hoskins, |
| Mr. Bagnall, | Mr. James, |
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Lane, |
| Mr. Black, | Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, |
| Mr. William Brown, | Mr. W. Millard, |
| Mr. Bruntnell, | Mr. Morrish, |
| Mr. Burgess, | Mr. Harry Morton, |
| Mr. Colquhoun. | Mr. Mark F. Morton, |
| Mr. T. S. Crawford, | Mr. Nesbitt, |
| Mr. Fallick, | Mr. Osborne, |
| Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, | Mr. Robson, |
| Mr. Gardiner, | Mr. Thompson, |
| Mr. Graff, | Mr. Zuill. |
| Mr. Griffith. | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. D. R. Hall, | |
| Mr. Hollis, | Mr. Brinsley Hall, |
| Mr. Holman, | Mr. Grimm. |

Noes, 12.

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| Dr. Arthur, |
| Mr. Cochran, |
| Mr. Kearsley, |
| Mr. Keegan, |
| Mr. Lang, |
| Mr. McGarry, |
| Mr. McGirr, |
| Mr. Gus. Miller, |
| Mr. Minahan, |
| Mr. Wright. |
| <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Boston, |
| Mr. Fingleton. |

Word inserted.

And the Schedule having been further amended as indicated.

Schedule, as amended, agreed to.

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

No. 4.

FAIR RENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL.

Clause 2. Section eleven of the Fair Rents Act, 1915, is amended by omitting the word " three " and inserting the word " twelve " in lieu thereof. [Read.] Amendment of s. 11.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

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| Mr. Ashford, | Mr. Lang, |
| Mr. Bagnall, | Mr. McGarry, |
| Mr. Black, | Mr. McGirr, |
| Mr. Boston, | Mr. Gus. Miller, |
| Mr. Burgess, | Mr. Minahan, |
| Mr. Cochran, | Mr. Morrish, |
| Mr. Fingleton, | Mr. Osborne, |
| Mr. Gardiner, | Mr. Wright. |
| Mr. Griffith, | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. D. R. Hall, | |
| Mr. Hollis, | Mr. T. S. Crawford, |
| Mr. Kearsley, | Mr. Keegan. |

Noes, 20.

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| Dr. Arthur, | Mr. Harry Morton, |
| Mr. Ball, | Mr. Mark F. Norton, |
| Mr. William Brown, | Mr. Nesbitt, |
| Mr. Bruntnell, | Mr. Robson, |
| Mr. Colquhoun, | Mr. Thompson, |
| Mr. Fallick, | Mr. Zuill. |
| Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Brinsley Hall, | |
| Mr. Hoskins, | Mr. Graff, |
| Mr. James, | Mr. Lane. |
| Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, | |
| Mr. W. Millard, | |

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. D. R. Hall, Mr. Durack, Acting Chairman, left the Chair to report the Bill without amendment to the House.

No. 5.

No. 5.

LIQUOR (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2) (*Further considered*) :—

Sale of non-intoxicating drinks.

Clause 10. A licensed publican shall not sell, supply, or permit to be sold or supplied on his licensed premises any non-intoxicating drinks other than tea, coffee, cocoa, milk, or beef tea, or aerated waters served with meals at usual hours, except during such times as his licensed premises may lawfully be open for the sale of liquor.

Provided that nothing in this section shall prevent the sale of such non-intoxicating drinks to the persons and in the manner and under the conditions prescribed by subsection two of section fifty-seven of the Principal Act with respect to the sale of liquor.

If a licensed publican contravenes the provisions of this section he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Bruntnell*) to insert in line 1 after the word "sell" the word "supply."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	

Noes, 12.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. McGarry,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Morrish.

Word inserted.

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, 27.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Black,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Lane.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. James,	

Noes, 14.

Mr. Ball,
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. McGirr.

Agreed to.

And clauses 11 to 15 having been dealt with,—

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

REGISTERED CLUBS.

Limitation of number of clubs in electorate.

Clause 16. Section eighty of the Principal Act is amended by adding thereto the following :—
 "for the purposes of the second paragraph of this section the electorates of King, Belmore, Darling Harbour, and Darlinghurst shall be deemed to be one electorate." [*Read.*]

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Black,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 19.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Kearsley.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Lang,	

Agreed to.

No. 8.

LIQUOR (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(continued).

Local option vote.

Clause 17. The vote of electors under Part IV of the Principal Act shall not be taken in any electorate at the general election next following the commencement of this Act. [Read.] Local option vote suspended.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Black,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Colquhoun,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fallick,	Dr. Arthur,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Bruntnell.
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Mr. Robson,	

Agreed to.

Clause 18 and postponed Clause 7 having been agreed to,—

On motion of Mr. D. R. Hall, Mr. Durack, Acting Chairman, left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments to the House.

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 1 NOVEMBER, 1916.

No. 1.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL.—(Further considered).

Clause 2. The following section is inserted next after section eight of the Government Railways New s. 9.
Act, 1912 :—

9. The Commissioners shall respectively receive salaries not exceeding the following yearly Salaries of
Railway Com-
missioners.
rates :—

The Chief Railway Commissioner for New South Wales, "three" thousand pounds.

The Assistant Railway Commissioner for New South Wales appointed as deputy of the
said Chief Railway Commissioner, two thousand six hundred pounds.

Each of the other two Assistant Railway Commissioners for New South Wales, one
thousand eight hundred pounds.

**Such salaries are hereby charged upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and such
fund to the extent required for the payment of such salaries is hereby
permanently appropriated.**

The Second Schedule to the same Act is amended in paragraph (1) by inserting at the end thereof Amendment
of Second
Schedule.
the following :—

(c) Member of the Legislative Assembly held at any time, whether before or after the
commencement of this Act, in three Parliaments of New South Wales. (Further
considered.)

Motion made (Mr. Stuart-Robertson) to leave out from line 5, the word "three" and insert the
word "two," instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 55.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Graff,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Haynes,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Page,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Holman,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Bruitnell,	Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. J. H. Caan,	Mr. Hunt,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. James,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Lane,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. Wade,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. McGarry,	
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. McGowen,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Mercer,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Simon Hickey.

Noes, 7.

Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Donley,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Lang.

Word stands.

The clause having been further amended as indicated, and the Title having been dealt with,—
On motion of Mr. Holman, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill with amendments, and
an amended Title, to the House.

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 11.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 14 NOVEMBER, 1916.

No. 1.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL—*Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments referred to in Message of 2nd November, 1916).*

The amendments in Clauses 6 and 9 having been dealt with,—

Clause 10.* The following section is inserted next after section fourteen of the Principal New s. 14 a.
Act:—

14A. In the following cases, namely—

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| <p>(a) where Parliament makes any alteration in the of expenditure by the Commissioners or any from railways and tramways; or</p> <p>(b) where Parliament or the Governor directs the system or matter of policy which occasions or ture by the Commissioners or any decrease of t tramways; or</p> <p>(c) where Parliament has authorised the construction of any new line of railway or tramway which when vested in the Commis revenue to meet the interest on the cost of its construction and the expenses of its maintenance—</p> | <p>law which occasions any increase decrease of the revenue derived</p> <p>Commissioners to carry out any results in any increase of expendi- the revenue of the railways and</p> <p>tion of any new line of railway or sioners does not produce sufficient construction and the expenses of</p> | <p>Accounts of
commissioners as
affected by
certain diminu-
tion of revenue
or increase of
expenditure</p> |
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the annual amount of the increase of expenditure or decrease of revenue, or of the loss resulting from such new line of railway or tramway, shall from time to time be notified in writing by the Commissioners to the Auditor General, and if certified by him shall be placed to the credit of the account of the Commissioners in the Treasury. [Considered.]

The Legislative Council's amendment, omitting paragraphs (a) and (b) having been disagreed to,—
Motion made (*Mr. Holman*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendment which omits paragraph (c).

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Black,	Mr. W. Milford,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Bruntneil,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Wade,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Tellers,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Grimm.
Mr. Holman,	

Nocs, 15.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
Tellers,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. McGirr.

Legislative Council's amendment agreed to.

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* This clause was amended by the Committee, the words struck out being underlined.

The clause having been further amended as indicated,—

Legislative Council's amendment, as amended, agreed to.

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

On motion of Mr. Holman, Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report that the Committee had disagreed to some, amended another, and agreed to the remainder of the Council's amendments.

No. 2.

LIQUOR (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2)—(*Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments referred to in Message of 8th November, 1916.*)

The amendments in clause 1 having been agreed to,—

Establishing of courts.

Clause 2. (1) The Governor shall, for the purposes of this Act, establish courts for every licensing district to have jurisdiction within such district. Such court shall consist of a stipendiary or police magistrate appointed by the Governor. **District Court judge.** Each such court shall sit at such times as the Governor may direct, and shall have the powers of a fair rents court, under sections seven, eight, eighteen, and nineteen of the Fair Rents Act, 1915; and the said sections shall apply to proceedings in any such court under this Act.

(2) The Governor, upon the recommendation of the Public Service Board, shall appoint registrars of such courts and such other officers as may be necessary for carrying out the provisions of this Act. [*Considered.*]

Motion made (*Mr. D. R. Hall*), That the Committee disagrees to the Legislative Council's amendment in clause 2.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Black,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Simon Hickey.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 22.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cocks,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Lanc,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. Thomas,	

Legislative Council's amendment disagreed to.

No. 3.

SAME BILL.

Clause 3. (1) Upon application duly made any such court may make orders—

Orders by courts.

- fixing what abatement (if any) shall be made in the rent which has or may thereafter become payable in respect of any licensed premises during the period in which, in pursuance of the Liquor Referendum Act, 1916, the closing time of licensed premises shall be six o'clock;
- postponing to such dates as may be considered just, not being later than twelve months after the termination of the present war between His Majesty and His Majesty's enemies, the payment of the ~~interest or any part of the interest~~ **principal or any part of the principal** which has or may thereafter become payable during the said period by the licensee in respect of his licensed premises on a mortgage of such premises effected before the commencement of this Act;
- postponing to such dates as may be considered just, not being later than twelve months after the termination of the present war between His Majesty and His Majesty's enemies, any payments of ~~interest or instalments, or any part thereof, which has or may thereafter become payable~~ during the said period by the licensee in respect of the purchase money of his licensed premises purchased by him before the commencement of this Act, **or in respect of any bill of sale or other security over the licensee's lease, license, goodwill, goods, chattels, and effects in or upon such licensed premises:**

Provided that the court may revoke or vary any order made under this section.

Provided further that any such order shall not affect the payment of any rent, interest, *principal*, or instalments the subject of any legal proceedings commenced before the making of such application.

Applications, how made.

