

THIRD SESSION

THIRTIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OPENED MARCH 11, 1953

ADJOURNED TO MARCH 18, 1953

SAT UNTIL MARCH 31, 1953

ADJOURNED TO APRIL 7, 1953 (EASTER RECESS)

SAT TO APRIL 22, 1953

SAT AGAIN APRIL 24, 1953 UNTIL MAY 9, 1953 (SATURDAY)

ADJOURNED TO MAY 18, 1953

NO QUORUM PRESENT MAY 19, HOUSE ADJOURNED TO MAY 20, 1953

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JOURNAL AND PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
THIRD SESSION
OF THE
THIRTIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NEWFOUNDLAND

BEGUN and holden at St. John's in the Province of Newfoundland on Wednesday eleventh day of March, Anno Domini, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-three in the Second Year of the reign of Her Majesty our Sovereign Lady Elizabeth the Second, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Queen, Defender of the Faith.

Wednesday, March 11th, 1953.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having fixed the hour at which he proposed to open the present Session of the Legislature at three of the clock in the afternoon of this Wednesday, the eleventh day of March, the Members of the House of Assembly met in the Assembly Chamber at three of the clock in the afternoon, when Mr. Speaker took the Chair.

At three of the clock the Sergeant-at-Arms announced that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had arrived.

His Honour entered the Assembly Chamber preceded by the Sergeant-at-Arms.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor took the Chair.

His Honour was then pleased to open the Session with a Speech from the Throne as follows:

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE HONOURABLE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY:

In common with British subjects throughout the world, our people are looking forward, keen and pleasurable anticipation to the Coronation of Her Majesty

Queen Elizabeth II which takes place in Westminster Abbey on Tuesday, June the Second. In response to an official invitation extended to Newfoundland to be represented at that solemn and historic ceremony, I, accompanied by my Prime Minister and my Minister of Education, am arranging to attend. A detachment of Newfoundland war veterans will form part of a contingent of the Canadian Legion invited to be present. This day has been proclaimed a Public Holiday throughout the Province. Preparations for suitable celebrations are well advanced. Particular care is being taken to ensure that our children are impressed with the significance of the event and are afforded every opportunity of participating in the rejoicings which the occasion will evoke in Her Majesty's loyal subjects in Newfoundland.

I am sure that we all rejoice over the continuing, and indeed expanding, prosperity of the Province. Newfoundland has never before experienced such prosperity, and the prayer of all is that this condition will be maintained.

It is generally known that the principal feature of my Ministers' policy is economic development. This has taken the form, for the most part, of encouraging the establishment of new mills and factories. My Ministers consider that the time has come, and that they are now ready, to proceed with other features of their policy, namely the development of the natural resources of the Province. These are the fisheries, minerals, water-power, forests and soil.

Foremost amongst these are of course the fisheries, and their development must inevitably be the principal objective in such a policy. Nearly two years ago my Government and the Government of Canada agreed upon the need for a far-reaching investigation into the fisheries of Newfoundland for the purpose of determining the full nature of the problem and especially of recommending a specific programme designed to effect a successful solution. A Fishery Development Committee was accordingly created by the two Governments and intensive research and investigation into the fisheries has since been carried out by that Committee. Their report and recommendations are expected very soon to be laid before my Government and the Government of Canada. My Ministers earnestly hope that the report and recommendations will constitute the chart and compass of a great new fishery development programme for this Province, and are determined, if this hope is realized, to seek the active participation of the Government of Canada, and to undertake jointly and energetically such development. My Ministers are convinced that it should be practicable so to develop the fisheries as to make them yield to the fishermen a much higher standard of living than they have ever known in the past. They hope in the present Session to lay the report and recommendations of the Committee before you and to afford you an opportunity to give them the careful consideration which their importance warrants.

Since their assumption of office my Ministers have given close study to the possibility of the development of our mineral and water-power resources. You will recall the various surveys and investigations carried out at considerable cost in these fields during the past several years. These expensive field surveys were instituted with a view to gathering certain general basic information without which it would have been merely a waste of time to approach important electrical and mining companies with proposals for more intensive prospecting and surveying activities leading to development. As foreseen, and has now proven to be the case, this view was the correct one, for the investigations undertaken led to negotiations with interested investors which should have the effect of bringing about development in these particular fields.

Legislation will be laid before you designed to broaden the character and scope of Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, the better to enable it to perform the great task entrusted to it when it was created by legislative enactment two years ago.

