

# Sessional Papers

1917.

(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 16 AUGUST, 1917.

No. 1.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND GAS EMERGENCY BILL.

(Resolution.)

Mr. Beeby moved, That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to provide for the control of the supply, consumption, and use of electricity and gas ; to suspend the operation of certain provisions of the Municipal Council of Sydney Electric Lighting Act, the Gas Act, 1912, and the Local Government Act, 1906 ; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto.

Question put,—That the resolution be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,*	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Buttenshaw,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Buckley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had come to a Resolution.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

Clause 1. This Act may be cited as the "Electric Lighting and Gas Emergency Act, 1916 Short title. 1917." [Read.]

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

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Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Lee,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Bushell,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Tom Smith.

Agreed to.

No. 3.

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

*Electric Light.*

Definitions

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. James,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gregory McGirr,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. John Storey.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Wright.

Agreed to.

And Clause 3 having been dealt with,—

No. 4.

SAME BILL.

Power of council  
to refuse to  
supply  
electricity.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. James,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Lee,	Colonel Onslow.
Mr. Ley,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Gregory McGirr.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Agreed to.

And

And the remaining clauses, and two new clauses, having been dealt with,—

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

FRIDAY, 17 AUGUST, 1917, A.M.

No. 5.

COAL MINES REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.

(Resolution.)

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to amend the Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1912.

Question proposed,—That the resolution be agreed to.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Lee,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Wright.	

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

Agreed to.

No. 6.

SAME BILL.

Same Resolution.

Question put,—That the resolution be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 39.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Levy,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. James,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Buckley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. McKell.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Thomas,	

Agreed to.

No. 7.

SAME BILL.

Same Resolution.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved,—That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report that the Committee has come to a resolution.

Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. James,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. John Storey.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,	
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	

*Agreed to.*

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

No. 8.

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

Short title.

Clause 1. This Act may be cited as the "Coal Mines Regulation (Amendment) Act, 1917."  
[Read.]

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

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Graff.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,	
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Kearsley.
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 9.

SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Abbott,
Mr. Lec,	Mr. Manning.
Mr. Levy,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Gregory McGirr.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 10.

No. 10.

## COAL MINES REGULATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 2. Section fifty-four of the Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1912, is amended by inserting at the commencement of rule forty, and before the words "No person," the words "Except by the consent of the Minister." [Read.]

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

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Zuill.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 11.

## SAME BILL.

*Same Clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Bavin.

Noes, 24.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. McKell.
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 12.

## SAME BILL.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

Question put.

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Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. James,	

Noes, 24

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Bushell,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. O'Brien.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith	

*Agreed to.*

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.

1917.

(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 2.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 23 AUGUST, 1917.

No. 1.

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

Question again proposed (*on motion of Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick*), That the Committee agrees to the following Resolution:—

That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty for the Service of the year 1917-18, there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund the sum of £400, for Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council for the year 1917-18.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight.

FRIDAY, 24 AUGUST, 1917, A.M.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Harry Merton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Ouslow,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. James,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright.	

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

*Agreed to.*

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No. 2.

No 2.

WAYS AND MEANS—FINANCIAL STATEMENT (*continued*).*Same Resolution.*

Question put,—That the Resolution be agreed to.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. James,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Robson.

*Agreed to.*

Noes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright.	

No 3.

WAYS AND MEANS—FINANCIAL STATEMENT (*continued*).

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress, and ask leave to sit again, also that the Committee has come to a Resolution.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Bruntnell.
Mr. Ley,	

*Agreed to.*

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

Noes, 20.

Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 3.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 29 AUGUST, 1917.

SUPPLY.—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

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

No. 1.

EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE.

Legislative Council.

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,940 for Legislative Council for the year 1917-18.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

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|---------------------------|------------------------|
| Dr. Arthur,               | Mr. W. Millard,        |
| Mr. Ball,                 | Mr. Harry Morton,      |
| Mr. Bavin,                | Mr. Mark F. Morton,    |
| Mr. Beeby,                | Mr. Nosbitt,           |
| Mr. Bennett,              | Lieut. Col. Nicholson, |
| Mr. Briner,               | Mr. Oakes,             |
| Mr. Bruntnell,            | Colonel Onslow,        |
| Mr. Buttenshaw,           | Mr. Perry,             |
| Mr. Cocks,                | Mr. Price,             |
| Mr. Colquhoun,            | Mr. Robson,            |
| Mr. Crane,                | Mr. David Storey,      |
| Mr. Fallick,              | Mr. Thomas,            |
| Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, | Mr. Walker,            |
| Mr. Fuller,               | Mr. Wearne.            |
| Mr. Hoskins,              |                        |
| Mr. Lane,                 | <i>Tellers,</i>        |
| Mr. Latimer,              | Mr. Graff,             |
| Mr. Lee,                  | Mr. Grimm.             |
| Mr. McGarry,              |                        |

Noes, 22.

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| Mr. Brookfield,     | Mr. Stuart-Robertson. |
| Mr. Michael Burke,  | <i>Tellers,</i>       |
| Mr. Bushell,        |                       |
| Mr. William Davies, | Mr. Cochran,          |
| Mr. Doyle,          | Mr. Gardiner.         |
| Mr. Estell,         |                       |
| Mr. Simon Hickey,   |                       |
| Mr. Johnston,       |                       |
| Mr. Kearsley,       |                       |
| Mr. Keegan,         |                       |
| Mr. Lazzarini,      |                       |
| Mr. Loughlin,       |                       |
| Mr. Gregory McGirr, |                       |
| Mr. McKell,         |                       |
| Mr. Mutch,          |                       |
| Mr. O'Brien,        |                       |
| Mr. Quirk,          |                       |
| Mr. Tom Smith,      |                       |
| Mr. John Storey,    |                       |

Agreed to.

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

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No. 2.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

## PREMIER.

The Estimates for Premier's Department and Executive Council having been dealt with,—  
*Agent-General for New South Wales.*

Question proposed, —That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £13,844 for Agent-General for New South Wales for the year 1917-18.

Motion made (*Mr. Stuart-Robertson*),—That the item, "To meet expenses of Official Luncheons to Distinguished Visitors from New South Wales, &c., £100," be omitted.

Question put.

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 22.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell.	
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	

## Noes, 33.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Hunt,	

*Omission of item negatived.*

No. 3.

## PREMIER (continued).

*Agent-General for New South Wales (continued).*

Motion made (*Mr. Stuart-Robertson*),—That the item, "Allowance to Agent-General, £500," be omitted.

Question put.

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 22.

Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. William Davies,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Bushell.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	

## Noes, 34.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Buttenshaw.

*Omission of item negatived.*

*Vote—Agent-General for New South Wales—agreed to.*

The Votes for State War Council and Immigration and Tourist Bureau, and Immigration Department of New South Wales and Victoria (London), having been dealt with,—

No. 4.

## PREMIER (continued).

*Miscellaneous Services.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £26,802 for Miscellaneous Services for the year 1917-18.

Motion made (*Mr. Stuart-Robertson*),—That the item, "Sydney Ferrics, Limited—Expenses of Royal Commission *re*, £1,000," be omitted.

And

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 30 AUGUST, 1917, A.M.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Doyle,	Colonel Onslow.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	

Omission of item negatived.

Noes, 33.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

No 5.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

PREMIER (continued).

Miscellaneous Services (continued).

Motion made (Mr. Stuart-Robertson),—That the item, "To meet expenses of Official Visit of Premier to England, &c., £1,500," be omitted.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. O'Brien.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Omission of item negatived.

Vote—Miscellaneous Services—agreed to.

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

Noes, 34.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. James,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hunt,	

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.



1917.  
(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 4.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 5 SEPTEMBER, 1917.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE.

The Votes for Resumed Properties, Sydney Harbour Trust, Stores Supply, Department, Miscellaneous Services, Advance to Treasurer, and Public Works Fund having been dealt with,—

No. 1.

RAILWAYS.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty, a sum not exceeding £8,455,007, for Railways and Tramways—Existing Lines—Working Expenses, for the year 1917-18.

The Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 6 SEPTEMBER, 1917, A.M.

There not being a Quorum present in the Committee,—

The Temporary Chairman, Mr. Colquhoun, left the Chair to report accordingly.

A Quorum having been formed,—

The Committee resumed:

Question again proposed.

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

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Ball,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Ley,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. P. M. McGirr.

Agreed to.

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No. 2.

## No. 2.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

## RAILWAYS—(continued).

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Honorable Member for Camperdown, Mr. Stuart-Robertson, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Buttenshaw,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Ley,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Doyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	

## No. 3.

## RAILWAYS—(continued).

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

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Hunt,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 18.

Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Doyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	

## No. 4.

## RAILWAYS—(continued).

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

The Point of Order is,—That the Honorable Member for Cessnock was discussing the operation of the Arbitration Act in relation to the strike,—

The Temporary Chairman, Mr. Colquhoun, ruled that the Honorable Member was not entitled to discuss matters relating to the strike, although he was entitled to discuss acts of administration of the Department leading up to the strike.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 17.

Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Wright.

Negatived.

Noes, 29.

Mr. Ball,	Lieut.-Colonel Nicholson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Ley,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	

No. 5.

No. 5.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

## RAILWAYS—(continued).

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

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. James,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright,	

Agreed to.

No. 6.

## RAILWAYS—(continued).

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Ball,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Ley.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Michael Burke,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright,	
<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	

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

Agreed to.

No. 7.

## RAILWAYS—(continued).

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £8,455,007 for Railways and Tramways—Existing Lines—Working Expenses for the year 1917-18.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bennett,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Ley,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Michael Burke,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright,	
<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	

Agreed to.

No. 8.

No. 8.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE.

*Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £47,008 for Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice for the year 1917-18.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved, That the Honorable Member for Camperdown, Mr. Stuart-Robertson, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Dr. Arthur,	Licut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Ley,	
Mr. W. Millard,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gregory McGirr,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Kearsley.

*Agreed to.*

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midday,—

-THURSDAY, 6 SEPTEMBER, 1917.

No. 9.

*Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice—(continued).*

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Honorable Member for Annandale, Mr. O'Brien, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 10.

*Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice—(continued).*

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Buttenshaw,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 11.

No. 11.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE 1917-18.

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued.)

*Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice—(continued).*

Question put,—That the Vote "Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice, £47,008," be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Doyle.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 12.

*Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice—(continued)**Court Reporters.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £8,475, for Court Reporters for the year 1917-18.

Motion made (*Mr. Wright*),—That the Vote "£8,475" be reduced by £75.

Mr. D. R. Hall moved, That the Honorable Member for Willyama, Mr. Wright, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Hoskins,	Colonel Onslow.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. W. Millard,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Brookfield,	
Mr. Michael Burke,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright.	
<i>Tellers,</i>	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Kearsley.	

*Agreed to.*

No. 13.

*Court Reporters—(continued).*

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. O'Brien.
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright.	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 14.

No. 14.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued).

*Court Reporters*—(continued).

Question put,—That the Vote, “£8,475,” be reduced by £75.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. F. M. Burke,	
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright,	

*Reduction of Vote negatived.*

Noes, 33.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntuell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Buttenshaw,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Lane,	

No. 15.

*Court Reporters*—(continued).

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

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntuell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Zuill.

*Agreed to.*

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Bourke,	
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Gregory McGirr,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. McKell.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

No. 16.

*Court Reporters*—(continued).

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntuell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Hoskins,	Colonel Onslow.

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 17.

No. 17.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued).

*Court Reporters*—(continued).

Question put,—That the Vote, "Court Reporters, £8,475," be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Mark F. Morton.
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. William Davies,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Johnston.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 18.

*The Judges.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £16,061 for the Judges for the year 1917-18.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Buttenshaw,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Thomas.
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Simon Hickey.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 19.

*The Judges*—(continued).

Question put,—That the Vote, "The Judges, £16,061," be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 20:

No. 20.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued).

*Prothonotary and Registrar in Divorce.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £5,433 for Prothonotary and Registrar in Divorce for the year 1917-18.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.		Noes, 21.	
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,	Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,	Mr. Dooley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,	Mr. Estell,	Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Michael Burke.
Mr. Bruntnell,	Colonel Onslow,	Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Perry,	Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,	Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Grimm,	Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Walker.	Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Latimer,		Mr. John Storey,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 21.

*Prothonotary and Registrar in Divorce—(continued).*

Question put,—That Vote, “Prothonotary and Registrar in Divorce, £5,433,” be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.		Noes, 23.	
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,	Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,	Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,	Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,	Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,	Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver.	Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. Hunt,	Colonel Onslow,	Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Latimer,		Mr. O'Brien,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 22.

*Master in Equity.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,649 for Master in Equity for the year 1917-18.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.		Noes, 23.	
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,	Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,	Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,	Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Dooley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow,	Mr. Estell,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,	Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,	Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,	Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Grahamc,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Robson,	Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Wearne.	Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Lane,		Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Latimer,		Mr. Osborne,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 23.

No. 23.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued).

*Master in Equity*—(continued).

Question put,—That the Vote, "Master in Equity, £3,649," be agreed to."

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearue,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Cocks,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Latimer.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Dooley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Simon Hickey.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 24.

*Registrar in Bankruptcy.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £2,709 for Registrar in Bankruptcy for the year 1917-18.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Lane.

Noes, 22.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Bourke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Dooley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. O'Brien.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 25.

*Registrar in Bankruptcy*—(continued).

Question put,—That the Vote, "Registrar in Bankruptcy, £2,709," be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 26.

No. 26.

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued).

*Public Trustee.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £11,996 for Public Trustee for the year 1917-18.

Motion made (*Mr. Stuart-Robertson*),—That the Vote £11,996 be reduced by £146.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntrell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Buttershaw,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Grimm,	Colonel Onslow.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gregory McGirr,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Brookfield
Mr. McKell.

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 27.

*Public Trustee—(continued).*

Question put,—That the Vote, “Public Trustee, £11,996,” be reduced by £146.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. F. M. Burke.
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Gregory McGirr.

Noes, 35.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntrell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Pagnall,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Hunt,	

*Reduction of Vote negatived.*

No. 28.

*Public Trustee—(continued).*

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntrell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Nesbitt.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. McKell.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright.	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 29.

No. 29.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued).

*Public Trustee*—(continued).Question put,—That the Vote, "Public Trustee, £11,996," be agreed to.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bennett,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Crane,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. William Davics,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gregory McGirr,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Mutch.

*Agreed to.*

No. 30.

*Probate Office.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £2,577 for Probate Office, for the year 1917-18.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Bruntnell.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. William Davics,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gregory McGirr,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Osborne.

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 31.

*Probate Office*—(continued).

Question put,—That the Vote, "Probate Office, £2,577," be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. William Davics,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Tom Smith.

*Agreed to.*

The Vote for Sheriff having been agreed to,—

No. 32.

No. 32.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued).

*District Courts.*

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,315 for Sheriff for the year 1917-18.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Dooley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Kearsloy,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	

*Agreed to.*

The Vote for Fair Rents Court having been agreed to,—

No. 33.

*Coroners.*

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,770 for Coroners for the year 1917-18.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Bennett,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Bruntnell.
Mr. W. Millard,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. O'Brien,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 34.

*Petty Sessions.*

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £104,001 for Petty Sessions for the year 1917-18.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Price.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 35.

No. 35.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18:

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND OF JUSTICE—(continued).

*Prisons.*

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £92,356 for Prisons for the year 1917-18

The Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Bagnall,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Harry Morton,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	
Mr. Oakes,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. McKell.

*Agreed to.*

The Votes for Registrar-General and Public Service Board having been dealt with,—

No. 36.

*Miscellaneous Services.*

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £15,415 for Miscellaneous Services for the year 1917-18.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Crane,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Price,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Buttenshaw,
Mr. James,	Mr. Thomas.
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Kearsley.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright.	

*Agreed to.*

The Estimate under the Head of "Secretary for Lands" having been dealt with,—

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

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.

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No. 5.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

TUESDAY, 11 SEPTEMBER, 1917.