(2) An application under this section shall be made in duplicate to the registrar in the form prescribed, **within three months after the commencement of this Act**, and the registrar shall forthwith serve on the lessor, mortgagee, or vendor, as the case may require, personally or by post, a copy of such application. If the lessor, mortgagee, or vendor to be so served is without the State of New South Wales, service may be made upon his authorised agent, or, if there be no such agent, or no such agent known to the registrar, the court may on the application of the applicant direct how **and on what person** service shall be made, ~~and on what person.~~

Costs.

(3) In any proceedings under this section no order as to costs shall be made. [*Considered.*]

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NOTE.—The amendments made in Committee of the Whole in the Council's amendments are shown by the words inserted being printed in *italics*.

The amendments in lines 8, 9, 14, 17—19, and 21 having been dealt with, and the amendments in lines 20 and 21 having been further amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. D. R. Hall*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendment in clause 3, line 25.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cocks,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Price.
Mr. Cusack,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Keegan.

Legislative Council's amendment agreed to.

The amendments in lines 30 and 31 having been agreed to,—

The amendments in clauses 4, 5, 6, 7, and new clause 8 having been dealt with,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 15 NOVEMBER, 1916, A.M.

And the amendments in new clause 9 having been dealt with,—

No. 4.

LIQUOR (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2) (*continued*).

Legislative Council's Amendments (*continued*).

Clause 9. 11. (1) The holder of a publican's license shall on every day except on such days and during such times as licensed premises may lawfully be open for the sale of liquor close and keep closed to the public every bar on such premises. Closing of bars

(2) The holder of a colonial wine license or of a brewer's or spirit merchant's license, and the holder of a certificate of registration of a club shall, on every day except on such days and during such times as licensed premises may lawfully be open for the sale of liquor, close and keep closed to the public that part of any counter or place at or in which liquor is usually sold in pursuance of such license or certificate.

(3) Provided that nothing in this section shall prevent the sale or consumption of liquor to the persons and in the manner provided by subsection two of section fifty-seven of the Principal Act:

Provided further that dry wines manufactured in the Commonwealth and not containing added spirits may be sold to and consumed by any person on such licensed premises at a bona fide meal in a room not being a liquor bar between the hours of six and seven-thirty post meridian.

(4) If the holder of any such license or certificate fails to carry out any of the requirements of this section he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty one hundred pounds. [*Considered.*]

Motion made (*Mr. D. R. Hall*), That the Committee disagrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in the clause.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Grimm.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Ashford,
Mr. Burgess,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Minahan.

Legislative Council's amendments disagreed to.

The amendments in clauses 12, 13, and 19 having been dealt with,—

No. 5.

No. 5.

LIQUOR (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 2) (continued).

*Legislative Council's amendments (continued).*Local option
vote suspended.

* Clause 17-20. The vote of electors under Part IV of the Principal Act shall not be taken in any electorate at the general election next following the commencement of this Act: **Provided that this section shall not apply to a general election taking place after a period of eighteen six months after the commencement of this Act.** [*Considered.*]

The word "eighteen" having been left out,—

Motion made (*Mr. D. R. Hall*), to fill the blank by the insertion of the word "fourteen."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Keegan,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Morrish,	

Noes, 23.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Kearsley.
Mr. Hunt,	

Insertion of proposed word negatived.

And the blank having been filled by the insertion of the word "six",—

Legislative Council's amendment, as amended, disagreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hall, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had disagreed to some, amended other, and agreed to the remainder of the Legislative Council's amendments, including the amendments in the Title.

No. 6:

SAME BILL—(*Recommitted for the reconsideration of the Legislative Council's amendment inserting a proviso at the end of clause 20.*)

* **Provided that this section shall not apply to a general election taking place after a period of eighteen six months after the commencement of this Act.** [*Further considered.*]

Motion made (*Mr. D. R. Hall*), That the Legislative Council's amendment, as amended, be disagreed to.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Keegan,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lang,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Morrish,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Simon Hickey.

Legislative Council's amendment agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hall, the Chairman left the Chair to report 2° that the Committee had agreed to the Legislative Council's amendment, previously disagreed to, with an amendment.

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No. 7.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL:—

(Resolution.)

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Committee agrees to the following resolution:—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to provide for the control of the supply, consumption, and use of electricity and gas; to suspend the operation of certain provisions of the Municipal Council of Sydney Electric Lighting Act and of the Gas Act, 1912; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereon.

Question proposed,—That the resolution be agreed to.

Mr. Page moved, That the Honorable Member for Gloucester, Mr. Price, be not further heard.

Question put.

*NOTE.—The amendments made in Committee of the Whole in the Council's amendments are shown by the word struck out being *underlined*, and the word inserted being printed in *italics*.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Agreed to.]

Noes, 19

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Kearsley.

No. 8.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).

Same Resolution.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Lang.

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

Agreed to.

No. 9.

SAME BILL.

Same Resolution.

Question put.—That the resolution be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 19.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Minahan.

No. 10.

No. 10.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).*Same Resolution.*

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report that the Committee has come to a resolution.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang.

Agreed to.

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

No. 11.

SAME BILL.

short title.

Clause 1. This Act may be cited as the "Electric Lighting and Gas Emergency Act, 1916."
[*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Osborne.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"

Agreed to.

No. 12.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Grimm.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Minahan.

No. 13.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).
Electric Light.

Clause 2. In this Part, unless the context otherwise requires, "board" means the board appointed under this Part, and "electricity" means electricity or electric current generated by the council. This Part shall be construed with the Municipal Council of Sydney Electric Lighting Act, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Act. [*Read.*]

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

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 17 NOVEMBER, 1916, A.M.

Mr. Stuart-Robertson proceeding to discuss the effect of the Municipal Council of Sydney Electric Lighting Act, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, ruled that the Honorable Member could not do so.

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

The Point of Order is,—That the Temporary Chairman, Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, has ruled that the Honorable Member for Camperdown is not entitled to discuss the whole of Act No. 23, of 26th October, 1896, under the provisions of clause 2 of the Electric Lighting and Gas Emergency Bill.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. McGirr.

Negatived.

Noes, 39.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Thomas.
Mr. Hunt,	

No. 14.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Honorable Member for Camperdown, Mr. Stuart-Robertson, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Agreed to.

No. 15.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).*Same clause.*

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.
Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”
Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 16.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. William Brown,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Brinsley Hall.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Lang.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cusack.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Keogan,
Mr. Osborne.

No. 17.

No. 17.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).

Clause 3. A board consisting of the Lord Mayor and the vice-chairmen of the four standing committees of the council, for the time being, is hereby constituted to exercise the powers and discharge the duties conferred or imposed on it by this Part. Constitution and powers of board.

The Board may appoint necessary officers and by resolution provide for the summoning, quorum, and conduct of its meetings, and for publication of its decisions and notifications. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Page.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Minahan.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 18.

SAME BILL.

Same Clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Wright.

Agreed to.

No. 19.

SAME BILL.

Clause 4. Notwithstanding any agreement or contract entered into by the council with any persons under which the council has covenanted or agreed to supply electricity, the council may upon notification by the board as hereinafter provided refuse to supply or discontinue the supply of electricity either wholly or partially or for any time to any or all such persons without being liable for any costs, damages, or compensation whatever to any person consequent upon such refusal or discontinuance of supply. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Coeks,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Hunt.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Kearsley.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No. 20.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. James,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Coeks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Latimer.

Noes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Osborne.

Agreed to.

No. 21.

SAME BILL.

Publication of
notice.

Clause 5. (1) The board may from time to time publish as hereinafter provided notifications prohibiting the consumption or use of electricity other than by the persons or classes of persons, or for the purposes or periods or subject to the conditions therein mentioned, and may revoke or amend any such notification.

Penalty.

If any person consumes or uses electricity or permits or suffers electricity to be consumed or used in contravention of any such notification, or fails to comply with any condition in such notification, he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding *five hundred* pounds.

Disconnection
of service.

(2) The Council may, without notice, disconnect the service of electricity the consumption or use of which is prohibited by notification under this section, or in respect of which any condition imposed in such notification has not been complied with. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Lane.
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Lang.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No. 22.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*) :—

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Price.

Agreed to.

No. 23.

SAME BILL.

Clause 6. In the first instance and for so long as the board may deem advisable, it shall in such notification authorise the consumption and use of electricity upon the same terms and conditions as now exist by the persons carrying on the following functions or enterprises, namely—water supply services, public lighting, cold storage, ice making, flour milling, butchering, baking, dairy produce, and fish distribution, and such other functions or enterprises the stoppage of which might in the opinion of the board tend to endanger human life or cause serious bodily injury. [*Read.*]

Uses of electricity to be authorised in the first instance.

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Lang.

And

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No. 24.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graft,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Grimm.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Osborne.

Agreed to.

No. 25.

SAME BILL.

Publication of
notifications.

Clause 7. All notifications by the Board shall be published in the Gazette, and posted in some conspicuous place at the Town Hall, Sydney. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graft,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Thomas.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Wright.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No. 26.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Minahan.

Agreed to.

No. 27.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).

Clause 8. The operation of section twenty-six of the Principal Act, so far as the same is Suspension of provisions of Principal Act. inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, and the operation of section twenty-seven of the same Act, are hereby suspended during such time as this Act is in force. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. McGirr.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”—

Agreed to.

No. 28.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Lane.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. John Storey.

Agreed to.

No. 29.

No. 29.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*):—
*Gas.*Power of
company to
refuse to supply
gas.

Clause 9. Notwithstanding any agreement or contract entered into by a gas company with any persons under which it has covenanted or agreed to supply gas, the company may upon notification by the board as hereinafter provided refuse to supply or discontinue the supply of gas either wholly or partially or for any time to any or all such persons without being liable for any costs, damages, or compensation whatever to any person consequent upon such refusal or discontinuance of supply.

In the event of the supply of gas to be supplied by any gas company under any contract to or for street or public lamps in any municipality or shire being reduced below the quantity or period contracted for, such reduction in supply shall not be regarded as a breach of any such contract, and shall not vitiate or affect such contract, but the amount payable to the gas company supplying such gas shall be reduced during such period of reduction by such an amount as shall be agreed upon between the council affected by such reduction and the gas company, and, failing any such agreement, as shall be decided by the board. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Wright.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 30.

SAME BILL.

Same Clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr.

Agreed to.

No. 31.

No. 31.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).

Clause 10. (1) The Governor may appoint a board of five persons.

Appointment of board.

Such board may from time to time publish as hereinafter provided notifications prohibiting the consumption or use of gas other than by the persons or classes of persons, or for the purposes or periods or subject to the conditions therein mentioned, and may revoke or amend any such notification.