I am sure that our people were deeply pleased to learn that my Prime Minister had succeeded in arousing the interests of British concerns of world-wide repute in the natural resources of Newfoundland and Labrador, and that negotiations have been proceeding for some months past with a view to bringing a combination of these interests into the Province to conduct a vast programme of exploration and prospecting leading to development of these natural resources. My Ministers hope to lay legislation on these matters before you in the present Session.

My Government are acutely conscious of the immense importance of forest development, and particularly aware of the urgent need for a close and careful investigation of the forest resources remaining in the Province with a view to ascertaining whether the most economic use is made of them. My Ministers propose creating a Forest Development Committee to investigate and to recommend plans for conservation and development. This Committee would have the assistance of an outstanding Forestry expert.

We have long heard and read of the importance of agriculture in this Province, but it is the simple truth to say that Government policy in agriculture, down through the years, has been somewhat erratic and more than a little inconsistent and inconstant. Here again my Ministers feel the need of a consistent and practical programme, and they propose to create a Farm Development Committee charged with the responsibility of investigating and recommending a programme which, if approved, would be implemented with energy and resolution.

In general, my Government are determined to pursue energetically a policy of economic development in the field of natural resources. They are convinced that by such development on a broad and comprehensive scale the standard of our people's living can be raised to new and enduring heights.

The need for a new Election Act has long been felt, and the relevant legislation will be laid before you in due course.

There will also be presented for your approval a Bill relating to improved correctional treatment for juveniles and adults committed to Training Schools and penal institutions respectively. My Ministers believe that this legislation represents a distinctly forward step particularly in the field of penal reform.

When tidings of the appalling loss of life and property caused by storms which ravaged the coasts of Britain, Belgium and Holland last month were received in Canada, His Excellency the Governor General immediately formed a Committee, on which my Prime Minister was appointed the representative of Newfoundland, charged with the responsibility of raising funds to enable the Red Cross Society to come to the immediate relief of the sufferers. Although unable to attend a meeting of the Committee in Ottawa, my Prime Minister nominated a representative thereon, and took prompt steps to form a local committee to launch an appeal for aid. The response to this appeal was immediate and phenomenal. Within the space of three weeks over

\$100,000 was subscribed by our people and this amount is being augmented daily. I avail myself of this opportunity of thanking the subscribers and expressing appreciation of their prompt and generous response to the appeal.

May Divine Providence bless and guide your deliberations.

His Honour left the Assembly Chamber.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

Hon. the Premier introduced Hon. Frederick W. Rowe, Member for the District of Labrador and Hon. Myles P. Murray, Member for the District of Ferryland to Mr. Speaker.

The said Members took their seats in the House.

Hon. the Attorney General asked leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 111 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of the Registration of Deeds and other Documents.'"

On motion of Hon. the Attorney General the said Bill was read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Mr. Speaker announced that His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor, had been pleased to make a Speech to the Members met in General Assembly and that for greater accuracy he had obtained a copy.

The Clerk then read the said Speech at the table.

It was moved by Mr. Morgan and seconded by Mr. Brown that an Address of Thanks be presented to His Honour in reply to the gracious Speech with which he had been pleased to open the present Session of the Legislature and that a Select Committee be appointed to draft such Address in Reply.

It was ordered accordingly and the following gentlemen were appointed to such Committee:

Mr. Morgan
Mr. Brown
Mr. Higgins

The following resolution was moved by Hon. the Premier, seconded by Hon. the Leader of the Opposition and unanimously adopted:

RESOLVED: That this House desires to record the expression of its deep sorrow at the death of the late Honourable Walter Stanley Monroe, D.C.L., LL.D. at one time a Member of this House, as one of the representatives for the District of

Bonavista, a Member of the Legislative Council, and Prime Minister and Minister of Education of Newfoundland.

Hon. the Premier gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government of Newfoundland and Atlantic Gloves Limited."

Hon. the Minister of Fisheries and Co-operatives gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Co-operative Societies Act, 1939".

Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and International Forest Products Limited."

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Judicature Act."

Mr. Cashin gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Fogwill gave notice of Questions.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Wednesday afternoon, March 18th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, March 18., 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. the Minister of Public Works tabled "Regulations Re"Highways".

Hon. the Minister of Finance tabled "Public Accounts of the Province for the Year ending March 31, 1952, together with the Auditor General's Report thereon".

Mr. Morgan on behalf of the Select Committee appointed to draft a Reply to the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, Presented the Report of the Select Committee as follows:

To His Honour the Lieutenant Governor,
Sir Leonard Cecil Outerbridge, Knight Bachelor,
C. B. E., D.S.O.

May it please Your Honour,

We, the Commons of Newfoundland, in Legislative Session assembled, beg to thank Your Honour for the Gracious Speech which Your Honour has addressed to this House.

