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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTIETH PARLIAMENT.

THURSDAY, 23 JUNE, 1932.

1. OPENING OF PARLIAMENT:—The House met at Twelve o'clock, pursuant to a Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor, bearing date the seventeenth day of June, 1932, of which a copy was read by William Rupert McCourt, Esquire, the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, as follows:—

“NEW SOUTH WALES, } By His Excellency Sir PHILIP WOOLCOTT GAME, Knight
“to wit. } Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the
British Empire, Knight Commander of the Most
“*(L.S.)* } Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the
Distinguished Service Order, Air Vice-Marshal on
“PHILIP GAME, } the Retired List of the Royal Air Force, Governor of
“Governor. } the State of New South Wales and its Dependencies,
in the Commonwealth of Australia.

“In pursuance of the power and authority vested in me as such Governor aforc-
“said by virtue of an Act passed in the second year of the Reign of His late
“Majesty King Edward the Seventh, being ‘An Act to consolidate the Acts
“relating to the Constitution,’ I do hereby proclaim that a Session of the
“Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly for the State of New South
“Wales for the despatch of business shall commence and be holden on Thursday,
“the twenty-third day of June, at 12 o'clock noon, in the buildings known as
“the Legislative Council Chambers, in Macquarie-street, in the City of Sydney;
“and Members of the said Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly,
“respectively, are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and
“place accordingly.

“Given under my Hand and Seal, at Sydney, this seventeenth day of June,
“in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two,
“and in the twenty-third year of His Majesty's Reign.

“By His Excellency's Command,

“B. S. B. STEVENS.

“GOD SAVE THE KING!”

2. WRITS OF ELECTION:—The Clerk announced that he had received, through the Honorable the Colonial Secretary, a correct list, certified by His Excellency the Governor, of the names of the several persons returned for the Electoral Districts set against such names respectively, at the General Election of Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, which was held on the 11th day of June, 1932, and further certifying that the several Writs of Election being eighty-eight in number, were duly returned before the day on which they were legally returnable.

The Clerk also reported that Writs for the electorates of Cobar and Murray had not yet been received.

Names of Members returned.	Electoral District for which returned.
Ardill, George Edward	Yass.
Baddeley, John Marcus	Cessnock.
Ball, Richard Thomas	Corowa.
Bate, Henry John	South Coast.

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Names of Members returned:	Electoral District for which returned.
Bavin, Thomas Rainsford	Gordon.
Bennett, Walter	Gloucester.
Booth, George	Kurri Kurri.
Brown, Malcolm	Upper Hunter.
Bruxner, Michael Frederick	Tenterfield.
Budd, Arthur Eames	Byron.
Burke, Francis Michael	Newtown.
Buttenshaw, Ernest Albert	Lachlan.
Cameron, Robert	Waratah.
Carter, Harry Charles	Liverpool Plains.
Chaffey, Frank Augustus	Tamworth.
Clyne, Daniel	King.
Connell, Hugh John	Hamilton.
Connolly, Peter	Newcastle.
Davies, William	Illawarra.
Drummond, David Henry	Armidale.
Dunningham, John Montgomery	Coogee.
Elliott, Hylton Oswald	Ashburnham.
Fitzsimons, Herbert Paton	Lane Cove.
Fleck, Claude Cropton	Granville.
Foster, William Frederick	Vaucluse.
Gollan, George Charles	Parramatta.
Hankinson, Robert Henry	Murrumbidgee.
Harper, Horace Edward	Arncliffe.
Hedges, William Whaley	Monaro.
Heffron, Robert James	Botany.
Henley, Thomas	Burwood.
Henry, Alfred Stephen	Clarence.
Hocking, Edward John	Canterbury.
Horsington, Edward Matthew	Sturt.
Howarth, Walter Arthur Harrex	Maitland.
Jackson, Joseph	Nepean.
Jarvie, Milton Livingstone Fredericks	Ashfield.
Keegan, Thomas Michael	Glebe.
Kilpatrick, Matthew	Wagga Wagga.
Knight, Hamilton	Hartley.
Lang, John Thomas	Auburn.
Lazzarini, Carlo Camillo	Marrickville.
Lee, John Robert	Drummoynne.
Levy, Daniel	Woollahra.
Lloyd, Herbert William	Mosman.
Lloyd, Stanley Allan	Concord.
Loughlin, Peter Ffrench	Goulburn.
Lysaght, Andrew Augustus	Bulli.
Main, Hugh	Temora.
Mair, Alexander	Albury.
Martin, Lewis Ormsby	Oxley.
McGirr, James	Bankstown.
McKell, William John	Redfern.
Missingham, William Thomas	Lismore.
Monro, Cecil Owen James	George's River.
Morton, Mark Fairles	Wollondilly.
Moverly, Arthur Henry	Randwick.
Ness, John Thomas	Dulwich Hill.
Olde, Bernard Clarence	Leichhardt.
O'Sullivan, Maurice	Paddington.
Primrose, Hubert Leslie	North Sydney.
Quirk, John	Balmain.
Reid, Albert David	Young.
Reid, Alfred Albert Edward Ernest Vassa	Manly.
Reid, John Thomas	Casino.
Ross, James Clyde	Kogarah.
Ross, William Forrest Maxwell	Cootamundra.
Sanders, Edward Lloyd	Willoughby.
Shand, James Barclay	Hornsby.
Shannon, Thomas John	Phillip.
Sinclair, Colin Archibald	Namoi.
Solomon, Eric Saxby	Petersham.
Spooner, Eric Sydney	Ryde.
Spring, David Hugh	Mudgee.
Stanley, Fred	Lakemba.

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Names of Members returned.	Electoral District for which returned.
Stevens, Bertram Sydney Barnsdale	Croydon.
Stuart-Robertson, Robert James	Annandale.
Thomas, Norman	Bondi.
Tonking, Alwyn Uren	Orange.
Vincent, Roy Stanley	Raleigh.
Waddell, John William	Waverley.
Wade, Benjamin Martin	Barwon.
Walker, Ronald Bruce	Hawkesbury.
Weaver, Reginald Walter Darcy	Neutral Bay.
Webb, James Eli	Hurstville.
Wilkins, Gordon	Bathurst.
Wilson, George Alan Lachlan	Dubbo.
Yeo, Alfred William	Castlereagh.

3. MESSAGE FROM THE COMMISSIONERS:—The Usher of the Black Rod being admitted delivered a Message, that “The Commissioners request the immediate attendance of this Honorable House in the Legislative Council Chamber, to hear the Commission for opening of Parliament read.”

The House went, and the President said,—

“Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly,—His Excellency the Governor, not deeming it fit to be personally present here this day, has been pleased to cause a Commission to be issued, under the Public Seal of the State, constituting us Commissioners “to do all things necessary to be performed by the Governor in the name and “on the part of His Majesty the King, or in the name and on the part of His “Excellency the Governor of the State, in order to the opening and holding of “this Parliament, to deliver a Message to the Legislative Assembly, and to do “all such other things as may be specially necessary to enable Parliament to “perform acts which admit of no delay, as will more fully appear by the “Commission itself, which must now be read.”

Whereupon the Clerk of the Parliaments, by direction of the President, read the said Commission, as follows:—

“George V, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British “Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of “India.

“To all to whom these presents shall come,—

“Greeting:

“WHEREAS by Proclamation made on the seventeenth day of June, 1932, His “Excellency Sir PHILIP WOOLCOTT GAME, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most “Excellent Order of the British Empire, Knight Commander of Our Most “Honorable Order of the Bath, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, “Air Vice-Marshal on the Retired List of Our Royal Air Force, Governor of Our “State of New South Wales and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Aus- “tralia, did, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him as Governor “of Our said State, by virtue of an Act passed in the second year of the reign “of His late Majesty King Edward the Seventh, being ‘An Act to Consolidate “the Acts relating to the Constitution,’ proclaim that a Session of the Legisla- “tive Council and Legislative Assembly constituted under the said Act, and “composing the Parliament of Our said State of New South Wales, should “commence and be holden on Thursday, the twenty-third day of June: And “whereas, for certain causes, Our said Governor cannot conveniently be present “in person at the opening of the said Session: Now know ye, that we, trusting “in the discretion, fidelity and care of Our trusty and well-beloved the Honorable “Sir John Beverley Peden, President of the said Legislative Council, the “Honorable James Ryan, Assistant Minister in the Legislative Council of Our “said State, and the Honorable Broughton Barnabas O’Conor, Members of the “said Legislative Council, do, with the advice of Our Executive Council of Our “said State, give and grant by the tenor of these presents unto the said Sir John “Beverley Peden, James Ryan, and Broughton Barnabas O’Conor, so being “such President and Members of the said Legislative Council, or any two of “them, full power in Our name to open and hold the said Session of the said “Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly on the said twenty-third day of “June or subsequent day, on Our behalf to do all things necessary to be done “in Our Name, or in the name of Our Governor of Our said State, in and about “the opening and holding of the said Parliament, to deliver a Message to the “Legislative Assembly, and to do all such things as may be specially necessary “to enable Parliament to perform acts which admit of no delay: Commanding “also by the tenor of these presents all whom it concerns to meet in the said

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"Parliament, that to the said Sir John Beverley Peden, James Ryan, and Broughton Barnabas O'Connor, or any two of them, they diligently attend in the premises in the form aforesaid.

"In testimony whereof, we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Public Seal of Our said State, to be hereunder affixed.

"Witness Our trusty and well-beloved Sir PHILIP WOOLCOTT GAME, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Knight Commander of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Air Vice-Marshal on the Retired List of Our Royal Air Force, Governor of Our State of New South Wales and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, at Sydney, in New South Wales, aforesaid, this seventeenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, and in the twenty-third year of Our Reign.

PHILIP GAME,
"Governor.

"By His Excellency's Command,

"B. S. STEVENS."

The Members of both Houses being seated at the request of the President,—

The President said,—

"Honorable Members of the Legislative Council and Members of the Legislative Assembly,—

"We have it in command from His Excellency the Governor to acquaint you that His Excellency desires that you take into your grave consideration such matters as may be submitted to you."

"Honorable Members of the Legislative Assembly,—

"It being necessary that a Speaker of the Legislative Assembly be first chosen, it is His Excellency's pleasure that you, Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly, repair to your own Chamber and there proceed to the election of one of your number to be your Speaker.

"We are further commanded to acquaint you that His Excellency desires that such measures may be taken by you as may be deemed expedient to meet the exigencies of the Public Services, and to deal with such other measures as my advisers deem necessary."

And the House having returned,—

4. COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER THE OATH OF ALLEGIANCE:—The Clerk informed the Assembly that he had received, through the office of the Premier, a Commission, under the hand of His Excellency the Governor, and bearing the Seal of the State, authorising the Honorable Bertram Sydney Barnsdale Stevens, Premier and Colonial Treasurer, Lieutenant-Colonel the Honorable Michael Frederick Bruxner, Deputy-Premier and Minister for Transport, and the Honorable Reginald Walter Darcy Weaver, Secretary for Public Works and Minister for Health, or any one or more of them, to administer the Oath or Affirmation of Allegiance to the King, required by law to be taken or made and subscribed by every Member before he shall be permitted to sit or vote in the Legislative Assembly,—which Commission the Clerk read, as follows:—

"By His Excellency Sir PHILIP WOOLCOTT GAME, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, Air Vice-Marshal on the Retired List of the Royal Air Force, Governor of the State of New South Wales and its Dependencies, in the Commonwealth of Australia.

"To all to whom these presents shall come,—

"Greeting:

"IN pursuance of the authority in me vested in that behalf, I, Sir PHILIP WOOLCOTT GAME, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, Air Vice-Marshal on the Retired List of the Royal Air Force, as Governor of the State of New South Wales, do with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, hereby authorise the Honorable Bertram Sydney Barnsdale Stevens, Premier and Colonial Treasurer, Lieutenant-Colonel the Honorable Michael Frederick Bruxner, Deputy-Premier and Minister for Transport, and the Honorable Reginald Walter Darcy Weaver, Secretary for Public Works and Minister for Health, or any one or more of them, to administer to all or any Members or Member of the said Legislative Assembly the Oath or Affirmation of Allegiance to His Majesty

"the King, required by law to be taken or made and subscribed by every such Member before he shall be permitted to sit or vote in the said Legislative Assembly.

"Given under my Hand and the Public Seal of the State, at Sydney, in the State of New South Wales aforesaid, this seventeenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, and in the twenty-third year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Fifth.