Publication of notice.

If any person consumes or uses gas or permits or suffers gas to be consumed or used in contravention of any such notification, or fails to comply with any condition in such notification, he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding *five hundred pounds*.

Penalty.

(2) The gas company may, without notice, disconnect the service of gas the consumption or use of which is prohibited by notification under this section, or in respect of which any condition imposed in such notification has not been complied with.

Disconnection of service.

(3) Any such notification shall be published in the *Gazette*. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Griffith,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Cocks,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Latimer.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers, 1</i>
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Osborne.

And it appearing by the 'Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No. 32.

Same Bill.

Same Clause

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Wright.

Agreed to.

No. 33.

No. 33.

Suspension of
operation of
certain
provisions of
Gas Act.ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).

Clause 11. The operation of the Gas Act, 1912, so far as it relates to the quality, illuminating power, purity, and pressure of gas supplied by any company to which that Act applies, is hereby suspended during such time as this Act is in force. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.		Noes, 17.
Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,	Mr. Boston,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,	Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. Dooley,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Morrish,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thompson,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Price,
Mr. Griffith,		Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. Wright.
Mr. D. R. Hall,		<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,		Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Hoskins,		Mr. Lang.
Mr. Hunt,		

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”—

Agreed to.

No. 34.

SAME BILL.

Same Clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.		Noes, 17.
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Cochran,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,	Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thompson,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Griffith,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Price,
Mr. Grimm,		Mr. John Storey,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Brinsley Hall.	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Hoskins,		<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,		Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Lane,		Mr. Fingleton.
Mr. Latimer,		

Agreed to.

No. 35.

SAME BILL.

Duration of Act.

Clause 12. This Act shall remain in force until the Governor by proclamation in the *Gazette* declares that the necessity for the same has ceased to exist, whereupon this Act shall be deemed to be repealed as from the date of such proclamation. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.		Noes, 17.
Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,	Mr. Boston,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,	Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Estell,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Morrish,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Harry Morton,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Nesbitt,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Wright.
Mr. D. R. Hall,		<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Thompson.	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Hunt,		

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”—

Agreed to.

No. 36.

No. 36.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).*Same Clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Levy,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Osborne.

Agreed to.

No 37.

SAME BILL.

Clause 13. This Act shall bind the Crown. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Hoskins,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Simon Hickey.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 38.

SAME BILL.

Same Clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. M'Donald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Latimer.
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Agreed to.

No. 39.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL (*continued*).

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Cocks.
Mr. James,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright,
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Minahan.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 40.

SAME BILL.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Griffith,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright,
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cusack.

Agreed to.

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

FRIDAY, 17 NOVEMBER, 1916.

No. 41.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONTINUANCE BILL.

(*Resolution.*)

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Committee agrees to the following resolution:—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to extend the duration of the present Legislative Assembly; to fix a time at which the present Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works shall cease to hold office, and to provide for the election of a new Committee; to amend the Constitution Act, 1902, and the Public Works Act, 1912; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto.

Question proposed,—That the resolution be agreed to.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight.

SATURDAY, 18 NOVEMBER, 1916, A.M.

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Honorable Member for Camperdown, Mr. Stuart-Robertson, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hoyle,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. M. Abbott.
Mr. James,	Mr. Morrish.

Agreed to.

No. 42.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONTINUANCE BILL (*continued.*)

Same Resolution.

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. James,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Lane,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”—

Agreed to.

No. 43.

SAME BILL.

Same Resolution.

Question put,—That the resolution be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Grimm.
Mr. James,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 18.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers.

Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Keegan.

Noes, 18.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright,

Tellers,

Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. McGirr.

Noes, 19.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Lang.

No.

No. 44.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONTINUANCE BILL (*continued*)*Same Resolution.*

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report that the Committee has come to a resolution.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graft,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Kearsley.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 45.

SAME BILL.

Same Resolution.

Question put,—That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report that the Committee has come to a resolution.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graft,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Lane.
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Haynes.

Agreed to.

Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report accordingly.

No. 46.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONTINUANCE BILL.

Short title.

Clause 1. This Act may be cited as the “Legislative Assembly Continuance Act, 1916.” [*Read.*]

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

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

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 41.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. McGarry.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Dooley.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No. 47.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONTINUANCE BILL (*continued*).

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. James,	Mr. Hunt.
Mr. Lane,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 21.

Mr. Boston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Griffith,	
Mr. Haynes,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Captain Toombs,	
Mr. Wright.	

No. 48.

SAME BILL.

Clause 2. Section twenty-four of the Constitution Act, 1902, shall, in its application to the present Legislative Assembly, have effect as if "four years" were substituted for three years. [*Read.*] Motion made (*Mr. Levy*), to leave out from line 2 the words "four years" and insert "three years and three months,"—instead thereof.

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

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Boston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. McGirr.
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Haynes,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Captain Toombs,	
Mr. Wright.	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No.

No. 49.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONTINUANCE BILL (*continued*).*Same Clause.*Question put,—That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the clause.
Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoyle,	

Words stand

Noes, 21.

Mr. Boston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Thomas Brown,	
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Haynes,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Captain Toombs,	

No. 50.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*Mr. Grahame moved, That the Question be now put
Question put,—“That the Question be now put.”
Committee divided.

Ayes, 38

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Hoyle,	

Noes, 20

Mr. Boston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Thomas Brown,	
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Simon Hickey
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Kearsley.
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Haynes,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Captain Toombs,	
Mr. Wright.	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”

Agreed to.

No. 51.

SAME BILL.

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

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. James,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Thomas Brown,	
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Minahan.
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Captain Toombs,	
Mr. Wright.	

No.

No. 52.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONTINUANCE BILL (*continued*).

Clause 3. The members of the present Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works shall, notwithstanding the extension by this Act of the duration of the present Legislative Assembly, hold office up to and including the twenty-second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and no longer, and a new Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works shall be elected under Part II of the Public Works Act, 1912, to hold office as their successors subject to such Act, until the present Parliament expires by dissolution or effluxion of time.

Retirement
of present
Public Works
Committee.
Election of new
Committee.

Such election may be held at any time, whether before or after the said day, and any member of the present Committee shall be eligible for election to the new Committee. But if the new Committee is elected before the said day, the members shall not take office until the present Committee ceases to hold office:

Provided that in applying the provisions of the said Part to such election, subsection one of section nine thereof, shall be read as follows:—

9. (1) "The Speaker shall give notice of a date up to and including which he shall receive nominations of members of the Legislative Assembly for election and appointment as members of the Committee." Such date shall be not less than three nor more than seven days after the giving of such notice:

Provided also that for the purposes of this Act every reference of a work to the existing Works Committee shall be deemed to be a reference to the incoming Works Committee when appointed. [*Read.*]

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

Motion made (*Mr. Cochran*) to leave out from lines 14-16, the words "The Speaker shall give notice of a date up to and including which he shall receive nominations of members of the Legislative Assembly for election and appointment as members of the Committee."

The Temporary Chairman, Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, ruled the amendment out of order, as it would make the clause unintelligible.

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

The Point of Order is,—

That the Hon. Member for Darling Harbour, Mr. Cochran, proposed an amendment to Clause 3 by omitting all words after the figure (1) in line 14, down to and including the word "Committee" in line 16.

The Temporary Chairman ruled the amendment out of order, as it would make the clause unintelligible.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers.

Mr. McGirr,
Mr. John Storey.

Noes, 40.

Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Ashford,
Mr. Ball,
Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Burgess,
Mr. J. H. Cann,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Edden,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Graff,
Mr. Grimm,
Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Holman,
Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Hunt,
Mr. James,
Mr. Lane,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Mercer,
Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Page,
Mr. Perry,
Mr. Price,
Mr. Robson,
Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Zuill.

Tellers.

Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Latimer.

Negatived.

No. 53.

SAME BILL.

Same Clause.

Motion made (*Mr. Holman*) to add at end of clause the following words:—"Provided also that for the purposes of this Act every reference of a work to the existing Works Committee shall be deemed to be a reference to the incoming Works Committee when appointed."

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

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lanc,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hoyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. James,	Mr. Levy.

Noes, 18.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Lang.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

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

No. 54.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONTINUANCE BILL—(continued).

Same Clause.

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

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. James,	Mr. W. Millard.
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Keegan.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No. 55.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Keegan.

Agreed to.

No. 56.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONTINUANCE BILL (*continued*).

Mr. Holman moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report the Bill with an amendment to the House.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzprick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Thomas.
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs.

Tellers,

Mr. Haynes.
Mr. Wright.

Agreed to.

Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report accordingly.

S. G. BOYDELL,
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.)

MONDAY, 4 DECEMBER, 1916.

No. 1.

WAYS AND MEANS—FINANCIAL STATEMENT—(Further considered).

(Resolution)—

Question again proposed. (On motion of Mr. Holman)—That the Committee agrees to the following Resolution:—

(6.) Resolved,—That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty for the service of the year 1916-17, there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund the sum of £400, for Vice-President of the Executive Council and representative of the Government in the Legislative Council for the year 1916-17.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

TUESDAY, 5 DECEMBER, 1916, A.M.

Question put,—That the resolution be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. James,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Boston,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Dooley,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Fingleton,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Agreed to.

No. 2.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE.

TREASURY—

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £30,717 for Treasury for the year 1916-17.

Motion made (Mr. Stuart-Robertson), That the item, "Allowance to Caretaker and for supervision of cleaning, £30," be omitted.

Question put.

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Committee divided.

Ayes, 16

Mr. Boston,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Durack,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Noes, 22

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. James,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Grimm,	

Omission of item negatived.

Estimate, Treasury, agreed to.

The Estimate, Stamp Duties, having been agreed to,—

No. 3.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17 (*continued*),—

TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE—(*continued*).

LAND AND INCOME TAX.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £30,990 for Land and Income Tax for the year 1916-17.

Motion made (*Mr. Dooley*), That the item "Commissioner of Taxation, £900," be reduced by £100.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton.
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang.

Noes, 24.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Grimm.
Mr. Hoyle,	

Reduction of item negatived.

Estimate, Land and Income Tax, agreed to.

The remaining Estimates under the head of "Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade" having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Colquhoun, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report progress, and asked leave to sit again at a later hour of the day.

At a later hour of the day,—

No. 4.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Consideration of Legislative Council's Message of 30th November, 1916*).

Motion made (*Mr. D. R. Hall*), That the Committee does not insist upon the Assembly's disagreements from the Council's amendments, and agrees to the Council's further amendments.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGowen,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Briesley Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lanc,	

Noes, 11.

Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus Miller,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Fingleton.