(Sgd) C. S. Brown,
James D. Higgins,
A. B. Morgan,
Chairman.

R. Morgan
Assembly ~~House~~,
March 19., 1953.

On motion it was ordered that the debate on the Address in Reply be deferred until a later hour in the day.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Superior Rubber Company Limited".

Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources gave notice that he would on tomorrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Wild Life Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Forest Fires Act, 1933".

Hon. the Minister of Provincial Affairs gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act, 1939".

Mr. Higgins gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Fogwill gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.

The Address in Reply was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Mr. Higgins tabled a copy of the "Sunday Herald" dated March 22, 1953.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, in the absence of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government of Newfoundland and Atlantic Gloves Limited" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on tomorrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Judicature Act" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and International Forest Products Limited" was read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Hon. the Minister of Fisheries and Co-operatives informed Mr. Speaker that he did not intend to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Co-operative Societies Act, 1939" and asked that the said Bill be removed from the Order Paper.

On motion the remaining Order of the Day was deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the ^{House} rises, it adjourn until tomorrow afternoon, March 19th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, March 19th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Petitions were presented by:

Mr. Morgan from Burlington Re Road.

Mr. Brown, on behalf of Mr. Speaker, from the District of St. Barbe, Re Bridge.

Mr. Drover from the District of White Bay, Re Medical Service.

Hon. the Premier tabled "Annual Report of the Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation".

The debate on the Address and Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act, 1948" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Wild Life Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Forest Fires Act, 1933," was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Superior Rubber Company Limited" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

The Second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 111 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled "Of the Registration of Deeds and other Documents" was debated and on motion was deferred for further debate on to-morrow.

The Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government of Newfoundland and Atlantic Gloves, Limited" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

The Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Judicature Act" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Order of the Day was deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow afternoon, March 20th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, March 20th., 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Petitions were presented by :

Mr. Courage from Harbour Mill, Re Road.

Mr. Brown from Canning's Cove, Re Road.

Mr. Hollett from St. Philip's, Re Road.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951".

Hon. the Minister of ^{Provincial} Municipal Affairs gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Shop Closing Act, 1940".

The Address in Reply was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement Between the Government of Newfoundland and Atlantic Gloves Limited".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Judicature Act".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bills without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 111 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled "Of the Registration of Deeds and Other Documents'" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the Houses rises, it adjourn until Monday afternoon, March 23rd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, March 23rd, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Petitions were presented by:

Mr. Brown from Salvage, Re Bridge.

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs & Supply,
from Island Cove, Re Road.

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs & Supply
from Hillview, Re Road.

Hon. the Minister of Labour tabled:

Report on the matters transacted by the Minister
of Labour during 1952, under the provisions of the
Labour Relations Act, 1950.

Report of Newfoundland Labour Relations Board
1952.

Report of the Proceedings of the Minimum Wage Board
established under the Minimum Wage Act, 1950
covering the year 1952.

Hon. the Premier gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Loans to Encourage the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland".

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Public Utilities (Acquisition of Lands) Act, 1951".

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local
Government (Elections) Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Community Councils
Act, 1952".

Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Old Age Assistance Act, 1951",

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Mothers' Allowances Act, 1947",

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Blind Persons Allowances Act, 1951"

Hon. the Minister of Labour gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Act, 1949".

Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce ^{the} a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Timber Licenses (Reversion to Crown) Act, 1951".

Hon. the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Insurance Companies Act".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act, 1939".

Hon. the Minister of Fisheries and Co-operatives tabled:

Second Annual Report of Fisheries Loan Board of Newfoundland for the Period ended March 31, 1952.

Second Annual Report of Co-operative Development Loan Board of Newfoundland for the period ended March 31, 1952.

Mr. Cashin gave notice of Questions.

The debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Mr. Hollett tabled a copy of "Time Magazine" dated March 23, 1953.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Tuesday afternoon, March 24th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

March
Tuesday, 24th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

The debate on the Address in Reply was ^{*continued*} ~~deferred~~ and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Wednesday Afternoon, March 25th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, ^{month} 25th, 19⁵³25.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

The following Resolution was moved by Hon. the Premier, Seconded by Hon. the Leader of the Opposition and adopted unanimously:

RESOLVED: That this House wishes to ^{record} ~~express~~
its Profound Sorrow and regret on the death
of the Dowager Queen Mary.

The House stood in Silence for two minutes.

Petitions were presented by:

Hon. Mr. Lewis from Colliers, Re Road.

Mr. Courage from St. Bernard's, Re Road.