"PHILIP GAME,

"Governor.

"By His Excellency's Command,

"B. S. B. STEVENS."

5. MEMBERS SWORN:—The Honorable Bertram Sydney Barnsdale Stevens took and subscribed the Oath of Allegiance himself, and administered the same to the two other Commissioners, Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. Michael Frederick Bruxner and the Honorable Reginald Walter Darcy Weaver, and then the Commissioners respectively signed the Roll of the House, and administered the Oath to all the other Members present—the Clerk producing the several Writs returning them, and the Members signing the Roll as they were severally called to the Table, viz. :—

Georgé Edward Ardill, Esquire.
John Marcus Baddeley, Esquire.
The Honorable Richard Thomas Ball.
Henry John Bate, Esquire.
The Honorable Thomas Rainsford Bavin, K.C., B.A., LL.B.
The Honorable Walter Bennett.
George Booth, Esquire.
Malcolm Brown, Esquire.
Arthur Eames Budd, Esquire.
Francis Michael Burke, Esquire.
The Honorable Ernest Albert Buttenshaw.
Robert Cameron, Esquire.
Harry Charles Carter, Esquire.
Captain the Honorable Frank Augustus Chaffey.
Daniel Clyne, Esquire.
Major Hugh John Connell, D.S.O., M.C.
Peter Connolly, Esquire.
William Davies, Esquire.
The Honorable David Henry Drummond.
The Honorable John Montgomery Dunningham.
Hylton Oswald Elliott, Esquire.
Herbert Paton Fitzsimons, Esquire.
Claude Cropton Fleck, Esquire, M.B., Ch.M.
William Frederick Foster, Esquire.
George Charles Gollan, Esquire.
Robert Henry Hankinson, Esquire.
Horace Edward Harper, Esquire.
William Whaley Hedges, Esquire.
Robert James Heffron, Esquire.
Sir Thomas Henley, K.B.E.
Alfred Stephen Henry, Esquire.
Edward John Hoeking, Esquire.
Edward Matthew Horsington, Esquire.
Walter Arthur Harrex Howarth, Esquire.
The Honorable Joseph Jackson.
Major Milton Livingstone Fredericks Jarvie, M.C.
Thomas Michael Keegan, Esquire.
Matthew Kilpatrick, Esquire.
Hamilton Knight, Esquire.
John Thomas Lang, Esquire.
Carlo Camillo Lazzarini, Esquire.

The Honorable John Robert Lee.
The Honorable Sir Daniel Levy, Knt., B.A., LL.B.
Brigadier-General Herbert William Lloyd, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.
Stanley Allan Lloyd, Esquire.
Peter Ffrench Loughlin, Esquire.
Andrew Augustus Lysaght, Esquire.
James McGirr, Esquire.
William John McKell, Esquire.
The Honorable Hugh Main.
Alexander Mair, Esquire.
The Honorable Lewis Ormsby Martin, B.A., LL.B.
William Thomas Missingham, Esquire.
Cecil Owen James Monro, Esquire.
Mark Fairles Morton, Esquire.
Arthur Henry Moverly, Esquire.
John Thomas Ness, Esquire.
Maurice O'Sullivan, Esquire.
Bernard Clarence Olde, Esquire.
Hubert Leslie Primrose, Esquire.
John Quirk, Esquire.
Major Albert David Reid, M.C.
Alfred Albert Edward Ernest Vassa Reid, Esquire.
John Thomas Reid, Esquire.
James Clyde Ross, Esquire.
Edward Lloyd Sanders, Esquire.
Major James Barclay Shand, V.D.
Thomas John Shannon, Esquire.
Colin Archibald Sinclair, Esquire.
Eric Saxby Solomon, Esquire.
The Honorable Eric Sydney Spooner.
David Hugh Spring, Esquire.
Fred Stanley, Esquire.
Robert James Stuart-Robertson, Esquire.
Norman Thomas, Esquire.
Alwyn Uren Tonking, Esquire.
The Honorable Roy Stanley Vincent.
John William Waddell, Esquire.
Benjamin Martin Wade, Esquire.
Ronald Bruce Walker, Esquire.
James Eli Webb, Esquire, M.B., Ch.M.
Gordon Wilkins, Esquire.
George Alan Lachlan Wilson, Esquire.
Alfred William Yeo, Esquire.

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6. ELECTION OF SPEAKER:—Mr. Bate, addressing himself to the Clerk (who, standing up, pointed to him and then sat down), proposed to the House for their Speaker, Sir Daniel Levy, and moved, "That the Honorable Sir Daniel Levy do take the Chair of this House as Speaker,"—which motion was seconded by Mr. Missingham.
Debate ensued.

And the House continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 24 JUNE, 1932, A.M.

The House then calling Sir Daniel Levy to the Chair, he stood up in his place, and expressed the sense he entertained of the honour proposed to be conferred upon him, and submitted himself to the House.

The House then again unanimously calling him to the Chair, he was taken out of his place by Mr. Bate and Mr. Missingham, and conducted to the Chair, where, standing on the upper step, he returned his acknowledgments to the House for the great honour they had been pleased to confer upon him by unanimously choosing him to be their Speaker,—

And thereupon sat down in the Chair.

Mr. Stevens congratulated the Speaker.

Mr. Stevens informed the House that he had ascertained that His Excellency the Governor would receive their Speaker at Government House forthwith.

7. PRESENTATION OF SPEAKER:—The House then proceeded to Government House to present their Speaker to His Excellency the Governor,—

And having returned,—Mr. Speaker reported that the Assembly had been to Government House, where he informed the Governor that, immediately after the opening of Parliament to-day, the Legislative Assembly, in the exercise of their undoubted right, had proceeded to the election of their Speaker, that the choice had fallen upon him, and that he had now to present himself to His Excellency as their Speaker;—whereupon His Excellency was pleased to offer him his congratulations. That he had then, on behalf of the House, laid claim to all their rights and privileges, particularly to freedom of speech in debate, to free access to His Excellency when occasion should require, and that the most favourable construction should, on all occasions, be put upon their language and proceedings; to all which His Excellency had readily assented.

Mr. Speaker then repeated his grateful thanks for the honour the House had been pleased to confer upon him.

8. WRITS OF ELECTION:—Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received through the office of the Colonial Secretary, Writs of Election, being two in number, certified by His Excellency the Governor, of Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales who were elected at the General Election held on the eleventh day of June, 1932, for the Electoral Districts respectively set after their names, viz.:—

Mark Anthony Davidson, Esquire, for Cobar; and
Joseph Alexander Lawson, Esquire, for Murray.

9. MEMBER SWORN:—Mark Anthony Davidson, Esquire, having taken and subscribed the Oath of Allegiance, before the Honorable Reginald Walter Darcy Weaver, a Commissioner, and signed the Roll of the House, took his seat as Member for the Electoral District of Cobar.

10. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—NEW ADMINISTRATIONS:—Mr. Stevens informed the House that on the 13th May, 1932, he was commissioned by His Excellency the Governor to form a Ministry, and that on the 16th May a new Government was constituted as follows:—

The Honorable Bertram Sydney Barnsdale Stevens, M.L.A., Premier and Colonial Treasurer.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honorable Michael Frederick Bruxner, D.S.O., M.L.A., Deputy-Premier, Minister for Transport and Local Government.

The Honorable Reginald Walter Darcy Weaver, M.L.A., Secretary for Public Works and Minister for Health.

Captain the Honorable Frank Augustus Chaffey, M.L.A., Colonial Secretary and Secretary for Mines.

The Honorable Ernest Albert Buttenshaw, M.L.A., Secretary for Lands.

The Honorable David Henry Drummond, M.L.A., Minister for Education.

The Honorable Sir Daniel Levy, M.L.A., Attorney-General and Minister of Justice.

The Honorable John Montgomery Dunningham, M.L.A., Minister for Labour and Industry.

The Honorable Hugh Main, M.L.A., Minister for Agriculture and Minister for Forests.

The Honorable James Ryan, M.L.C., Vice-President of the Executive Council.

On the 18th June, after the result of the General Elections was known, the Ministry was reconstituted, and is now composed of the following:—

The Honorable Bertram Sydney Barnsdalc Stevens, M.L.A., Premier and Colonial Treasurer.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honorable Michael Frederick Bruxner, D.S.O., M.L.A., Deputy-Premier and Minister for Transport.

The Honorable Reginald Walter Darcy Weaver, M.L.A., Secretary for Public Works and Minister for Health.

The Honorable Henry Edward Manning, K.C., M.L.C., Attorney-General, and Vice-President of the Executive Council.

The Honorable Ernest Albert Buttenshaw, M.L.A., Secretary for Lands.

Captain the Honorable Frank Augustus Chaffey, M.L.A., Colonial Secretary.

The Honorable David Henry Drummond, M.L.A., Minister for Education.

The Honorable John Montgomery Dunningham, M.L.A., Minister for Labour and Industry.

The Honorable Hugh Main, M.L.A., Minister for Agriculture.

The Honorable James Ryan, M.L.C., Assistant Minister in the Legislative Council.

The Honorable Joseph Jackson, M.L.A., Minister for Local Government.

The Honorable Roy Stanley Vincent, M.L.A., Secretary for Mines and Minister for Forests.

The Honorable Lewis Ormsby Martin, M.L.A., Minister of Justice.

The Honorable Eric Sydney Spooner, M.L.A., Honorary Minister assisting the Colonial Treasurer.

The Honorable Herbert Middleton Hawkins, M.L.C., Honorary Minister assisting the Minister for Labour and Industry.

11. LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION:—Mr. Lang informed the House that on the twenty-second day of June, 1932, he was appointed Leader of the Opposition.

12. *Pro Formâ Bill*—LAW OF EVIDENCE BILL:—Mr. Stevens presented a Bill, intituled "A Bill to amend the Law of Evidence,"—and moved, *pro formâ*, That this Bill be now read a first time.

Question put and passed.

Bill read a first time.

13. MESSAGE FROM THE COMMISSIONERS:—Mr. Speaker reported that the House had this day attended the Commissioners in the Legislative Council Chamber, where a Commission for opening Parliament was read, and a Message to the Assembly delivered, which Message he read to the House, as follows:—

"Honorable Members of the Legislative Council and Members of the Legislative Assembly,—

"We have it in command from His Excellency the Governor to acquaint you that His Excellency desires that you take into your grave consideration such matters as may be submitted to you."

"Honorable Members of the Legislative Assembly,—

"It being necessary that a Speaker of the Legislative Assembly be first chosen, it is His Excellency's pleasure that you, gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly, repair to your own Chamber and there proceed to the election of one of your number to be your Speaker.

"We are further commanded to acquaint you that His Excellency desires that such measures may be taken by you as may be deemed expedient to meet the exigencies of the Public Services, and to deal with such other measures as my advisers deem necessary."

14. CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES:—

(1.) URGENCY:—Mr. Stevens moved, That it is a matter of urgent necessity that this House should forthwith consider a motion for the appointment of a Chairman of Committees of the Whole House.

Question put and passed.

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(2.) SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS:—Mr. Stevens moved, That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as would preclude the consideration forthwith of a motion for the appointment of a Chairman of Committees of the Whole House. Debate ensued.

Lieut.-Colonel. Bruxner moved, That the Question be now put.

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 48.

Mr. Bate	Mr. Howarth	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Brown	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Spring
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Stevens
Mr. Buttenshaw	General Lloyd	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Carter	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Tonking
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Main	Mr. Vincent
Mr. Drummond	Mr. Mair	Mr. Wade
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Missingham	Dr. Webb
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Monro	Mr. Wilson
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Moverly	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Gollan	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. Reid	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Harper	Mr. James C. Ross	Mr. Budd
Mr. Hedges	Major Shand	Major Jarvie
Mr. Henry	Mr. Sinclair	
Mr. Hocking	Mr. Solomon	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. William Davies	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Booth	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Horsington	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Robert Cameron	Mr. Keegan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lang	Mr. Knight
Major Connell	Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Connolly	Mr. James McGirr	
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Olde	

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

Original Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 48.