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hall, Mr. Colquhoun, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report that the Committee does not insist upon the Assembly's disagreements from the Council's amendments, and agrees to the Council's further amendments.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17,

The Estimate under the head of "Schedules to the Constitution Act" having been agreed to,—

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

TUESDAY, 5 DECEMBER, 1916.

No. 5.

EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,755, for Legislative Council for the year 1916-17.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.		Nocs, 14.
Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mercer,	Mr. Dooley,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Durack,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Page,	Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Price,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. P. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Minahan.
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Grimm.	
Mr. Lane,		
Mr. Latimer,		

Agreed to.

The remaining Estimates under the head of "Executive and Legislative" having been dealt with,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 6 DECEMBER, 1916, A.M.

And the Estimates under the head of "Colonial Secretary and Minister of Public Health" and "Secretary for Lands" having been dealt with,—

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

WEDNESDAY, 6 DECEMBER, 1916.

No. 5.

RAILWAYS.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £7,846,340, for Railways and Tramways—Existing Lines—Working Expenses for the year 1916-17.

On motion Mr. D. R. Hall, Mr. Colquhoun, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again at a later hour of the day.

At a later hour of the day,—

Question again proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £7,846,310, for Railways and Tramways—Existing Lines—Working Expenses for the year 1916-17.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved,—That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.		Nocs, 18.
Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,	Mr. Boston,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Levy,	Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mercer,	Mr. Dooley,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Durack,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,	Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Page,	Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Scobie,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Grimm,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Morrish.	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Hollis,		<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holtman,		Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Hoskins,		Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Hunt,		

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No. 7.

No. 7.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

RAILWAYS (*continued*).

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £7,846,340, for Railways and Tramways—Existing Lines—Working Expenses, for the year 1916-17.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mettarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Wright.

Agreed to.

No. 8.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE.

Motion made (*Mr. Ball*), That the Estimates under the head of "Department of the Attorney General and of Justice" be postponed.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mark F. Norton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Wright.

Agreed to.

No. 9.

MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £107,420, for Establishment for the year 1916-17.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Honorable Member for Granville, Mr. Lang, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,
Captain Toombs.

Agreed to.

No. 10.

No. 10.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS—(continued).

ESTABLISHMENT—(continued).

Question again proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £107,420 for Establishment, for the year 1916-17.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Mercer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Bruntneil,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Colquhoun,	
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Brinsley Hall.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Levy,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. McGirr.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”—

Agreed to.

No. 11.

ESTABLISHMENT—(continued).

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £107,420 for Establishment, for the year 1916-17.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott	Mr. Levy,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cusack,	
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Hoskins.
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Osborne.

Agreed to.

No. 12.

PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £305,720 for Public Works and Services, for the year 1916-17.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. William Brown.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Dooley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”—

Agreed to.

No. 13.

No. 13.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS—(continued).

PUBLIC WORKS AND SERVICES—(continued)

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £305,720 for Public Works and Services, for the year 1916-17.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Cusack,	
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Levy,	

Nocs, 19.

Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Price,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Kearsley.

Agreed to.

No. 14.

GOVERNMENT DOCKYARD, NEWCASTLE.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £18,457, for Government Dockyard, Newcastle, for the year 1916-17.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. W. Millard,

Nocs, 20

Mr. Boston,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”—

Agreed to.

No. 15.

GOVERNMENT DOCKYARD, NEWCASTLE—(continued).

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £18,457 for Government Dock Yard, Newcastle, for the year 1916-17.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	

Nocs, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Osborne.

Agreed to.

No. 16

No 16.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS—(continued).

METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £268,899, for Metropolitan Board of Water and Sewerage for the year 1916-17.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Fingleton.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”—

Agreed to.

No. 17.

METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE—(continued).

Question put,—“That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £268,899 for Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage for the year 1916-17.”

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Gardiner.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. McGirr.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 7 DECEMBER, 1916, A.M.

No. 18.

HUNTER DISTRICT WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE BOARD.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £32,670, for Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board for the year 1916-1917.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Coeks,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Grimm.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Durack,	Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Captain Toombs,	

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty Members,"—

Agreed to.

No 19.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS—(continued).

HUNTER DISTRICT WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE BOARD—(continued).

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £32,670 for Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board for the year 1916-17.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Coeks,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Grimm.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Boston,	
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Captain Toombs,	
Mr. Wright,	
<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Minahan,	

Agreed to.

And the Estimates under the head of "Public Instruction and Local Government" and "Secretary for Mines" having been dealt with,—

No. 20.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

AGRICULTURE.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £116,131, for Agriculture, for the year 1916-17.

Motion made (Mr. Fingleton), That the item "Assistant Under Secretary, £800," be reduced by £40.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.

Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright,	
<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Boston,	
Mr. McGirr,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Reduction of item negatived.

Estimate agreed to.

No. 21.

No. 21.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

STOCK BRANDS AND PASTURES PROTECTION.

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £43,916 for Stock Brands and Pastures Protection, for the year 1916-17.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Hoskins.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. McGarry,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Minahan.

Agreed to.

The Estimates, Botanic Gardens; Nursery Garden, Campbelltown; Garden Palace Grounds and Inner Domain; Government Domain (Outer); Centennial Park; and State Governor's Residences, having been dealt with,—

No. 22.

COMMERCIAL AGENTS.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,134, for "Commercial Agents," for the year 1916-17.

Motion made (*Mr. Fingleton*), That the item "Commercial Commissioner for New South Wales" in the East, £1,250," be reduced by £250.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.

Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McGirr,
Captain Toombs.

Noes, 26.

Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mercer.
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Scobie.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	

Reduction of item negatived.

No. 23.

COMMERCIAL AGENTS—(continued).

Motion made (*Mr. Fingleton*), That the item ["Travelling and Incidental Expenses, £1,300," be reduced by £300.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Boston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Fingleton,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Captain Toombs,	
Mr. Wright.	

Noes, 26.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Hunt,	

Reduction of item negatived.

Estimate agreed to.

And the Estimate, Miscellaneous Services, having been agreed to,—

No. 24.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (*continued*).

WATER CONSERVATION AND IRRIGATION COMMISSION.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £37,308, for Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission, for the year 1916-17.

Motion made (*Mr. Fingleton*), That the item "Secretary, £600," be reduced by £100.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.

Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Durack,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Lang,	Mr. Fingleton.
Mr. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Captain Toombs,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Mercer.
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Page,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Hoskins.

Reduction of item negatived

Estimate agreed to.

The Estimate, Miscellaneous Services, having been dealt with,—

No. 25.

PREMIER.

PREMIER'S DEPARTMENT.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £11,210, for Premier's Department, for the year 1916-17.

Motion made (*Mr. Boston*), That the item "Publicity Officer, £600," be omitted.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 12.

Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Fingleton.

Noes, 27.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mercer.
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	

Omission of Item negatived.

Estimate agreed to.

The Estimate, Executive Council, having been agreed to,—

No. 26.

NEW SOUTH WALES AVIATION SCHOOL.

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,959, for New South Wales Aviation School, for the year 1916-17.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mercer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Scobie,
Mr. Cusack,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Dr. Arthur,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 12.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Keegan.

Agreed to.

The Estimates, Agent-General for New South Wales; Immigration and Tourist Bureau; Immigration Department New South Wales and Victoria (London); State War Council of New South Wales, having been dealt with,—

No. 27.

No. 27.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

PREMIER (*continued*).

MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £70,466, for Miscellaneous Services, for the year 1916-17.

Motion made (*Mr. Perry*), That the item "Representative of Government of New South Wales on the West Coast of the United States of America and Canada—Expenses of," "£6,105," be omitted.

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

THURSDAY, 7 DECEMBER, 1916.

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

At a later hour of the day,—

Question put,—That the item "Representative of Government of New South Wales on the West Coast of the United States of America and Canada—Expenses of, £6,105," be omitted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Perry,
Mr. Price,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Thomas,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright,
Mr. Zuill.

Tellers,

Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Mark F. Morton.

Noes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,
Dr. Arthur,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Burgess,
Mr. J. H. Cann,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Holman,
Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Lane,

Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Mercer,
Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Page,
Mr. Scobie,
Mr. David Storey,
Mr. John Storey.

Tellers,

Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Hoskins.

Omission of item negatived.

Estimate agreed to.

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

At a later hour of the day,—

No. 28.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £46,498, for Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice, for the year 1916-17.

On motion of Mr. D. R. Hall, Mr. Bagnall, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again at a later hour of the day.

At a later hour of the day,—

Question again proposed—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £46,498, for Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice, for the year 1916-17.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Honorable Member for Willoughby, Mr. Haynes, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Ashford,
Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Ball,
Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Burgess,
Mr. J. H. Cann,
Mr. Cohen,
Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,
Mr. Fuller,
Mr. Graff,
Mr. Grahame,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. D. R. Hall,
Mr. Hollis,

Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Lane,
Mr. McGarry,
Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Robson,
Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Waddell.

Tellers,

Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Thomas.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Levy,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,

Mr. Zuill.

Tellers,

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Kearsley.

Agreed to.

And

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 8 DECEMBER, 1916, A.M.

No. 29.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE FOR 1916-17.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued).

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Honorable Member for Camperdown, Mr. Stuart-Robertson, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. J. H. Cann,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Osborne.

Agreed to.

Estimate agreed to.

The remaining Estimates under the head of "Department of the Attorney-General and of "Justice," and the Estimates under the head "Labour and Industry," "Advance to "Treasurer," "Unauthorised in Suspense," "Public Works Fund," and "Closer Settlement "Fund," having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. D. R. Hall, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again, also that the Committee had come to certain resolutions.

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 13.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 13 DECEMBER, 1916, A.M.

No. 1.

TOTALIZATOR BILL.

Clauses 1 and 2 having been dealt with,—

Clause 3. Notwithstanding anything contained in any Act relating to gaming, betting, or Power of
wagering, the Governor, by notification in the Gazette, may direct that any racing club Governor to
therein mentioned shall establish a "totalizator" on all or any racecourse at which it holds direct use
race-meetings, and shall on and after any day therein named use the totalizator so established of totalizator.
on every day on which a race-meeting is held on such racecourses, and may amend or revoke
any such notification.

If any racing club fails to use the totalizator when so directed as aforesaid it shall be
liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds for every day on which such failure has
occurred, and the license of such club shall be liable to cancellation. [Read.]

Motion made (*Mr. Griffith*) to insert in line 3, after the word "totalizator" the words which
"shall be and shall remain the property of the Crown."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Thomas Brown,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Captain Toombs,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cusack,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Durack,	
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Boston,
Mr. Fingleton,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Griffith,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Noes, 27.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Crane,
Mr. James,	Mr. Brinsley Hall.
Mr. Lane,	

Insertion of proposed words negatived.