SUPPLY—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

The Vote for Agriculture having been dealt with,—

No. 1.—*Stock, Brands, and Pastures Protection.*

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £46,926 for Stock, Brands, and Pastures Protection, for the year 1917-18.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Ouslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Ley,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. W. Millard,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Gregory McGirr,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. McKell.

*Agreed to.*

The Votes for Botanic Gardens, Nursery Garden, Campbelltown, Garden Palace Grounds and Inner Domain, Government Domain (Outer), Centennial Park, and State Governor's Residence, "Hillview," having been dealt with,—

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No. 2.

No. 2.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

*Commercial Agents.*

Question put,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £3,534 for Commercial Agents, for the year 1917-18.

The Committee divided.

## Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bavin,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Lane,	Colonel Onslow.
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. W. Millard,	

## Noes, 17.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gregory McGirr,
Mr. Quirk.

*Agreed to.*

The Votes for Miscellaneous Services (Agriculture), Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission, and Miscellaneous Services, having been dealt with,—

The Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

WEDNESDAY, 12 SEPTEMBER, 1917, A.M.

The Estimate under the Head of "Minister for Public Works" having been dealt with,—

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

WEDNESDAY, 12 SEPTEMBER, 1917.

No. 3.

## FINANCE TAXATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.

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

*Stamp Duty on Betting Tickets.*

Clause 4. Section 13 of the same Act is amended—

- (a) by omitting the words "one penny" "and one half-penny," where they occur in that section, and substituting therefor the words "twopence" and "one penny" respectively; and
- (b) by omitting, at the end of the section, the words, "This section shall be in force for two years from the commencement of this Act, and no longer." [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Osborne*), to leave out from line 3 the words "and one half-penny,"—

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

Committee divided.

## Ayes, 29.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Edden,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Lane,	

## Noes, 14.

Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Gregory McGirr,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Quirk.

*Words stand.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

No. 4.

No. 4.

## NAVIGATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.

Clause 1 having been agreed to,—

Clause 2. Section fifty-nine of the Navigation Act, 1901, is repealed and the following section <sup>Repeal of s. 59.</sup> substituted therefor :—

59. (1) There shall be paid upon "every" ship, not hereinafter in this Act <sup>Pilotage rates.</sup> exempted, on her arrival at and on her departure from any port within the jurisdiction where there is a pilot establishment, pilotage rates as follows calculated on the net register tonnage :—

(a) Upon every ship on her arrival at and on her departure from any such port in ballast the sum of one penny farthing per ton.

(b) Upon every ship on her arrival at any such port solely for the purpose of refitting or docking the sum of one penny farthing per ton, and on her departure from the port after such refitting or docking the sum of one penny farthing per ton: Provided that should the ship discharge or load any cargo or land or take on board any passengers in the port for the purpose of or incidental to earning freight or passage money, pilotage rates upon such ship shall be twopence halfpenny per ton on her arrival at and on her departure from such port.

(c) Upon every ship not being a ship of war, resorting to any such port solely for or on account of one or more of the following purposes or causes, namely, pleasure, or calling for orders, or effecting repairs, or obtaining provisions or coal to be used in the ship on her voyage or through stress of weather or being otherwise in distress, the sum of one penny farthing per ton on her arrival at and on her departure from any such port: Provided that should the ship discharge or load any cargo, or land or take on board any passengers in the port for the purpose of or incidental to earning freight or passage money, pilotage rates upon such ship shall be twopence halfpenny per ton on her arrival at and on her departure from such port; and

(d) Upon every ship on her arrival at and on her departure from any such port under circumstances other than those hereinbefore set forth, the sum of twopence halfpenny per ton.

(2) The pilotage rates payable upon every ship on her arrival at or her departure <sup>Minimum pilotage rates.</sup> from the port of Sydney or the port of Newcastle shall not be less than three pounds, and on her arrival at or departure from any other port shall not be less than one pound ten shillings.

(3) No such rates on the arrival at or departure from any port of any ship shall <sup>Maximum rates.</sup> exceed twenty-five pounds in each instance. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Zuill*), to insert in line 3, after the word "every," the word "oversea."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. F. M. Burke,  
Mr. Michael Burke,  
Mr. Cochran,  
Mr. Edden,  
Mr. Estell,  
Mr. Kearsley,  
Mr. Lang,  
Mr. Gregory McGirr,  
Mr. P. M. McGirr,  
Mr. Mark F. Morton,  
Mr. O'Brien,  
Mr. Quirk,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Stuart-Robertson.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Doyle,  
Mr. Zuill.

Noes, 30.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	

*Insertion of proposed word negatived.*

*Clauses, as read, agreed to.*

And clause 3 having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Bill, without amendment, to the House.

THURSDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER, 1917.

No. 5.

## SUPPLY—ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18—(continued).

## PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £1,801,573, for Public Instruction for the year 1917-18.

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved,—That the Honorable Member for Newcastle, Mr. Gardiner, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Manning,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bavin,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Ley,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Teller</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Kearsley.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

*Agreed to*

No. 6.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION—(continued)—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 14 SEPTEMBER, 1917, A.M.

Mr. David Storey moved,—That the Question be now put.

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

Question put.—That the Vote “Public Instruction, £1,801,573,” be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Ley,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bennett,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Crane,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Lee,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

*Agreed to.*

The Votes for State Children Relief Department, Industrial Schools, Observatory, Australian Museum, National Art Gallery, and Public Library of New South Wales, having been dealt with,—

No. 7.

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION—(continued)—

*Conservatorium of Music.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £11,443 for Conservatorium of Music for the year 1917-18.

Motion made (Mr. Johnston),—That the Vote, £11,443, be reduced by £2,250.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 15.

Mr. Briner,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Gardiner,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright,
Mr. Zuill.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Walker.

Noes, 30.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Ley,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Beeby,	Lieut.-Colonel Nicholson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Buttenshaw.
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	

*Reduction of Vote negatived.*

*Vote agreed to.*

The Votes for Grants in aid of Public Institutions and Miscellaneous Services having been dealt with,—

No. 8.

No. 8.

## ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

## DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR AND INDUSTRY:—

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £44,533 for the Department of Labour and Industry for the year 1917-18.

Mr. M. Abbott moved,—That the Question be now put.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Lane,	Colonel Onslow.

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. M'Kell.
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 9.

## DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR AND INDUSTRY—(continued).

Question put,—That the Estimate “Department of Labour and Industry, £44,533,” be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Manning,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Beeby,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. James,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Buttenshaw,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Crane.
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Ley,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

*Agreed to.*

The Estimate under the Head of “Secretary for Mines” having been dealt with,—

No. 10.

## MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

*Local Government.*

Question proposed,—That there be granted to His Majesty a sum not exceeding £345,584 for Local Government, for the year 1917-18.

Motion made (*Mr. Perry*),—That the item, “Under Secretary, £1000,” be reduced by £200.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Johnston.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Perry,	

Noes, 24.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Crane,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Manning.
Mr. James,	

*Reduction of item negatived.*

*Vote agreed to.*

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The Votes for Valuation Bureau, Inventions Investigation Board, and Miscellaneous Services, and the Estimate under the Head of "Advance to Treasurer," "Unauthorised in Suspense," and "Public Works Fund" having been dealt with,—

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

*FRIDAY, 14 SEPTEMBER, 1917.*

The Estimate under the Head of "Closer Settlement" having been agreed to,—

On motion of Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, Mr. Osborne, Temporary Chairman, left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again; also that the Committee had come to certain resolutions.

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.

[*Id.*]

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 6.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 20 SEPTEMBER, 1917.

No. 1.

## CROWN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL.

*(Resolution.)*

Mr. Ashford moved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to provide for the conversion of certain tenures under the Acts relating to Crown lands; to modify the conditions attaching to certain holdings; to amend the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913, and the Acts amending it; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto.

Question put,—That the resolution be agreed to.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Manning,	

Noes, 15.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Busbell,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Quirk.

*Agreed to.*

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

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.



1917.

(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 7.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 10 OCTOBER, 1917.

No. 1.

CROWN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL (*Further considered*).

Clauses 2 and 3 having been dealt with,—

Clause 4—The Chairman said that the Committee could deal with the Sections in the clause.

Section ninety-one, subsection (c): The words "until the issue of the grant" are omitted and the words "for a period of ten five years" are inserted in lieu thereof.

Motion made (*Mr. Loughlin*) to leave out the word "ten" and insert the word "five," instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 19.

Mr. Buckley,  
Mr. F. M. Burke,  
Mr. Michael Burke,  
Mr. Cochran,  
Mr. William Davies,  
Mr. Dooley,  
Mr. Doyle,  
Mr. Simon Hickey,  
Mr. Kearsley,  
Mr. Keegan,  
Mr. Lang,  
Mr. Lazzarini,  
Mr. Gus. Miller,  
Mr. Mutch,  
Mr. John Storey,  
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,  
Mr. Wright.

*Tellers,*

Mr. Brookfield,  
Mr. Quirk.

Noes, 41.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Loughlin,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bushell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Lane,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Ley,	

*Word left out.*

The blank having been filled by the insertion of the word "five,"—

And Section 153 being under consideration,—

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

THURSDAY, 11 OCTOBER, 1917.

No. 2.

CROWN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL (*Further considered*).

Section 153 having been dealt with,—

Section 153.

Section one hundred and eighty-three—

“The words ‘or homestead farms’ are added to the short heading.”

Motion made (*Mr. Osborne*), to leave out the words “The words ‘or homestead farms’ are added  
“to the short heading.”

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 40.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bavin,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bennett,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. James,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Ley,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Buckley,
Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,
Mr. McKell.

*Words stand.*

No. 3.

CROWN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*continued*).

Section one hundred and eighty-three—

After subsection five the following new subsection is inserted:—

Sec. 153.  
New subsec.  
(5A).

(5A) Upon conversion of a homestead farm into a conditional purchase lease or into a conditional purchase with or without a conditional lease, the capital value of the conditional purchase lease for the first fifteen year period thereof, or the price of the conditional purchase, or the price at which land comprised in the conditional lease shall be convertible into an additional conditional purchase, shall be the capital value as at the date of the application for conversion. Such capital value shall be determined by the local land board, and in determining such value the local land board shall exclude the value of any improvements owned by the applicant for conversion, and any added value given to the land by reason of any improvements made thereon during the currency of the homestead farm, but otherwise the capital value shall be determined on the same basis as that provided for fixing the capital value of the homestead farm in the first instance.

Motion made (*Mr. Manning*) to leave out all the words after “capital value” to the end of the subsection and insert the words “upon which the rent of the homestead farm was payable  
“at the date of the application for such conversion,” instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mutch,	

Noes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. James,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Lane,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Manning.
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	

*Words left out.*

The

The Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 12 OCTOBER, 1917, A.M.

No. 4.

CROWN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. James,	Mr. Zuill,
Mr. Lane,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Ley.
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. William Davies.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	

Words inserted.

No. 5.

CROWN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Section one hundred and ninety-three, subsection "one"—

Motion made (*Mr. M. Abbott*) to insert after the word "one" (second occurring), the words Section 193 (1).

"After the words 'homestead lease' (second occurring), the words 'or lease under the

"'Prickly-pear, Destruction Act, 1901,' be inserted."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Ball,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Beeby,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Manning.
Mr. Ley,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. McGarry,	
Mr. W. Millard,	

Noes, 19.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Buckley,
Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Bushell,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Quirk.

Words inserted.

No. 6.

CROWN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Section two hundred and seventy-two, subsection three: ~~At the end of the first paragraph insert "but in any such case the mortgagor or mortgagee, or a deputy of the mortgagee approved by the Minister, shall perform any condition or residence attaching to the holding, but a suspension of such condition may be granted by the Minister to the mortgagee if he is unable to perform such residence or to secure a deputy to do so."~~ After the words "A foreclosure or transfer in contravention of this section shall be void" add "and any agreement or contract for the sale of any holding made without the permission of the Minister shall render such holding liable to forfeiture."

The subsection having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. G. R. W. McDonald*) to leave out the remainder of the subsection.

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Wright,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Kearsley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lang,	Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Lazzarini,	Mr. Johnston.
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McGarry,	

*Words stand.*

Noes, 20.

Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Bennett,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Buttenshaw
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow.
Mr. Crane,	
Mr. Fallick,	
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Ley,	
Mr. Manning,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. Oakes,	
Mr. Thomas,	
Mr. Walker,	

No. 7.

CROWN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Question put,—That clause 4, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McTarry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Lane,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Ley,	

*Agreed to.*

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

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.

1917.

(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 8.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 18 OCTOBER, 1917.

No. 1.

WESTERN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Further considered*).

Clauses 2 and 3 having been dealt with,—

Clause 4. The Governor may grant a lease of the land comprised in any such portion to such person as may be "nominated in that behalf by the owner as aforesaid," and the term of every such lease shall be for the unexpired period of the term of the surrendered lease. [Read.] <sup>Leases of subdivided areas.</sup>

Motion made (*Mr. Stuart-Robertson*) to leave out from line 2 the words "nominated in that behalf by the owner as aforesaid".

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

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Nesbitt.

*Words stand.*

Noes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Doyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey	
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	

The Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 19 OCTOBER, 1917, A.M.

No. 2.

WESTERN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—*continued*.

Motion made (*Mr. Stuart-Robertson*) to add at the end of the clause the following words:—And the surrenderer shall be compensated for such surrender upon the basis of the actual value of the unexpired term of the lease in accordance with the previous rental value.

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

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Committee divided.

Ayes, 16.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright.	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Lane,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Doe,
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. W. Millard,	

*Addition of proposed words negatived.*

The remaining clauses having been dealt with,—

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

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant

1917.

(SECOND SESSION.)

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 9.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

MONDAY, 22 OCTOBER, 1917.

No. 1.

RETURNED SOLDIERS' SETTLEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL.

Clauses 1 to 4 having been dealt with,—

Clause 5. The following new sections and short headings are inserted next after section four of the same Act:—

New sections  
4A, 4B, 4C, 4D,  
4E.

*Right to purchase returned soldiers' special holdings.*

- 4A. The holder of any holding by way of lease under the last preceding section may apply to purchase the land held thereunder subject to the following conditions and provisions:— Purchase of special holdings.
- (a) The application shall be made as prescribed and shall be accompanied by a deposit as prescribed. If the holding is subject to mortgage, the mortgagee shall join in the application.
  - (b) The local land board shall report to the Minister whether there is any objection to the granting of the application, and generally as to the merits thereof; and if it considers that the application is unobjectionable shall determine the capital value of the land as at the date of the application to purchase, which determination shall be irrespective of the value of any improvements effected by the holder.
  - (c) After receipt of such report the Minister may at his discretion grant or refuse the application either as to the whole or any part of the holding applied to be purchased.
  - (d) Any areas required for roadways or other public purposes may be excluded, and the boundaries may be otherwise modified at the discretion of the Minister.
  - (e) The purchase money shall be paid by ~~ten~~ **fifteen** equal annual instalments, the first of such instalments being payable within ~~one month~~ **three months** of the date of demand made for the same, and one of the remaining instalments shall be paid in each succeeding year on the recurring date of the granting of the application to purchase, or within three months thereafter, until the purchase money, together with interest at the rate of two and one-half per centum per annum, is paid; provided that two or more such instalments may be paid in any one year.
  - (f) If the applicant be dissatisfied with the price determined by the local land board he may, within one month after such determination, withdraw his application upon payment of costs as assessed by the local land board.
  - (g) The purchase shall be subject to a condition of residence for a period of ~~ten~~ **five** years, from the date of the granting of the application to purchase, but such term shall be reduced by the period of residence performed in respect of the holding.
  - (h) Any special conditions which attach to the holding shall until the grant is issued attach to the purchase.