Mr. Bate	Major Jarvie	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Brown	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Spring
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Stevens
Mr. Budd	General Lloyd	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Tonking
Mr. Carter	Mr. Main	Mr. Vincent
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Mair	Mr. Wade
Mr. Drummond	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Missingham	Dr. Webb
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Monro	Mr. Wilson
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Moverly	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Gollan	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. Reid	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Harper	Mr. James C. Ross	Mr. Henry
Mr. Hedges	Major Shand	Mr. Fitzsimons
Mr. Hocking	Mr. Sinclair	
Mr. Howarth	Mr. Solomon	

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Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Horsington	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Booth	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Knight	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lang	<i>Tellers,</i>
Major Connell	Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. Robert Cameron
Mr. Davidson	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Connolly
Mr. William Davies	Mr. Olde	
Mr. Heffron	Mr. O'Sullivan	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(3.) Major Shand moved, That William Thomas Missingham, Esquire, be Chairman of Committees of the Whole House.

Mr. Lang moved, That Fred Stanley, Esquire, be Chairman of Committees of the Whole House.

Question proposed,—That William Thomas Missingham, Esquire, be Chairman of Committees of the Whole House.

Debate ensued.

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

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 48.

Mr. Bate	Mr. Howarth	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Brown	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Spring
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Stevens
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Mr. Carter	Mr. Main	Mr. Vincent
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Mair	Mr. Wade
Mr. Drummond	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Missingham	Dr. Webb
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Monro	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Moverly	Mr. Wilkins
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Gollan	Mr. Reid	
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. James C. Ross	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Harper	Major Shand	Mr. Hodges
Mr. Henry	Mr. Sinclair	Major Jarvie
Mr. Hocking	Mr. Solomon	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Booth	Mr. Horsington	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Keegan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Robert Cameron	Mr. Knight	Mr. Olde
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lang	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Connolly	Mr. Lazzarini	
Mr. Davidson	Mr. James McGirr	
Mr. William Davies	Mr. O'Sullivan	

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

Question put,—That William Thomas Missingham, Esquire, be Chairman of Committees of the Whole House.

The House divided.

Ayes, 48.

Mr. Bate	Major Jarvie	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Brown	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Spring
Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Stevens
Mr. Budd	General Lloyd	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Tonking
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Main	Mr. Vincent
Mr. Drummond	Mr. Mair	Mr. Wade
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Missingham	Dr. Webb
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Monro	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Gollan	Mr. Moverly	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Harper	Mr. Reid	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hodges	Mr. James C. Ross	Mr. Carter
Mr. Henry	Major Shand	Mr. Fitzsimons
Mr. Hocking	Mr. Sinclair	
Mr. Howarth	Mr. Solomon	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Booth	Mr. Knight	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Lang	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Robert Cameron	Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. Clyne
Mr. Connolly	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Heffron
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Olde	
Mr. William Davies	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Horsington	Mr. Quirk	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

15. APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES:—Mr. Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order No. 28, nominated,—

Henry John Bate, Esquire,
Major Hugh John Connell, D.S.O., M.C.
William Frederick Foster, Esquire,
William Whaley Hedges, Esquire, and
Major Milton Livingstone Fredericks Jarvie, M.C.,

to act as Temporary Chairmen of Committees during the present Session.

16. COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:—Mr. Stevens moved, That this House will, on its next Sitting Day, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.

Question put and passed.

17. COMMITTEE OF WAYS AND MEANS:—Mr. Stevens moved, That this House will, on its next Sitting Day, resolve itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Question put and passed.

23rd June, 1932.

18. MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR:—Mr. Speaker reported the following Messages from His Excellency the Governor:—

(1.) Family Endowment (Amendment) Bill (Session 1930-31-32):—

PHILIP GAME,
Governor.

Message No. 1.

A Bill intituled "*An Act to make further provision regarding the Family Endowment Fund; to amend the Family Endowment Act, 1927-1931, and certain other Acts in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—as finally passed by the Legislative Council and Assembly, having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, His Excellency desires to inform the Legislative Assembly that he has accepted the opinion of the Crown Law Officer that this Bill has lapsed by reason of the dissolution of Parliament and consequently he is unable to assent to it.

The Bill is returned herewith duly endorsed to the above effect.

Government House,
Sydney, 16th June, 1932.

(2.) Finance (Family Endowment Tax) Bill (Session 1930-31-32):—

PHILIP GAME,
Governor.

Message No. 2.

A Bill intituled "*An Act to declare the rates at which contributions to the Family Endowment Fund are to be made by employers in respect of wages paid after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one; to provide for the payment of certain sums in lieu of contributions by the Crown; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—as finally passed by the Legislative Council and Assembly, having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, His Excellency desires to inform the Legislative Assembly that he has accepted the opinion of the Crown Law Officer that this Bill has lapsed by reason of the dissolution of Parliament and consequently he is unable to assent to it.

The Bill is returned herewith duly endorsed to the above effect.

Government House,
Sydney, 16th June, 1932.

(3.) Mortgages Taxation Bill (Session 1930-31-32):—

PHILIP GAME,
Governor.

Message No. 3.

A Bill intituled "*An Act to impose taxation upon mortgages, to amend the Real Property Act, 1900, and certain other Acts; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto; and for purposes mentioned therein,*"—as finally passed by the Legislative Council and Assembly, having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, His Excellency desires to inform the Legislative Assembly that he has accepted the opinion of the Crown Law Officer that this Bill has lapsed by reason of the dissolution of Parliament, and consequently he is unable to assent to it.

The Bill is returned herewith duly endorsed to the above effect.

Government House,
Sydney, 16th June, 1932.

(4.) Coal Industry Bill (Session 1930-31-32):—

PHILIP GAME,
Governor.

Message No. 4.

A Bill intituled "*An Act to provide for the constitution of a Coal Industry Board, and to define its powers, functions, and duties; to make further provision for the regulation of the coal-mining industry, including provisions as to the efficient working of coal and as to its sale and disposal, and the recovery and sale of by-products from coal; to authorise the Coal Industry Board to close mines and to regulate or restrict the output of mines; to control the conditions of employment, to settle industrial disputes on the coal-fields, and to promote the welfare of persons engaged in the coal-mining industry; to amend the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1912, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—as finally passed by the Legislative Council and Assembly, having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, His Excellency desires to inform the Legislative Assembly that he has accepted the opinion of the Crown Law Officer that this Bill has lapsed by reason of the dissolution of Parliament, and consequently he is unable to assent to it.

The Bill is returned herewith duly endorsed to the above effect.

Government House,
Sydney, 16th June, 1932.

23rd June, 1932.

(5.) Public Health (Inspectors' Salaries) Amendment Bill (Session 1930-31-32):—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 5.

Governor.

A Bill, intituled "*An Act to relieve the Consolidated Revenue Fund from certain payments; to amend the Public Health Act, 1902; and the Sydney Corporation Act, 1902; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—as finally passed by the Legislative Council and Assembly, having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, His Excellency desires to inform the Legislative Assembly that he has accepted the opinion of the Crown Law Officer that this Bill has lapsed by reason of the dissolution of Parliament and consequently he is unable to assent to it.

The Bill is returned herewith duly endorsed to the above effect.

Government House,

Sydney, 16th June, 1932.

(6.) Nurses' Registration (Amendment) Bill (Session 1930-31-32):—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 6.

Governor.

A Bill, intituled "*An Act to provide that the fees paid to certain members of the Nurses' Registration Board shall be paid out of the funds of that board; to amend section seventeen of the Nurses' Registration Act, 1924; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—as finally passed by the Legislative Council and Assembly, having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, His Excellency desires to inform the Legislative Assembly that he has accepted the opinion of the Crown Law Officer that this Bill has lapsed by reason of the dissolution of Parliament and consequently he is unable to assent to it.

The Bill is returned herewith duly endorsed to the above effect.

Government House,

Sydney, 16th June, 1932.

19. MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR:—The following Messages from His Excellency the Governor were delivered by the Ministers named, and read by Mr. Speaker:—

By Mr. Stevens,—

(1.) Loan Estimates:—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 7.

Governor.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th Section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly an Estimate of the Expenditure of the Government of New South Wales on account of Public Works and other services for the year 1931-1932, proposed to be provided for by loan.

State Government House,

Sydney, 20th June, 1932.

Ordered to be printed, together with the accompanying Estimates, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

(2.) Supply Bill (No. 3):—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 8.

Governor.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to apply certain sums out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, the Government Railways Fund, the Road Transport and Traffic Fund, the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund, the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund and the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund towards the Services of the Years 1931-1932 and 1932-1933.

State Government House,

Sydney, 20th June, 1932.

Ordered to be referred to the Committee of Supply.

(3.) Family Endowment (Amendment) Bill:—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 9.

Governor.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to make further provision regarding the Family Endowment Fund; to amend the Family Endowment Act, 1927-1931, and certain other Acts in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith.

State Government House,

Sydney, 20th June, 1932.

23rd June, 1932.

(4.) Public Service Salaries (Amendment) Bill:—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 10.

Governor.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to extend the period during which the Public Service Salaries Act (No. 2), 1931, is to remain in force; for that purpose to amend the said Act; and for purposes connected therewith.

State Government House,

Sydney, 20th June, 1932.

(5.) Prevention and Relief of Unemployment (Further Amendment) Bill:—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 11.

Governor.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to continue the provisions of Part II of the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932; to apply the provisions of that Act to the assessment and collection of Unemployment Relief Tax imposed by the Unemployment Relief Tax Act, 1932; to amend the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith.

State Government House,

Sydney, 20th June, 1932.

(6.) Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment Bill:—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 12.

Governor.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to enable the operation of section eight of the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment Act, 1930, as amended by the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Further Amendment Act, 1930, to be extended for further periods; to validate a certain determination and the proclamation notifying the same; and for purposes connected therewith.

State Government House,

Sydney, 22nd June, 1932.

(7.) Finance (Family Endowment Tax) Bill:—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 13.

Governor.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to declare the rates at which contributions to the Family Endowment Fund are to be made by employers in respect of wages paid after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one; to provide for the payment of certain sums in lieu of contributions by the Crown; and for purposes connected therewith.

State Government House,

Sydney, 22nd June, 1932.

Ordered to be referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

(8.) Closer Settlement Appropriation Bill:—

PHILIP GAME,

Message No. 14.

Governor.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to appropriate and apply certain sums out of the Closer Settlement Fund for the Services of the Year 1931-1932.

State Government House,

Sydney, 22nd June, 1932.

Ordered to be referred to the Committee of Supply.

23rd June, 1932.

(9.) Unemployment Relief Tax Bill:—

PHILIP GAME,
Governor.

Message No. 15.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to impose an Unemployment Relief Tax; to declare the rates at which such tax is to be charged, levied, assessed, collected, and paid; and for purposes connected therewith.

*State Government House,
Sydney, 22nd June, 1932.*

Ordered to be referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

By Mr. Weaver,—

(10.) Nurses' Registration (Amendment) Bill:—

PHILIP GAME,
Governor.

Message No. 16.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to provide that the fees paid to certain Members of the Nurses' Registration Board shall be paid out of the funds of that Board; to amend section seventeen of the Nurses' Registration Act, 1924; and for purposes connected therewith.

*State Government House,
Sydney, 22nd June, 1932.*

(11.) Public Health (Inspectors' Salaries) Bill:—

PHILIP GAME,
Governor.

Message No. 17.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to relieve the Consolidated Revenue Fund from certain payments; to amend the Public Health Act, 1902, and the Sydney Corporation Act, 1902; and for purposes connected therewith.

*State Government House,
Sydney, 22nd June, 1932.*

20. PAPERS:—

Mr. Stevens laid upon the Table the following Paper:—Copy of Commission and proclamation published in the *Government Gazette* of 10th June, 1932, regarding the appointment of the Honorable Sir Philip Whistler Street, K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, as Lieutenant-Governor of this State.

Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

Captain Chaffey laid upon the Table the following Papers:—

(1.) Amended Regulations under the Careless Use of Fire Act, 1912.

Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

(2.) Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the National Relief Fund for 1931.

Ordered to be printed.

(3.) Regulation under the Police Regulation (Appeals) Act, 1923.

Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

Mr. Weaver laid upon the Table the following Papers:—

(1.) Report in regard to the variation of the provision of section 22 of the Newcastle District Abattoir and Saleyards Act, 1912.

(2.) New and amended By-laws under the Metropolitan Water, Sewerage, and Drainage Act, 1924-31.

(3.) Notification of resumption or appropriation of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the following purposes:—

(a) Boosting Station at Kurri Kurri for the purposes of the Hunter District Water Supply.

(b) Waratah Stormwater Drainage.

(c) Upper Murray River Storage.

(d) Cardiff Stormwater Channel.

(4.) Notification of resumption or appropriation of land under the Local Government Act, 1919, for the following Councils:—Mosman Municipal Council; Canterbury Municipal Council; Bankstown Municipal Council; Paddington Municipal Council; Erina Shire Council (3); Willimbong Shire Council.

