New South Wales

No. 85

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTIETH PARLIAMENT

THURSDAY, 21 MAY, 1964

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

The Honourable William Edward Dickson, President.

The Honourable Frederick Maclean Hewitt,
The Honourable Reginald Stanley Jackson,
The Honourable Asher Alexander Joel,
O.B.E., The Honourable Harold Daniel Ahern, The Honourable Anthony Alexander Alam, The Honourable Alexander Ewan Armstrong, O.B.E.,

The Honourable James Denis Kenny,
The Honourable John Lesley Kenny,
The Honourable Christopher Augustine Love,
Major the Honourable Herbert John
McPherson,
The Honourable James Joseph Maloney,
The Honourable Ralph Benson Marsh,
The Honourable William Thomas Murray,
The Honourable Lindsay Annan North,
The Honourable Ernest Charles O'Dea,
The Honourable Robert Clyde Packer,
The Honourable John Guthrie Paterson,
The Honourable William Charles Peters,
Brigadier the Honourable Thomas Alfred
John Playfair, D.S.O., O.B.E., V.D.,
The Honourable Frederick Graham Pratten,
B.Sc., The Honourable Arexander Ewah Armstrong,
The Honourable Evelyn Barron,
The Honourable Arthur Dalgety Bridges,
F.C.A. (Aust.),
The Honourable Roger August Alfred Faes
de Bryon-Faes, K.H.S., M.A., M.Sc.,
Ph.D.,
The Honourable Horry Vincent Budd Ph.D.,
The Honourable Harry Vincent Budd,
The Honourable Cedric Alan Francis Cahill,
Q.C.,
The Honourable Cyril Joseph Cahill,
The Honourable John Markham Carter,
C.B.E., M.C.,
Colonel the Honourable Hector Joseph
Richard Clayton, E.D., B.A., LL.B.,
The Honourable Francis Henry Cockerill,
The Honourable William Robert Coulter,
The Honourable William Robert Coulter,
The Honourable Robert Lyndon Day,
The Honourable Robert Reginald Downing,
LL.B., B.Sc.,
The Honourable Anne Elizabeth Press,
The Honourable Michael Thomas Leslie
Quinn,
The Honourable Edna Sirius Roper,
The Honourable Amelia Elizabeth Mary
Rycafe LL.B.,
The Honourable Robert Hamilton Erskine,
Brigadier the Honourable Stanley Louis
Mowbray Eskell, E.D.,
The Honourable Otway McLaurin Falkiner,
Major the Honourable Herbert Paton
FitzSimons, The Honourable Amelia Elizabeth Waty Rygate,
The Honourable Perceval Martin Maurice Shipton,
The Honourable Leon Samuel Snider,
The Honourable Frank William Spicer,
The Honourable Gavin Hamilton Sutherland,
The Honourable James Norman Thom,
The Honourable Sir Edward Emerton
Warren, K.B.E., C.M.G., M.S.M.,
The Honourable John Alexander Weir,
The Honourable Ernest Gerard Wright. FitzSimons,
The Honourable George Thomas Ford,
The Honourable John Bryan Munro Fuller,
The Honourable Mabel Eileen Furley,
O.B.E.,
The Honourable John Henry Gardiner,
The Honourable Walter James Geraghty,
The Honourable Thomas Patrick Gleeson,

2. PRAYER.

3. ELECTION OF A MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL IN PLACE OF THE HONOURABLE RICHARD HENRY THOMPSON, DECEASED—TAKING OF THE VOTES OF THE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL:—The President directed the Clerk to read the Order of the Day. The Order of the Day having been read, the Clerk duly displayed the ballot-box.

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And it being Two-thirty o'clock, p.m., the hour appointed in the Writ dated 28th April, 1964, for the taking of the votes of the Members, the President declared the ballot open, and the taking of the votes of Members thereupon commenced.

And it being Four-thirty o'clock, p.m., the hour appointed in the Writ for the termination of the taking of the votes at the sitting, the President directed that the doors be locked. The doors having been locked, the President inquired whether there was any Member present who had not yet received a ballot-paper and desired to vote.

And there being no such Member desiring to vote, the President directed that the doors be unlocked.

And Members who had received their ballot-papers before the hour appointed in the Writ for the termination of the taking of the votes having completed before that hour the recording of their votes, the President declared the ballot closed.

- 4. Assent to Bills:—The President reported the following Messages from His Excellency the Governor:—
 - (1.) Macquarie University Bill:-
 - E. W. WOODWARD,

Governor.

Message.

A Bill, intituled "An Act to provide for the establishment and incorporation of a University at Ryde; to constitute a Council of the University and define its powers, authorities, duties and functions; to amend the Superannuation Act, 1916-1963, the Local Government Act, 1919, and certain other Acts in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith,"—as finally passed by the Legislative Council and Assembly, having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, His Excellency has, in the name of Her Majesty, assented to the said Bill, and now transmits it to the Legislative Council, to be numbered and forwarded to the proper Officer for enrolment, in the manner required by law

Government House,

Sydney, 21st May, 1964.