Mr. Hollett from Glendale, Re Telephone Service.

Hon. the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow, ^{Committee} move that the House resolve itself into ^{of} the Whole to consider the granting of Supply to Her Majesty.

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

The debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Judicature Act" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement, the Government of Newfoundland and Atlantic Gloves Limited" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 111 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of the Registration of Deeds and Documents'"

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Shop Closing Act, 1940" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Loans to Encourage the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland" was introduced and read a first time and it ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Public Utilities (Acquisition of Lands) Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government (Elections) Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Community Councils Act, 1952" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Old Age Assistance Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Mothers' Allowance Act, 1949" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Act, 1949," was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend ^{the Timber} Licenses (Reversion to Crown) Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Insurance Companies Act" was introduced and read a first and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the ^{Insurance} Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act, ¹⁹²⁷ was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Blind Persons Allowance Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow afternoon, March 26th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.


HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, March 26th, 1943.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. the Premier made a statement Re an Agreement between the Government and Fishery Products, Limited.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Canning from Woody Island, Re Road.

Hon. the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow move the House into Committee of Supply to consider the Granting of Supplementary Supply to Her Majesty.

The debate on the Address was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 111 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of the Registration of Deeds and 'Other Documents'' was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and International Forest Products Limited," was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act, 1948" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until tomorrow afternoon, March 27th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, March 27th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Cashin gave notice of Question.

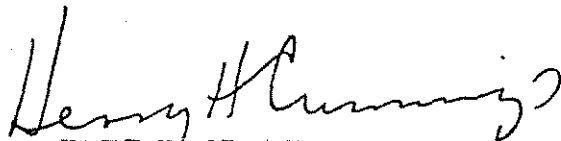
The debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement Between the Government and Superior Rubber Limited" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Monday afternoon, March 30th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,

Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, March 30th., 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland Corporation Income Tax Act, 1949."

Mr. Pollett gave notice of Question.

Mr. Fogwill gave notice of Question.

Hon. the Minister of Finance informed the House that he had received a Communication from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, which Mr. Speaker read to the House as follows:

The Honourable the Minister of Finance:

I, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Newfoundland, recommend that, pending the Tabling of the Estimates for the Financial Year 1953-54, a Vote on-account of \$5,722,000, calculated on the basis of approximately one-sixth of the Vote for the year 1952-53 be provided by the Provincial Legislature to meet essential Public Services.

(Sgd) Leonard Outerbridge,
Lieutenant Governor.

March 27th., 1953.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions in relation to the Grant of Supply to Her Majesty.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed certain Resolutions Granting Supply to Her Majesty and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions being read a first and second time, it was moved and seconded that the House concur with the Committee therein and the said Resolutions were agreed to.

On motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money for Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service for the Financial Year ending the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service", was read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the said Bill was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money for Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service for the Financial Year ending the thirty-first day of March One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-four and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Hon. the Minister of Finance informed the House that he had received a communication from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, which Mr. Speaker read to the House as follows:

The Honourable the Minister of Finance:

I, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Newfoundland, recommend that a Supplementary Vote of \$1,291,600, required to meet essential public services relating to the financial year 1952-53, be provided by the Provincial Legislature.

(Sgd) Lenoard Outerbridge

Lieutenant Governor.

March 27th, 1953.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions in relation to the grant of Supplementary Supply to Her Majesty.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed certain Resolutions granting Supplementary Supply to Her Majesty and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions being read a first and second time, it was moved and seconded that the House concur with the Committee therein and the said Resolutions were agreed to.

On motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money for Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service for the Financial Year ending the thirty-first day of March One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-three and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service" was read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the said Bill was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money for Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service for the Financial Year ending the thirty-first day of March One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-three and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

The debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Wild Life Act, 1951" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Public Utilities (Acquisition of Lands) Act, 1951" was read a second time and on motion it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Tuesday afternoon, March 31st, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, March 31st, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Petitions were presented by:

Mr. Morgan from Lushus Bight, Re Road.

Mr. Morgan from Harry's Harbour, Re Road.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had arrived.

His Honour took the Chair.

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour as follows:

It is my agreeable duty on behalf of Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, Her Faithful Commons in Newfoundland, to present to Your Honour Bills for the appropriation of Supply granted in the present Session.

Whereupon the Clerk read the following Bills entitled :

A Bill "An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money for Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service for the Financial Year ending the thirty-first day of March one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service.

A Bill "An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money for Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service for the Financial Year ending the Thirty-first Day of March One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-four and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service.

His Honour then said "In Her Majesty's name, I thank Her Loyal Subjects, I accent their benevolence, and assent to these Bills".