(5.) Notification of resumption of easement under the Hydro-electric Development (Construction) Act, 1919, in the Parish of Harden, under the said Act.

23rd June, 1932.

(6.) Notification of resumption of easements under Public Works (Port Kembla Electricity) Act, 1929, for the following purposes:—

- (a) Homebush, Stormwater Drainage (2).
- (b) Mudgee Sewerage.
- (c) Werris Creek Water Supply.

Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

Mr. Main laid upon the Table the following Papers:—

- (1.) New and repealed Regulations under the Stock Diseases Act, 1923.
- (2.) Regulations under the Plant Diseases Act, 1924.
- (3.) Regulations under the Marketing of Primary Products Act, 1927-1931.
- (4.) Minute of the Public Service Board, recommending the appointment, on probation, of Mr. A. L. Nicod, as Assistant Piggery Instructor, Department of Agriculture.
- (5.) By-laws under the Water Act, 1912-1930.

Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

Mr. Buttenshaw laid upon the Table the following Papers:—

- (1.) Copies of *Gazette* Notices setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands in accordance with the provisions of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.
- (2.) Abstract of Crown lands intended to be dedicated to public purposes in accordance with the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.
- (3.) Notification of particulars of Special Leases issued under the Western Lands Act, 1901.

Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

Mr. Vincent laid upon the Table the following Paper:—Report of the Department of Mines for 1931.

Ordered to be printed.

21. ADJOURNMENT:—Mr. Stevens moved, That this House do now adjourn until Half-past Eleven o'clock, a.m., This Day.

Debate ensued.

Captain Chaffey moved, That the Question be now put.

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

The House divided.

AYES, 32.

Lieut.-Col. Bruxner	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Vincent
Mr. Budd	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Wade
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Main	Dr. Webb
Mr. Carter	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Wilson
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Missingham	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Monro	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. James C. Ross	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hankinson	Major Shand	Major Jarvie
Mr. Harper	Mr. Sinclair	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Hedges	Mr. Spring	
Mr. Hocking	Mr. Stevens	
Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Thomas	

NOES, 18.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Booth	Mr. Knight	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Lang	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. Connolly
Mr. Davidson	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Olde	
Mr. Horsington	Mr. O'Sullivan	

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

Original Question put and passed.

The House adjourned accordingly, at Nine minutes before Three o'clock, a.m., until Half-past Eleven o'clock, a.m., This Day.

W. R. McCOURT,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

DANIEL LEVY,
Speaker.

New South Wales.

No. 2.

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FIRST SESSION OF THE THIRTIETH PARLIAMENT.

FRIDAY, 24 JUNE, 1932.

The House met pursuant to adjournment. Mr. Speaker took the Chair.

1. MEMBERS SWORN:—The undermentioned gentlemen each having taken and subscribed the Oath of Allegiance before Lieut.-Colonel the Honorable Michael Frederick Bruxner, a Commissioner, and signed the Roll of the House, took their seats as Members for the Electoral Districts respectively named, the Clerk producing the several Writs returning them, viz.:—
Joseph Alexander Lawson, Esquire, for Murray; and
William Forrest Maxwell Ross, Esquire, for Cootamundra.
2. DEATH OF THE HONORABLE RICHARD ARTHUR, M.D., MEMBER FOR MOSMAN:—Mr. Stevens moved (*by consent*), without Notice,—
(1.) That this House desires to place on record its sense of the loss this State has sustained by the death of the Honorable Richard Arthur, M.D., a former Minister of the Crown in the State of New South Wales.
(2.) That Mr. Speaker be requested to communicate to Mrs. Arthur the above resolution, together with an expression of the sympathy and sorrow of the Members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales on the death of her husband.
The motion having been seconded by Mr. Lang, and supported by Mr. Bavin and Brigadier-General Lloyd.
Question put and carried unanimously,—Members and Officers of the House standing.
3. DEATH OF HENRY DOUGLAS MORTON, ESQUIRE:—Mr. Stevens moved (*by consent*), without Notice,—
(1.) That this House desires to place on record its sense of the loss this State has sustained by the death of Henry Douglas Morton, Esquire, a former Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales.
(2.) That Mr. Speaker be requested to communicate to Mrs. Morton the above resolution, together with an expression of the sympathy and sorrow of the Members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales on the death of her husband.
And the motion having been seconded by Mr. Lang,—
Question put and carried unanimously,—Members and Officers of the House standing.
4. PAPERS:—
Mr. Stevens laid upon the Table the following Papers:—
(1.) Report of the Registrar of Friendly Societies and Trade Unions for the year ended 30th June, 1931.
(2.) Report of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies for the year ended 30th June, 1931.
Ordered to be printed.
(3.) Amended Form under the Friendly Societies Act, 1912-1931.
Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

24th June, 1932.

Mr. Jackson laid upon the Table the following Papers:—

- (1.) By-laws under the Sydney Corporation Acts (*as amended*).
- (2.) Amended Ordinances under the Local Government Act, 1919.
- (3.) Certified copy of Agreement between the Electric Light and Power Company (Scone) Limited and the Council of the Shire of Upper Hunter, relating to a franchise under the Local Government Act, 1919, granted by the Council to the the said Company for the supply of electric lighting and power in portion of the Shire.

Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

Mr. Drummond laid upon the Table the following Papers:—

- (1.) Report of the Bursary Endowment Board for the year ended 30th June, 1931.
- Ordered to be printed.
- (2.) Minute of the Public Service Board, recommending the appointment, on probation, of Mrs. E. S. Banks and Miss I. A. Burley as teachers of Dress-making, Technical Education Branch.

Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

Mr. L. O. Martin laid upon the Table the following Papers:—

- (1.) Amended Regulations under the Public Service Act, 1902.
- (2.) Rule made by the Judges of the Supreme Court.

Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.

- (3.) Return of Transactions under Statutes administered by the Registrar-General for the year 1931.

Ordered to be printed.

Captain Chaffey laid upon the Table the following Paper:—Report of the Fisheries Department for 1931.

Ordered to be printed.

5. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS:—Mr. Stevens moved, pursuant to Notice, That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as would preclude the following Bills, viz.:—

Loan Bill;
 Prevention and Relief of Unemployment (Further Amendment) Bill;
 Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment Bill;
 Unemployment Relief Tax Bill;
 Public Service Salaries (Amendment) Bill;
 Supply Bill (No. 3);
 Closer Settlement Appropriation Bill;
 Family Endowment (Amendment) Bill;
 Finance (Family Endowment Tax) Bill;
 Nurses' Registration (Amendment) Bill; and
 Public Health (Inspectors' Salaries) Amendment Bill,—

being brought in and passed through all their stages in one day.

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

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 46.

Mr. Ball	Mr. Jackson	Major Shand
Mr. Bennett	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Sinclair
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Carter	Mr. Lee	Mr. Spring
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Stevens
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Tonking
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Missingham	Mr. Vincent
Mr. Foster	Mr. Monro	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Gollan	Mr. Mark F. Morton	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. Moverly	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Harper	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Hedges	Mr. Reid	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Henry	Mr. John Reid	
Mr. Hocking	Mr. James C. Ross	Mr. Budd
Mr. Howarth	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	Major Jarvis

Noes, 20.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Horsington	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Robert Cameton	Mr. Knight	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lang	
Major Connell	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Booth
Mr. Connolly	Mr. McKeil	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Olde	
Mr. William Davies	Mr. O'Sullivan	

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

Original Question put and passed.

24th June, 1932.

6. INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (EIGHT HOURS) AMENDMENT BILL:—

(1.) Mr. Dunningham moved, pursuant to Notice, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to enable the operation of section eight of the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment Act, 1930, as amended by the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Further Amendment Act, 1930, to be extended for further periods; to validate a certain determination and the proclamation notifying the same; and for purposes connected therewith.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

(2.) Mr. Dunningham then presented a Bill, intituled "*A Bill to enable the operation of section eight of the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment Act, 1930, as amended by the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Further Amendment Act, 1930, to be extended for further periods; to validate a certain determination and the proclamation notifying the same; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—which was read a first time.

Mr. Dunningham moved, That the Bill be printed, and now read a second time. *And it being after 12 o'clock noon, the time specified under Standing Order 175b for the completion of the Business up to a certain stage (Introduction of Bill and second reading),—*

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

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 45.

Mr. Bate	Mr. Lee	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Bavin	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Bennett	General Lloyd	Mr. Spring
Mr. Brown	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Budd	Mr. Mair	Mr. Tonking
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Missingham	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Carter	Mr. Mark F. Morton	Mr. Wade
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Ness	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Wilson
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Reid	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Foster	Mr. John Reid	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Gollan	Mr. James C. Ross	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Harper	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	
Mr. Hedges	Mr. Sanders	Mr. Fitzsimons
Mr. Howarth	Major Shand	Mr. Walker
Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Sinclair	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Horsington	Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Booth	Mr. Knight	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Lang	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lazzarini	<i>Tellers,</i>
Major Connell	Mr. Lysaght	
Mr. Davidson	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Robert Cameron
Mr. William Davies	Mr. McKell	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Olde	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Question put,—That the Bill be printed, and now read a second time.

The House divided.

Ayes, 46.

Mr. Bate	Mr. Lee	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Bavin	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Bennett	General Lloyd	Mr. Spring
Mr. Brown	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Budd	Mr. Mair	Mr. Tonking
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Carter	Mr. Missingham	Mr. Wade
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Morton	Mr. Walker
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Ness	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Wilson
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Reid	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Foster	Mr. John Reid	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Gollan	Mr. James C. Ross	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hedges	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	
Mr. Howarth	Major Shand	Mr. Harper
Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Sinclair	Mr. Sanders

Noes, 21.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Horsington	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Booth	Mr. Knight	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Lang	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Robert Cameron	Mr. Lazzarini	<i>Tellers,</i>
Major Connell	Mr. Lysaght	
Mr. Davidson	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Clyne
Mr. William Davies	Mr. McKell	Mr. Olde
Mr. Heffron	Mr. O'Sullivan	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

24th June, 1932.

(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported the Bill without amendment.

The Question,—"That the Question be now put,"—having been previously agreed to in Committee under Standing Order 175B (Committee and all remaining stages),—

Question,—That the Report be now adopted,—put and passed.

Question,—That this Bill be now read a third time;—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 44.

Mr. Ball	Mr. Jackson	Mr. Sinclair
Mr. Bate	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Brown	Mr. Lee	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Budd	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Spring
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Carter	Mr. Mair	Mr. Tonking
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Martin	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Drummond	Mr. Missingham	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Mark F. Morton	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Moverly	Mr. Yeo
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Ness	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. John Reid	Mr. Gollan
Mr. Harper	Major Reid	Mr. Sanders
Mr. Hedges	Mr. James C. Ross	
Mr. Henry	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	
Mr. Hocking	Major Shand	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Olde
Mr. Booth	Mr. Horsington	Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Robert Cameron	Mr. Knight	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lang	<i>Tellers,</i>
Major Connell	Mr. Jazzarini	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Davidson	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Connolly
Mr. William Davies	Mr. McKell	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(4.) Bill read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled "*An Act to enable the operation of section eight of the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment Act, 1930, as amended by the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Further Amendment Act, 1930, to be extended for further periods; to validate a certain determination and the proclamation notifying the same; and for purposes connected therewith*,"—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

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Sydney, 24th June, 1932.*

7. STATEMENT RESPECTING VOTE IN COMMITTEE DIVISION:—Mr. Bate stated that in Committee when the division, on the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment Bill, on the Question, "That clause 2 stand part of the Bill," was called, he was engaged in writing at a desk and inadvertently voted with the "Noes."

Mr. Speaker said that he would observe the ordinary procedure in such cases, and directed that Mr. Bate's statement be entered in the *Votes and Proceedings*.

8. NURSES' REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

(1.) Mr. Weaver moved, pursuant to Notice, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to provide that the fees paid to certain members of the Nurses' Registration Board shall be paid out of the funds of that Board; to amend section seventeen of the Nurses' Registration Act, 1924; and for purposes connected therewith. Question put and passed.

(2.) Mr. Weaver then presented a Bill, intituled "*A Bill to provide that the fees paid to certain members of the Nurses' Registration Board shall be paid out of the funds of that Board; to amend section seventeen of the Nurses' Registration Act, 1924; and for purposes connected therewith*,"—which was read a first time. Mr. Weaver moved, That the Bill be printed and now read a second time. Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

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(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported the Bill without amendment.