- (i) After the expiration of the term of residence the local land board shall inquire whether all conditions other than payment of purchase money have been duly complied with, and upon the local land board certifying that such conditions have been complied with, and upon payment of the balance of purchase money and such other moneys as may be due and payable, a Crown grant shall be issued in the prescribed form to the then holder.
- (j) If default is made in paying any moneys due in respect of any such purchase, or if the Minister is satisfied that any condition attaching to the holding has not been or is not being complied with, the purchase may be declared to have lapsed, and all moneys paid in respect of the land, and all improvements thereon, shall thereupon become forfeited. [*Read.*]

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Motion made (*Mr. Ashford*) to leave out from line 18 the word "ten," and insert the word "fifteen," instead thereof.

The word "ten" having been left out,—

Question put,—That the word "fifteen" proposed to be inserted in place of the word left out be so inserted.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Graft,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Buttenshaw.
Mr. Hoskins,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	

*Word inserted.*

And the clause having been further amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

The remaining clauses having been dealt with,—

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

THURSDAY, 25 OCTOBER, 1917.

No. 2.

VOLUNTARY WORKERS (SOLDIERS' HOLDINGS) BILL.

Clause 1 having been agreed to,—

Clause 2. In this Act,—

Definitions.

"Dependent" means any member of the family of a member of the forces who has died as a result of his "employment" in connection with warlike operations in the present war, such dependents being wholly or in part dependent upon the earnings or pension of the member of the forces at the time of his death; and where such member, being the parent or grandparent of an illegitimate child, leaves such a child, or being an illegitimate child, leaves a parent or grandparent so dependent upon his earnings or pension, shall include such an illegitimate child and parent or grandparent respectively.

"Disabled member of the forces" means any such member who is permanently disabled.

"Member of a family" means wife or husband, father, mother, grandfather, grandmother, stepfather, stepmother, son, daughter, grandson, granddaughter, stepson, stepdaughter, brother, sister, half-brother, half-sister.

"Member of the forces" means member of the Commonwealth naval or military forces, including member of the Imperial Reserve residing in New South Wales before the war, enlisted or appointed for or employed on active service outside Australia, or employed on a ship of war, or enlisted or appointed for service in connection with naval or military preparations or operations, including munition workers, and includes a member of the army medical corps or of the nursing service who is accepted or appointed by the Director-General of Medical Service for service outside Australia.

"Voluntary Workers' Association" means "any association formed for the purpose of acquiring land and material for constructing buildings and effecting improvements by voluntary labour on land for homes for members of the forces and dependents under such conditions as the Governor may by regulation prescribe. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Kearsley*) to insert in line 3, after the word "employment," the words "or while employed."

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Simon Hickey, }	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Noes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. James,	Mr. Weaver,

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 3.

VOLUNTARY WORKERS (SOLDIERS' HOLDINGS) BILL—*continued.*

Motion made (*Mr. Ley*) to add at the end of the clause the following words:—"Voluntary 'Workers' Association' means 'any association formed for the purpose of acquiring land and material for constructing buildings and effecting improvements by voluntary labour' on land for homes for members of the forces and dependents under such conditions as the 'Governor may by regulation prescribe.'"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Doe,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers.</i>
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Lang,	

Noes, 13

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Doyle,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,
Mr. McKell.

*Words added.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

The Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 26 OCTOBER, 1917, A.M.

Clause 3 having been dealt with,—

No. 4.

VOLUNTARY WORKERS (SOLDIERS' HOLDINGS) BILL—*continued.*

Clause 4. The Public Trustee may borrow "moneys" on the security of any land so granted to him, or acquired, or held by him, and on the security of any buildings, improvements, and materials thereon, and shall from time to time, as he thinks fit, make advances out of such moneys to voluntary workers' associations for the purchase of materials for constructing buildings and effecting improvements by voluntary labour on such land for homes for "disabled" members of the forces and dependents. [*Read.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Kearsley*) to insert in line 1, after the word "moneys," the words "from the 'Government Savings Bank or the Commonwealth Bank of Australia, or any other accredited financial institution not charging more than five per centum.'"

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Michael Bourke,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. William Davies,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. O'Brien.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	

Noes, 36.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Mack F. Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Doe,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. James,	Mr. Walker.

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 5.

VOLUNTARY WORKERS (SOLDIERS' HOLDINGS) BILL—*continued.*

Motion made (*Mr. Kearsley*) to leave out from line 6 the word "disabled."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. M'Garry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Colonel Nicholson,
Mr. Cocks,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Doe,
Mr. James,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. Brookfield.	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Lazzarini.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	

*Word stands.*

No. 6.

VOLUNTARY WORKERS (SOLDIERS' HOLDINGS) BILL—*continued.*

Motion made (*Mr. Kearsley*) to insert in line 6, after the word "disabled," the words "or temporarily incapacitated."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Buckley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Bushell,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. McKell.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Noes, 35.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. James,	Mr. Manning.
Mr. Lane,	

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

Clause 5 having been agreed to,—

No.

No. 7.

VOLUNTARY WORKERS (SOLDIERS' HOLDINGS) BILL—*continued.*

Clause 6. (1) When a voluntary workers association has constructed buildings and effected improvements on any such portion, it shall give to the Public Trustee particulars of the materials used therein, and its estimate of their value. The Public Trustee shall, at the request of such association, convey such portion with the all buildings and improvements thereon to the member of the forces or dependent named by such association on such terms and conditions as the Public Trustee considers desirable. Conveyance to soldier or dependent.

(2) Such member or dependent shall thereupon execute a mortgage of such portion to the Public Trustee, "or to any person named by him," to secure the payment by instalments of the value of the materials used for buildings and improvements thereon as aforesaid; such value to be fixed by the Public Trustee. Mortgage by soldier or dependent.

(3) The Public Trustee or other person to whom such mortgage has been given, shall apply so much of the money thereby secured as is equivalent to the value of the materials aforesaid to repay the moneys borrowed by the Public Trustee under section four. [*Read.*]

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (*Mr. Osborne*) to leave out from line 8 the words "or to any person named by him."

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

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lee,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. James,	Mr. Grimm.
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson.	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 8.

VOLUNTARY WORKERS (SOLDIERS' HOLDINGS) BILL—*continued.*

*Same clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. James,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Bushell,	
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson.	

*Words stand.*

No. 9.

VOLUNTARY WORKERS (SOLDIERS' HOLDINGS) BILL—*continued.*

*Same clause.*

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

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

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.		Noes, 21.	Tellers,
Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lane,	Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Michael Burke,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Bushell.
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Lee,	Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Ley,	Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Manning,	Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,	Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,	Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Cocks,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,	Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Graff,		Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Hunt,	Colonel Onslow.	Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. James,		Mr. Stuart-Robertson.	

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

*Agreed to.*

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

No. 10.

**VOLUNTARY WORKERS (SOLDIERS' HOLDINGS) BILL—continued.**

Regulations.

Clause 7. (1) The Governor may make regulations for carrying out the provisions of this Act and in particular—

- prescribing the conditions on which moneys may be paid by the Public Trustee to Voluntary Workers' Associations;
- prescribing the particulars to be furnished to the Public Trustee by such associations as to the expenditure of the moneys so paid to them;
- prescribing the terms and conditions of mortgages by members of the forces and dependents;
- fixing the rate of interest to be charged in such mortgages;
- prescribing the particulars to be furnished to the Public Trustee as to the materials provided for or used in respect of any portion.

(2) Such regulations shall be published in the Gazette and be laid before Parliament within a reasonable time. If either House of Parliament within fifteen sitting days after such regulations have been laid before it passes a resolution disallowing any regulation, such regulation shall thereupon cease to have effect. [*Read.*]

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

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 35.		Noes, 21.	Tellers,
Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Buckley,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lee,	Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Ley,	Mr. Bushell,	
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Manning,	Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,	Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,	Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Cocks,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,	Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,	Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Lang,	
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,	Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Weaver,	Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. McKell,	
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Lane,	Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. McGarry.	Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Hunt,		Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. James,		Mr. Stuart-Robertson.	

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

*Agreed to.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

Clause 8 and the Schedule having been dealt with,—

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

**FRIDAY,**

FRIDAY, 26 OCTOBER, 1917.

No. 11.

## SYDNEY CORPORATION (AMENDMENT) BILL.

Clauses 1 to 9 having been dealt with,—

Clause 10. It shall be lawful for the council at any time to accept upon deposit any sum or sums of money offered to it for any term not exceeding twelve months, and to pay interest thereon at a rate to be fixed from time to time by the council, or such lesser rate as may be agreed upon between the council and the person making such deposit. [Read.]

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Manning,	

Noes, 24.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Bushell,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cochrane,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Lang,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Latimer,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	Mr. Mutch.

*Negatived.*

No. 12.

## SAME BILL.

Clause 11. The Council may erect and maintain bandstands within any public park in the city, and also provide accommodation for the public to attend at any band or other musical performances in such parks.

The council may engage musicians to give band or other performances at such remuneration or upon such terms as may be agreed upon.

The council may make by-laws providing—

- “(a) for payment by persons attending such musical performances in public parks and for the use of the accommodation provided by the council, and for the collection of such payment”;
- (b) for regulating such performances and the conduct of the same;
- (c) for insuring orderly and good behaviour by all persons attending at such performances or in the vicinity of the same;
- (d) for the removal from the park of all persons behaving in a disorderly, offensive, or objectionable manner during any such performances;
- (e) for fixing the penalty (not exceeding ten pounds) for any offence against any by-law under this section.

All expenses incurred in the carrying out of the powers granted to the council by this section may be defrayed from the corporate funds of the council. [Read.]

Motion made (*Mr. Cochran*) to leave out paragraph (a).

Question put (*to test the Committee*),—That the words “for payment by persons attending such musical performances in public parks” proposed to be left out stand part of the clause.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Doe,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Manning.
Mr. Hunt,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Cochrane,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Doyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Mark F. Morton,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	

*Words stand.*

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

*Clause, as amended, agreed to.*

The Schedule having been dealt with,—

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

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.



1917-18.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 7 FEBRUARY, 1918.

No. 1.

GAS (AMENDMENT) BILL:—

(Resolution).

Mr. Beeby moved, That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to amend the Gas Act, 1912, and to amend an Act passed in the eighth year of His late Majesty, King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for lighting with Gas the Town of Sydney in the Colony of New South Wales, and to enable certain persons associated under the name, style, and firm of the "Australian Gaslight Company to sue and be sued in the name of the Secretary for the "time being of the Company, and for other purposes therein mentioned."

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

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|---------------------------|------------------------|
| Dr. Arthur,               | Mr. Latimer,           |
| Mr. Ashford,              | Mr. Lee,               |
| Mr. Ball,                 | Mr. Ley,               |
| Mr. Bavin,                | Mr. McGarry,           |
| Mr. Beeby,                | Mr. W. Millard,        |
| Mr. Bennett,              | Mr. Nesbitt,           |
| Mr. Briner,               | Lieut.-Col. Nicholson, |
| Mr. Bruntnell,            | Colonel Onslow,        |
| Mr. Colquhoun,            | Mr. Perry,             |
| Mr. Doe,                  | Mr. Thomas,            |
| Mr. Edden,                | Mr. Wearne,            |
| Mr. Fallick,              | Mr. Zuill.             |
| Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, | <i>Tellers,</i>        |
| Mr. Fuller,               |                        |
| Mr. Holman,               | Mr. Manning,           |
| Mr. Hoskins,              | Mr. Weaver.            |
| Mr. Lane,                 |                        |

Noes, 29.

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| Mr. Buckley,        | Mr. P. M. McGirr,     |
| Mr. Michael Burke,  | Mr. McKell,           |
| Mr. Bushell,        | Mr. Mutch,            |
| Mr. George Cann,    | Mr. O'Brien,          |
| Mr. Cochran,        | Mr. Osborne,          |
| Mr. William Davies, | Mr. Price,            |
| Mr. Dooley,         | Mr. Quirk,            |
| Mr. Doyle,          | Mr. John Storey,      |
| Mr. Gardiner,       | Mr. Stuart-Robertson, |
| Mr. Simon Hickey,   | Mr. Wright.           |
| Mr. Johnston,       | <i>Tellers,</i>       |
| Mr. Kearsley,       |                       |
| Mr. Keegan,         | Mr. Brookfield,       |
| Mr. Lang,           | Mr. Tom Smith.        |
| Mr. Lazzarini,      |                       |
| Mr. Loughlin,       |                       |
| Mr. Gregory McGirr, |                       |

Agreed to.

No. 2.

SAME BILL.

Same Resolution.

Mr. Beeby moved, That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report that the Committee has come to a Resolution.

Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Briner,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Thomas,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Lane.
Mr. Lee,	

Noes, 28.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Quick,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. Gregory McGirr,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	

*Agreed to.*

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.

1917-18.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 11.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 14 FEBRUARY, 1918.

No. 1.

GAS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Further considered):—

Clause 2. Section fifteen of the Principal Act is amended by omitting all the words from and including "on the original capital" in the first paragraph of the section down to and including the words "preference capital" at the end of such paragraph, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:—"On the ordinary capital of the company at the rate of 'eight' pounds in respect of every one hundred pounds actually paid up or issued as paid up of such capital, and on the preference capital of the company at the rate of seven pounds ten shillings in respect of every one hundred pounds actually paid up or issued as paid up of such capital; and as from the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, there shall be no difference in the rate of dividend payable on the ordinary share capital issued prior to the date of the commencement of the Gas (Amendment) Act, 1918, but all such ordinary share capital shall be deemed to have been issued upon the terms that it shall carry and be entitled to the standard rate of dividend mentioned above if earned in respect of the moneys paid up or deemed to have been paid up on or in respect of such shares." [Read.]

Motion made (Mr. Mutch) to leave out from line 4, the word "eight," and insert the word "seven",—instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Crane,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Laue,	

Noes, 30.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Price,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. George Cann,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. McKell.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	

Word stands.

No. 2.

## GAS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Same clause.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Doe,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. D. R. Hall,	
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Lane,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 29.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	

No. 3.

## GAS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Amendment  
of s. 16.

Clause 3. Section sixteen of the Principal Act is amended—

- by omitting all words in the first subsection from and including "two per centum" and substituting therefor the words "three and one-half per centum of the amount expended out of borrowed and share capital, on the buildings, and manufacturing and distributing plant belonging to and in use by the company, to a fund to be called the Special Purposes and Depreciation Fund";
- by inserting the words "and depreciation" after the words "special purposes" wherever they occur in the section;
- by inserting after the words "replacement" in subsection two, paragraph (b), the word "renewal" and by substituting for the word "renewal" in the same paragraph the word "repairs";
- by substituting the words "borrowed and share" for the words "paid up" in subsection three. [*Read.*]

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Manning.

Agreed to.

Clause 4 having been dealt with,—

Noes, 27.

Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Lazzarini.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	

No. 4.

## GAS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Amendment  
of s. 20.

5. Section twenty of the Principal Act is amended—

- by omitting from and inclusive of the first proviso down to the commencement of the second proviso and inserting in lieu thereof the following :—"Provided that if at any time after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, the cost of production and distribution of gas sold is increased above the average cost of production and distribution of gas sold during the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve, the gas company whose cost of production and distribution is so increased shall

shall be entitled to have the standard price of its gas increased by proclamation in manner hereinafter provided by one penny per thousand cubic feet for every penny by which the cost of production and distribution per thousand cubic feet of gas sold is increased as aforesaid. In ascertaining the amount by which the cost of production and distribution has been so increased, there shall be included all increases in wages, freight, coal, oil rates, and other expenses which under this Act are properly chargeable to revenue, and such a sum as the judge hereinafter mentioned may determine will ensure a reasonable return upon the moneys expended on buildings and manufacturing and distributing plant since the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen. Upon the auditor of any gas company certifying to the Minister that the cost of production and distribution of the gas sold of such company has been increased as aforesaid to the extent of at least one penny per thousand cubic feet, the Minister shall with all reasonable despatch cause an inquiry at which the Minister and the gas company may be represented to be held by a Supreme Court "judge," and if such judge shall certify that the cost of production and distribution has been so increased, the Governor shall forthwith by proclamation in the Gazette increase the standard price by one penny per thousand cubic feet in respect of every penny by which the said judge shall certify that the cost of production and distribution per thousand cubic feet of gas sold has been so increased; and such increased standard price shall be substituted for the standard price mentioned in Schedule One; and further, provided that where the standard price has been increased as aforesaid with respect to any gas company, the Minister may cause a further inquiry to be held in the manner aforesaid; and if such judge shall certify that such increased standard price, after providing for all expenses properly chargeable to revenue, and allowing a reasonable margin for contingencies, is in excess of the amount required to pay the standard rates of dividend authorised by this Act, then the Governor shall forthwith by proclamation in the Gazette decrease the standard price in respect of the said company by one penny per thousand cubic feet for every penny by which the judge shall certify such increased standard price to be in excess. No proclamation under either of the above provisos shall be made with respect to any company within six months after the date of the last of such proclamations affecting such company."