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor left the Assembly Chamber,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

Mr. Cashin gave notice of Question.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Loans to Encourage the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government (Elections) Act, 1951" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Forest Fires Act, 1953" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Community Councils Act, 1952" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Old Age Assistance Act, 1949" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Blind Persons Allowance Act 1951" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Mothers' Allowance Act, 1949" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled, ^{"An Act} Further to Amend the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Act, 1949" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

The debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.


Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Timber Licenses (Reversion to Crown) Act, 1951" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on tomorrow.

The Second Reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Insurance Companies Act" was debated and on motion was deferred for further debate on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Tuesday afternoon, ~~March~~ ^{April} 7th, at three of the clock. *AMK*

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday , April 7th, 1953

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. the Minister of Labour tabled "Annual Report of the Workmen's Compensation Board of Newfoundland for 1952".

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Western Memorial Hospital Corporation Act, 1947".

Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement Between the Government and Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited".

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Urban and Rural Planning."

Mr. Cashin gave notice of Question.

Mr. Fogwill gave notice of Question.

The debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act, 1943".

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Superior Rubber Limited".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the Bill titled "An Act Further to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act, 48" and had passed the said Bill with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had considered the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Superior Rubber Limited," had made some progress and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Wednesday afternoon, April 8th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, April 8th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Cashin gave notice of Question.

Hon. the Minister of Finance tabled Certified Copies of Minutes of the Honourable the Executive Council.

The debate on the Address in Reply was continued.

On motion, the report of the Select Committee appointed to draft a reply to the Opening Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor was adopted.

The Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act, 1948" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Superior Rubber Limited".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Wild Life Act, 1951. "
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Public Utilities (Acquisition of Lands) Act, 1951 "
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Forest Fires Act, 1933".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Superior Rubber Limited" with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the following Bills without amendment:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Wild Life Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Public Utilities (Acquisition of Lands) Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Forest Fires Act, 1933".

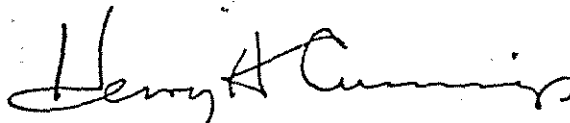
On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow,

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Thursday afternoon, ~~March~~ 9th, at three of the clock.

APRIL

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, April 9th., 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Courage from Pool's Cove, Re Road.

Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare tabled "Policy Manual of the Department of Public Welfare".

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Correction and the Prevention of Delinquency and Crime".

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Superior Rubber Limited" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Further to Amend the Wild Life Act, 1951" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Public Utilities (Acquisition of Lands) Act, 1951" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Forest Fires Act, 1933" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Provide for Loans ^{to encourage} the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland."

The House then adjourned accordingly.

THURSDAY, April 9th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Courage from Pool's Cove, re Road.

Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare tabled "Policy Manual of the Department of Public Welfare."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare gave notice that he would on tomorrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Correction and the Prevention of Delinquency and Crime."

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Superior Rubber Limited" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Wild Life Act, 1951" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Public Utilities (Acquisition of Lands) Act, 1951" was read a third time and passed and it

was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Forest Fires Act, 1933" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Provide for Loans to encourage the development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government (Elections) Act, 1951."

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Community Councils Act, 1952."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Old Age Assistance Act, 1951."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Mothers' Allowances Act, 1949."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Act, 1949."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Blind Persons' Allowance Act, 1951."

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Timber Licenses (Reversion to Crown) Act, 1951."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Timber Licenses (Reversion to Crown) Act, 1951" with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on tomorrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the following Bills without amendment:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government (Elections) Act, 1951."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Old Age Assistance Act, 1951."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Mothers' Allowances Act, 1949."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Act, 1949."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Blind Persons' Allowance Act, 1951."

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on tomorrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had considered the Bills entitled:

A Bill "An Act to Provide for Loans to Encourage the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland."

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Community Councils Act, 1952."

had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on tomorrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Accident Companies (Licensing) Act, 1949" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on tomorrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland Corporation Income Tax Act, 1949" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on tomorrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Western Memorial Hospital Corporation Act, 1947" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on tomorrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on tomorrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement Between the Government and Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited" was introduced and read a

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On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee Further reported that they had considered the Bills entitled :

A Bill "An Act to Provide for Loans to Encourage the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland.

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Community Councils Act, 1952.

had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Accident Companies (Licensing) Act, 1949" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland Corporation Income Tax Act, 1949" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Western Memorial Hospital Corporation ~~Income Tax~~ Act, 1947" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement Between the Government and Newfoundland Flourspar Limited" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Urban and Rural Planning" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Friday afternoon, April 10th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Henry H. Cummings".