The Question,—“That the Question be now put,”—having been previously agreed to in Committee under Standing Order 175B (Introduction of Bill and all remaining stages),—

Question,—That the Report be now adopted,—put and passed.

Question,—That this Bill be now read a third time,—put and passed.

(4.) Bill, on motion of Mr. Weaver, read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled “An Act to provide that the fees paid to certain members of the Nurses’ Registration Board shall be paid out of the funds of that Board; to amend section seventeen of the Nurses’ Registration Act, 1924; and for purposes connected therewith,”—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.*

9. PUBLIC HEALTH (INSPECTORS’ SALARIES) AMENDMENT BILL:—

(1.) Mr. Weaver moved, pursuant to Notice, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to relieve the Consolidated Revenue Fund from certain payments; to amend the Public Health Act, 1902; and the Sydney Corporation Act, 1902: and for purposes connected therewith.

Question put and passed.

(2.) Mr. Weaver then presented a Bill, intituled “A Bill to relieve the Consolidated Revenue Fund from certain payments; to amend the Public Health Act, 1902; and the Sydney Corporation Act, 1902; and for purposes connected therewith,”—which was read a first time.

Mr. Weaver moved, That the Bill be printed and now read a second time.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary Chairman, Major Jarvie, reported the Bill without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Weaver the Report was adopted.

(4.) Bill, on motion of Mr. Weaver, read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled “An Act to relieve the Consolidated Revenue Fund from certain payments; to amend the Public Health Act, 1902; and the Sydney Corporation Act, 1902; and for purposes connected therewith,”—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.*

10. PREVENTION AND RELIEF OF UNEMPLOYMENT (FURTHER AMENDMENT) BILL:—

(1.) Mr. Spooner moved, pursuant to Notice, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to continue the provisions of Part II of the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932; to apply the provisions of that Act to the assessment and collection of Unemployment Relief Tax imposed by the Unemployment Relief Tax Act, 1932; to amend the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith.

Question put and passed.

(2.) Mr. Spooner then presented a Bill, intituled “A Bill to continue the provisions of Part II of the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932; to apply the provisions of that Act to the assessment and collection of Unemployment Relief Tax imposed by the Unemployment Relief Tax Act, 1932; to amend the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith,”—which was read a first time.

Mr. Spooner moved, That the Bill be printed and now read a second time.

And it being after 3.30 o’clock, p.m., the time specified under Standing Order 175B for the completion of the Business up to a certain stage (Introduction of Bill and second reading),—

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

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

24th June, 1932.

The House divided.

Ayes, 53.

Mr. Ball	Mr. Hocking	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Bate	Mr. Jackson	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Bavin	Major Jarvie	Mr. Spring
Mr. Bennett	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Stevens
Mr. Brown	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Budd	Mr. Lee	Mr. Vincent
Mr. Buttenshaw	General Lloyd	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Carter	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Wade
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Mair	Mr. Walker
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. L. O. Martin	Dr. Webb
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Mark F. Morton	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Moverly	Mr. Wilkins
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Ness	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Foster	Mr. Reid	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gollan	Mr. John Reid	Mr. Lloyd
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. James C. Ross	Mr. Sanders
Mr. Harper	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	
Mr. Hedges	Major Shand	
Sir Thomas Henley	Mr. Sinclair	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Booth	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Lang	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Robert Cameron	Mr. Lazzarini	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clyne	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Connolly
Major Connell	Mr. McKell	Mr. Knight
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Olde	
Mr. William Davies	Mr. O'Sullivan	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Question—That the Bill be printed, and now read a second time,—put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 50.

Mr. Bate	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Bavin	Mr. Lee	Mr. Spring
Mr. Bennett	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Brown	General Lloyd	Mr. Tonking
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Vincent
Mr. Carter	Mr. Mair	Mr. Waddell
Captain Chaffey	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Wade
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Mark F. Morton	Mr. Walker
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Moverly	Dr. Webb
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Ness	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Gollan	Mr. Reid	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. John Reid	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Harper	Mr. James C. Ross	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hedges	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	Mr. Budd
Mr. Hocking	Mr. Sanders	Mr. Mouro
Mr. Jackson	Major Shand	
Major Jarvie	Mr. Sinclair	
Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Solomon	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Heffron	Mr. Olde
Mr. Booth	Mr. Horsington	Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Robert Cameron	Mr. Knight	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lang	<i>Tellers,</i>
Major Connell	Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. William Davies
Mr. Connolly	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Davidson	Mr. McKell	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Bate, reported the Bill without amendment.

The Question.—"That the Question be now put,"—having been previously agreed to in Committee under Standing Order 175B (Committee and all remaining stages),—

Question,—That the Report be now adopted,—put and passed.

Question,—That this Bill be now read a third time,—put.

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The House divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Bate
Mr. Bennett
Mr. Brown
Mr. Budd
Mr. Buttenshaw
Mr. Carter
Mr. Drummond
Mr. Elliott
Mr. Fitzsimons
Dr. Fleck
Mr. Gollan
Mr. Hankinson

Mr. Hedges
Mr. Kilpatrick
Mr. Lawson
Mr. Lloyd
Mr. Mair
Mr. Mark F. Morton
Mr. Reid
Mr. John Reid
Mr. W. F. M. Ross
Mr. Sanders
Major Shand
Mr. Sinclair

Mr. Solomon
Mr. Spooner
Mr. Spring
Mr. Thomas
Mr. Tonking
Mr. Vincent
Mr. Yeo.

Tellers,

General Lloyd
Mr. Wade

Noes, 20.

Mr. Baddeley
Mr. Booth
Mr. Frank Burke
Mr. Robert Cameron
Major Connell
Mr. Connolly
Mr. Davidson
Mr. Heffron

Mr. Keegan
Mr. Knight
Mr. Lang
Mr. James McGirr
Mr. McKell
Mr. Olde
Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Quirk

Mr. Shannon
Mr. Stanley

Tellers,

Mr. Clyne
Mr. Horsington

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(4) Bill read third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled "*An Act to continue the provisions of Part II of the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932; to apply the provisions of that Act to the assessment and collection of Unemployment Relief Tax imposed by the Unemployment Relief Tax Act, 1932; to amend the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

11. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:—Mr. Speaker reported the following Messages from the Legislative Council:—

(1.) Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled, "*An Act to enable the operation of section eight of the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment Act, 1930, as amended by the Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Further Amendment Act, 1930, to be extended for further periods; to validate a certain determination and the proclamation notifying the same; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

J. B. PEDEN,
President.

(2.) Nurses' Registration (Amendment) Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled "*An Act to provide that the fees paid to certain Members of the Nurses' Registration Board shall be paid out of the funds of that Board; to amend section seventeen of the Nurses' Registration Act, 1924; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

J. B. PEDEN,
President.

(3.) Public Health (Inspectors' Salaries) Amendment Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled "*An Act to relieve the Consolidated Revenue Fund from certain payments; to amend the Public Health Act, 1902; and the Sydney Corporation Act, 1902; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,

J. B. PEDEN,

Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

President.

24th June, 1932.

12. CLOSER SETTLEMENT FUND, 1931-1932 (*Estimates*):—The following Message from His Excellency the Governor was delivered by Mr. Stevens, and read by Mr. Speaker:—

PHILIP GAME,
Governor.

Message No. 18.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 46th Section of the Constitution Act, 1902, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly an Estimate of the Expenditure of the Government of New South Wales out of the Closer Settlement Fund for the year 1931-1932.

State Government House,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

Ordered to be printed, together with the accompanying Estimate, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

13. WAYS AND MEANS (*Unemployment Relief Tax Bill*):—The Order of the Day having been read, Mr. Spooner moved, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and the House resolve itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.
Question put.
The House divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Bate	Mr. Jackson	Mr. Sinclair
Mr. Bennett	Major Jarvie	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Carter	Mr. Lee	Mr. Spring
Mr. Drummond	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Wade
Mr. Dunningham	General Lloyd	Mr. Yeo
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Loughlin	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Mark F. Morton	Mr. Budd
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Reid	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Gollan	Mr. John Reid	
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	
Mr. Hedges	Major Shand	

Noes, 14.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Keegan	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Robert Cameron	Mr. Knight	Mr. Booth
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lang	Mr. Stanley
Major Connell	Mr. McKell	
Mr. Davidson	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Quirk	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair accordingly.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Hedges, Temporary Chairman, reported progress.

The Temporary Chairman also reported that the Committee had come to a resolution, which was read, as follows:—

(1.) *Resolved*,—That there be charged, levied, collected, and paid for the use of His Majesty and for the credit of the Unemployment Relief Fund under the provisions of the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932, as amended by the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment (Further Amendment) Act, 1932, and the regulations made thereunder, and subject to the exemptions in that Act as so amended contained Unemployment Relief Tax at the rates following, namely:—

- (a) one shilling in the pound of the net assessable income derived by any person other than a company during the income year ending upon the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two (or such other period as may be accepted by the Commissioner under the provisions of the Income Tax Management Act, 1928, as amended by subsequent Acts, in lieu thereof);
- (b) one shilling in the pound of the net assessable income derived by every company during the income year ending on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two (or such other period as may be accepted by the Commissioner under the provisions of the Income Tax Management Act, 1928, as amended by subsequent Acts, in lieu thereof);
- (c) one shilling in the pound of the income from employment derived by every person other than a company during the income year commencing on the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

The Question,—"That the Question be now put,"—having been previously agreed to in Committee of Ways and Means under Standing Order 175b (Committee of Ways and Means—Reception of Resolution and agreement therewith—Introduction of Bill and all remaining stages),—

Question put,—That the Resolution be agreed to.

24th June, 1932.

The House divided.

Ayes, 44.		
Mr. Bate	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Bennett	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Brown	Mr. Lee	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Budd	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Vincent
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Carter	Mr. Mair	Mr. Wade
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Walker
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Monro	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Mark F. Morton	Mr. Wilson
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Gollan	Mr. Reid	Tellers,
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. John Reid	Mr. Sanders
Mr. Harper	Mr. James C. Ross	Mr. Spring
Mr. Hedges	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	
Mr. Hocking	Major Shand	
Major Jarvie	Mr. Sinclair	

Nocs, 17.		
Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Knight	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Booth	Mr. Lang	Tellers,
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Heffron
Mr. Clyne	Mr. McKell	Mr. Olde
Mr. Davidson	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Horsington	Mr. Quirk	
Mr. Keegan	Mr. Shannon	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

14. UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF TAX BILL:—

The Question,—“That the Question be now put,”—having been previously agreed to in Committee of Ways and Means under Standing Order 175B (Committee of Ways and Means—Reception of Resolution and agreement therewith—Introduction of Bill and all remaining stages).—

(1.) Question put,—That a Bill be brought in, founded on Resolution of Ways and Means (No. 1), to impose an Unemployment Relief Tax; to declare the rates at which such tax is to be charged, levied, assessed, collected, and paid; and for purposes connected therewith.

Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 42.		
Mr. Bate	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Sinclair
Mr. Bavin	Mr. Leo	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Bennett	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Spring
Mr. Brown	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Budd	Mr. Mair	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Drummond	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Wade
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Monro	Mr. Walker
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Mark F. Morton	Mr. Weaver
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Wilson
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Reid	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. John Reid	Tellers,
Mr. Harper	Mr. James C. Ross	Mr. Carter
Mr. Hedges	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	Mr. Gollan
Mr. Hocking	Mr. Sanders	
Major Jarvie	Major Shand	

Nocs, 18.		
Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Booth	Mr. Lang	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. James McGirr	Tellers,
Mr. Clyne	Mr. McKell	Mr. Horsington
Major Connell	Mr. Olde	Mr. Knight
Mr. Davidson	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Heffron	Mr. Quirk	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(2.) Mr. Spooner then presented a Bill, intituled “A Bill to impose an Unemployment Relief Tax; to declare the rates at which such tax is to be charged, levied, assessed, collected, and paid; and for purposes connected therewith,”—which was read a first time.

Question put,—That the Bill be printed, and now read a second time.

The House divided.