(b) by inserting the word "ordinary" before the words "paid-up capital" wherever such words occur." [Read.]

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 15 FEBRUARY, 1918, A.M.

Motion made (*Mr. Osborne*) to leave out from line 10 the words, "and such a sum as the judge hereinafter mentioned may determine will ensure a reasonable return upon the moneys expended on buildings and manufacturing and distributing plant since the first day of January one thousand nine hundred and thirteen."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graf,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. D. R. Hall,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Doe,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Manning.

Noes, 25.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. George Cann,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Osborne.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	

Words stand.

No. 5.

GAS (AMENDMENT) BILL.

Same clause.

Motion made (*Mr. Wright*) to insert in line 14 after the word "judge" the words "always provided that the whole statement of revenue other than from the sale of gas shall be placed before the judge."

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	

Noes, 31.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Doe,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. James,	
Mr. Latimer,	

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

No. 6.

GAS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued.)

*Same clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. George Canu,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. P. M. McGirr.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 7.

GAS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued.)

Clause 6. Section twenty-one of the Principal Act is amended—

- (a) by inserting at the end of paragraph (a) the words "and may be sold at above or below par";
- (b) by omitting the words "be placed to the Special Purposes Fund and shall" in paragraph (i). [*Read.*]

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. Ashford,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Doe,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Lane,	Mr. Ley.
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Michael Bourke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Lazzarini.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	

*Agreed to.*

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

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

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 12.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

MONDAY, 25 FEBRUARY, 1918.

No. 1.

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

Clause 1 having been dealt with, and clauses 2 and 3 postponed,—

Clause 4. The following new sections are inserted next after section thirteen of the Principal Act:— [Read.] New sections.The Chairman said that the Committee could deal with the sections of the clause *seriatim*, and he would put the whole clause to the Committee as amended.Section 13A. The court "may elect to" sit with assessors representing the interests of each of the parties before it. Such assessors shall be appointed by the court from persons nominated as prescribed. Court may sit with assessors.

The court may commit to such assessors sitting without a judge for determination or for consideration and report any issue of fact or the items of any log of prices or other basis for the payment of work by results or a line of demarcation of work or any other matter prescribed. (Considered.)

Motion made (Mr. Stuart-Robertson) to leave out from line 1 the words "may elect to" and insert the word "shall",—instead thereof.

Question put,—That the words proposed to be left out stand part of clause 4.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bavin,	Colonel Oaslow,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Bruitnell,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Walker.

Words stand.

Noes, 27.

Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Louchlin,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Lang,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Lazzarini,	

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No. 2.

No. 2.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

## Clause 4—continued.

Special court for  
Crown matters.

Section 13B. "The court shall" sit (with assessors appointed as aforesaid) as a special court when sitting for the hearing and determination of all applications, references, and other matters exclusively affecting the Crown as employer or affecting persons exclusively employed in any industry by the Crown or by any Minister, trust, commission, or board exercising executive or administrative functions on behalf of the Government, including the Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways, Sydney Harbour Trust Commissioners, Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission, and the Hunter District Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, or by the employees of any city, shire, or municipal council sit as a special court with assessors appointed as prescribed in the last section. [Considered.]

Motion made (Mr. John Storey) to leave out section 13B.

Question put (to test the Committee),—That the words "The court shall", stand part of clause 4.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. W. Millard,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Beeby,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fuller,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Manning.

Noes, 29.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Price,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Bushell,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	

Words stand.

The section having been amended as indicated,—  
Section 13C having been dealt with,—

No. 3.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

## Clause 4—continued.

Deputy court.

Section 13D. The Governor may, from time to time, proclaim districts of the State in and in respect of which the powers and jurisdiction of the court may, subject to general or special orders of the court made in that regard, be exercised by a deputy court to be constituted by a judge or a chairman appointed by the Governor with "or without" assessors appointed in the same manner as is prescribed in section 13A of this Act. (Considered.)

Motion made (Mr. Price) to leave out section 13D.

Motion made (Mr. Kearsley) to leave out from line 4 the words "or without"

Question put (to test the Committee),—That the words "The Governor may, from time to time, proclaim districts of the State in and in respect of which the powers and jurisdiction of the court may, subject to general or special orders of the court made in that regard, be exercised by a deputy court to be constituted by a judge or a chairman appointed by the Governor with", stand part of clause 4.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Manning,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Levy,	Mr. Wearne.

Noes, 30.

Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. George Cann,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Johnston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. Lang,	Mr. Mutch.

The numbers being equal, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Colquhoun, gave his casting vote with the Ayes in order to give opportunity for further discussion.

Words stand.

No. 4.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

## Section 13D—(continued).

Motion made (Mr. Kearsley) to leave out from line 4 the words "or without."

Question put,—That the words proposed to be left out stand part of clause 4.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. W. Millard,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Beeby,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. McGarry,	

Noes, 28.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Dooly,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Michael Burke.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	

Words stand.

Sections 13E, 13F, and 13G having been dealt with,—

No. 5.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 4—continued.

Question put,—That clause 4, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Zuill.

Noes, 28.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Dooly,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Doyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	

Agreed to.

Clauses 5, 6, and 7 having been postponed,—

No. 6.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 8. Section twenty-five of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the "word 'on'" where first occurring therein and inserting in its place the words "fourteen days after." (Read.) Amendment of s. 25.

The Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

TUESDAY, 26 FEBRUARY, 1918, A.M.

Motion made (Mr. Mutch) to leave out from lines 1-2 the words "word 'on' where first occurring therein, and inserting in its place the words 'fourteen days after,'" and inserting "the words "word 'on such publication' and by inserting after the word 'effect' the words "as from the date of expiry of the previous award"—instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. McGarry,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bennett,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. James,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	

Noes, 27.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Dooly,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Doyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. George Cann,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	

Words stand.

No. 7.

No. 7.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 8—continued.

Motion made (*Mr. Buckley*) to add at end of clause "by inserting after the word 'shal' (third occurring) the words 'be made retrospective and,' and by inserting after the word 'effect' the words 'from date of expiration of any previous award governing the industry.'"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Dooley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. O'Brien.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	

Addition of proposed words negatived.

Noes, 32.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. W. Millard,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bennett,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. McGarry.

No. 8.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 8—continued.

Question put,—That clause 8, as read, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Nesbitt.

Agreed to.

Clauses 9 to 12 having been dealt with,—

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

No. 9.

## SUTHERLAND WATER SUPPLY BILL:—

(Resolution).

Mr. Ball moved, That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to sanction the construction of works of Water Supply for places within the Shire of Sutherland; to amend the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Act of 1880, and the Public Works Act, 1912; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto.

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

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. James,	Mr. Doe,
Mr. Manning,	Mr. Weaver.

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

Agreed to.

Noes, 27.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Doyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	

No. 10.

No. 10.

## SUTHERLAND WATER SUPPLY BILL—(continued).

(Resolution.)

Question put,—That the Resolution be agreed to.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. James,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. Manning.
Mr. W. Millard,	

Agreed to.

Noes, 27.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Bushell,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	

No. 11.

## SUTHERLAND WATER SUPPLY BILL—(continued.)

(Resolution.)

Mr. Ball moved,—That the Chairman leave the Chair, and report that the Committee has come to a Resolution.

Question put.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. James,	Mr. Wearne.

Agreed to.

The Chairman left the Chair to report accordingly.

Noes, 27.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Loughlin,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Doyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. McKell.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	

WEDNESDAY, 27 FEBRUARY, 1918.

No. 12.

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

Clause 17. Sections forty-five to forty-eight, inclusive of the Principal Act, are repealed, and the following sections are inserted in place of them. [Read.]

Repeal of sections 45-48 and substituted sections.

Sections considered *seriatim*.

Section 45. The following strikes and no others shall be illegal:—

Illegal strikes..

- (a) Any strike by employees of the Crown or of any Minister, trust, commission, or board exercising executive or administrative functions on behalf of the Government of the State (including the Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways, the Sydney Harbour Trust, the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, the Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission, the Hunter District Board of Water Supply and Sewerage) or by the employees of any city, shire, or municipal council.
- (b) Any strike by the employees in an industry, the conditions of which are for the time being fixed by an award or by an industrial agreement: Provided that any union of employees not comprising employees of the classes mentioned in the previous subsection may by the vote of a majority of its members at a secret ballot taken in accordance with the provisions for ballots contained in this Act and the regulations thereunder in which not less than two-thirds of the members of such union take part decline to be further bound by the provisions of any award or awards which shall have been in operation for a period of twelve months and shall thereafter be unaffected by the foregoing provisions of this paragraph.
- (c) Any strike (other than a strike by the classes of employees mentioned in subsection (a) of this section) which has been commenced prior to "the expiry of fourteen clear days" notice in writing of intention to commence the same, or of the existence of such conditions as would be likely to lead to the same given to the Minister by or on behalf of the persons taking part in such strike. [Considered.]

Motion

Motion made (*Mr. Keegan*) to leave out paragraph (a).

Question put,—That the words proposed to be left out stand part of clause 17.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Elden,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. McGarry.
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Manning,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. George Caun,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	

*Words stand.*

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

No. 13.

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

Clause 17—continued.

Motion made (*Mr. Kearsley*) to leave out from line 20 the words “the expiry of fourteen clear days” and insert the word “giving”,—instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bavin,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Elden,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bruntnell,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Manning,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Buckley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. George Caun,	Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	

*Words stand.*

Sections 46, 47, 48, and 48A having been dealt with,—

No. 14.

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

Clause 17—continued.

Regulations in case of lock-out or strike affecting public utilities.

Section 48B. Upon the occurrence of any lockout or strike which in the opinion of the Minister has or is likely to have the effect of depriving the public wholly or to any extent detrimental to the public interest of any commodity, public utility or service, the Governor may make regulations for the conduct of such industry, and such regulations shall have the force of law for the period to be specified therein.

Regulations so made may deal with any or all of the matters or things which may be dealt with by an award, and may also—

prescribe the rates, prices, or conditions at, for, or under which the services or commodities affected shall be supplied, sold, or furnished; and

prescribe the manner in which an employer's operations or business shall be conducted in any particular. [*Considered.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Kearsley*) to insert after line 9 the words “prescribe by limitation the amount of profit which any person, firm, or company may receive in any such industry or undertaking; appropriate and pay into the Consolidated Revenue Fund all profits in excess of the prescribed limitation.”

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	

Noes, 37.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Colonel Onslow,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald.
Mr. Lee,	
Mr. Ley,	

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

Sections 48c, 48d, 48e, 48f having been dealt with,—

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight—

THURSDAY, 28 FEBRUARY, 1918, A.M.

No. 15.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 17—continued.

Motion made (*Mr. Kearsley*) to insert the following new section to follow 48f:—

**48g. Any employer who refuses to meet a deputation of the members or officers of the employees' unions concerned in his business within two days after being officially requested by his employees to do so shall be guilty of an offence under this Act and shall be liable to pay a penalty not exceeding ten pounds for each offence.**

Question put,—That the section proposed to be inserted, stand part of clause 17.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. George Cann,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	

Noes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Latimer,	

*Negatived.*

No. 16.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued)

Clause 17—continued.

Motion made (*Mr. Kearsley*) to insert the following new section to follow section 48f:—

**48g. Whenever the employer and members of the union of employees concerned in his business confer on any matter which may occasion a cessation or suspension of work, and the parties to the conference fail to agree on such matter, it shall be binding upon the employer to report to the Minister within two days after the interview or conference the fact of the parties to the dispute having failed to agree on a matter likely to cause a cessation.**

Question put,—That the section proposed to be inserted stand part of clause 17.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. George Cann,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Ja'g,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	

*Negatived.*

Noes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. Lee,	

No 17.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 17—continued.

Motion made (*Mr. Beeby*), That the Honorable Member for Camperdown, Mr. Stuart-Robertson, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Grimm.

*Agreed to.*

Noes, 25.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. William Davies,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. McKell.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Mutch,	

No. 18.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 17—continued.

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

The *Point of Order* is,—That Mr. Levy having decided that the Honorable Member for Camperdown having been deprived of his right to address the Chamber by motion that he be no longer heard (the House being in Committee), Mr. Levy has decided that he cannot further discuss the clause under discussion at the time the motion was moved. That Mr. Levy was wrong in his decision, there being no rule governing Debate to uphold his ruling.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. George Cann,	
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	

*Negatived.*

Noes, 31.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Crane,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Latimer,	

No. 19.

No. 19.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).<sup>1</sup>

Mr. Beeby moved, That the Honorable Member for Darling Harbour, Mr. Cochran, be not further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

And all the Members voting in the negative refusing to act as Tellers, the Temporary Chairman, Mr. Colquhoun, instructed the Clerks at the Table to record the names on that side of the House.

Ayes, 30.		Noes, 22.	
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Manning,	Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Bushell,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Harry Morton,	Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Osborne,
Mr. Crane,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Oakes,	Mr. William Davies,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,	Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne,	Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Weaver,	Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Latimer,			
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Bruntnell,		
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Nesbitt.	Names re-	S. G. Boydell, Clerk Assistant,
		corded by	H. L. Harnett, Second Clerk Assistant.

Agreed to.

No. 20.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 17—continued.

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

Question put,—That the Question be now put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 30.		Noes, 22.	
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Manning,	Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Michael Bourke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,	Mr. George Cann,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Nesbitt,	Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Fallick,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Doyle,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,	Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Wearne,	Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Weaver,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Latimer,		Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. Osborne,	

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

Agreed to.

No. 21.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—continued.

Clause 17—continued.

Question put,—That clause 17, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.		Noes, 23.	
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McGarry,	Mr. Bushell,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,	Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,	Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,	Mr. William Davies,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Edden,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,	Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Oakes,	Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,	Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Michael Burke.
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,	Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Wearne,	Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Weaver,	Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.	Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>	Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Latimer,		Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Bavin,	Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Crane.	Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Manning,		Mr. Quirk,	

Agreed to.

No. 22.

No. 22.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Amendment  
of n. 49.  
Recovery of  
wages.

Clause 18. Section forty-nine of the Principal Act is amended by adding the following subsection:—

(5) Any person who enters into a contract with a contractor for the carrying out by the contractor of any work involving the payment of wages shall be liable for the payment of such wages unless upon any payment made by him to the contractor in relation to the contract "he" receives a statement in writing signed by the contractor that no wages are due and owing by the contractor in respect of the work at the time of such "payment." Any person who knowingly makes or signs a false statement that no wages are due or owing by him in respect of any work shall be liable to a penalty of one hundred pounds or to imprisonment for not more than six months. [Read.]

Motion made (Mr. Stuart-Robertson) to insert in line 5 after the word "he" the words "satisfies himself by an inspection of the contractors' pay-sheet and"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Bushell,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. O'Brien.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Quirk,	

Noes, 31.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Latimer.
Mr. Manning,	

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

No. 23.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 18—continued.

Motion made (Mr. Wright) to insert in line 6 after the word "payment" the words "the owners of the property shall be liable for wages owing to the men."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Doyle,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. George Cann,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Lazzarini.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	

Noes, 30.

Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Harry Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Crane,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Latimer,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Lee,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Manning.

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

*Clause, as read, agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. Beeby, Mr. Colquhoun (Temporary Chairman), left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again To-morrow.

THURSDAY, 28 FEBRUARY, 1918.