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, April 10th., 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

Mr. Fogwill gave notice of Question.

A Petition was presented by Hon. the Minister of Public Works from Buchans, Re Road.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 127 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of Companies'".

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Municipal Act, 1921 and for Other Purposes".

Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Canadian Amco Limited".

Hon. the Minister of Public Works gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Newfoundland Surveyors and for Other Purposes in connection therewith".

Hon. the Minister of Labour gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Workman's Compensation Act, 1950".

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government (Elections) Act, 1951" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Health, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Mothers' Allowances Act, 1949" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Act, 1949", was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Blind Persons Allowance Act, 1951" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Timber Licenses (Reversion to Crown) Act, 1951" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Old Age Assistance Act, 1951" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Provide for Loans to Encourage the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Community Councils Act, 1952".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Accident Companies (Licensing) Act, 1949".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the following Bills with some amendment:

A Bill "An Act to Provide for Loans to Encourage the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Community Councils Act, 1952".

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Accident Companies (Licensing) Act, 1949" without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942, was read a Second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

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Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland Corporation Income Tax Act, 1949" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Health, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Western Memorial Hospital Corporation Act, 1947" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act, 1951" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Newfoundland Flourspar Limited" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

The Second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Urban and Rural Planning" was debated and on motion was deferred for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Correction and the Prevention of Delinquency and Crime" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Monday afternoon, April 13th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Henry H. Cummings". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, April 13th., 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor would be pleased to receive the Address in Reply presently.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker and Members of the House proceeded to Government House and being returned to the Assembly Chamber, Mr. Speaker informed the House that His Honour had received the Address of Thanks and had been pleased to reply thereto as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Honourable House of Assembly:

I thank you for the Address in Reply to the Speech with which your Present Session was opened.

Hon. the Premier tabled: "Annual Report of the Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities for the Year Ending December 31st., 1952."

Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Grading of Livestock and Meat."

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier the Bill entitled, "An Act to Provide for Loans to Encourage the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Community Councils Act, 1952" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Accident Companies (Licensing) Act, 1949" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland Corporation Income Tax Act, 1949".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Western Memorial Hospital Corporation Act, 1947",

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act, 1951",

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the following Bills without amendment:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland Corporation Income Tax Act, 1949."

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Western Memorial Hospital Corporation Act, 1947."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act, 1951".

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the following Bills, namely:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942".

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited".

had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Tuesday afternoon, April 14th, at three of the clock,

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, April 14th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland Corporation Income Tax Act, 1949" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Western Memorial Hospital Corporation Act, 1947" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act, 1951" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Urban and Rural Planning" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 127 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of Companies'" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Municipal Act, 1921" and for Other Purposes" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Canadian Amco Limited" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Works, the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate Association of Newfoundland Surveyors and for Other Purposes in connection therewith" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1950" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Grading of Livestock and Meat" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Wednesday afternoon, April 15th, 1953, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,

Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, April 15th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. the Minister of Fisheries and Co-operatives tabled "Report of Newfoundland Fisheries Development Committee".

Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands Act, 1930".

Hon. the Attorney General, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Shop Hours (St. John's Barbers) Acts, 1938".

The Second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Limited Act, 1951" was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 127 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of Companies'", was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Municipal Act, 1921" and for Other Purposes" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1950" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On Motion the remaining Orders of the Day.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Thursday afternoon, April 16th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.


HENRY H. CUMMINGS.

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Thursday, April 16th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

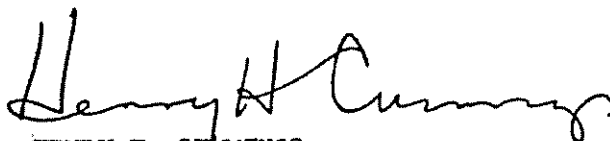
Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Slur Clearance Act".

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare, the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Correction and the Prevention of Delinquency" was read a Second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion the Remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Friday afternoon, April 17th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, April 17th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Alcoholic Liquors Act 1949".

Hon. the Attorney General, on behalf of Hon. the Minister of Health, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Food And Drug Act, 1950".

Hon. the Attorney General, on behalf of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949"

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Canadian Amco Limited" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on tomorrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Urban and Rural Planning".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow,

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow,

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Monday afternoon, April 20th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, April 20th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Courage from Bay d'Espoir, re Road.

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Empower the St. John's Municipal Council to Raise a Loan for Municipal Purposes by the Issue of Bonds".