Ayes, 40.		
Mr. Bate	Major Jarvie	Major Shand
Mr. Bavin	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Sinclair
Mr. Brown	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Budd	Mr. Leo	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Carter	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Spring
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Loughlin	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Mair	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Elliott	Mr. L. O. Martin	Mr. Wade
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Monro	Mr. Wilson
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Gollan	Mr. Reid	Tellers,
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. James C. Ross	Mr. Harper
Mr. Hedges	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	Mr. John Reid
Mr. Hocking	Mr. Sanders	

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Noes, 17.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Knight	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Lang	<i>Tellers,</i>
Major Connell	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Booth
Mr. Davidson	Mr. McKell	Mr. Clyne
Mr. Heffron	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Horsington	Mr. Quirk	
Mr. Keegan	Mr. Shannon	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Foster, reported the Bill without amendment.

Question put,—That the Report be now adopted.

The House divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Bavin	Mr. Hedges	Mr. Spooner
Mr. Brown	Major Jarvie	Mr. Spring
Mr. Budd	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Wade
Mr. Carter	Mr. Lawson	Dr. Webb
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Main	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Primrose	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Reid	Mr. Sanders
Dr. Fleck	Mr. John Reid	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Foster	Mr. James C. Ross	
Mr. Gollan	Major Shand	
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. Sinclair	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Lang	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Davidson	Mr. James McGirr	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Heffron	Mr. McKell	Mr. Booth
Mr. Horsington	Mr. O'Sullivan	Mr. Clyne
Mr. Knight	Mr. Quirk	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Question put,—That this Bill be now read a third time.

The House divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Bavin	Mr. Hedges	Major Shand
Mr. Brown	Major Jarvie	Mr. Sinclair
Mr. Budd	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Spooner
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Spring
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Main	Mr. Wade
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Wilson
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Reid	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Foster	Mr. John Reid	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gollan	Mr. James C. Ross	Mr. Carter
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	Dr. Webb
Mr. Harper	Mr. Sanders	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Horsington	Mr. O'Sullivan
Mr. Booth	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Knight	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lang	<i>Tellers,</i>
Major Connell	Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. Olde
Mr. Davidson	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Heffron	Mr. McKell	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(4.) Bill read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled "*An Act to impose an Unemployment Relief Tax; to declare the rates at which such tax is to be charged, levied, assessed, collected, and paid; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.*

24th June, 1932.

15. PUBLIC SERVICE SALARIES (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

(1.) Mr. Stevens moved, pursuant to Notice, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to extend the period during which the Public Service Salaries Act (No. 2), 1931, is to remain in force; for that purpose to amend the said Act; and for purposes connected therewith.

Debate ensued.

And it being after 4.30 o'clock, p.m., the time specified under Standing Order 175r for the completion of the Business up to a certain stage (Introduction of Bill and second reading),—

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

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

The House divided.

Ayes, 34.

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| Mr. Bate | Major Jarvie | Mr. Spring |
| Mr. Bavin | Mr. Kilpatrick | Mr. Stevens |
| Mr. Bennett | Mr. Lawson | Mr. Tonking |
| Mr. Brown | Mr. Lloyd | Mr. Waddell |
| Mr. Carter | Mr. Main | Mr. Wade |
| Mr. Elliott | Mr. Mair | Dr. Webb |
| Mr. Fitzsimons | Mr. John Reid | Mr. Wilson |
| Dr. Fleck | Mr. James C. Ross | Mr. Wilkins |
| Mr. Gollan | Mr. W. F. M. Ross | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Hankinson | Mr. Sanders | Mr. Budd |
| Mr. Harper | Major Shand | Mr. Thomas |
| Mr. Hedges | Mr. Sinclair | |

Noes, 19.

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| Mr. Baddeley | Mr. Keegan | Mr. O'Sullivan |
| Mr. Frank Burke | Mr. Knight | Mr. Quirk |
| Mr. Clyne | Mr. Lang | Mr. Stanley |
| Major Connell | Mr. Lazzarini | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Davidson | Mr. James McGirr | Mr. Booth |
| Mr. Heffron | Mr. McKell | Mr. Shannon |
| Mr. Horsington | Mr. Olde | |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Original Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 39.

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| Mr. Bate | Mr. Harper | Mr. Sinclair |
| Mr. Bavin | Mr. Hedges | Mr. Spring |
| Mr. Bennett | Major Jarvie | Mr. Thomas |
| Mr. Brown | Mr. Kilpatrick | Mr. Tonking |
| Mr. Budd | Mr. Lawson | Mr. Waddell |
| Mr. Buttenshaw | Mr. Lloyd | Mr. Wade |
| Mr. Carter | Mr. Main | Dr. Webb |
| Mr. Dunningham | Mr. Mair | Mr. Wilson |
| Mr. Elliott | Mr. Reid | Mr. Wilkins |
| Mr. Fitzsimons | Mr. John Reid | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Dr. Fleck | Mr. James C. Ross | General Lloyd |
| Mr. Foster | Mr. W. F. M. Ross | Mr. Solomon |
| Mr. Gollan | Mr. Sanders | |
| Mr. Hankinson | Major Shand | |

Noes, 18.

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| Mr. Baddeley | Mr. Keegan | Mr. Quirk |
| Mr. Booth | Mr. Knight | Mr. Shannon |
| Mr. Frank Burke | Mr. Lazzarini | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Major Connell | Mr. James McGirr | Mr. Clyne |
| Mr. Davidson | Mr. McKell | Mr. Stanley |
| Mr. Heffron | Mr. Olde | |
| Mr. Horsington | Mr. O'Sullivan | |

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(2.) Mr. Stevens then presented a Bill, intituled “A Bill to extend the period during which the Public Service Salaries Act (No. 2), 1931, is to remain in force; for that purpose to amend the said Act; and for purposes connected therewith.”—was read a first time.

Question put,—That the Bill be printed and now read a second time.

The House divided.

Ayes, 32.

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| Mr. Bate | Mr. Harper | Mr. Solomon |
| Mr. Bavin | Mr. Hedges | Mr. Spring |
| Mr. Brown | Major Jarvie | Mr. Waddell |
| Mr. Budd | Mr. Kilpatrick | Mr. Wade |
| Mr. Buttenshaw | Mr. Lawson | Dr. Webb |
| Mr. Carter | Mr. Lloyd | Mr. Wilson |
| Captain Chaffey | Mr. Main | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Dunningham | Mr. Primrose | Mr. John Reid |
| Mr. Elliott | Mr. Reid | Mr. James C. Ross |
| Mr. Fitzsimons | Mr. Sanders | |
| Dr. Fleck | Major Shand | |
| Mr. Gollan | Mr. Sinclair | |

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Noes, 18.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Booth	Mr. Knight	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Lazzarini	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clyne	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Heffron
Major Connell	Mr. McKell	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Olde	
Mr. Horsington	Mr. O'Sullivan	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported the Bill without amendment.

Mr. Main moved, That the Report be now adopted.

Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Bate	Mr. Hedges	Mr. Sinclair
Mr. Brown	Mr. Hocking	Mr. Solomon
Mr. Budd	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Spring
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Carter	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Wade
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Main	Dr. Webb
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Primrose	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Elliott	Mr. Reid	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. John Reid	<i>Tellers,</i>
Dr. Fleck	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	Mr. Ness
Mr. Gollan	Mr. Sanders	Mr. Tonking
Mr. Harper	Major Shand	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. James McGirr	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clyne	Mr. McKell	Mr. Booth
Mr. Davidson	Mr. Olde	Mr. Heffron
Mr. Horsington	Mr. O'Sullivan	
Mr. Keegan	Mr. Quirk	
Mr. Knight	Mr. Shannon	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Main moved, That this Bill be now read a third time.

Question put.

The House divided.

Ayes, 38.

Mr. Bate	Mr. Kilpatrick	Mr. Stevens
Mr. Brown	Mr. Lawson	Mr. Tonking
Mr. Budd	Mr. Lloyd	Mr. Vincent
Mr. Buttenshaw	Mr. Main	Mr. Waddell
Mr. Carter	Mr. Ness	Mr. Wade
Captain Chaffey	Mr. Primrose	Dr. Webb
Mr. Dunningham	Mr. Reid	Mr. Wilson
Mr. Elliott	Mr. John Reid	Mr. Wilkins
Mr. Fitzsimons	Mr. W. F. M. Ross	<i>Tellers,</i>
Dr. Fleck	Mr. Sanders	Mr. Harper
Mr. Gollan	Major Shand	Mr. Thomas
Mr. Hankinson	Mr. Sinclair	
Mr. Hedges	Mr. Solomon	
Mr. Hocking	Mr. Spring	

Noes, 16.

Mr. Baddeley	Mr. Horsington	Mr. Quirk
Mr. Booth	Mr. Keegan	Mr. Stanley
Mr. Frank Burke	Mr. Lang	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Clyne	Mr. Lazzarini	Mr. Knight
Mr. Davidson	Mr. James McGirr	Mr. Shannon
Mr. Heffron	Mr. O'Sullivan	

And so it was resolved in the affirmative.

(4.) Bill read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled "An Act to extend the period during which the Public Service Salaries Act (No. 2), 1931, is to remain in force; for that purpose to amend the said Act; and for purposes connected therewith,"—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

Legislative Assembly Chamber.

Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

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16. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:—Mr. Speaker reported the following Messages from the Legislative Council:—

(1.) Prevention and Relief of Unemployment (Further Amendment) Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled "*An Act to continue the provisions of Part II of the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932; to apply the provisions of that Act to the assessment and collectoin of Unemployment Relief Tax imposed by the Unemployment Relief Tax Act, 1932; to amend the Prevention and Relief of Unemployment Act, 1930-1932, and certain other Acts; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

J. B. PEDEN,
President.

(2.) Unemployment Relief Tax Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled "*An Act to impose an Unemployment Relief Tax; to declare the rates at which such tax is to be charged, levied, assessed, collected, and paid; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

J. B. PEDEN,
President.

17. FAMILY ENDOWMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

(1.) Mr. Stevens moved, pursuant to Notice, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to make further provision regarding the Family Endowment Fund; to amend the Family Endowment Act, 1927-1931, and certain other Acts in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

(2.) Mr. Stevens then presented a Bill, intituled "*A Bill to make further provision regarding the Family Endowment Fund; to amend the Family Endowment Act, 1927-1931, and certain other Acts in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—which was read a first time.

Ordered to be printed, and now read a second time.

(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported the Bill without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Report was adopted.

(4.) Bill read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled "*An Act to make further provision regarding the Family Endowment Fund; to amend the Family Endowment Act, 1927-1931, and certain other Acts in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

18. WAYS AND MEANS (*Finance (Family Endowment Tax) Bill*):—The Order of the Day having been read, Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress.

The Chairman also reported that the Committee had come to a resolution, which was read, as follows:—

(2.) *Resolved*,—That there be charged, levied, paid, and collected from all employers for the use of His Majesty and for the credit of the Family Endowment Fund, under the provisions of the Family Endowment Act, 1927-1932, and the regulations made thereunder, and subject to the exemptions in that Act contained, contributions upon the total amount of wages paid after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, by such employers to their employees during each week at the rate of five pence in each pound of such amount in lieu of the contributions required to be charged, levied, paid, and collected from employers in pursuance of the Family Endowment Act, 1927-1931, and the Finance (Family Endowment Tax) Act, 1931.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Resolution was agreed to.

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19. FINANCE (FAMILY ENDOWMENT TAX) BILL:—

(1.) Ordered, on motion of Mr. Stevens, that a Bill be brought in, founded on Resolution of Ways and Means (No. 2), to declare the rates at which contributions to the Family Endowment Fund are to be made by employers in respect of wages paid after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one; to provide for the payment of certain sums in lieu of contributions by the Crown; and for purposes connected therewith,"—which was read a first time.

(2.) Mr. Stevens then presented a Bill, intituled "*A Bill to declare the rates at which contributions to the Family Endowment Fund are to be made by employers in respect of wages paid after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one; to provide for the payment of certain sums in lieu of contributions by the Crown; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—which was read a first time.

Ordered to be printed, and now read a second time.

(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported the Bill without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Report was adopted.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time.

(4.) Bill read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled "*An Act to declare the rates at which contributions to the Family Endowment Fund are to be made by employers in respect of wages paid after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one; to provide for the payment of certain sums in lieu of contributions by the Crown; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.*

20. SUPPLY (*Supply Bill* (No. 3)):—The Order of the Day having been read, Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

SATURDAY, 25 JUNE, 1932, A.M.

Mr. Deputy-Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Bate, reported progress.