Clause, as read, agreed to.

Clauses 4 to 7 having been dealt with,—

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

Clause 8. (1) Every club using the totalizator under the provisions of this Act shall deduct as Commission.
commission out of the moneys paid into the totalizator in respect of any race ten per centum
of the money so paid into the totalizator.

(2) Every such club shall, within fourteen days after the holding of any race-meeting, Payment of
pay "seven-tenths" of the amount deducted by such club as aforesaid to the Colonial portion of
Treasurer, or some person appointed by him, to be paid by him into the Treasury and carried Commission to
to the Consolidated Revenue Fund. Any such amount may be recovered from such club Colonial
as a Crown debt in any courts of competent jurisdiction. Treasurer.

The residue of three-tenths may be retained by the club, and shall be expended by it in prizes for horse-racing, trotting racing, or pony-racing, and in the upkeep of the racecourse and totalizator to the satisfaction of the Minister, and the sums not so expended shall be paid to the Colonial Treasurer in accordance with this section.

Deduction for sinking fund.

(3) Every such club may, in addition, deduct out of the moneys paid into the totalizator in respect of any race one per centum of the money so paid into the totalizator, as a sinking fund to pay off the cost of the installation of the totalizator, and of the construction of the necessary buildings to be used in relation thereto by the club :

Provided that the amount of such cost shall be determined as prescribed by the regulations, and that such deduction shall cease to be made when the cost of the installation and construction as aforesaid has been repaid out of the sinking fund. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Griffith*) to leave out from line 5 the words "seven-tenths" and insert the words "to the Colonial Treasurer such proportion," instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Page,
Mr. Boston,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Edden,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Graff,	Captain Toombs.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Haynes,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. McGarry,	
Mr. McGowen,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Minahan,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	

Noes, 18.

Dr. Arthur,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Crane,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Fallick,
Mr. Griffith,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lane,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Mark F. Morton.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Wright.

Words stand.

And the clause having been amended as indicated,—

Clause, as amended, agreed to.

And the remaining clauses having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. James, Mr. G. R. W. McDonald, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report the Bill, with amendments, to the House.

THURSDAY, 14 DECEMBER, 1916, A.M.

No. 3.

CRIMES PREVENTION BILL.

Preliminary.

Short title.

Clause 1. This Act may be cited as the "Crimes 'Prevention' Act, 1916." [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Stuart-Robertson*) to leave out the word "Prevention."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. James,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Crane,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Hollis,	

Noes, 11.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Minahan.

Word stands.

No. 4.

No. 4.

CRIMES PREVENTION BILL—(continued).

Same clause.

Motion made (*Mr. Cochran*) to insert after the word "Prevention" the words "and Extension
" of Summary Jurisdiction "

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 11.

Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs.

Tellers,

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Wright.

Noes, 28.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. James,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Latimer.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	

Insertion of proposed words negatived.

No. 5.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. McGarry.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 11.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
Tellers,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Fingleton,

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

Clause 2. If any person incites to, urges, aids, or encourages the commission of crimes or the carrying on of any operations for or by the commission of crimes he shall be guilty of an offence against this Act.

If such offence is committed by a speaker at a public meeting, such speaker may be arrested by any member of the police force, and the members of such force may disperse such meeting and for that purpose may use force. [*Read.*]

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

Mr. Holman moved,—That the Honorable Member for Belmore, Mr. Minahan, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 12.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
Tellers,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang.

No. 7.

No. 7.

CRIMES PREVENTION BILL—(continued.)

Same clause.

Mr. J. C. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Brinsley Hall,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. James,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Price.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.

Noes, 12.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dcoley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Minahan,
Captain Toombs.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists, that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “ at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 8.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. James,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Hollis.

Noes, 12.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs.
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley.

Agreed to.

No 9.

SAME BILL.

Clause 3. If any person prints or publishes any writing which incites to, urges, aids, or encourages the commission of crimes or the carrying on of any operations for or by the commission of crimes, such person shall be guilty of an offence against this Act, and shall be liable to imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months or to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds. [Read.]

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

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Brinsley Hall.

Noes, 12.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,

Tellers,

Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Wright.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “ at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No, 10.

No. 10.

CRIMES PREVENTION BILL.—(continued).

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. James,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald.
Mr. Hollis,	

Noes, 12.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Lang,
Captain Toombs.

Agreed to.

No. 11.

SAME BILL.

Clause 4. If any person is guilty of an offence against this Act for which a penalty is not otherwise provided he shall be liable on summary conviction before a stipendiary or police magistrate, or any two justices in petty sessions, to imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months. [*Read.*]

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

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs.

Tellers,

Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Wright.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the requirements of Standing Order 175, that “at least “thirty Members” should vote in favour of the motion, had not been complied with,—

Not decided in the affirmative.

No. 12.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Honorable Member for Hurstville, Captain Toombs, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. James,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Minahan.

Agreed to.

No. 13.

No. 13.

CRIMES PREVENTION BILL—(continued).

Same clause.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Holman,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. James,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Crauc,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Cocks,
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Robson.

Noes, 11.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 14.

SAME BILL.

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hollis,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Holman,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Price,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Morrish.

Noes, 13.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Lang,
Captain Toombs.

Agreed to.

No. 15.

SAME BILL.

Where offence punishable otherwise.

Clause 5. Where an offence against this Act is also punishable under any other Act or at common law, it may be prosecuted and punished either under this Act or under the other Act or at common law, but so that no person be punished twice for the same offence. [Read.]

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

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Graff.

Noes, 13.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Minahan,

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 16.

No. 16.

CRIMES PREVENTION BILL—(continued).

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Waddell.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. T. S. Crawford,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs.

Tellers,

Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Wright.

Agreed to.

No 17.

SAME BILL.

Mr. Holman moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Bruntnell.
Mr. Hoskins,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members,”—

Agreed to.

No. 18.

SAME BILL.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Hollis,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald.
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

Tellers,

Mr. Kearsley,
Captain Toombs.

Agreed to.

The Temporary Chairman, Mr. Bagnall, left the Chair to report accordingly.

THURSDAY,

THURSDAY, 14 DECEMBER, 1916, A.M.

No. 19.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (AMENDING) BILL (*Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments*).*Schedule of the Amendments referred to in Message of 5th December, 1916.*

Pages 2, 3, 4, and 5. Omit clauses 3 to 7 inclusive, insert new clauses to stand as new clauses 3 and 4.

Page 6, clause 5. Omit lines 25 to 37 inclusive.

Mr. James moved, That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. McGarry.
Mr. Hoyle,	

Noes, 12.

Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Laog,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,
Captain Toombs.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of “at least thirty Members.”—

Agreed to.

No. 20.

SAME BILL.

Legislative Council's amendments—(continued).

Question put,—That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments.

Committee divided.*

Ayes, 31.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hollis,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. William Brown,
Mr. Hoyle,	Mr. Brinsley Hall.
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 13.

Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Lang.

Legislative Council's amendments agreed to.

No. 21.

SAME BILL.

Legislative Council's amendments—(continued).

Mr. James moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair to report that the Committee has agreed to the Legislative Council's amendments.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cohen,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Price,
Mr. T. S. Crawford,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Robson.

Noes, 13.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Minahan.

Agreed to.

The Temporary Chairman, Mr. Colquhoun, left the Chair to report accordingly.

No. 22.

No. 22.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments).

*Schedule of the Amendments referred to in Message of 13th December, 1916.*Page 1, Title, lines 4 and 5. *Omit* "the Act relating to Stamp Duties, the Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1912, and certain other Acts"Pages 2, 3, and 4, clause 2. *Omit* from line 12 in page 2 to line 19 in page 4 inclusive.Page 4, clause 3, line 33. *After* "court" *insert* "or as district court judges"Page 5, clause 3, lines 23 and 24. *Omit* "sitting in each case with or without assessors"Page 6, clause 3, line 16. *After* "said" *insert* "senior judge and"Pages 6 and 7, clause 4. *Omit* clause 4.Page 8, clause 6 5, line 19. *After* "nominated" *insert* "as prescribed"Page 8, clause 6, 5. At end of clause *add* "or where either employers or employees fail to so
"nominate from persons nominated by the Minister"Pages 8 to 13 inclusive. *Omit* clauses 8 to 18 inclusive.

Mr. Holman moved, That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Morrish.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hoyle,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Gardiner.

And it appearing by the Tellers' Lists that the number in favour of the motion, being a majority, consisted of "at least thirty members,"—

Agreed to.

No. 23.

SAME BILL.

Legislative Council's amendments—(continued).

Question put,—That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hoskins,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hoyle,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Burgess,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Gardiner.

Legislative Council's amendments agreed to.

No. 24.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—*Legislative Council's amendments*—(continued).

Mr. Holman moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report that the Committee has agreed to the Legislative Council's amendments.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hoyle,	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Cusack,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Minahan,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Boston,
Mr. Lang.

Agreed to.

The Temporary Chairman, Mr. Bagnall, left the Chair to report accordingly.

THURSDAY, 14 DECEMBER, 1916.

No. 25.

TOTALIZATOR BILL—(*Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments*).*Schedule of the Amendments referred to in Message of 14th December, 1916.*Page 2, clause 3, lines 36 and 37. *After "occurred" omit to end of clause.*Page 4. *After clause 9 add—*

It shall be lawful for any club or licensed race-course to apply to the Minister for permission to establish or use the totalizator under the provisions of this Act.

And further it shall be lawful for any two or more clubs or licensed race-courses to apply to the Minister for permission to amalgamate and use only one licensed race-course for the meetings which they each have the right to hold, and upon such permission being given all the rights and privileges of the clubs or race-courses so amalgamating shall apply to the race-course and club approved in the said permit.

And the provisions of this Act in respect of the totalizator relating to each such club or licensed race-course shall apply to such last-mentioned club or race-course.

Mr. James moved, That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments.

Point of Order :—That the amendment to clause 9 was beyond the Order of Leave. The Chairman said that it was not competent to take a Point of Order at this stage—it should have been taken when the Speaker was in the Chair.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. William Brown,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Morrish,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Brinsley Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hollis,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Minahan.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hoyle,	

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Mr. Boston,
Mr. Thomas Brown,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Durack,
Mr. Fingleton,
Mr. Haynes,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Page,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Captain Toombs,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lang,
Mr. John Storey.

Legislative Council's amendments agreed to.

On motion of Mr. James, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had agreed to the Legislative Council's amendments.