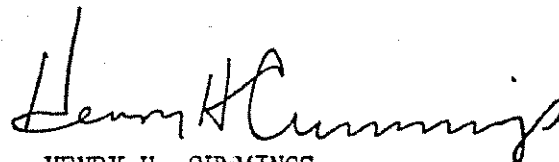
Hon. the Minister of Health gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Newfoundland Nurses".

Second Reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Limited Act, 1951" was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

The remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Tuesday, April 21st, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, April 21st, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Petitions were presented by:

Mr. Drover from Roddickton, Re Road.

Hon. the Attorney General from Herring Neck,
Re Road.

Mr. Drover from Pacquet, Re Snow Mobile Trail.

Mr. Drover from Quirpon, Re Hospital Rates.

Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Create^a Farm Loan Board and to Provide Loans for Farm Development".

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Public Utilities Act, 1949".

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow move the following as an additional Standing Order:

60 (a) When a Bill has been read a third time and passed, the third reading and passing may be declared null and void and the Bill then recommitted; but if a Bill has received Royal Assent, it can only be amended by bringing in another Bill for that purpose.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Grading of Livestock and Meat" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands Act, 1930" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Shop Hours (St. John's Barbers) Acts, 1938" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Slum Clearance Act" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Alcoholic Liquors Act, 1949" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Health, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Food and Drugs Act, 1950" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow,

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act to Empower the St. John's Municipal Council to Raise a Loan for Municipal Purposes by the issue of Bonds" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Health, the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Newfoundland Nurses", was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Urban and Rural Planning".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

Brsuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 127 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of Companies'"

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1950"

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bills without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Wednesday afternoon, April 22nd, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, April 22nd, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Hon. the Minister of Public Works from Buchans, Re Road.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would ask leave presently to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Authorize the Government to enter into an Agreement with British Newfoundland Corporation Limited and N. M. Rothschild and Sons"

Pursuant to notice and with unanimous consent the said Bill was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951"

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on tomorrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Create a Farm Loan Board and to Provide Loans for Farm Development" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow,

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Public Utilities Act, 1949" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Municipal Act, 1921 and for Other Purposes".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Friday afternoon, April 24th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, April 24th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

The Second Reading of the Bill entitled "An Act to Authorize the Government to enter into an Agreement with British Newfoundland Corporation Limited and N. M. Rothschild Sons" was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Hon. the Premier made a Statement Re Bait Services.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Grading of Livestock and Meat".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the following addition was made to the Standing Orders:

- 60 (a) When a Bill has been read a third time and passed, the third reading and passing may be declared rescinded by majority vote and the Bill then recommitted; but if a Bill has received Royal Assent, it can only be amended by bringing in another Bill for that Purpose.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Canadian Amco Limited".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

the following Resolution was moved by Hon. the Premier, seconded by Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, and carried unanimously:

RESOLVED: That the Legislature of the Province of Newfoundland, mindful of our people's proud boast as Britain's Oldest Colony, having heard of the Honour of Knighthood bestowed by Her Majesty the Queen on Britain's Prime Minister, places on record its great satisfaction that an outstanding career of great Public Service is being duly honoured, together with the hope that Right Honourable Sir Winston Churchill, will for many years live to enjoy the continued respect and admiration of his Sovereign and the people's of the Commonwealth.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Monday afternoon, April 27th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, April 27th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment,

A Petition was presented by Mr. Courage from the Architects of the Province, Re Incorporation.

On motion it was ordered that the said Petition be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders.

Hon. the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow move the House into Committee of Supply and Committee of Ways and Means.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Authorize the Government to enter into an Agreement with British Newfoundland Corporation Limited and N. M. Rothschild and Sons" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion of Hon. the Premier that the Bill entitled "An Act to Authorize the Government to enter into an Agreement with British Newfoundland Corporation Limited and N. M. Rothschild and Sons" be read a second time, the House divided. The Motion passed in the affirmative and the said Bill was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Create a Farm Loan Board and to Provide Loans for Farm Development" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow,

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Public Utilities Act, 1949" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow .

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, on behalf of Hon. the Minister of Health, the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Registered Nurses of Newfoundland and for other Purposes connected therewith", was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Fisheries and Co-operatives, on behalf of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Slur Clearance Act" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn, until Tuesday afternoon, April 28th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, April 28th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Brown from Princeton, Re Cutting of Pulpwood.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for Urban and Rural Planning" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 127 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of Companies'" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1950" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Municipal Act, 1921 and for Other Purposes" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Grading of Livestock and Meat" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Authorize the Government to enter into an Agreement with British Newfoundland Corporation and N. M. Rothschild and Sons".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Public Utilities Act, 1949"

A Bill "An Act to Create a Farm Loan Board and to Provide Loans for Farm Development".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Public Utilities Act, 1949" without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the following Bills without amendment:

A Bill "An Act to Authorize the Government to enter into an Agreement with British Newfoundland Corporation Limited and N. M. Rothschild and Sons".