The Temporary Chairman also reported that the Committee had come to a resolution, which was read, as follows:—

(1.) *Resolved*,—That there be granted to His Majesty:—

(a) A sum not exceeding £7,130,000, payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, to defray the expenses of the various Departments and Services for the State during the month of June of the financial year ending 30th June, 1932, and the months of July, August, September, and October or following month of the financial year ending 30th June, 1933, to be expended at the rates which have been sanctioned for the financial year ended 30th June, 1931, subject as to the said months of July, August, September, and October or following month to the rate of any reduction that may hereafter be made in the expenditure of the year 1932-1933.

(b) A sum not exceeding £5,452,000, payable out of the Government Railways Fund to defray the salaries, maintenance, and working expenses and other expenses of the Government Railways during the month of June of the financial year ending 30th June, 1932, and the months of July, August, September, and October or following month of the financial year ending 30th June, 1933, to be expended at the rates which have been sanctioned for the financial year ended 30th June, 1931, subject as to the said months of July, August, September, and October or following month to the rate of any reduction that may hereafter be made in the expenditure of the year 1932-1933.

(c) A sum not exceeding £146,000, payable out of the Road Transport and Traffic Fund to defray the salaries, maintenance, and working expenses and other expenses of the Commissioner of Road Transport during the

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month of June of the financial year ending 30th June, 1932, and the months of July, August, September, and October or following month of the financial year ending 30th June, 1933, to be expended at the rates which have been sanctioned for the financial year ended 30th June, 1931, subject as to the said months of July, August, September and October or following month to the rate of any reduction that may hereafter be made in the expenditure of the year 1932-1933.

- (d) A sum not exceeding £1,172,000, payable out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund to defray the salaries, maintenance, and working expenses and other expenses of the Metropolitan Transport Trust during the month of June of the financial year ending 30th June, 1932, and the months of July, August, September, and October or following month of the financial year ending 30th June, 1933, to be expended at the rates which have been sanctioned for the financial year ended 30th June, 1931, subject as to the said months of July, August, September, and October or following month to the rate of any reduction that may hereafter be made in the expenditure of the year 1932-1933.
- (e) A sum not exceeding £63,000, payable out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund to defray the salaries, maintenance, and working expenses and other expenses of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust during the month of June of the financial year ending 30th June, 1932, and the months of July, August, September and October or following month of the financial year ending 30th June, 1933, to be expended at the rates which have been sanctioned for the financial year ended 30th June, 1931, subject as to the said months of July, August, September, and October or following month to the rate of any reduction that may hereafter be made in the expenditure of the year 1932-1933.
- (f) A sum not exceeding £150,000, payable out of the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund to defray the salaries, maintenance, and working expenses and other expenses of the Sydney Harbour Trust during the month of June of the financial year ending 30th June, 1932, and the months of July, August, September, and October or following month of the financial year ending 30th June, 1933, to be expended at the rates which have been sanctioned for the financial year ended 30th June, 1931, subject as to the said months of July, August, September, and October or following month to the rate of any reduction that may hereafter be made in the expenditure of the year 1932-1933.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Resolution was agreed to.

21. WAYS AND MEANS (*Supply Bill* (No. 3)) :—The Order of the Day having been read, Mr. Deputy-Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress.

The Chairman also reported that the Committee had come to a resolution, which was read, as follows:—

(3.) *Resolved*.—That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty for the Services of the financial years 1931-1932 and 1932-1933, the sum of £14,113,000 be granted, viz.:—£7,130,000 out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, £5,452,000 out of the Government Railways Fund, £146,000 out of the Road Transport and Traffic Fund, £1,172,000 out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund, £63,000 out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund, and £150,000 out of the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Resolution was agreed to.

22. SUPPLY BILL (No. 3) :—

(1.) Ordered, on motion of Mr. Stevens, That a Bill be brought in, founded on Resolution of Ways and Means (No. 3), to apply certain sums out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, the Government Railways Fund, the Road Transport and Traffic Fund, the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund, the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund, and the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund, towards the Services of the Years 1931-1932, and 1932-1933.

(2.) Mr. Stevens then presented a Bill, intituled "*A Bill to apply certain sums out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, the Government Railways Fund, the Road Transport and Traffic Fund, the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund, the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund, and the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund, towards the Services of the Years 1931-1932, and 1932-1933.*"—which was read a first time.

Ordered to be printed, and now read a second time.

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(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported the Bill without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Report was adopted.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time.

(4.) Bill read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled "*An Act to apply certain sums out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, the Government Railways Fund, the Road Transport and Traffic Fund, the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund, the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund, and the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund, towards the Services of the Years 1931-1932, and 1932-1933,*"—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 25th June, 1932, a.m.

23. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:—Mr. Speaker reported the following Messages from the Legislative Council:—

(1.) Public Service Salaries (Amendment) Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled, "*An Act to extend the period during which the Public Service Salaries Act (No. 2), 1931, is to remain in force; for that purpose to amend the said Act; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

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Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

J. B. PEDEN,
President.

(2.) Family Endowment (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled, "*An Act to make further provision regarding the Family Endowment Fund; to amend the Family Endowment Act, 1927-1931, and certain other Acts in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

J. B. PEDEN,
President.

(3.) Finance (Family Endowment Tax) (No. 2) Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled, "*An Act to declare the rates at which contributions to the Family Endowment Fund are to be made by employers in respect of wages paid after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one; to provide for the payment of certain sums in lieu of contributions by the Crown; and for purposes connected therewith,*"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,
Sydney, 24th June, 1932.

J. B. PEDEN,
President.

24. SUPPLY (*Loan Estimates*):—The Order of the Day having been read, Mr. Deputy-Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Deputy-Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary Chairman, Major Jarvie, reported progress.

The Temporary Chairman also reported that the Committee had come to a resolution, which was read, as follows:—

(2.) *Resolved*,—That there be granted to His Majesty for the year 1931-32, to be raised by Loan, a sum not exceeding £2,908,312 for Public Works and other Services.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Resolution was agreed to.

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25. WAYS AND MEANS (*Loan Estimates*):—The Order of the Day having been read, Mr. Deputy-Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Deputy-Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary Chairman, Major Jarvie, reported progress.

The Temporary Chairman also reported that the Committee had come to a resolution, which was read, as follows:—

(4.) *Resolved*,—That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty during the present Session, a sum not exceeding £2,008,312, be raised by the issue of Commonwealth or State Debentures or Stock secured upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund, or, pending the issue of Debentures or stock, by the issue of Treasury Bills, to defray the expenses of certain Public Works and Services.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Resolution was agreed to.

26. LOAN BILL:—

(1.) Ordered, on motion of Mr. Stevens, that a Bill be brought in, founded on Resolution of Ways and Means (No. 4), to authorise the raising of a Loan for Public Works and Services; and for other purposes.

(2.) Mr. Stevens then presented a Bill, intituled "*A Bill to authorise the raising of a Loan for Public Works and Services; and for other purposes*,"—which was read a first time.

Ordered to be printed, and now read a second time.

(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Deputy-Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Deputy-Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary Chairman, Major Jarvie, reported the Bill without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the report was adopted.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time.

(4.) Bill read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled "*An Act to authorise the raising of a Loan for Public Works and Services; and for other purposes*,"—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,

Sydney, 25th June, 1932, a.m.

27. SUPPLY (*Closer Settlement Fund, 1931-32, Estimates*):—The Order of the Day having been read, Mr. Deputy-Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Deputy-Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary-Chairman, Mr. Bate, reported progress.

The Temporary Chairman also reported that the Committee had come to a resolution, which was read, as follows:—

(2.) *Resolved*,—That there be granted to His Majesty, a sum not exceeding £84,562, on account of Services to be provided for out of Closer Settlement Fund.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Resolution was agreed to.

28. WAYS AND MEANS (*Closer Settlement Fund, 1931-32, Estimates*):—The Order of the Day having been read, Mr. Deputy-Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Deputy-Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Bate, reported progress.

The Temporary Chairman also reported that the Committee had come to a resolution, which was read, as follows:—

(5.) *Resolved*,—That, towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty for Services, the sum of £84,562 be granted out of the Closer Settlement Fund.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the Resolution was agreed to.

29. CLOSER SETTLEMENT APPROPRIATION BILL.

(1.) Ordered, on motion of Mr. Stevens, that a Bill be brought in, founded on Resolution of Ways and Means (No. 5), to appropriate and apply certain sums out of the Closer Settlement Fund for the Services of the Year 1931-1932.

(2.) Mr. Stevens then presented a Bill, intituled "*A Bill to appropriate and apply certain sums out of the Closer Settlement Fund for the Services of the Year 1931-1932*,"—which was read a first time.

Ordered to be printed, and now read a second time.

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(3.) Bill read a second time.

Mr. Deputy Speaker left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the Bill.

Mr. Deputy-Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Bate, reported the Bill without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Stevens, the report was adopted.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time.

(4.) Bill read a third time.

Bill sent to the Legislative Council, with the following Message:—

MR. PRESIDENT,—

The Legislative Assembly having this day passed a Bill, intituled "*An Act to appropriate and apply certain sums out of the Closer Settlement Fund for the Services of the Year 1931-1932*,"—presents the same to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,

Sydney, 25th June, 1932, a.m.

30. MESSAGES FROM THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:—Mr. Speaker reported the following Messages from the Legislative Council:—

(1.) Supply Bill (No. 3):—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled, "*An Act to apply certain sums out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, the Government Railways Fund, the Road Transport and Traffic Fund, the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund, the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund, and the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund, towards the Services of the Years 1931-1932, and 1932-1933*,"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,

Sydney, 25th June, 1932, a.m.

J. B. PEDEN,

President.

(2.) Loan Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled, "*An Act to authorise the raising of a Loan for Public Works and Services; and for other purposes*,"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,

Sydney, 25th June, 1932, a.m.

J. B. PEDEN,

President.

(3.) Closer Settlement Appropriation Bill:—

MR. SPEAKER,—

The Legislative Council having this day agreed to the Bill, intituled, "*An Act to appropriate and apply certain sums out of the Closer Settlement Fund for the Services of the Year 1931-1932*,"—returns the same to the Legislative Assembly without amendment.

Legislative Council Chamber,

Sydney, 25th June, 1932, a.m.

J. B. PEDEN,

President.

31. ADJOURNMENT:—Mr. Stevens moved, That this House do now adjourn until Tuesday, 5th July, 1932, at Eleven o'clock, a.m.

Question put and passed.

The House adjourned accordingly, at Eleven minutes after One o'clock, a.m., until Tuesday, 5th July, 1932, at Eleven o'clock, a.m.

W. R. McCOURT,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

DANIEL LEVY,

Speaker.



PROCLAMATION.

NEW SOUTH WALES, } By His Excellency Sir PHILIP WOOLCOTT GAME, Knight Grand Cross of the Most
to wit. } Excellent Order of the British Empire, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable
(L.S.) } Order of the Bath, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, Air Vice-
PHILIP GAME, } Marshal on the Retired List of the Royal Air Force, Governor of the State of
Governor. } New South Wales and its Dependencies, in the Commonwealth of Australia.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the second year of the Reign of His late Majesty, King Edward the Seventh, being "An Act to consolidate the Acts relating to the Constitution," it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor of New South Wales may prorogue the Legislative Council and Assembly thereof from time to time: And whereas it is expedient to prorogue the said Legislative Council and Assembly: Now therefore, I, Sir PHILIP WOOLCOTT GAME, Governor, in pursuance of the power and authority so vested in me, do hereby prorogue the said Legislative Council and Assembly, until the nineteenth day of July next, and the same stand so prorogued accordingly.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Sydney, this fourth day of July in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, and in the twenty-third year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command,

B. S. STEVENS.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

1932.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

BUSINESS UNDISPOSED OF AT THE CLOSE OF
THE SESSION

(PROROGUED 4TH JULY, 1932.)

ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. Supply; resumption of the Committee. [*Mr. Stevens.*]
 2. Ways and Means; resumption of the Committee. [*Mr. Stevens.*]
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1932.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

ATTENDANCES OF MEMBERS IN DIVISIONS AND COUNTS-OUT
DURING THE SESSION OF 1932.

Total number of Divisions in the House, 23; Divisions in Committee, 14; Counts-out, nil.