(2.) Transport Commissioners (Superannuation) Bill:-

E. W. WOODWARD,

Governor.

Message.

A Bill, intituled "An Act to make provision whereby the Commissioners for Railways, Government Transport and Motor Transport may become contributors under the Superannuation Act, 1916, as amended; for this and other purposes to amend the said Act, as amended, and the Transport (Division of Functions) Act, 1932-1960; and for purposes connected therewith,"—as finally passed by the Legislative Council and Assembly, having been presented to the Governor for the Royal Assent, His Excellency has, in the name of Her Majesty, assented to the said Bill, and now transmits it to the Legislative Council, to be numbered and forwarded to the proper Officer for enrolment, in the manner required by law.

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- 5. PAPERS:-Mr. Maloney laid upon the Table the undermentioned Papers:-
 - (1.) Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913, as amended—Proposal for the revocation of lands dedicated and granted under Section 25 for the purpose of a Public Hall at Hay.
 - (2.) Fisheries and Oyster Farms Act, 1935, as amended-
 - (a) Amendment of Regulation 1; Regulations 6 to 32 inclusive—establishment of the New South Wales Fish Authority and sale of fish.
 - (b) Substitution of Regulation 162—fees for granting of certificates of Registration as a Canner of Fish and Licenses to sell fish otherwise than at a
 - (3.) Government Railways Act, 1912, as amended—Statement of contracts quoted for railways conveyance by exercise of the powers conferred on the Commissioner for Railways by Section 24 (3), (4) and (6) for the month of March, 1964.

- (4.) Land and Valuation Court Act, 1921, as amended—Valuation of Land Act, 1916, as amended—Rules of the Land and Valuation Court—Rule 110 and Heading.
- (5.) Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1901, as amended—Substitution of Form A of The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Animal Boarding Establishments) Regulations; Substitution of Form A of The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Kennels) Regulations.
- (6.) Public Works Act, 1912, as amended—Burrendong Dam Act, 1946, as amended—Notification of acquisition, appropriation and/or resumption of land for the construction of a dam across the Macquarie River at Burrendong and works incidental thereto—Shire of Wellington (3).
- (7.) Public Works Act, 1912, as amended—Ministry of Transport Act, 1932, as amended—Notification of acquisition, appropriation and/or resumption of land and/or easements for railway purposes of—
 - (a) providing railway sidings to the C.S.A. Mine at Cobar—Shire of Cobar;
 - (b) confirming the title of the Commissioner for Railways to land acquired and used in connection with the extension of the Sydney Station Yard —City of Sydney;
 - (c) constructing and maintaining electric high-tension transmission line between Hornsby and Hawkesbury River—Shire of Hornsby.
- (8.) Public Works Act, 1912, as amended—Water Act, 1912, as amended—Notification of acquisition, appropriation and/or resumption of land for the purpose of works in connection with the Berriquin Provisional Domestic and Stock Water Supply and Irrigation District—Shire of Berrigan.
- 6. Printing Committee:—Mr. Weir, as Chairman, brought up the Fourteenth Report from the Printing Committee.

 Ordered to be printed.

7. SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT:--

- (1.) Mr. Downing moved, That this House at its rising To-day, do adjourn until Tuesday, 16th June, 1964, at Four o'clock, p.m., unless the President, or if the President be unable to act on account of illness or other cause, the Chairman of Committees shall prior to that date, by communication addressed to each Member of the House, fix an earlier day and/or hour of meeting. Question put and passed.
- (2.) Mr. Downing then moved, That this House do now adjourn. Question put and passed.
- The House adjourned accordingly, at Twenty-five minutes before Five o'clock, p.m., until *Tuesday*, 16th *June*, 1964, at Four o'clock, p.m., unless an earlier day and/or hour be fixed in accordance with the resolution adopted This Day.

J. R. STEVENSON,

Clerk of the Parliaments.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL (21 May, 1964)

NOTICES OF QUESTIONS AND MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

TUESDAY, 16 JUNE, 1964

[Memo.—The House meet This Day at Four o'clock, p.m., unless the President, or, if the President be unable to act on account of illness or other cause, the Chairman of Committees, shall, prior to that date, by communication addressed to each Member of the House, fix an earlier day and/or hour of meeting.]

CONTINGENT NOTICE OF MOTION:-

1. Mr. Downing to move—contingent on the undermentioned Bill being presented by the Legislative Assembly to the Legislative Council for its concurrence and having been read by the Council the first time,—That so much of the Standing Orders be suspended as would preclude the passing of the Bill through all its remaining stages during the present or any one sitting of the House:—

Auctioneers and Agents (Amendment) Bill. [Notice given at 4.31 p.m., Tuesday, 19 March, 1963.]

GENERAL BUSINESS-ORDER OF THE DAY:-

1. Australian Pines and Products Afforestation Contracts Bill (as amended and agreed to in Select Committee); second reading. [Mr. Bridges.]