No. 24.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 19 having been postponed and clauses 20 to 24 dealt with,—

Clause 25. The Board of Trade is empowered to exercise the following functions and perform the following duties:—

- (a) To establish and maintain an apprenticeship register and record therein all indentures or other contracts of apprenticeship, and protect the contracts and interests of apprentices and all workers of minor ages who are learners, and ensure the attendance of apprentices and learners in the manner prescribed at technical or trade schools.
- (b) To determine in what occupations and industries apprenticeship shall be a condition of employment of all minors.

Powers of  
Board of  
Trade.

- (c) To prescribe the hours of employment, wages, and conditions of apprenticeship.
- (d) To determine whether and to what extent there shall be a limitation of the number of apprentices indentured in any trade or calling.
- (e) To prescribe by regulation a standard form of apprenticeship in different trades and callings. Upon the exercise of the powers in this and the preceding subsections the provisions of awards relating to the matters dealt with by the Board of Trade shall cease to have effect.
- (f) To co-operate with the Department of Public Instruction in encouraging young persons to attend technical, trade, and continuation schools.
- (g) To encourage and create councils of employers and employees for the purpose of encouraging the proper apprenticeship of all minors and provide for the welfare of juvenile labour.
- (h) To acquire and disseminate knowledge on all matters connected with industrial occupations with a view to improving the industrial relationship between employers and workers and to combat the evils of unemployment.
- (i) To collect and publish information relating to or affecting industrial conditions.
- (j) To propound schemes for **welfare work** and report to the Governor on all matters relating to **such work and to the insurance of employees against loss or injury caused by unemployment, sickness, or accident, or industrial diseases.**
- (k) To consider and report upon any question referred to it relating to the cost of living in the State.
- (l) To report on any matter referred to as to the prices of commodities, and as to whether or not monopolies or trade rings exist for the purpose of unfairly keeping up the prices of commodities.
- (m) To investigate and report on the existence of sweating in an industry.
- (n) To report upon the productivity of industries, the number of employees in any industry, and the effect or probable effect of the regulation of the conditions of any industry upon such productivity.
- (o) To consider and report upon the industrial efficiency of the community, the organisation of the labour market and opportunities of employment, and all questions relating to unemployment.
- (p) To collect and publish from time to time statistics of vital, social, and industrial matters, and on labour employment and unemployment in specific industries, and on other prescribed matters.
- (q) To encourage and assist in the establishment in different industries of ~~shop committees, mutual welfare committees, and industrial councils,~~ **and of subsidiary shop committees for individual enterprises.**
- (r) To encourage and assist schemes for mutual co-operation and profit-sharing between employers and employees.
- (s) To encourage and assist in the establishment of hostels for women workers and workmen's clubs and libraries.
- (t) To report and advise on schemes for the better housing of the people.
- (u) **To consider and report upon any other matter referred to it by the Minister.**

[Reul.]

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 34.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Latimer,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lee,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Manning,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Lane,	Colonel Onslow.

Noes, 21.

Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Keegan.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	

Agreed to.

Clauses 26 to 37 having been dealt with.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 1 MARCH, 1918, A.M.

And clauses 38 to 45 having been dealt with.

And

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

FRIDAY, 1 MARCH, 1918.

Clauses 46 to 51 having been dealt with,—

No. 25.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Insurance  
against  
unemployment.

Clause 52. The Minister "may," on the recommendation of the Board of Trade, and on conditions prescribed, for the purpose of creating funds for insurance against unemployment or loss of work due to adverse weather or sickness or the casual nature of the employment offering in any industry, authorise the payment out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which is hereby appropriated for that purpose, to any unemployment insurance committee formed in manner prescribed for a period of not less than one year, of bonuses or subsidies which shall not exceed five per centum of the total amount of wages paid to any employees represented by such committee in the said period:

Provided that no such payment shall be made unless the Board of Trade certifies that the fund is contributed to in proper proportions by the employers and employees engaged in the industry, and is administered by a suitable committee representative of employers and employees. [Read.]

Motion made (Mr. Osborne) to leave out from line 1 the word "may," and insert the word "shall,"—instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Hoskins,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Tellers,
Mr. Fuller,	
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Holman,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	Tellers,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. George Cann,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Quirk.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Osborne,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	

Negatived.

Clause as read agreed to.

Clause 2 having been further postponed,—

No. 26.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Amendment of  
s. 8 (3) and s. 10  
Registration.

Postponed Clause 3. (1) Subsection three of section eight of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the words "or if it appears that another trade union to which the members of the applicants union might conveniently belong has already been registered as an industrial union" and by inserting the words "Provided that after the passing of this Act not more than one industrial union shall be registered in respect of any trade or calling unless the Registrar is satisfied that the registered industrial union whose members are engaged in such trade or calling has taken part in, aided or abetted an illegal strike."

(2) Section ten of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the words "with the consent of all other parties bound by such award or industrial agreement." [Read.]

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Beeby,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntuell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Tellers,
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Graff,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Wearne.

Noes, 20.

Mr. Bavin,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Tellers,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Bushell,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Mch.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	

Agreed to.

Postponed Clause 5 having been dealt with,—

No. 27

No. 27.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Postponed Clause 6. Insert after section twenty-four of the Principal Act the following section:— *New section.*

24A. (1) The Court shall in the month of December in each year declare what shall be the living wage for the succeeding year for adult male workers and for adult female workers respectively, and no industrial agreement shall be entered into, and no award made for wages lower than such living wage. In declaring such wage the court shall also declare what deductions shall be made for the board or lodging of any employee, and may make such exceptions as it may deem necessary for aged and slow workers. For the purpose of making such declaration the court shall consist of the senior judge and at least one other judge.

(2) The court or a board may in prescribing the minimum wages mentioned in the last subsection hereof fix the quantum of work or services to be done.

(3) Whenever an award relating to any skilled occupation fixes minimum wages higher than the living wage, the amount of the excess of such minimum wages above the living wage shall be the same in the case of males and females.

(4) The court or a board shall, as far as is consistent with the maintenance of industrial peace, deal only with wages and hours of employment, leaving all other matters to shop committees, conciliation committees, industrial councils, or voluntary committees formed for the purpose of adjusting the industrial relationship of employer and employee. A judge or deputy judge of the court may act as the chairman of any industrial council.

[Read.]

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

Motion made (Mr. Price) to leave out subclauses 3 and 4.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bavin,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Crane,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Hoskins,	

Words stand.

Noes, 22.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. Quirk,	

No. 28.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Same clause.

Motion made (Mr. Buckley) to add at end of clause the words "by inserting after the word 'shall,' (third occurring) the words 'be made retrospective and', and by inserting after 'the word 'effect' the words 'from date of expiration of any previous award governing 'the industry.'"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,	
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. P. M. McGirr.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Addition of proposed words negative.

Noes, 31.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Hunt,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Fallick,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	

No. 29.

No. 29.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Clause 6—continued.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Beeby,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bruntnell,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Graff,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. M. Abbott,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Ley.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 22.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. F. M. Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Bushell,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Price,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	

Agreed to.

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

No. 30.

GAS (AMENDMENT) BILL (*Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments*).*Schedule of Amendments referred to in Messages of 25th February, 1918.*

Page 2. After clause 1 insert new clauses 2 and 3.

Page 3, clause 3. 5. After paragraph (d) add new paragraph (e)

Page 7, clause 10. 12, subclause (4). After line 36 insert new paragraph (a).

Page 8, clause 10. 12. At end of clause add new subclause (5)

Motion made (*Mr. Beeby*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments.And the Committee requiring that the amendments be put *seriatim*,—

The insertion of new clause 2 having been agreed to,—

Motion made (*Mr. Beeby*), That the Committee agrees to the insertion of new clause 3.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 33.

Mr. M. Abbott,	Mr. Ley,
Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Beeby,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Crane,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Weaver,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bruntnell.
Mr. Lane,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Buckley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Lazzarini.
Mr. Bushell,	
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Doyle,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	
Mr. Tom Smith,	
Mr. John Storey,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

*Legislative Council's amendment agreed to.*

The remaining amendments having been dealt with,—

On motion of Mr. Beeby, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had agreed to the Legislative Council's amendments.

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.

1917-18.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 13.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

MONDAY, 4 MARCH, 1918.

No. 1.

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

Postponed clause 7. All employees engaged in agriculture, viticulture, dairying, and other rural industries, shall be entitled to be paid the living wage, wages declared by the Board of Trade, but excepting those actually engaged in the shearing of sheep and occupations incidental thereto, such as are included in any award made before the passing of this Act, shall not be otherwise subject to the provisions of the Principal Act, the Industrial Arbitration (Amendment) Act, 1916, or of this Act. [*Read.*]

The clause having been amended as indicated,—

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

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

Ayes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Craff,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. James,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. F. M. Burke,
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	

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

*Agreed to.*

No. 2.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*continued*).*Same clause.*

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

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Price,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

Noes, 25.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. Bushell,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Simon Hickey.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	
Mr. Mutch,	

*Agreed to.*

Postponed clauses 13, 14 and 15 having been dealt with,—

No. 3.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Amendment of  
s. 44. Lock-outs.

Postponed clause 16. Section forty-four of the Principal Act is amended by inserting after the word "Acts" the words "unless the employees working in the industry concerned are taking part in an illegal strike." [Read].

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Butteenshaw,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

Noes, 26.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Mutch,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Estell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Gardiner,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. McKell,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 4.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

New sections.

Postponed clause 19. The following sections are **Part VIIA** is inserted next after section fifty-two, and shall be deemed to be included as a separate part of this Act :—

PART VIIA.

TRADES UNIONS.

\* \* \* \* \* [Read.]

The Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

TUESDAY, 5 MARCH, 1918, A.M.

And the clause having been amended,—

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Graff.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. William Davis,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Doyle.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Quirk,	

*Agreed to.*

Postponed clause 2 having been dealt with,—

No. 5.

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued).

Mr. Beeby brought up a new clause to follow clause 24, as follows:—

The Board of Trade shall from year to year after public inquiry as to the increase or decrease <sup>Living wages.</sup> in the average cost of living declare what shall be the living wages to be paid to adult male employees and to adult female employees in the State or any defined area thereof. In declaring such living wages the Board of Trade shall make a separate public inquiry into the cost of living of employees engaged in rural occupations, and shall make a separate declaration as to the living wages to be paid to such employees and shall declare what deductions may be made from such wages for board or residence or board and residence—and for any customary privileges or payments in kind conceded to or made to such employees.

No industrial agreement shall be entered into and no award made for wages lower than such living "wages."

Any aged, infirm, or slow worker engaged in any rural occupation who may deem himself unable to earn the living wages declared by the Board of Trade may apply to the Registrar or to any person appointed by such Board for a permit in writing to work for less than the living wage. Copies of all such permits shall be forwarded to the Registrar, who may at any time cancel or amend the same. [Read.]

Motion made (Mr. Brookfield) to insert in line 11, after the word "wages," the words "The living wage which the Board shall declare shall be at least 20 per cent. above the cost of living."

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Johnston,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Kearsley,	Mr. Keegan,
Mr. Lang,	Mr. Mutch.
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	

Noes, 31.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Lane,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Buttenshaw,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Wearne.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. James,	

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

No. 6

## INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(continued.)

*Same clause.*

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Ball,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Bennett,	Mr. Mark F. Morton,
Mr. Cocks,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Wearne,
Mr. Holman,	Mr. Weaver.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Buttenshaw,
Mr. James,	Mr. Doe.
Mr. Lane,	

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Quirk,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Tom Smith,
Mr. F. M. Burke,	Mr. John Storey,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. McKell.
Mr. Doyle,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Keegan,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. Loughlin,	
Mr. P. M. McGirr,	
Mr. Mutch,	
Mr. O'Brien,	

*Agreed to.*

Other new clauses having been dealt with,—

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

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.



1917-18.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 14.

## WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IX

## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 14 MARCH, 1918.

No. 1.

WESTERN LANDS (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments).

*Schedule of the Amendments referred to in the Message of 13th March, 1918.*

Page 2, clause 4, line 16. After "aforesaid" insert "or the owner himself"

Page 3. Omit clause 9, insert new clause 9.

The amendment in clause 4 having been dealt with,—

Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick moved,—That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendment in clause 9.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 24.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Perry,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Graff.

Noes, 23.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. P. M. McGirr,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Gus. Miller,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Estell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Gardiner,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Simon Hickey,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Johnston,	Mr. Tom Smith.
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	

*Agreed to.*

On motion of Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had agreed to the Legislative Council's amendments.

No. 2.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments).

Mr. Beeby moved, That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments.

The Committee requiring that the amendments be put *seriatim*,—

The Chairman said that he would put the amendments in each clause as one question.

Question put,—That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 2.

The Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

FRIDAY, 15 MARCH, 1918, A.M.

The Temporary Chairman, Mr. Colquhoun, directed the Honorable Member for Darling Harbour, Mr. Cochran, to discontinue his speech.

Question put,—That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 2.

Mr. Cochran rose to move That he be further heard—the Temporary Chairman refused to accept the motion, as it was too late.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson.
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Ley,	

Noes, 20.

Mr. Buckley,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. George Cann,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. William Davies.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	

Agreed to.

No. 3.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments)—continued.

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

The Point of Order is,—

That the Temporary-Chairman (Mr. Colquhoun) ruled that the Honorable Member for Darling Harbour should discontinue his speech, and declined to put the Question, That the Honorable Member be further heard.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. George Cann,
Mr. Dooley,	Mr. Michael Burke.
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Gardiner,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. Gus. Miller,	

Noes, 27.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Doe,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Latimer,	

Negatived.

No. 4.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments)—continued.

Clause 3. (1) Subsection three of section eight of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the words "or if it appears that another trade union to which the members of the applicants' union might conveniently belong has already been registered as an industrial union", and by inserting the words "~~Provided that after the passing of this Act not more than one industrial union shall be registered in respect of any trade or calling unless the Registrar is satisfied that the registered industrial union whose members are engaged in such trade or calling has taken part in, aided or abetted an illegal strike~~" "or to the extent to which in his opinion the interests under this Act of persons represented by the applicant union may be protected by a previously registered industrial union which has not since the passing of the Industrial Arbitration (Amendment) Act, 1918, taken part in, aided, or abetted an illegal strike."

(1A) Within six months after the passing of this Act the "Minister may," "with the concurrence of the senior judge of the court," direct that one or more or all of the unions which suffered cancellation of registration as industrial unions at the hands of the court for complicity in the general strike of the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen shall be reinstated as industrial unions, and upon a notification by him to such effect being filed in the office of the registrar, any union affected by such notification shall be deemed to be a registered industrial union. "The concurrence of the senior judge shall be obtained by application in open court, and any union registered in the same industry as the union with respect to which the application is made shall have notice of the application, and shall be entitled to appear thereon." [Considered.]

Mr.

Amendment of s. 8 (3) and s. 10. Registration.

Reinstatement of industrial unions.

Mr. Beeby moved,—That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 3.

Motion made (*Mr. McKell*) to leave out from line 11 the words "Minister may" and *insert* the words "court shall",—instead thereof.

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 29.

Dr. Arthur,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Edden,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Hunt,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Latimer.
Mr. Graff,	
Mr. Grahame,	
Mr. Grimm,	
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Levy,	
Mr. Lev,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	
Mr. McGarry,	
Mr. W. Millard,	
Mr. Nesbitt,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Michael Burke,
Mr. George Cann,
Mr. Cochran,
Mr. William Davies,
Mr. Dooley,
Mr. Estell,
Mr. Simon Hickey,
Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Lang,
Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. McKell,
Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Wright.
<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,
Mr. Johnston.

*Words stand.*

No. 5.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments*)—continued.

Question put,—That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 3.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 28.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Doe,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Latimer,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Buckley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. George Cann,	
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 6.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(*Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments*)—continued.

Motion made (*Mr. Beeby*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 4.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt.
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Bavin,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Ley.
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	

Noes, 18.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson.
Mr. Buckley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. George Cann,
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 7.

No 7.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments)—  
continued.Amendment of  
section 24,  
Jurisdiction of  
Boards.