S. G. BOYDELL,
Clerk Assistant

1916.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6 Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the papers referred to them as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Statement	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 31st March, 1916...	.....	Mr. Black	1916. 18 July	To be printed.	
Statement	of Liabilities and Assets of Public Companies, for quarter ended 31st March, 1916.	.....	Mr. Black	18 July	To be printed.	
Regulations.....	under the Metropolitan Traffic Act, 1900 .....	.....	Mr. Black	18 July	Not to be printed.	
Regulations.....	under the Sunday Trading (Refreshment Rooms) Act, 1916....	.....	Mr. Black	18 July	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	under the Meat Industry Act, 1915,—(a) and (b) for the control of the Public Sale-yards for the sale of cattle at Flemington; (c) for the control of the Sydney Abattoir and its appurtenances, Glebe Island; (d) for the control of the Public Sale-yards for the sale of pigs and calves at Homebush Bay; (e) for the control of the Public Abattoir at Homebush Bay; (f) for the control of the Meat Market and Dépôt at Pyrmont; (g) for the control of cattle slaughtering at private slaughter-houses, for the inspection of meat brought into the Metropolitan Abattoir Area, for the regulation of private sale-yards, and for the control of private meat markets; (h) respecting the fees payable for slaughtering stock at the Glebe Island Abattoir.	.....	Mr. Black	18 July	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Fisheries Acts .....	.....	Mr. Black	18 July	Not to be printed.	
Report.....	on the Fisheries of New South Wales, for 1915 .....	.....	Mr. Black	18 July	To be printed.	
By-laws	under the Newcastle District Abattoir and Sale-yards Act, 1912 .....	.....	Mr. Black	18 July	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of intention to declare that Irrigation Farm No. 201, Yanco Irrigation Area—Miss Mary Ann Moore—shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame	18 July	Not to be printed.	
Notification.....	of intention to declare that Irrigation Farm No. 134, Mirool Irrigation Area—Andrew Joseph Lenehan—shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame	18 July	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of intention to declare that Irrigation Farm No. 537, Yanco Irrigation Area—Henry Maxwell—shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame	18 July	Not to be printed.	
Notification.....	of intention to declare that Irrigation Farm No. 329, Yanco Irrigation Area—William Francis Inman—shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame	18 July	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Gazette Notices	under the Necessary Commodities Control Act, 1914,—(a) varying the prices fixed for cordials, aerated waters, &c., and declaring the maximum selling prices of cordials, aerated waters, hop beers, ginger beers, essences, fruit flavours, and accessories for the bottler and fountain-drink dispenser; (b), (g), (h) varying the prices fixed for oatmeal and rolled oats, and declaring the maximum selling prices of plain oatmeal, flaked oatmeal, and rolled oats; (c) varying and declaring maximum selling prices of cheese; (d), (k) varying and declaring maximum selling prices of butter; (e) varying and declaring maximum selling prices of fresh milk; (f), (j) varying and declaring maximum selling prices of bran and pollard; (i) declaring the maximum selling prices of baking powders; (l) varying and declaring maximum selling prices of kerosene, benzine, heavy benzine, motor spirit, and benzoline; (m) varying and declaring maximum selling prices of flour, bran, and pollard; (n) varying and declaring the maximum selling prices of "Milkmaid Brand" coffee and milk, chocolate and milk, and cocoa and milk.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	1916. 18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Returns	under the Several Acts of Parliament administered by the Registrar-General for 1915.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	18 July.....	To be printed.	
General Rules	under the Wills, Probates and Administration Act, 1898.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Liquor Act, 1912.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Proclamation.....	proclaiming "Constructing a railway or tramway siding in connection with mining" to be a Mining Purpose within the meaning of the Mining Act, 1906.	.....	Mr. Estell	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation	No. 78, under the Mining Act, 1906.	.....	Mr. Estell	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Accounts of the Miners' Accident Relief Board for 1915.	.....	Mr. Estell	18 July.....	To be printed.	
Report	of the Department of Mines for 1915.	.....	Mr. Estell	18 July.....	To be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands under the Crown Lands Consolidation, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	18 June.....	Not to be printed.	
Particulars.....	of Western Lands Leases issued under the provisions of the Western Lands Acts on the 20th April, 1916.	.....	Mr. Ashford	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Particulars.....	of Western Lands Leases issued under the provisions of the Western Lands Acts from 26th May to 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Ashford	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notifications	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Public School purposes at Piambra Siding, Orange, Hurstville, Kitchener, Tamban, Bogie, and Nandewar.	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Minutes	of the Public Service Board appointing Mr. Leslie Pudney, Mr. Leo Septimus Day, and Mr. Walter Martin Caples, as Dentists on probation for six months, Department of Education, Medical Branch.	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	18th July.....	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Trustees of the National Art Gallery, for 1915.	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	18 July.....	To be printed.	
Report	of the Senate of the University of Sydney, for 1915.	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	18 July.....	To be printed.	
Amended By-laws	of the University of Sydney.	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Minutes.....	relating to the appointment of Mr. James J. Cuff, Teacher of Electrical Trades Classes, Sydney Technical College.	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways for quarter ended 31st March, 1916.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Disbursements, with Balance-sheet, for year to 31st December, 1915, of National Relief Fund of New South Wales.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Inflammable Liquid Act, 1915.....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper:	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
				1916.		
Proclamation.....	bringing into force the Inflammable Liquid Act, 1915 .....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Navigation Acts .....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Proclamation.....	altering General Rule 14 (2b), contained in the Sixth Schedule of the Navigation Act, 1901, relative to compasses in ships' lifeboats. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic at Honeysuckle. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Nowra, by duplication between Clifton and Thirroul. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic at Marulan. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic at Stoncheuge. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Picton and Mittagong. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Wallangarra, by quadruplication between Waratah and West Maitland. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Bourke, by improvements to grades at Yamboyna. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between West Maitland and Wauchope, by provision of siding connection to Chatham, near Taree. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Nowra, by duplication and deviation between Otford and Coal Cliff. ....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	18 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from Sale for the preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913. ....	.....	Mr. Ashford	19 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Sites for Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913. ....	.....	Mr. Ashford	19 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Alterations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913. ....	.....	Mr. Ashford	19 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Rule	No. 41, having reference to the Land Appeal Court of New South Wales. ....	.....	Mr. Ashford	19 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Closer Settlement Acts and the Closer Settlement Promotion Act, 1910. ....	.....	Mr. Ashford	19 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	Nos. 43, 44, 49, 51, 52, 53, 54, 100, 101, 104, 106, 112, 118, 150, 151, 166, 167, 181, 182, 185, 189, 190, 193, 194, 205, 206, 214, 225, 228, 242, 244, 245, 248, 265, 304A, 305, 310, 312, 316, 318, 319, 325, 326, 327, 330, and 338, and Amended Forms Nos. 9, 10, 11, 58, 66, 79, 87, 100, 124B, and 125, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913; also Additional Regulations Nos. 195A, 195B, 196B, 213A, 217A, 282A, and 316A, and Additional Forms Nos. 66A, 67A, 67B, 68A, 78A, 82A, 98A, and 117A, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913, and the Crown Lands Amendment Act, 1916; also cancellation of Regulations Nos. 195, 215, and 216, and Forms Nos. 67, 80, and 81, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	Mr. Ashford	19 July.....	Not to be printed.	

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Regulations	and Forms under the Returned Soldiers Settlement Act, 1916.		Mr. Ashford	1916.		
Amended Regulation	under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1912.		Mr. Estell	19 July	Not to be printed.	
Report	by the Government Statistician upon the state of the New South Wales Miners' Accident Relief Fund as at the 30th April, 1915.		Mr. Estell	19 July	To be printed.	
Regulations	under the Public Service Act, 1902.		Mr. D. R. Hall	19 July	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notice	under the Necessary Commodities Control Act, 1914, varying and fixing the maximum selling prices of Kerosene, Benzine, Heavy Benzine, Motor Spirit, and Benzoline.		Mr. D. R. Hall	19 July	Not to be printed.	
One hundred and twenty-seventh.	Report of the Necessary Commodities Control Commission regarding Meat.		Mr. D. R. Hall	19 July	To be printed.	
By-laws	of the Walgett Water Trust, under the Water Act, 1912		Mr. Grahame	25 July	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.		Mr. Ashford	25 July	Not to be printed.	
Abstract	of Crown Lands authorised to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.		Mr. Ashford	25 July	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Aborigines Protection Board for 1915		Mr. Black	25 July	To be printed.	
Amended	Regulations under the Theatres and Public Halls Act, 1908		Mr. Black	25 July	Not to be printed.	
Return	respecting Government assistance to Shire and Municipal Councils for period of nine years ending 30th June, 1916.		Mr. Griffith	25 July	To be printed.	
Amended	Regulation, No. 78, under the Mining Act, 1906		Mr. Estell	26 July	Not to be printed.	
Amended	Regulations under the Mining Act, 1906.		Mr. Estell	26 July	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Payments, Police Superannuation and Reward Fund, during the year ended 30th June, 1916.		Mr. Hoyle	27 July	To be printed.	
Report	of the Public Trustee for the year ended 30th June, 1916, together with Statements of Receipts and Disbursements, Balance-Sheet, and Profit and Loss Account.		Mr. Hoyle	27 July	To be printed.	
By-laws	of the Municipality of Berry, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.		Mr. J. H. Cann	27 July	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Cooma to Bombala Railway.		Mr. J. H. Cann	27 July	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure of the Sydney Cricket Ground for the year ended 30th June, 1916.		Mr. Ashford	1 August	To be printed.	
By-laws	of the Moonin Bore Water Trust, under the Water Act, 1912		Mr. Grahame	1 August	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.		Mr. Ashford	2 August	Not to be printed.	
Information	respecting the case of Gunner Smith		Mr. Holman	2 August	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Department of Labour and Industry on the Working of the Factories and Shops Act for 1915.		Mr. Estell	3 August	To be printed.	
Additional	and Amended Regulations under the Gas Act, 1912		Mr. Estell	3 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Inverell Water Supply.		Mr. J. H. Cann	3 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Maitland-South Grafton Railway.		Mr. J. H. Cann	3 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Local Government Act, 1906, for a Public Watering Place at Fairfield.		Mr. J. H. Cann	3 August	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Amended	By-law for the Municipality of Cobar, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	1916. 3 August	Not to be printed.	
Amended	By-laws under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	3 August	Not to be printed.	
Return	in regard to the employees of the Sydney Harbour Trust who have enlisted.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	3 August	To be printed.	
Thirty-third	Annual Report, with Appendices, under the Inscribed Stock Acts, 1902-1914.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	3 August	To be printed.	
Report	from the Railway Department respecting Railway Accident at Lidcombe.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	3 August	To be printed.	
Summary	of Matters pending before the Court of Industrial Arbitration .....	.....	Mr. D. B. Hall.....	3 August	Not to be printed.	

*Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 3rd August, 1916.*

J. C. L. FITZPATRICK,
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES

No. 2.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 1, dated 3rd August, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
				1916.		
Amended Regulation No. 271	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.....	.....	Mr. Ashford	8 August	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the Municipality of Parramatta, under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	8 August	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the Municipalities of Central Illawarra, Wollongong, North Illawarra, and part of the Shire of Bulli, under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	8 August	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways for the quarter ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	8 August	To be printed.	
Report	of the Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways for the year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	8 August	To be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway traffic between Sydney and Albury, by duplication between Cullerin and Harden.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	8 August	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the Four Posts Bore Water Trust, under the Water Act, 1912.	.....	Mr. Grahame	8 August	Not to be printed.	
Regulations Nos. 363 (a, b, and c)	of the Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission, under the Irrigation Acts, 1912-16.	.....	Mr. Grahame	8 August	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the Tullooona Bore Water Trust, under the Water Act, 1912.....	.....	Mr. Grahame	8 August	Not to be printed.	
Papers	relating to the Supply of Asbestos Sheeting to the Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission.	.....	Mr. Grahame	9 August	To be printed in part.	
Abstract	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	9 August	Not to be printed.	
Report	of Royal Commission of Inquiry into Allegations of Corruption in connection with the proposed State Monopoly of Petrol Industry, together with Minutes of Evidence and Addresses of Counsel.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	9 August	To be printed	In substitution for Report laid upon the Table and ordered to be printed on 18th July, 1916, and Minutes of Evidence laid upon the Table and ordered to be printed on 20th July, 1916.
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Harbour Improvements, Coff's Harbour.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	10 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Maitland-South Grafton Railway.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	10 August	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	under the Broken Hill Water Supply Administration Act, 1915 .....	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	10 August	Not to be printed.	

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

In the second section, the author outlines the various methods used to collect and analyze the data. This includes both manual and automated processes. The goal is to ensure that the information is both reliable and up-to-date.

The third section provides a detailed breakdown of the results. It shows that there has been a significant increase in sales over the period covered. This is attributed to several factors, including improved marketing strategies and better customer service.

Finally, the document concludes with a series of recommendations for future actions. It suggests that the company should continue to invest in research and development to stay ahead of the competition. Additionally, it recommends regular audits to ensure ongoing compliance with all relevant regulations.

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No. 3.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 2, dated 10th August, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
				1916.		
Return	of Timber, Horse Feed, and Explosives obtained by Norton Griffiths, Limited.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	11 August	To be printed.	
Return	of Steel and Ironwork obtained by Norton Griffiths, Limited .....	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	11 August	To be printed.	
Return	of Receipts and Expenditure of the North Coast and other Railways.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	15 August	To be printed.	
Correspondence	in connection with the Supply of Timber and Joinery required by Government Departments.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	15 August	To be printed.	
Amended Regulation No. 338	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	15 August	Not to be printed.	
One hundred and thirty-fourth Report.	of the Necessary Commodities Control Commission regarding Gas.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	15 August	To be printed.	
Information	regarding Schools and Churches conducted by Germans in New South Wales.	.....	Mr. Holman	15 August	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Treasury Fire Insurance Board for the year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	15 August	To be printed.	
Report	of the Railway Department on the collision which occurred between two passenger trains at Lidcombe, on 1st August, 1916, with Appendices.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	15 August	To be printed.	
Gazette Notice	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain land, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	16 August	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the Mungyer Bore Water Trust, under the Water Act, 1912 ..	.....	Mr. Grahame	16 August	Not to be printed.	
Information	regarding construction of a railway from Broken Hill, via The Pinnacles, to the South Australian Border.	.....	Mr. Grahame	16 August	Not to be printed.	
Further information	regarding Churches conducted by Germans in New South Wales ..	.....	Mr. Holman	16 August	Not to be printed.	
Abstract	of Alterations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	17 August	Not to be printed.	
Abstract	of Crown Lands reserved from sale for the preservation of water supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	17 August	Not to be printed.	
Abstract	of Sites for Cities, Towns, and Villages, under Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	17 August	Not to be printed.	
Return	giving information respecting raids made upon Chinese and European premises (a) in the City, and (b) in the centres outside during 1914, 1915, and 1916.	.....	Mr. Black	17 August	To be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 17th August, 1916.

J. C. L. FITZPATRICK,
Chairman

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No. 4.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 3, dated 17th August, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Statement	showing dates of reduction and restoration of working times of men employed by the Public Works Department.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	1916. 18 August	To be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain land, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	23 August	Not to be printed.	
Report	and Financial Statement of the Railways Superannuation Board for the year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	23 August	To be printed.	
Report	of the Housing Board on the Dacey Garden Suburb and Observatory Hill ("The Rocks") Resumed Area, together with Photographs and Plans, for the year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	23 August	To be printed	With Plans.
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	24 August	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with Tourists Resorts—Working Account.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with Hospitals for the Insane generally—Farm and Garden Account.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with the Department of Public Health—Farm Account.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with Aborigines Protection Board—Produce and Sale Store Account.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with Prisons—Bread Account.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure from 21st March, 1916, to 30th June, 1916, in connection with Prisons—Live Stock Account.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Farms—Farm Account.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement.....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with Wheat Areas—Establishment Store Account.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with Gosford Farm Home for Boys—Farm Account.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with Erskineville Bootmaking School.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	24 August	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1916, in connection with Labour Farm Account.	Mr. Hoyle	24 August	To be printed.	

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No. 5.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 4, dated 24th August, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Return	showing materials obtained from the Public Works Department by State Monier Pipe Works.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	1916. 25 August	To be printed.	
Rule	of the Supreme Court—Equitable Jurisdiction.....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	25 August	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 August	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations Nos. 225 and 228	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 August	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Trustees of the Sydney Grammar School for 1915.....	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	29 August	To be printed.	
Report	of the Bursary Endowment Board for year ended 30th June, 1916	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	29 August	To be printed.	
Amended Regulation	under Public Instruction Act of 1880 .....	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	29 August	To be printed.	
New and Amended Regulations	under Bursary Endowment Act, 1912 .....	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	29 August	To be printed.	
Statement	showing names, service, position, and salary of male teachers holding 1A classification.	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	29 August	To be printed.	
Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting the appointment, on probation, of Mr. Jas. Buckley Kempthorne, as Dentist, Department of Public Instruction Medical Branch.	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	29 August	Not to be printed.	
New Regulation	under Public Instruction Act of 1880 .....	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	29 August	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-laws	of the University of Sydney .....	.....	Mr. Griffith.....	29 August	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the State Debt Commissioners for the year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Holman	30 August	To be printed.	
Return	showing fees paid to Members of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works since date of appointment to 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Holman	30 August	To be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Hunter District Water Supply.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	30 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Wharfage Improvements at Newcastle.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	30 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Dubbo to Werris Creek Railway, Part 1.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	30 August	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Dubbo to Werris Creek Railway, Part 2.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	1916. 30 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for construction of Sewerage for the Municipality of Goulburn.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	30 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Condobolin to Broken Hill Railway, Part 18.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	30 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Forbes to Stockinbingal Railway, Part 4.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	30 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Maitland to South Grafton Railway.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	30 August	Not to be printed.	
Balance-sheet	Profit and Loss Account, and Trading Account of the State Timber Yards and Building Workshops, Uhr's Point, for the year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	30 August	To be printed.	
Balance-sheet	Profit and Loss Account, and Trading Account of the State Metal Quarries at Kiama and Port Kembla, for the year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	30 August	To be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Cooma to Bombala Railway, Part 3.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 August	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Public Watering Place at Fairview.	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 August	Not to be printed.	

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Sydney, 31st August, 1916.*

J. C. L. FITZPATRICK,
Chairman.

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No. 6.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 5, dated 31st August, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Amendment	of Second Schedule of District Courts Act, 1912 .....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	1916. 1 September	Not to be printed.	
Notice	of intention to declare that Irrigation Farm Blocks Nos. 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28, Section 10, Town of Leeton, shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Notice.....	of intention to declare that Irrigation Farm Blocks Nos. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18, Section 3, Town of Leeton, shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Notice	of intention to declare that Irrigation Farm Blocks Nos. 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28, Section 11, Town of Leeton, Yanco No. 1 Irrigation Area, shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Notice.....	of intention to declare that Irrigation Farm Block No. 190, Village of Yanco, shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Notice.....	of intention to declare that Irrigation Farm Blocks Nos. 25, 26, 27, and 28, Section 9, Town of Leeton, shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Public Roads Act, 1902 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Additional Form No. 135	under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Minute	of the Public Service Board recommending the appointment of Mr. A. J. Triggs as Assistant Engineer, Broken Hill Water Supply, on probation, Department of Public Works.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	5 September	Not to be printed.	
Statement	showing special War Expenditure incurred by the New South Wales Government during the Financial Year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	6 September	To be printed.	
Balance-sheet	Trading Account and Profit and Loss Account, State Clothing Factory, for year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	7 September	To be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Notification	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for railway traffic between Sydney and Albury, by deviating and duplicating between Picton and Mittagong.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	1916. 7 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for railway traffic between Sydney and Albury, by improvements at Culcairn.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	7 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for railway traffic between Sydney and Albury, by deviating and duplicating between Mittagong and Bowral.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	7 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for railway traffic between Sydney and Albury, by provision of road access to Camden Road, near Campbelltown.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	7 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for railway traffic between Sydney and Wallangarra, by additions to Station Yard at Scone.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	7 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for railway traffic between Raleigh and Coff's Harbour, by provision of Storage Depôt for Timber at Coff's Harbour.	Mr. Hoyle	7 September	Not to be printed.	

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Sydney, 7th September, 1916.*

M. F. MORTON,
Temporary Chairman.

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No. 7.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 6, dated 7th September, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Eastern Suburbs Electric Railway.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	1916. 8 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Sydenham to Botany Railway.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	8 September	Not to be printed.	
Additional Regulation No. 254A....	under the Irrigation Act, 1912, as amended by the Irrigation (Amendment) Act, 1916.	.....	Mr. Grahame	12 September	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation No. 11.....	under the Returned Soldiers' Settlement Act, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	12 September	Not to be printed.	
Report	by Messrs. J. E. Carne and E. C. Andrews relative to the production of Kerosene Oil in New South Wales.	.....	Mr. Estell.....	12 September	To be printed.	
Return	to an Order made on 16th August, 1916,—“Brisbane Limited Express.”	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson..	Mr. Hoyle	13 September	To be printed.	
Report	of the Navigation Department on the subject of Life Jackets on Ferry Boats.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	13 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Inebriates Act, 1912.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	14 September	Not to be printed.	