	Divisions in the House.	Divisions in Committee.	Counts-out.	Total
Ardill, George Edward, Esq. ... ..	...	...	...	...
Baddeley, John Marcus, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Ball, The Hon. Richard Thomas	3	3	...	6
Bate, Henry John, Esq. (<i>Temporary Chairman of Committees</i>)	19	8	...	27
Bavin, The Hon. Thomas Rainsford, K.C., B.A., LL.B.	11	2	...	13
Bennett, The Hon. Walter	11	8	...	19
Booth, George, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Brown, Malcolm, Esq.	20	13	...	33
Bruxner, Lieut.-Colonel the Hon. Michael Frederick, D.S.O. (<i>Deputy-Premier and Minister for Transport</i>)	5	3	...	8
Budd, Arthur Eames, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Burke, Francis Michael, Esq.	22	14	...	36
Buttenshaw, The Hon. Ernest Albert (<i>Secretary for Lands</i>)	18	10	...	28
Cameron, Robert, Esq.	12	7	...	19
Cartter, Harry Charles, Esq.	23	12	...	35
Chaffey, Captain The Hon. Frank Augustus (<i>Colonial Secretary</i>)	14	11	...	25
Clyne, Daniel, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Connell, Major Hugh John, D.S.O., M.C. (<i>Temporary Chairman of Committees</i>)	16	13	...	29
Connolly, Peter, Esq.	10	4	...	14
Davidson, Mark Anthony, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Davies, William, Esq.	10	6	...	16
Drummond, The Hon. David Henry (<i>Minister for Education</i>)	8	6	...	14
Dunningham, The Hon. John Montgomery (<i>Minister for Labour and Industry</i>)	18	13	...	31
Elliott, Hylton Oswald, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Fitzsimons, Herbert Paton, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Fleck, Claude Cropton, Esq., M.B.	22	14	...	36
Foster, William Frederick, Esq. (<i>Temporary Chairman of Committees</i>)... ..	7	4	...	11
Gollan, George Charles, Esq.	22	14	...	36
Hankinson, Robert Henry, Esq.	19	14	...	33
Harper, Horace Edward, Esq.	20	13	...	33
Hedges, William Whaley, Esq. (<i>Temporary Chairman of Committees</i>)	23	11	...	34
Heffron, Robert James, Esq.	22	14	...	36
Henley, Sir Thomas, K.B.E.	1	1	...	2
Henry, Alfred Stephen, Esq.	6	4	...	10
Hocking, Edward John, Esq.	14	13	...	27
Horsington, Edward Matthew, Esq.	21	12	...	33
Howarth, Walter Arthur Harrex, Esq.	7	1	...	8
Jackson, The Hon. Joseph (<i>Minister for Local Government</i>)	5	3	...	8
Jarvis, Major Milton Livingstone Fredericks, M.C. (<i>Temporary Chairman of Committees</i>)	17	5	...	22
Keegan, Thomas Michael, Esq.	20	9	...	29
Kilpatrick, Matthew, Esq.	21	12	...	33
Knight, Hamilton, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Lang, John Thomas, Esq.	20	12	...	32
Lawson, Joseph Alexander, Esq.	15	14	...	29
Lazarini, Carlo Camillo, Esq.	17	11	...	28
Lee, The Hon. John Robert	10	8	...	18
Levy, The Hon. Sir Daniel, Knt., B.A., LL.B. (<i>Speaker</i>) ... ..	...	...	...	...
Lloyd, Brig.-Gen. Herbert William, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.	11	1	...	12
Lloyd, Stanley Allan, Esq., A.F.I.A.	23	14	...	37

	Divisions in the House.	Divisions in Committee.	Counts-out.	Total.
Loughlin, Peter Ffrench, Esq.	15	10	...	25
Lysaght, Andrew Augustus, Esq.	2	3	...	5
McGirr, James, Esq.	22	14	...	36
McKell, William John, Esq.	17	14	...	31
Main, The Hon. Hugh (<i>Minister for Agriculture</i>)	12	8	...	20
Mair, Alexander, Esq.	15	10	...	25
Martin, The Hon. Lewis Ormsby, B.A., LL.B. (<i>Minister of Justice</i>)	13	11	...	24
Missingham, William Thomas, Esq. (<i>Chairman of Committees</i>)	9	...	...	9
Monro, Cecil Owen James, Esq.	10	5	...	15
Morton, Mark Fairles, Esq.	10	3	...	13
Moverly, Arthur Henry, Esq.	8	7	...	15
Ness, John Thomas, Esq.	7	11	...	18
O'Sullivan, Maurice, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Olde, Bernard Clarence, Esq.	19	14	...	33
Primrose, Hubert Leslie, Esq.	15	11	...	26
Quirk, John, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Reid, Major Albert David, M.C.	1	...	...	1
Reid, Alfred Albert Edward Ernest Vassa, Esq.	20	14	...	34
Reid, John Thomas, Esq.	15	14	...	32
Ross, James Clyde, Esq.	19	13	...	32
Ross, William Forrest Maxwell, Esq.	16	14	...	30
Sanders, Edward Lloyd, Esq.	16	14	...	30
Shand, Major James Barclay, V.D.	23	14	...	37
Shannon, Thomas John, Esq.	22	14	...	33
Sinclair, Colin Archibald, Esq., B.A., LL.B.	23	14	...	37
Solomon, Eric Saxby, Esq.	20	13	...	33
Spooner, The Hon. Eric Sydney (<i>Honorary Minister</i>)	15	11	...	26
Spring, David Hugh, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Stanley, Fred, Esq.	23	14	...	37
Stevens, The Hon. Bertram Sydney Barnsdalc (<i>Premier and Colonial Treasurer</i>)	9	5	...	14
Stuart-Robertson, Robert James, Esq. ... ..	...	...	...	...
Thomas, Norman, Esq.	19	10	...	29
Tonking, Alwyn Uren, Esq.	14	8	...	22
Vincent, The Hon. Roy Stanley (<i>Minister for Mines and Forests</i>)	11	4	...	15
Waddell, John William, Esq.	14	12	...	26
Wade, Benjamin Martin, Esq.	21	14	...	35
Walker, Ronald Bruce, Esq.	6	9	...	15
Weaver, The Hon. Reginald Walter Darcy (<i>Secretary for Public Works and Minister for Health</i>)	10	9	...	19
Webb, James Eli, Esq., B.A., M.B., Ch.M.	14	4	...	18
Wilkins, Gordon, Esq.	20	14	...	34
Wilson, George Alan Lachlan, Esq.	21	13	...	34
Yeo, Alfred William, Esq.	13	7	...	20

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1932.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

BUSINESS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NEW SOUTH WALES
DURING THE SESSION OF 1932.

1. New Writs issued ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Select Committees :—										
On Public Matters ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
On Private Matters ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
On Private Bills ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
On Public Bill ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Standing Committees ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Public Bills :—										
Originated in the Assembly—										
Received the Royal Assent ... ..	...	...	...	...	11					
Otherwise disposed of ... ..	...	...	...	...	1					
					—					12
Brought from the Council—										
Received the Royal Assent ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Otherwise disposed of ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
5. Private Bills :—										
Originated in the Assembly—										
Received the Royal Assent ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Otherwise disposed of ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Brought from the Council—										
Received the Royal Assent ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Otherwise disposed of ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
6. Petitions received :—										
Printed ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Not Printed ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
7. Divisions :—										
In the House ... ..	...	...	...	...	23					
In Committee of the Whole ... ..	...	...	...	...	14					
					—					37
8. Sittings (for details see paragraph 15, page 2) :—										
Days of Meeting ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					2
Hours of Sitting ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					28 hrs. 31 mins.
Hours of Sitting after Midnight ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					4 hrs. 1 min.
Daily Average ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					14 hrs. 15 mins.
Adjourned for want of a Quorum—										
Before commencement of Business ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
After commencement of Business ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
9. Votes and Proceedings :—										
Entries in Votes and Proceedings—										
Of Business done ... ..	...	...	...	...	52					
Daily Average ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					26
Entries in Question Paper—										
Of Questions ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Of Questions answered ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Daily Average ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Entries in Notice Paper—										
Of Notices of Motions ... ..	...	...	...	...	7					
Of Orders of the Day ... ..	...	...	...	...	2					
Daily Average ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					9
Daily Average ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					4
10. Contingent Notice Papers ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					...
11. Orders for Papers ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					...
12. Addresses for Papers ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					...
13. Other Addresses ... ..	...	...	...	...	...					...
14. Papers laid upon the Table :—										
By Message ... ..	...	...	...	...	2					
By Command ... ..	...	...	...	...	31					
In Returns to Orders ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
In Returns to Addresses ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Reports from Standing Committees ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Reports from Select Committees ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Other Papers ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Ordered to be Printed ... ..	...	...	...	...	9					33
Not ordered to be Printed ... ..	...	...	...	...	24					
					—					33

15. **Sittings of the House :—**

Return of the number of days on which the House sat in the Session of 1932, stating, for each day, the date of the month and the day of the week, the hour of the meeting and the hour of adjournment, and the total number of hours occupied in the sittings of the House and the average time ; and showing the total number of hours on which the House sat each day, and the number of hours after midnight, and the number of entries in each day's Votes and Proceedings :—

No.	Date.	Day.	House Met.	House Adjourned.	Hours of Sitting.	Hours after Midnight.	Entries in Votes
1	1932. 23 June	Thursday ...	12 noon	2.51 a.m.....	h. m. 14 51	h. m. 2 51	21
2	24 „	Friday	11.30 a.m. ...	1.10 a.m.....	13 40	1 10	31
					28 31	4 1	52

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No. 1.

No. 1.—REGISTER OF PUBLIC BILLS ORIGINATED IN THE ASSEMBLY DURING THE SESSION OF 1932.

Short Titles.	By whom initiated.	Message from Governor, recommending provision for.	Ordered.	Presented and read 1 ^o .	Proceeded with under Standing Order.	Read 2 ^o and Committed.	Recommitted.	Reported.	Report adopted.	Read 3 ^o , passed, and sent to Council for concurrence.	Agreed to by Council without Amendment.	Agreed to by Council with Amendment.	Council's Amendments agreed to.	Council's Amendments disagreed to.	Order of the Day discharged, and Bill withdrawn.	Bill dropped or laid aside.	Assent reported.	No. of Act.	Remarks.
Closer Settlement Appropriation	Mr. Stevens	1932. 24 June a.m. 24 June	1932. 25 June a.m.	1932. 25 June a.m.	.....	1932. 25 June a.m.	.....	1932. 25 June a.m.	1932. 25 June a.m.	1932. 25 June a.m.	1932. 25 June a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	18	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means, 25 June, 1932 (a.m.).
Family Endowment (Amendment) ...	Mr. Stevens	24 June a.m.	24 June	24 June	.....	24 June	.....	24 June	24 June	24 June	25 June a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	9	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932.
Finance (Family Endowment Tax) ...	Mr. Stevens	24 June a.m.	24 June	24 June	.....	24 June	.....	24 June	24 June	24 June	25 June a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	10	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means, 24 June, 1932.
Industrial Arbitration (Eight Hours) Amendment.	Mr. Dunningham	24 June a.m.	24 June	24 June	.....	24 June	.....	24 June	24 June	24 June	24 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	17	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932.
Law of Evidence	Mr. Stevens .....	.....	.....	24 June a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	<i>Pro forma</i> Bill.
Loan	Mr. Stevens	24 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	.....	25 June a.m.	.....	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	12	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means, 25 June, 1932 (a.m.).
Nurses' Registration (Amendment) ...	Mr. Weaver	24 June a.m.	24 June	24 June	.....	24 June	.....	24 June	24 June	24 June	24 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	19	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932.
Prevention and Relief of Unemployment (Further Amendment).	Mr. Spooner ...	24 June a.m.	24 June	24 June	.....	24 June	.....	24 June	24 June	24 June	24 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	15	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932.
Public Health (Inspectors' Salaries) ...	Mr. Weaver	24 June a.m.	24 June	24 June	.....	24 June	.....	24 June	24 June	24 June	24 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	13	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932.
Public Service Salaries (Amendment)	Mr. Stevens ...	24 June a.m.	24 June	24 June	.....	24 June	.....	24 June	24 June	24 June	25 June a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	14	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932.
Supply (No. 3)	Mr. Stevens	24 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	.....	25 June a.m.	.....	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	25 June a.m.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	11	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932.
Unemployment Relief Tax	Mr. Spooner ...	24 June a.m.	24 June	24 June	.....	24 June	.....	24 June	24 June	24 June	24 June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*	16	Standing Orders suspended, to bring in and pass through all stages in one day, 24 June, 1932. Founded on Resolution of Ways and Means, 25 June, 1932 (a.m.).

* Assent not reported during Session.

REGAPITULATION.

Number of Public Bills originated in LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY shown on Register No. 1	12
Passed and assented to	11
<i>Pro forma</i> Bill	1
	12