Clause 5. Section twenty-four of the Principal Act is amended as follows:—

- (a) The following subsection is inserted after words are inserted at the end of subsection (1) (a): "Provided that no award shall be made for the payment of wages or salaries remuneration of persons occupying managerial positions except 'by' the special court for Crown matters exercising jurisdiction under section 13B of this Act or of any wages or remuneration in excess of ten pounds per week."

The following words are added to subsection (1) (b): "Provided that after the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, the hours for cessation of employment of persons employed in shops coming under the provisions of the Early Closing Act, 1899, and the Acts amending the same shall be the hours fixed by such Acts for the closing of such shops."

- (b) Strike out of subsection (1) (g) the words "to members of any industrial union of employees over other persons offering their labour at the same time, other things being equal" and substitute the words "to the members of any trade-union or industrial union of employees upon such terms and conditions as the court may prescribe so long as the members thereof shall not after the passing of the Industrial Arbitration (Amendment) Act, 1918, have taken part in, aided or abetted any illegal strike."
- (c) The following words are added after the word "Industrial" in the proviso to subsection (1) (g) of section twenty-four of the Principal Act; "or trade." [*Considered.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Beeby*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 5.

Motion made (*Mr. Kearsley*) to insert in line 4 after the word "by" the words "the special court for the coal mining industry exercising jurisdiction under section 13c of this Act and"

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

Committee divided.

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Buckley,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Michael Burke.	
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. William Davies,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Kearsley.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

Noes, 27.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briher,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grimm,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Ley,	

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

No. 8.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments)—  
continued.

Question put,—That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 5.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 25.

Dr. Arthur,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Grahame,	Mr. Walker.
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hoskins,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hunt,	
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Doe,
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	

Noes, 21.

Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Kearsley,
Mr. Briher,	Mr. Lang,
Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Lazzarini,
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. O'Brien,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Stuart-Robertson,
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. George Cann,	
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. McKell,
Mr. William Davies,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Simon Hickey,	
Mr. Johnston,	

*Agreed to.*

No. 9.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments)—  
continued.

Motion made (*Mr. Beeby*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 6.

Question put.

Committee

Committee divided.

Ayes, 26.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. Latimer,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. Ley,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Edden,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Hunt,	

Agreed to.

The amendments in Clauses 7, 8, and 9, having been agreed to,—

Noes, 17.

Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Michael Burke,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Bushell,	Mr. Brookfield,
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Lazzarini.
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

No. 10.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments)—continued.

Clause 15. Sections 45 to 48 inclusive of the Principal Act are repealed and the following sections are inserted in place of them:—

\* \* \* \* \*

46. In the event of an illegal strike occurring in any industry, the Court may order any trade union, whose executive "or" ~~a substantial number of whose~~ members are taking part in or abetting the strike to pay a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds.

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[*Considered.*]

Motion made (*Mr. Beeby*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 15.

Motion made (*Mr. Brookfield*) to insert in line 2 after the word "or" the words "a majority of whose"

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

Ayes, 18.

Mr. Brookfield,	Mr. Wright.
Mr. Bushell,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. George Cann,	Mr. Buckley,
Mr. Cochran,	Mr. Michael Burke.
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Edden,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Johnston,	
Mr. Kearsley,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	

*Insertion of proposed words negatived.*

No. 11.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments)—continued.

Question put,—That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 15.  
Committee divided.

Ayes, 22.

Mr. Beeby,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Briner,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Doe,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Robson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Grimm,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Hunt,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Latimer,	Mr. Bagnall,
Mr. Ley,	Mr. Colquhoun,
Mr. G. R. W. McDonald,	

Agreed to.

The amendments in clauses 16, 17, 17A, 17B, and 17C having been agreed to,—

No. 12.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION (AMENDMENT) BILL—(Consideration of Legislative Council's amendments)—continued.

Motion made (*Mr. Beeby*), That the Committee agrees to the Legislative Council's amendments in clause 18.

Question put.

Committee

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Committee divided.

Ayes, 27.

Mr. Bagnall,	Mr. McGarry,
Mr. Bavin,	Mr. W. Millard,
Mr. Beeby,	Mr. Nesbitt,
Mr. Briner,	Lieut.-Col. Nicholson,
Mr. Colquhoun,	Mr. Oakes,
Mr. Doe,	Mr. Robson.
Mr. Edden,	Mr. David Storey,
Mr. Fallick,	Mr. Thompson,
Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick,	Mr. Walker,
Mr. Graff,	Mr. Zuill.
Mr. Grahame,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Hoskins,	Mr. Grimm,
Mr. Hunt,	Mr. G. R. W. McDonald.
Mr. Latimer,	
Mr. Ley,	

Noes, 17.

Mr. Brookfield,	<i>Tellers,</i>
Mr. Buckley,	Mr. Johnston,
Mr. Michael Burke,	Mr. Kearsley.
Mr. Bushell,	
Mr. George Cann,	
Mr. Cochran,	
Mr. William Davies,	
Mr. Dooley,	
Mr. Estell,	
Mr. Lang,	
Mr. Lazzarini,	
Mr. McKell,	
Mr. O'Brien,	
Mr. Stuart-Robertson,	
Mr. Wright.	

*Agreed to.*

The remaining amendments having been dealt with, including the amendment in the Title,—  
On motion of Mr. Beeby, the Chairman left the Chair to report that the Committee had agreed to the Legislative Council's amendments, including an amendment in the Title.

S. G. BOYDELL,  
Clerk Assistant.

1917.  
 LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
 (SECOND SESSION.)  
 NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
				1917.		
Report Statement	of the Department of Mines for 1916 of Balances of Appropriations of the year 1915-16 written off as Savings on 30th June, 1916, under the Audit Act 1902.		Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	17 July 17 July	To be printed. To be printed.	
Regulations Minute	under the Sydney Harbour Trust Acts, 1900-1914 by the Acting Colonial Treasurer in regard to exempting from Stamp Duty orders or authorities given by applicants for Crown land to private land agents.		Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	17 July 17 July	Not to be printed. To be printed.	
Amended By-laws	under the Bursary Endowment Act, 1912		Mr. James	17 July	To be printed.	
Amended By-laws	of the University of Sydney		Mr. James	17 July	To be printed.	
Notifications	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Public School purposes at Jingara, Broken Head, Round Mountain, Newtown, Comboyne East, Lismore.		Mr. James	17 July	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the valuation of Land Act, 1916				Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations	under the Public Service Act, 1902		Mr. D. R. Hall	17 July	Not to be printed.	
Scale	of Court Fees payable under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1916.		Mr. D. R. Hall	17 July	To be printed.	
Rules	under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1916		Mr. D. R. Hall	17 July	To be printed.	
Returns	under the several Acts of Parliament administered by the Registrar-General for 1916.				To be printed.	
Report	of the Comptroller-General of Prisons for 1916		Mr. D. R. Hall	17 July	To be printed.	
Amended Regulation	under the Irrigation Acts, 1912-1916		Mr. Grahame	17 July	Not to be printed.	
Additional Regulation	No. 20, under the Water Act, 1912		Mr. Grahame	17 July	Not to be printed.	
Minute	of the Public Service Board relating to the appointment of Mr. Adam McGown as Veterinary Surgeon, Stock Branch, Department of Agriculture.		Mr. Grahame	17 July	To be printed.	
Amended Regulation	under the Stock Diseases (Tick) Acts, 1901-1915.				Not to be printed.	
Amendment of Regulations	under the Industrial Arbitration Acts, 1912-1916.		Mr. Beeby	17 July	Not to be printed.	

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Amended Regulations.....	No. 101 and 106, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	1917. 17 July .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 8, and Amended Form No. 7, under the Closer Settlement Acts.	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 266, and Additional Form No. 111A, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Rural Tenants' Improvements Act, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 100, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	Nos. 10 and 11, under the Returned Soldiers Settlement Act, 1916.	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	of amount expended under the Forestry Act, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	17 July.....	To be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Particulars.....	of Western Land Leases issued under the provisions of the Western Lands Acts from 20th April to 29th June, 1917	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Reports and Correspondence.....	in connection with the Dubbo-Werris Railway Creek (Deviation towards Munderooan).	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905, for the Municipality of Balranald.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-laws .....	under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905, for the Municipality of Hay.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-laws .....	under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905, for the Municipality of Katoomba.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-laws .....	under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-laws .....	under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916, for Wollongong Water Supply.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-laws .....	under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Sydney Water Supply—Cordeaux Dam Construction.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Albury, by provision of Wheat-stacking Sites at Marinna.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between The Rock and Oaklands, by provision of Wheat-stacking Sites at Boree Creek.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Albury, by provision of a Gatehouse at Bethungra.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Albury, by deviating at Goondah.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Wagga Wagga to Tumberumba Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Dunedoo to Coonabarabran Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	

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Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Wyalong to Lake Cudgellico Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	1917. 17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Condobolin to Broken Hill Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Condobolin to Broken Hill Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Stormwater Sewers, Johnstone's Bay, Port Jackson.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for concrete and masonry Dam across the Cordeaux River.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Tullamore to Tottenham Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Murwillumbah Water Supply.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Condobolin to Broken Hill Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Tullamore to Tottenham Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Ashford Bore Public Watering Place.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Derrick's Tank Public Watering Place.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for extension of Liverpool State Hospital and Asylum.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Dunedoo to Coonabarabran Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Dunedoo to Coonabarabran Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Narrabri State Forest.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Chief Commissioner for Railways and Tramways for quarter ended 31st March, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 July.....	To be printed.	
Statement .....	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 31st March, 1917	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	To be printed.	
Statement .....	of Liabilities of Public Companies for quarter ended 31st March, 1917.	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	To be printed.	
Regulations .....	under Weights and Measures Acts, 1915-1916.....	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Pure Food Act, 1908 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-Laws.....	under the Meat Industry Act, 1915 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Public Health Act, 1902 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Dentists Acts, 1912-1916.....	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Metropolitan Traffic Acts, 1900-1913.....	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909.....	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Fisheries Acts, 1902-1910.....	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Synopsis .....	of Voting at the State General Election, 1917.....	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	To be printed.	
Report .....	on the Fisheries of New South Wales for 1916.....	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	17 July.....	To be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Forestry Act, 1916.....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	24 July.....	Not to be printed.	

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<p>A Letter.....</p>	<p>from the Auditor-General, transmitting for presentation to the Legislative Assembly, under the directions contained in the 34th section of the Audit Act, 1902, copies of Minutes of Their Excellencies the Governor and Lieutenant-Governor and the Executive Council, authorising transfers of amounts from one head of Service to supplement a Vote for another Service, viz.:-</p> <p>(a) £1,000 from Vote, "Department of Lands--Salaries," to Vote, "For payment of Officers who may be granted extended leave of absence prior to retirement."</p> <p>(b) £600 from Vote, "Department of Lands--Salaries," to Vote, "To meet payment to legal representatives of deceased Officers of the money value of extended leave accrued to such Officers, but not taken up to time of decease."</p> <p>(c) £2,000 from Vote, "Item No. 29," to Vote, "Item No. 11"—Premier's Department.</p> <p>(d) £5,000 from Vote, "Conveyance of members of Military and Naval Forces and horses and material by rail and tram," to Vote, "Unusual expenditure arising out of the War, &amp;c."—Premier's Department.</p> <p>(e) £500 from Vote, "Provision of Funds for Rifle Clubs, &amp;c.," to Vote, "Item No. 11"—Premier's Department.</p> <p>(f) £1,000 from Vote, "To provide a subsidy for the relief of distress amongst the Allied Nations," to Vote, "Motor Cars: Expenses of up-keep, &amp;c."—Premier's Department.</p> <p>(g) £100 from Vote, "Legislative Assembly," to Vote, "Legislative Council and Assembly."</p> <p>(h) £350 from Vote, "Attorney-General and Justice—Contingencies," to Vote, "Court Reporters—Contingencies."</p> <p>(i) £223 9s. 6d. from Vote, "Petty Sessions—Contingencies," to Vote, "Attorney-General and Justice—Miscellaneous Services."</p> <p>(j) £750 from Vote, "Registrar General's Department—Contingencies," to the following Votes, viz.:-£500 to Vote, "Court Reporters—Contingencies," and £250 to Vote, "Prothonotary and Registrar in Divorce—Contingencies."</p> <p>(k) £75 from Vote, "Attorney-General and Justice—Miscellaneous Services," "Item, No. 204," to Vote, "Item, No. 205."</p> <p>(l) £750 from Vote, "Registrar-General—Contingencies," to Vote, "Attorney-General and Justice—Miscellaneous Services."</p> <p>(m) £100 from Vote, "Attorney-General and Justice—Miscellaneous Services," to Vote, "Probate Office—Contingencies."</p>		<p>Mr. Speaker.....</p>	<p>1917. 24 July.....</p>	<p>Not to be printed.</p>	

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A Letter.....	<p>from the Auditor-General (<i>continued</i>)—</p> <p>(u) £3,200, being £50 from Vote, "Item, No. 186," to Vote, "Item, No. 213"; £800 from Vote, "Item, No. 197," to Vote, "Item, No. 185"; £150 from Vote, "Item, No. 186," to Vote, "Item, No. 184"; £1,600 from Vote, "Item, No. 197," to Vote, "Item, No. 196"; £300 from Vote, "Item, No. 197," and £300 from Vote, "Item, No. 204," to Vote, "Item, No. 191"—Department of the Attorney-General and of Justice.</p> <p>(o) £575, being £550 from Vote, "Item No. 206," and £25 from Vote, "Item No. 204," viz:—£50 to Vote, "Item No. 190," £500 to Vote, "Item No. 207," and £25 to Vote, "Item No. 202"—Department of Attorney-General and of Justice.</p> <p>(p) £190, being £100 from Vote, "Item No. 204," to Vote, "Item No. 203," and £90 from Vote, "Item No. 212"; £40 to Vote, "Item No. 184," and £50 to Vote, "Item No. 202"—Department of Attorney-General and of Justice.</p> <p>(q) £15 from Vote, "Item No. 212," to Vote, "Item No. 213"—Department of Attorney-General and of Justice.</p> <p>(r) £60 from Vote, "Item No. 210," to Vote, "Item No. 184"—Department of Attorney-General and of Justice.—Miscellaneous Services.</p> <p>(s) £21,000 from Vote, "Item No. 72," to Votes, "Items Nos. 134, 146, 157, 163"—Treasury.</p> <p>(t) £303 from Votes, "Items Nos. 11, 183," to Vote, "Item No. 162"—Treasury.</p> <p>(u) £200 from Vote, "Item No. 316"—Department of Mines, to Vote, "Item No. 162"—Treasury.</p> <p>(v) £2,000 from Vote, "Special Grants to Hospitals, &amp;c.," to Vote, "Subsidy to Hospitals, &amp;c."—Department of Public Health.</p> <p>(w) £30 from Vote, "Item No. 73," to Vote, "Item No. 77"—Department of Public Health.</p> <p>(z) £200 from Vote, "Item No. 55," to Vote, "Item No. 60" Chief Secretary.</p> <p>(y) £700 from Vote, "Item No. 51," to Vote, "Item No. 72"—Chief Secretary.</p> <p>(z) £131 from Vote, "Item No. 74," to Vote, "Item No. 64"—Chief Secretary.</p> <p>(aa) £200 from Vote, "Zoological Gardens, Moore Park—Grant," to Vote, "Taronga Zoological Park Trust—Grant, &amp;c."</p> <p>(bb) £100 from Vote, "Item No. 60"—Railways, to Vote, "Item No. 72"—Colonial Secretary.</p> <p>(cc) £100 from Vote, "Miscellaneous—Agriculture," to Vote, "Commercial Agents—Contingencies."</p> <p>(dd) £100 from Vote, "Item No. 340" Agriculture, to Vote, "Item No. 339"—Commercial Agents—Contingencies.</p>	.....	Mr. Speaker .....	1917. 24 July .....	Not to be printed.	

