

New South Wales.

No. 11.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

FIFTH SESSION OF THE THIRTIETH PARLIAMENT.

THURSDAY, 21 JUNE, 1934.

1. The House met pursuant to adjournment. The President took the Chair.

Members present,—

The Honorable Sir John Beverley Peden, K.C.M.G., K.C., President.

The Honorable Anthony Alexander Alam,
 The Honorable George Stacher Archer,
 The Honorable Alfred Noble Binks,
 The Honorable Walter Corrie Cambridge,
 Major the Honorable Arthur Edmund Colvin,
 M.C., M.B., Ch.M., F.R.A.C.S.,
 The Honorable James Matthew Concannon,
 The Honorable Lionel Thomas Courtenay,
 The Honorable John Culbert,
 The Honorable Ernest Henry Farrar,
 The Honorable Joseph Reuben Gardiner,
 The Honorable Donald McLennan Grant,
 The Honorable James Joseph Graves,
 The Honorable Herbert Middleton Hawkins,
 The Honorable Alfred Macartney Hemsley,
 The Honorable Henry Edwin Horne,
 The Honorable Archibald Howie,
 The Honorable Sir Norman William Kater,
 Kt., M.B., Ch.M.,
 The Honorable Robert Arthur King,
 The Honorable Frederick Percival Kneeshaw,
 The Honorable Hugh Latimer,
 The Honorable Patrick Michael McGirr,

The Honorable Robert Mahony,
 The Honorable Marsden Erle Manfred,
 The Honorable Henry Edward Manning,
 K.C., B.A., LL.B.,
 The Honorable Henry Clements Moulder,
 The Honorable George Mullins,
 The Honorable George Nesbitt,
 The Honorable William Elliott Veitch Robson,
 B.A.,
 The Honorable James Ryan,
 The Honorable Lionel William Ryan,
 The Honorable Samuel James Smith,
 The Honorable Ernest Christian Sommerlad,
 The Honorable Frank William Spicer,
 Major the Honorable Thomas Steele,
 The Honorable Colin Tannock,
 The Honorable Sir Allen Arthur Taylor, Kt.,
 The Honorable Frederick Henry Tout,
 The Honorable Thomas James Tyrrell,
 The Honorable Sir Samuel Walder, Kt.,
 The Honorable Frank Edgar Wall, M.D.,
 The Honorable Hugh Moffitt Wragge.

2. Prayer.

3. PAPERS:—Mr. J. Ryan laid upon the Table the undermentioned Papers:—

(1.) Annual Reports of the Hospitals Commission of New South Wales for the years ended 30th June, 1932, and 30th June, 1933.

Ordered to be printed.

(2.) Rule of Court made by the Judges of the Supreme Court promulgating Rule 404c.

(3.) Sydney Corporation Act, 1932 (*as amended*)—Amendment of By-law No. 31A, under:

(4.) Local Government Act, 1919—Certified copy of Supplementary Agreement between the Kempsey Electric Light and Power Company Limited and the Council of the Municipality of Kempsey, relating to a franchise for the supply of electric current for street and private lighting and for power within the Municipality.

4. MINISTERIAL STATEMENT—CONNECTION OF WILLIAM-STREET TRAM-LINE WITH BELLEVUE HILL TRAM-LINE AT YURONG-STREET:—Mr. Manning made a statement in reference to this subject in reply to representations made by the Honorable Hugh Latimer, M.L.C., on 31st ultimo.
5. SYDNEY CORPORATION (AMENDMENT) BILL:—Upon the Order of the Day being read, the President left the Chair, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the further consideration of this Bill.
The Chairman reported progress and obtained leave to sit again next Sitting Day.
6. ADJOURNMENT:—Mr. Manning moved, That this House do now adjourn.
Debate ensued.
Question put and passed.

The House adjourned accordingly, at Seven minutes before Six o'clock, p.m., until Tuesday next at Four o'clock, p.m.

C. H. H. CALVERT,
Clerk of the Parliaments.

NOTICES OF QUESTIONS AND MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY.

TUESDAY, 26TH JUNE, 1934.

QUESTIONS:—

1. Mr. CONCANNON to ask THE VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL,—
 - (1.) When will the contract made for the supply of cement to the Government under the Cement Contract Ratification Act of 1930 be completed?
 - (2.) What is the total quantity of cement already supplied and to be supplied, under the contract?
 - (3.) What provision does the Government intend to make on the expiry of the contract for the future supplies of cement?
2. Dr. WALL to ask THE VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL:—
 - (1.) Whether the list of regressed officers in the Locomotive Branch of the Railway Department, which appeared in the *Sun* newspaper dated 7th March, 1934, was a complete list of the officers so treated during 1933, and if not, the names of those omitted?
 - (2.) The circumstances which led in certain cases to their restoration?
 - (3.) Why restoration has not been made in some cases?
 - (4.) On whose recommendation the changes were originally made?
 - (5.) Will he lay upon the Table of the House the evidence and findings of the Appeals Board hearings in those cases heard by the Appeals Board?

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS—ORDERS OF THE DAY:—

1. Sydney Corporation (Amendment) Bill; to be further considered in Committee. [Mr. Manning.]
2. Guardianship of Infants Bill; to be further considered in Committee. [Mr. Manning.]