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Sydney, 14th September, 1916.*

F. J. THOMAS,
Temporary Chairman.

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No. 8.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 7, dated 14th September, 1916, as follows :—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Report	of the Minister of Public Instruction for 1915.....	.....	Mr. Griffith	1916. 19 September	To be printed.	
Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting appointment of Mr. T. C. Roughley as Economic Zoologist, Technological Museum, Department of Public Instruction.	.....	Mr. Griffith	19 September	Not to be printed.	
Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting appointment of Miss Jennie Cullen, and Messrs. David E. Nichols and James Messeas, as Teachers of Violin, Viola, and Violincello respectively, Conservatorium of Music.	.....	Mr. Griffith	19 September	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Wauchope to Kempsey Railway.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	19 September	Not to be printed.	
Letter.....	from the Auditor-General respecting presentation of Report on Industrial Undertakings, and particularly the State Trawling Industry.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	19 September	To be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from Sale for the preservation of Water Supply and other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	20 September	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	20 September	Not to be printed.	
Papers	relating to the Industrial Award made by the Cumberland Bakers' Board.	Mr. Estell.....	20 September	To be printed.	

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Sydney, 21st September, 1916.

J. C. L. FITZPATRICK,
Chairman.

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No. 9.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6 Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honourable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their report, No. 8, dated 21st September, 1916, as follows :—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Gazette Notice	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Land, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford.....	1916. 26 September	Not to be printed.	
Amended.....	Regulation No. 65, and amended Form No. 19, under the Pastures Protection Act, 1912.	.....	Mr. Ashford.....	26 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations.....	under the Apiaries Act, 1916.....	.....	Mr. Grahame	26 September	Not to be printed.	
Report.....	of the Public Service Board for 1915.....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	26 September	To be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Albury, by duplicating between Wallendbeen and Cootamundra.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	26 September	Not to be printed.	
Report	by the Paymaster, Treasury, on the suggestion that Civil Service Pensions be paid fortnightly, and also that they be paid through the branches of the Government Savings Bank.	.....	Mr. Hoyle.....	26 September	To be printed.	
Proclamation.....	declaring Felspar, Natural Gas, Petroleum, and Sea Shells to be "Minerals" within the meaning of the Mining Act, 1906.	.....	Mr. Estell.....	26 September	Not to be printed.	
Regulations.....	under the Dairy Industry Act, 1915 .....	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	28 September	Not to be printed.	
Proclamation.....	declaring Allotments 1, 2, 9, and 10, Section 17, Parish of Adelong, County of Wynyard, to be "Private Lands" under the Mining Act, 1906.	.....	Mr. Estell.....	28 September	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Commissioner for Water Conservation and Irrigation for year ended 30th June, 1916.	Mr. Ashford.....	28 September	To be printed.	

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Sydney, 28th September, 1916.

J. C. L. FITZPATRICK,
Chairman.

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No. 10.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 9, dated 28th September, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Financial By-laws	under the Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Acts, 1892-1906.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	1916. 5 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Financial By-laws	under the Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Acts, 1892-1906.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	5 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-law	regulating Water Supply of the Municipality of Hay, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	5 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-law	regulating Water Supply of the Municipality of Bathurst, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	5 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Statement	showing particulars of Contracts for Railway Sleepers placed by the Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways from 1st January, 1914, to 1st September, 1916, inclusive.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	5 October.....	To be printed.	
Letter.....	from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner for Railways relative to the Lighting of Penrith Yards.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	5 October.....	To be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Quarry Site near South Grafton.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Water Supply for the Municipality of Yass.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Sewerage Scheme for the Municipality of Dubbo.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Water Supply for the Municipality of Orange.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Water Supply for the Municipality of Inverell.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Hunter District Water Supply (Chichester Dam).	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Forbes-Stockinbingal Railway.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Sewerage Scheme for the Municipality of Albury.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Maitland to South Grafton Railway.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	31 October	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Repeal	of By-laws of the Municipality of Gunnedah, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. J. H. Cann	1916. 31 October	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Hay Irrigation Act, 1902 .....	.....	Mr. Grahame	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Stock Branch, Department of Agriculture, for year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Grahame	31 October	To be printed.	
Report	of the Director of the Botanic Gardens and Government Domains for 1915.	.....	Mr. Grahame	31 October	To be printed.	
Report	of the Department of Forestry for year ended 30th June, 1916.....	.....	Mr. Ashford	31 October	To be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from Sale for the preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Sites for Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation	No. 225, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Amended Form	No. 110, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation	No. 14A, under the Closer Settlement (Amendment) Act, 1912 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Report and Balance-sheet	of the National Park Trust for year ended 30th June, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	31 October	To be printed.	
Additional Regulation	No. 52A, under the Liquor Act, 1912 .....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall.....	31 October	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation	under the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1912 .....	.....	Mr. Hoyle	1 November.....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Public Service Act, 1902	Mr. D. R. Hall	1 November	Not to be printed.	

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Sydney, 1st November, 1916.

F. J. THOMAS,
Temporary Chairman.

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No. 11.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 10, dated 1st November, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
<i>Gazette Notice</i>	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	1916. 14 November	Not to be printed.	
<i>Minute</i>	of the Public Service Board respecting appointment of Messrs. Jack Stanley Turner and Alfred Stephen as Temporary Surveyors, on probation, Department of Lands.	.....	Mr. Ashford	14 November	Not to be printed.	
<i>Notification</i>	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for railway traffic between Narrandera and Hay, by provision of Siding at Gogeldrie.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	14 November	Not to be printed.	
<i>Notification</i>	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for railway traffic between Sydney and Albury, by duplicating between Wallendbeen and Cootamundra.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	14 November	Not to be printed.	
<i>Notification</i>	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for railway traffic between Sydney and Albury, by duplicating between Wallendbeen and Cootamundra.	.....	Mr. Hoyle	14 November	Not to be printed.	
<i>Abstract</i>	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	16 November	Not to be printed.	
<i>ette Notices</i>	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	16 November	Not to be printed.	

*Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,
 Sydney, 16th November, 1916.*

A. R. GARDINER,
 Temporary Chairman.

The following information was obtained from the records of the
 Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.
 for the year 1954:

Country	Population	Area (sq. miles)	Population per sq. mile
Algeria	10,000,000	917,000	10.9
Argentina	15,000,000	2,780,000	5.4
Australia	10,000,000	3,000,000	3.3
Canada	25,000,000	9,971,000	2.5
China	600,000,000	3,700,000	162.2
France	45,000,000	212,000	212.3
Germany	50,000,000	357,000	140.1
India	350,000,000	1,900,000	184.2
Japan	100,000,000	378,000	264.8
United States	150,000,000	3,797,000	39.5

The following information was obtained from the records of the
 Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.
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 Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.
 for the year 1954:

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No. 12.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6 Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 11, dated 16th November, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Amended Regulations	Nos. 192 and 252, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913	.....	Mr. Ashford.....	1916. 21 November	Not to be printed.	
Report.....	of the Department of Lands and Western Land Board for year ended 30th June, 1916.	.....	Mr. Ashford.....	21 November	To be printed.	
By-laws	under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Act Extension Act, 1894—Hurstville Storm-water Drain.	.....	Mr. Ball	21 November	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Sewerage Scheme for the Municipality of Dubbo.	Mr. Ball	21 November	Not to be printed.	

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Sydney, 23rd November, 1916.

A. R. GARDINER,
Temporary Chairman.

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No. 13.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 12, dated 23rd November, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
				1916.		
Particulars.....	of Western Lands Leases issued under the provisions of the Western Lands Act on 24th November, 1916.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from Sale for the preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Abstract	of Alterations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Albury, by provision of access to Binalong Station.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Wallangarra, by improvement to Water Supply, Hawkesbury River.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905, for Water Supply for the Municipality of Casino.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Maryville to Newcastle Steel Works Tramway.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the construction of a Dam on Chichester River in connection with Hunter District Water Supply.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydenham and Botany.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Dunedoo and Coonabarabran.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Wyalong and Lake Cudgellico.	.....	Mr. Ashford	29 November	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 30th September, 1916.	.....	Mr. Fuller	29 November	To be printed.	
Statement	of Liabilities and Assets of Public Companies for quarter ended 30th September, 1916.	.....	Mr. Fuller	29 November	To be printed.	
Amended	General Rule No. 28 (b) under the Mines Inspection Act, 1901	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	30 November	Not to be printed.	

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 Sydney, 30th November, 1916.

JAMES DOOLEY,
 Temporary Chairman.

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REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 13, dated 30th November, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Dunedoo and Coonabarabran Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball	1916. 4 December.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Water Supply from Umberumberka Creek for City and District of Broken Hill.	.....	Mr. Ball	4 December.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Maitland and South Grafton Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball	4 December.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Condobolin and Broken Hill Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball	4 December.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Condobolin and Broken Hill Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball	4 December.....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	6 December.....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to public purposes under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall	6 December.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation	under the Public Trustee Act, 1913.	Mr. D. R. Hall	6 December.....	Not to be printed.	
Public Service List	for 1916.	Mr. D. R. Hall	6 December.....	To be printed.	

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A. R. GARDINER,
Temporary Chairman.

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No. 15.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 28th July, 1916, Votes No. 6, Entry 7, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 14, dated 7th December, 1916, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Minute	of the Public Service Board respecting appointment of Mr. J. Birch-Johnston as Butter Grader and Dairy Instructor under the Dairy Industry Act, Department of Agriculture.	.....	Mr. Grahame	1916. 12 December	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Infants' Protection Act, 1904 .....	.....	Mr. James	12 December	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-laws	of the University of Sydney .....	.....	Mr. James	12 December	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Public School Purposes at Dingo Upper.	.....	Mr. James	12 December	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Public School Purposes at Curracubah Gate.	.....	Mr. James	12 December	Not to be printed.	
Notice.....	of intention to declare that Additional Conditional Purchase No. 15-47, Portion No. 69, Parish of Shea, County of Fitzroy, shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Ashford	12 December	Not to be printed.	
Notice.....	of intention to declare that Additional Conditional Purchase No. 14-42, and Conditional Lease No. 14-11, Portions Nos. 90 and 91, Parish of Tunderbrine, County of Gowen, shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Ashford	12 December	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Department of Public Works for year ended 30th June, 1916	.....	Mr. Ball	12 December	To be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Cooma to Bombala Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball	12 December	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford	13 December	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1916.	.....	Mr. Ashford	13 December	Not to be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,
Sydney, 14th December, 1916.

WM. KEARSLEY,
Temporary Chairman.