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A Letter .....	from the Auditor-General— <i>continued</i> . ( <i>ee</i> ) £225 from Vote, "Item No. 367"—Agriculture to Vote, "Item No. 339"—Commercial Agents—Contingencies. ( <i>ff</i> ) £2,000 from Vote, "Item No. 221"—Department of Lands, to Vote, "Item No. 332"—Agriculture. ( <i>gg</i> ) £780, being £200 from Vote, "Item No. 357," £35 from Vote, "Item No. 334," and £545 from Vote, "Item No. 337," to the following Votes, viz.:—£420 to "Item No. 333"; £130 to "Item No. 335"; £200 to "Item No. 336," and £30 to "Item No. 335"—Agriculture. ( <i>hh</i> ) £500 from Vote, "Item No. 262," to Vote, "Item No. 271"—Public Instruction. ( <i>ii</i> ) £500 from Vote, "Item No. 142," to Vote, "Item No. 141"—Treasury. ( <i>jj</i> ) £3,000 from Vote, "Item No. 29," to Vote, "Item No. 48"—Premier's Department. ( <i>kk</i> ) £100 from Vote, "Legislative Assembly," to Vote, "Legislative Council and Assembly." Referred by Sessional Order to the Printing Committee.	.....	Mr. Speaker .....	1917. 24 July.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Local Government Act, 1906, for Bonville Quarry site.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick .....	25 July, 1917 .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Local Government Act, 1906, for Drainage purposes at Weston.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick .....	25 July, 1917 .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Careless use of Fire Act, 1912.	.....	Mr. Fuller.....	26 July, 1917 .....	Not to be printed.	
A Letter.....	from the Auditor-General transmitting for presentation to the Legislative Assembly, under the directions contained in the 34th section of the Audit Act, 1902, copies of Minute of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and the Executive Council, authorising transfers of amounts from one head of Service to supplement a Vote for another Service, viz.:— ( <i>a</i> ) £120, being £100 from Vote, "Item No. 353," and £20 from Vote, "Item No. 358," to "the following Votes, viz.:—£60 to Vote, "Item No. 337," £30 to Vote, "Item No. 334," and £30 to Vote, "Item No. 338"— Department of Agriculture. ( <i>b</i> ) £500 from Vote, "Item No. 55," to Vote, "Item No. 59,"—Chief Secretary's Office.	.....	Mr. Speaker .....	31 July, 1917 .....	Not to be printed.	
Statement .....	of Receipts and Payments, Police Superannuation and Reward Fund, during the year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick .....	31 July, 1917 .....	To be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1916.	.....	Mr. Beeby.....	31 July, 1917 .....	To be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 2nd August, 1917.

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 2.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report, No. 1, dated 2nd August, as follows :—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
<i>Gazette Notices</i> .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	1917. 2 August .....	Not to be printed.	
<i>By-laws</i> .....	of the University of Sydney .....	.....	Mr. James .....	7 August .....	Not to be printed.	
<i>Minute</i> .....	of the Public Service Board relating to the appointment of Miss Florence H. Wark as Lecturer, Teachers' College, Department of Education.	.....	Mr. James .....	7 August .....	Not to be printed.	
<i>A Letter</i> .....	from the Auditor-General, transmitting for presentation to the Legislative Assembly, under the directions contained in the 34th Section of the Audit Act, 1902, copies of Minutes of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and the Executive Council, authorising transfers of amounts from one Head of Service to supplement a Vote for another Service, viz. :—£16,574 9s. 6d. from Vote, "Item No. 246," to Votes, "Items Nos. 247 to 258 (inclusive),"—Department of Public Works.	.....	Mr. Speaker .....	8 August .....	Not to be printed.	
<i>Report</i> .....	of the Public Trustee for the year ended 30th June, 1917, together with Statements of Receipts and Disbursements, Balance-sheet, and Profit and Loss Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	8 August .....	To be printed.	
<i>Regulations</i> .....	under the Careless Use of Fire Act, 1912 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	8 August .....	Not to be printed.	
<i>Returns</i> .....	showing the surrender and allotment of lands, under the Closer Settlement Promotion Act, 1910, from 18th March, 1916, to 8th March, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	8 August .....	Not to be printed.	
<i>Statement</i> .....	of Receipts and Expenditure of the Sydney Cricket Ground for the year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	8 August .....	To be printed.	
<i>Notification</i> .....	of intention to declare that Additional Conditional Purchase No. 1907-31, Land District of Queanbeyan, shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	8 August .....	Not to be printed.	

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Amended By-laws .....	under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ball .....	1917. 8 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-law .....	of the Municipality of Bourke, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	8 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notice .....	under the Necessary Commodities Control Act, 1914, fixing the maximum selling price of all commodities:	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	9 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Forestry Act, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	9 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	9 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	9 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from Sale for the Preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	9 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Sites for Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	9 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of alterations of designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	9 August .....	Not to be printed.	

*Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 14th August, 1917.*

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 3.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 2, dated 14th August, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Additional Rules .....	of the Supreme Court of New South Wales.....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	1917. 16 August.....	Postponed for further consideration	
Return ( <i>in Part</i> ) to an Order .....	made on 17th March, 1892,—“Convictions under the Liquor Act.”	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	16 August.....	To be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 49, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford.....	16 August.....	Not to be printed.	
Regulation.....	No. 29, under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900.....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	16 August.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Treasury Fire Insurance Board for the year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	16 August.....	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the Commissioners for Railways and Tramways for the year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	16 August.....	To be printed.	
Regulation.....	under the Water Act, 1912.....	.....	Mr. Ball .....	16 August.....	Not to be printed.	
Alteration of By-law .....	of the Municipality of Hay, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	16 August.....	Not to be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 16th August, 1917.

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 4.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 3, dated 16th August, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Additional Rules .....	of the Supreme Court of New South Wales.....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	1917. 16 August.....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notice .....	under the Necessary Commodities Control Act, 1914, fixing the maximum selling price of meat.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	21 August.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Housing Board on the Dacey Garden Suburb and Observatory Hill ("The Rocks") Resumed Area for the year ended 30th June, 1917, together with photographs and plans.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	21 August.....	To be printed.	
Amended Police Rules .....	under the Police Regulation Acts, 1899-1906.....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	21 August.....	Not to be printed.	
Thirty-ninth General Report .....	of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	23 August.....	To be printed.	
Fortieth General Report .....	of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	23 August.....	To be printed.	
Gazette Notice .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford.....	23 August.....	Not to be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 23rd August, 1917.

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 5.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 4, dated 23rd August, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulation.....	under Height of Buildings (Amendment) Act, 1916.....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	1917. 28 August.....	Not to be printed.	
Statement.....	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 30th June, 1917.....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	28 August.....	To be printed.	
Statement.....	of Liabilities and Assets of Public Companies for quarter ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	28 August.....	To be printed.	
Statement.....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with the Tourist Resorts—Working Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August.....	To be printed.	
Statement.....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Mental Hospitals Generally—Farm and Garden Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August.....	To be printed.	
Statement.....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Department of Public Health—Farm Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August.....	To be printed.	
Statement.....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Aborigines Protection Board—Produce and Sale Store Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August.....	To be printed.	
Statement.....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Prisons—Bread Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August.....	To be printed.	
Statement.....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Prisons—Live Stock Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August.....	To be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Statement .....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ending 30th June, 1917, in connection with Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Farms—Farm Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	1917. 28 August .....	To be printed.	
Statement .....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Wheat Areas Establishment—Store Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August .....	To be printed.	
Statement .....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Forest Vale Demonstration Farm—Store Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August .....	To be printed.	
Statement .....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Gosford Farm Home for Boys—Farm Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August .....	To be printed.	
Statement .....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Erskineville Bootmaking School.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August .....	To be printed.	
Statement .....	of Receipts and Expenditure for year ended 30th June, 1917, in connection with Labour Farm Account.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	28 August .....	To be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 14A, under the Closer Settlement Acts .....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	28 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Form .....	No. 128, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	28 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Statement .....	of Accounts showing Income and Expenditure under the Valuation of Land Act, 1916, for the year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	28 August .....	To be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Inebriates Act, 1912 .....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	29 August .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Railway Commissioners for quarter ended 30th June, 1917...	.....	Mr. Ball .....	29 August .....	To be printed.	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	29 August .....	Not to be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 30th August, 1917.

WM. KEARSLEY,  
Temporary Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 6.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, a.m., 1917, Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 5, dated 30th August, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulations .....	under the Public Service Act, 1902 .....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	1917. 4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 325, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	Nos. 14, 74, and 335, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for maintaining the Railway Traffic between Sydney and Albury, by duplicating near Wingello.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for maintaining the Railway Traffic between Sydney and Albury, by providing a Siding at Fish River.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Goulburn Sewerage.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under Public Works Act, 1912, for North Shore Drainage.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Gurrerar Bore Water Trust.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Thule Creek Water Trust.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Dunsandle Bore Water Trust.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Wagga Wagga Water Supply (new Service Reservoir).	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Liverpool State Hospital and Asylum.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for maintaining the Railway Traffic between Lidcombe and Regent's Park, by provision of Drainage facilities at Berala.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	4 September .....	Not to be printed.	

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Report .....	of the Minister of Public Instruction for the year 1916.....	.....	Mr. James .....	1917. 4 September .....	To be printed.	
Statement of Accounts .....	Auditor's Certificate, Receipts and Expenditure from 5th March, 1915, to 14th August, 1917, of the National Belgian Relief Fund of New South Wales.	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	5 September .....	To be printed.	
Further Interim Report.....	and Final Schedule of His Honor Judge Bevan as a Royal Commissioner appointed to inquire into the claims made by certain settlers on the Murrumbidgee Irrigation Area, with a view to ascertaining whether such settlers could prove that they were entitled to be compensated by reason of the unsuitability of the soil on their farms for the growth of lucerne.	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	5 September .....	To be printed.	
Regulation.....	under the Prisons Act, 1899 .....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	5 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	5 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	5 September .....	Not to be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 6th September, 1917.

WM. KEARSLEY,  
Temporary Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 7.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 6, dated 6th September, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Report .....	of the Department of Labour and Industry on the working of the Factories and Shops Act for 1916.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	1917. 12 September a.m.	To be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Particulars.....	of Western Land Leases issued under the provisions of the Western Lands Acts, from 31st August to 7th September, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands reserved from sale for the preservation of water supply or other public purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of sites for cities, towns, and villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of alterations of designs of cities, towns, and villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 September .....	Not to be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 13th September, 1917.

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.



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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 8.

## REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 7, dated 13th September, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Report .....	of the Examiner of Accounts of the Local Government Department of the Narrabri Municipal Council.	.....	Mr. James .....	1917. 20 September .....	To be printed.	

*Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 20th September, 1917.*

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.



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No. 9.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, A.M., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 8, dated 20th September, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Report .....	of the Trustees of the Australian Museum for the year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. James. ....	1917. 26 September .....	To be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	26 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	26 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Thirty-fourth Annual Report .....	with Appendices, under the Inscribed Stock Acts, 1902-1914 .....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	26 September .....	To be printed	
Amended Regulation .....	under the Hay Irrigation Act, 1902 .....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	27 September .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	under the Wentworth Irrigation Act, 1890.....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	27 September .....	Not to be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 27th September, 1917.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 9, dated 27th September, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
				1917.		
By-laws .....	under the Hunter District Water and Sewerage Acts, 1892-1906...	.....	Mr. Ball .....	2 October .....	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	under the Hunter District Water and Sewerage Acts, 1892-1906 ...	.....	Mr. Ball .....	2 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 205, and Amended Form No. 74, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	3 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Minute .....	of the Public Service Board relating to the appointment of Dr. A. L. McLean, as Junior Assistant Medical Officer, Lunacy Department, Department of Public Health.	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	3 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Dentists' Act, 1912-16 .....	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	3 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	under the Metropolitan Traffic Acts, 1900-1913.....	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	3 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909.....	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	3 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of Bursary Endowment Board for the year ended 30th June, 1917....	.....	Mr. Ball .....	3 October .....	To be printed.	
Report .....	by the Chief Examiner of Gas, Department of Labour and Industry, on the alleged increase in consumption of gas during the period covered by the prohibitions under the Electric Lighting and Gas Emergency Act, 1917.	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	4 October .....	To be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 4th October, 1917.

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
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No. 11.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, A.M., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 10, dated 4th October, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
New General Rule 64.....	under the Mines Inspection Act, 1901 .....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	1917. 9 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended By-laws .....	of the University of Sydney .....	.....	Mr. James.....	9 October.....	Not to be printed.	
New By-laws .....	of the University of Sydney .....	.....	Mr. James.....	9 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Particulars.....	of Western Land Leases issued under the provisions of the Western Lands Act on the 5th October, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	9 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Information .....	respecting transactions of the Benevolent Society of New South Wales during the period 1910-16.	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	9 October.....	To be printed.	
Amended By-laws .....	of the University of Sydney .....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	10 October .....	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipalities of Grafton and South Grafton, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	10 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Deep-water Harbour and extension of Northern Breakwater at Port Kembla.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	10 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Sydney Water Supply (Cordeaux River Dam).	.....	Mr. Ball .....	10 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of appropriation of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Albury, by duplicating and deviating between Callerin and Harden.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	10 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Bourke, by provision of Refuge Siding and Crossing Loop at Perthville.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	10 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Picton and Mittagong.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	10 October .....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices.....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	10 October .....	Not to be printed.	

Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 11th October, 1917.

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
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No. 12.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 11, dated 11th October, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
By-laws .....	of the Comc-by-Chance Bore Water Trust, under the Water Act, 1912.	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	1917. 16 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	showing Public Works estimated to cost £10,000 or over in course of construction.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 October.....	To be printed.	
Return .....	showing Public Works estimated to cost £10,000 or over that have been stopped.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 October.....	To be printed.	
Return .....	showing Public Works estimated to cost £20,000 or over which have not been referred to the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	17 October.....	To be printed.	
By-laws .....	under the Meat Industry Act, 1915 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	17 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract .....	of Crown Lands reserved from Sale for the preservation of Water Supply or other Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	17 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Alterations of Designs of Cities, Towns, and Villages, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	17 October.....	Not to be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 18th October, 1917.

WM. KEARSLEY,  
Temporary Chairman.



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No. 13.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 12, dated 18th October, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks
Amended Regulation No. 18A..... Abstract .....	under the Closer Settlement Acts ..... of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	1917. 23 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Minute .....	of the Public Service Board relating to the appointment, on probation, of Miss E. K. Dixon as Assistant Teacher, Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta, Department of Public Instruction.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	23 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Taronga Zoological Park Trust, Sydney, for 1916.....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	24 October.....	To be printed.	
Notification .....	of Resumption of Land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Wagga Wagga to Tumberumba Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	25 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of Resumption of Land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Condobolin to Broken Hill Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	25 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of Resumption of Land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for establishment of State Forest at Nundle.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	25 October.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Western Land Board for the year ended 30th June, 1917....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	25 October.....	To be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 25th October, 1917.

WM. KEARSLEY,  
Temporary Chairman.



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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 14.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, a.m., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the papers referred to them since their Report No. 13, dated 25th October, 1917, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks
				1918.		
Public Service Report .....	List for 1917 of the Public Service Board for period 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	29 January .....	To be printed.	
Amended .....	Regulations Nos. 111A, 121, 122, 126, 319, and 368, under the Public Service Act, 1902.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	29 January .....	To be printed.	
Additional.....	Regulation No. 35c, and amendment of Regulations Nos. 95, 29, 77, and 80, under the Prisons Act, 1899.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Report .....	Regulations under the Industrial Arbitration Acts, 1912-1916 of the Commissioners for Railways and Tramways for quarter ended 31st December, 1917.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Albury, by provision of Engine Round House at Wagga Wagga.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	29 January .....	To be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the construction of a Concrete and Masonry Dam across the Cordesaux River.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the Wyalong to Lake Cudgellieo Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the City and Suburban Electric Railway.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	

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Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the construction of a Dry Dock at Ashby.	.....	Mr. Ball	1918. 29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the construction of a Service Reservoir for Peak Hill Water Supply.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Katoomba Water Supply.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Tamworth Water Supply.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the extension of Callan Park Mental Hospital.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the establishment of Kowana Public Watering-place.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for providing a road of access from the main road between East Maitland and Largs to King's or Narrowgut Island (Hunter River).	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for the erection of Leading Marks or Beacons for purposes of navigation in the Port of Newcastle.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of rescission of resumption of land, under the City and Suburban Railways (Resumption Rescission) Act, 1917 (No. 1).	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of rescission of resumption of land, under the City and Suburban Railways (Resumption Rescission) Act, 1917 (No. 2).	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of rescission of resumption of land, under the City and Suburban Railways (Resumption Rescission) Act, 1917 (No. 3).	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of rescission of resumption of land, under the City and Suburban Railways (Resumption Rescission) Act, 1917 (No. 4).	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of rescission of resumption of land, under the City and Suburban Railways (Resumption Rescission) Act, 1917 (No. 5).	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of appropriation and resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Railway Traffic between Sydney and Nowra, by quadruplicating between Sydenham and Rockdale.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Notification	of resumption of land, under the Local Government Act, 1906, for a Gravel Quarry Site near Singleton.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the Municipality of Orange, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the Municipality of Kompsey—Willow Swamp Drainage Scheme, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage (Amendment) Act, 1905.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the Municipality of Quirindi, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
By-laws	of the Municipality of Casino, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. Ball	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Statement	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 30th September, 1917.	.....	Mr. Fuller	29 January	To be printed.	
Statement	of Liabilities and Assets of Public Companies for quarter ended 30th September, 1917.	.....	Mr. Fuller	29 January	To be printed.	
By-laws	under the Meat Industry Act, 1915	.....	Mr. Fuller	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909	.....	Mr. Fuller	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Regulations	under the Metropolitan Traffic Act, 1900	.....	Mr. Fuller	29 January	Not to be printed.	
Report	of the Director of Botanic Gardens, Government Domains, and Centennial Park for 1916.	.....	Mr. Grahame	29 January	To be printed.	
Statement	of Receipts and Expenditure of the Carlwaa (late Wentworth) Irrigation Area for 1917.	.....	Mr. Grahame	29 January	To be printed.	

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Statement .....	of Receipts and Expenditure of the Hay Irrigation Area for 1917...	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	29 January .....	To be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Apiaries Act, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Stock Diseases (Tick) Acts, 1901-1915 .....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Statement .....	of Balances of Appropriations of the year 1916-17, written off as Savings on 30th June, 1917, under the Audit Act, 1902.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the State Debt Commissioners for the year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	To be printed.	
Statement .....	of Accounts of the Sydney Harbour Trust Commissioners for the year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	To be printed.	
Balance-sheet .....	Trading Account, and Profit and Loss Account of the State Clothing Factory for year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	To be printed.	
Amended Regulations .....	Nos. 137, 138, 139, 140, and 144, under the Navigation Acts, 1901-1904.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulation .....	No. 30, under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900 .....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	Nos. 298 and 299, under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900 .....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulation .....	No. 300, under the Sydney Harbour Trust Acts, 1900-1914 .....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	Nos. 1 to 9, under the Finance Taxation Management Acts, 1915-1917.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulation .....	No. 301, under the Sydney Harbour Trust Act, 1900 .....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 15, under the Navigation Acts, 1901-1904 .....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Rules .....	Nos. 2 and 4, under the Mines Inspection Act, 1901 .....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract .....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Notification .....	of resumption of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for a Public Cemetery at Nerriga.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Particulars .....	of Western Land Leases issued under the provisions of the Western Lands Acts from 2nd November to 31st December, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Department of Lands and Western Land Board for the year ended 30th June, 1917; also Report of the Director of Soldiers' Settlements for the period October, 1916, to June, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	To be printed.	
Amended Forms .....	Nos. 1 and 3, under the Returned Soldiers' Settlement Act, 1916...	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Form .....	No. 129, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Additional Regulation .....	No. 325A, and Additional Form No. 129A, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Additional Regulations .....	Nos. 195, 196C, 196D, 213B, 220A, 228A, 250A, and 267A; Additional Forms Nos. 67, 68B, 68C, 78B, 80, 83A, 97A, 102A, and 111B; Amended Regulations Nos. 4, 14, 25, 44, 49, 73, 74, 119, 122, 163, 186, 193, 214, 217A, 218, 225, 227, 228, 242, 244, 245, 247, 250, 253, 278, 282, 325, and 353; Amended Forms Nos. 9, 10, 20, 40, 48, 49, 60, 82A, 87, 89, 90, 94, 96, 97, 99, 102, 104, 117, and 129; and Cancellation of Regulations Nos. 158, 187, 282A, and 283; also Forms Nos. 18, 63, 66, 66A, 98A, and 117A, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations .....	Nos. 2, 5, 6, and 7; Additional Regulations Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18, and Additional Forms, Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11, under the Returned Soldiers Settlements Act, 1916.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	Nos. 1, 2 and 3, and Form No. 1, under the Bega and Wilberforce Labor Settlement Act, 1917.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 313, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	
Additional Regulation .....	No. 205A, Amended Regulation No. 222, and Amended Form, No. 155, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	29 January .....	Not to be printed.	

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Sydney, 31st January, 1918.

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 15.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, a.m., 1917, Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 14, dated 14th February, 1918, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Regulations .....	under the Careless Use of Fire Act, 1912 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	1918. 5 February.....	Not to be printed.	Papers to be classified and duplicates to be eliminated.
Amended Regulation .....	No. 20, under the Hay Irrigation Act, 1902 .....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	5 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	Nos. 21 and 22, under the Wentworth Irrigation Act.....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	5 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Department of Agriculture for year ended 30th June, 1917 .....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	5 February.....	To be printed.	
Notifications .....	of resumptions of land, under the Public Works Act, 1912, for Public School Purposes, at Blue Knob, Goodwood, Lillyville, and Neilrex.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	5 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Weights and Measures Act, 1915 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	6 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales for 1917 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	6 February.....	To be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Forestry Act, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	6 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Forestry Commission for year ended 30th June, 1917 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	7 February.....	To be printed.	
Return .....	to an Order made on 23rd October, 1917, "Purchase of Bodington Consumptive Home, Wentworth Falls."	Mr. Dooley .....	Mr. Fuller .....	7 February.....	Postponed for further consideration.	
Report .....	of the Proceedings of the River Murray Commission, together with Progress Reports regarding investigations and works carried out by the States of New South Wales, Victoria, and South Australia, for the purposes of the Murray River Agreement, during the period 31st January to 30th June, 1917, in pursuance of the provisions of the River Murray Waters Act.	.....	Mr. Holman .....	12 February.....	To be printed.	
Abstract.....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to public purposes, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notices .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the dedication of certain lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Additional Regulation .....	No. 51, and Additional Forms Nos. 41 and 42, under the Closer Settlement Acts.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulation .....	No. 43, under the Forestry Act, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 February.....	Not to be printed.	
New Regulations .....	under the Dairy Industry Act, 1915 .....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	14 February.....	Not to be printed.	

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Sydney, 14th February, 1917.*

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.



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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 16.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, A.M., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 15, dated 14th February, 1918, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Return .....	to an Order made on 23rd October, 1917, "Purchase of Bodington Consumptive Home, Wentworth Falls."	Mr. Dooley .....	Mr. Fuller .....	1918. 7 February.....	To be printed (in Part).	
Proclamation .....	of intention to acquire Estates under the Closer Settlement Acts, and Proclamation notifying list of Estates on the authorised line of railway from Henty to Billabong Creek.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	14 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Scheme suggested .....	by Dr. W. H. Palmer, Medical Superintendent, Waterfall Sanatorium, for the control and treatment of Tuberculosis in New South Wales.	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	19 February.....	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the Registrar of Friendly Societies, Trade Unions, Building Societies, Co-operative Societies, and Workmen's Compensation Act, for 1917.	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	19 February.....	To be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Navigation Acts, 1901-1904 .....	.....	Mr. J. C.L. Fitzpatrick	19 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Amendment .....	of Regulations Nos. 46, 47, 49, 83, 88, 165A, 166, 168, 200, 201, 282, 301A, 301B, 374, and 381, and Additional Regulation No. 50A, under the Public Service Act, 1902.	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	19 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Amendment .....	of Regulation No. 328, under the Public Service Act, 1902 .....	.....	Mr. D. R. Hall .....	.....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.. ..	Nos. 193, 194, and 252, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913, and Amended Regulation No. 11, under the Returned Soldiers Settlement Act, 1916.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	19 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Gazette Notice .....	setting forth the mode in which it is proposed to deal with the Dedication of certain Lands, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	.....	.....	Not to be printed.	
Amendment .....	of under the Forestry Act, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	21 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Department of Public Works, for year ended 30th June, 1917	.....	Mr. Ball .....	.....	To be printed.	
Amendment .....	of By-laws, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1916, for the Municipality of Orange.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	21 February.....	Not to be printed.	

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Sydney, 21st February, 1918.

WM. KEARSLEY,  
Temporary Chairman.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 17.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, A.M., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 16, dated 21st February, 1918, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Statement .....	by the Director-General of Public Health respecting "X" Disease.	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	1918. 25 February.....	To be printed.	
Additional Regulation .....	under the Theatres and Public Halls Act, 1908 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	25 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Board of Fire Commissioners of New South Wales for 1917 .....	.....	Mr. Fuller .....	25 February.....	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission for the year ended 30th June, 1917.	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	25 February.....	To be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipality of Narrandera, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1890-1905.	.....	Mr. Ball .....	25 February.....	Not to be printed.	
Correspondence .....	between the Honorable the Prime Minister and the Honorable the Premier of New South Wales with reference to Government Shipbuilding Scheme at Walsh Island.	.....	Mr. Holman .....	25 February.....	To be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 28th February, 1918.

WALTER BENNETT,  
Chairman.



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No. 18.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, A.M., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 17, dated 28th February, 1918, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Amended .....	By-laws of the University of Sydney .....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick .....	1918. 1 March .....	Not to be printed.	
Correspondence .....	regarding the return to work of men at the Pelaw Main and Richmond Main Collieries.	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	4 March .....	To be printed.	
Notice .....	of intention to declare that Crown Lease No. 16/6, Land District of Windsor, portion 61, Parish of St. Albans, County of Northumberland, applied for by John Henry Hough, shall cease to be voidable.	.....	Mr. Grahame .....	4 March .....	Not to be printed.	
Particulars .....	of Western Lands Leases issued under the provisions of the Western Lands Acts from 1st February to 22nd February, 1918.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	7 March .....	Not to be printed.	
Abstract .....	of Crown Lands intended to be dedicated to Public Purposes under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	7 March .....	Not to be printed.	
Amendment .....	of Regulation No. 13 under the Forestry Act, 1916 .....	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	7 March .....	Not to be printed.	
By-law .....	under the Meat Industry Act, 1915 .....	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	7 March .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Comptroller-General of Prisons for 1917.....	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick .....	7 March .....	To be printed.	
Report .....	of the President of the State Children Relief Board for the year ended 5th April, 1917.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick .....	7 March .....	To be printed.	

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Sydney, 7th March, 1918.

WM. KEARSLEY,  
Temporary Chairman.

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No. 19.

REPORT FROM PRINTING COMMITTEE.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, appointed under the Sessional Order of 2nd August, 1917, A.M., Votes No. 8, Entry 11, have agreed to report to your Honorable House in relation to the Papers referred to them since their Report No. 18, dated 7th March, 1918, as follows:—

Description of Paper.	Subject of Paper.	By whom Moved for.	By whom laid upon Table.	When laid upon Table.	Recommended by the Committee.	Remarks.
Amended Regulations.....	under the Wentworth Irrigation Act, 1890.....	.....	Mr. Grahams .....	1918. 12 March .....	Not to be printed.	
Amended Regulations.....	under the Industrial Arbitration Acts, 1912-16.....	.....	Mr. Beeby .....	12 March .....	Not to be printed.	
Return .....	showing the name, position, and salary of each member of the staff of the office of the Agent-General for New South Wales in London.	.....	Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick	12 March .....	To be printed.	
Statement.....	of Bank Liabilities and Assets for quarter ended 31st December, 1917.	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	12 March .....	To be printed.	
Statement .....	of Liabilities and Assets of Public Companies for quarter ended 31st December, 1917.	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	12 March .....	To be printed.	
Regulations .....	under the Metropolitan Traffic Acts, 1900-13 .....	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	12 March .....	Not to be printed.	
Report .....	of the Inspector-General of the Insane for 1917 .....	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	12 March .....	To be printed.	
Amended Regulations .....	under the Motor Traffic Act, 1909.....	.....	Mr. David Storey .....	12 March .....	Not to be printed.	
By-laws .....	of the Municipality of Orange, under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 1880-1905.	.....	Mr. Ball ..	12 March .....	Not to be printed.	
Additional Regulation .....	No. 205B, Regulation 22A, and Additional Form No. 137, under the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1903.	.....	Mr. Ashford .....	12 March .....	Not to be printed.	

Assembly Reading Room, Legislative Assembly,  
Sydney, 14th March, 1918.

WM. KEARSLEY,  
Temporary Chairman.



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NEW SOUTH WALES.

REGISTER OF ADDRESSES AND ORDERS FOR PAPERS DURING THE SESSION 1917-18.

No. of ORDER.	WHEN PASSED.			ON WHOSE MOTION.	PAPER APPLIED FOR.		RETURN TO ADDRESS OR ORDER. (Laid on Table.)	REGISTER NUMBER.	IF TO BE PRINTED.
	VOTES.				By Address.	By Order.			
	No.	Date.	Entry.						
1	40	1917. 23 October...	3	Mr. Dooley .....	.....	Purchase of "Bodington" Consumptive Home, Wentworth Falls.	1918. 7 February ...	1918/457	1918. 21 Feb.

REGISTER OF ADDRESSES AND ORDERS FOR PAPERS DURING FORMER SESSIONS.

No. of ORDER.	WHEN PASSED.			ON WHOSE MOTION.	PAPERS APPLIED FOR.		RETURN TO ADDRESS OR ORDER. (Laid on Table.)	REGISTER NUMBER.	IF TO BE PRINTED.
	VOTES.				By Address.	By Order.			
	No.	Date.	Entry.						
1	103	1892. 17 March.....	5	Mr. Garrard.....	.....	Convictions under the Liquor Acts.....	1917. 16 August. (In part.)	1917/117	1917. 16 August.

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REGISTER OF ADDRESSES (NOT BEING FOR PAPERS) TO THE GOVERNOR DURING THE SESSION 1917-18.

SUBJECT OF ADDRESS.	ORIGINATED IN THE ASSEMBLY.				WHEN PASSED OR AGREED TO.			WHEN AND HOW PRESENTED.				WHEN AND HOW ANSWERED.				REMARKS.
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	No.	Date.	Entry.	On whose Motion.	No.	Date.	Entry.	No.	Date.	Entry.	By whom	No.	Date.	Entry.	By whom and how.	
Lieutenant-Governor's Opening Speech .....	1	1917. 17 July...	16	Mr. Ley .....	8	1917. 2 August a.m.	5	9	1917. 2 Aug. ...	1	Mr. Speaker, accompanied by the House	9	1917. 2 August	1	His Excel- lency the Lieutenant- Governor.	Address in Reply prepared by Se- lect Committee appointed for that purpose.
Appointment of His Excellency Sir Walter Edward Davidson, K.C.M.G., as Governor of the State of New South Wales.	52	1918. 19 Feb....	2	Mr. Holman .....	54	1918. 21 Feb. ...	3	57	1918. 27 Feb. ...	1	Do. ....	57	1918. 27 Feb. ...	1	His Excel- lency the Governor.	Message from Governor notify- ing appointment, 19 February, 1918, Votes No. 52.

Legislative Assembly Office,  
Sydney, 20th March, 1918.

W. S. MOWLE,  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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