A Bill "An Act to Create a Farm Loan Board and to Provide Loans for Farm Development".

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act to Empower the St. John's Municipal Council to Raise Loan for Municipal Purposes by the issue of Bonds" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, on behalf of Hon. the Minister of Health, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Food and Drugs Act, 1950" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Slum Clearance Act".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

Hon. the Attorney general gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Motor Carrier Act, 1951"

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Assignment of Book Debts Act, 1950.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Wednesday Afternoon, April 29th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, April 29th, 1953

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Drover from St. Anthony, De Water system.

On the motion that the House resolve itself into Committee of Ways and Means, Hon. the Minister of Finance delivered the Budget Speech and concluded with the motion that the Speaker leave the Chair.

On motion of Hon. the Premier it was ordered that the debate on the said motion be deferred until tomorrow.

Hon. the Minister of Finance informed the House that he had received a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, which message Mr. Speaker read to the House as follows:

Government House,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

The Honourable The Minister of Finance:

I, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Newfoundland, transmit **estimates** of sums required for the public service of the Province for the year ending 31st March, 1954, and in accordance with the provisions of the British North America Act of 1867, as amended, I recommend the estimates to the House of Assembly.

(S.d.) Leonard Outerbridge,
Lieutenant Governor.

29th April, 1953.

On motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance it was ordered that the message together with the Estimates, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.


The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on tomorrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on tomorrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Thursday afternoon, April 30th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.


HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, April 30th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Hon. the Attorney General from Twillingate, Re Road.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow move that the third reading and passing of the Bill ^{entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Statutes"} III of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of the Registration of Deeds and Other Documents' be rescinded and that the said Bill be recommitted.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow move that the Third Reading and passing of the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act, 1939" be rescinded and that the said Bill be recommitted.

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Local Government Guarantee Act".

Mr. Cashin gave notice of Question.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Public Utilities Act, 1949" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act to Create a Farm Loan Board and to Provide Loans for Farm Development" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of ^{municipal} Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Slum Clearance Act" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Motor Carrier Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Assignment of Book Debts Act, 1950" was introduced and read first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Works, the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Newfoundland Surveyors and for other Purposes in connection therewith" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited".

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and International Forest Products".

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Canadian Amco Limited".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bills with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Registered Nurses of Newfoundland and for Other Purposes in connection therewith".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Food and Drugs Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949.

A Bill "An Act to Empower the St. John's Municipal Council to Raise a Loan for Municipal Purposes by the issue of Bonds".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Registered Nurses of Newfoundland and for Other Purposes in connection therewith" with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the following Bills without amendment:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Food and Drugs Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act to Empower the St. John's Municipal Council to Raise a Loan for Municipal Purposes by the issue of Bonds".

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow.

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The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949", had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Friday afternoon, May 1st, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

Henry H. Cummings

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,

Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, May 1st, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to confirm in Her Majesty in Right of Newfoundland Title to several Parcels of Land on the Topsail Highway in the Electoral District of Harbour Main-Bell Island.

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Hanning Electric Limited".

A Bill "An Act to Approve and give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Koch Shoes Limited".

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Change of Name Act".

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow move that the Third Reading and Passing of the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shops Act, 1938" be rescinded and that the said Bill be recommitted.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and International Forest Products" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory ^{Effect} to an Agreement between the Government and Canadian Amco Limited" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Health, the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Registered Nurses of Newfoundland and for Other Purposes in connection therewith" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Health, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Food and Drugs Act, 1950" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill "An Act to Empower the St. John's Municipal Council to Raise a Loan for Municipal Purposes by the issue of Bonds" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Correction and Prevention of Delinquency".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949",

A Bill "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Newfoundland Surveyors and for Other Purposes in connection therewith"

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Correction and Prevention of Delinquency" with some Amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had considered the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949," had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Newfoundland Surveyors and for other Purposes in connection therewith" without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the ^{Minister of Finance} ~~Attorney General~~, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Rural District of Kent Act".

Hon. the Minister of Fisheries and Co-operatives gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Extend the Operation of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1945, and of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1947".

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Monday afternoon, May 4th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, May 4th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Newfoundland Surveyors and for Other Purposes in connection therewith" was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

The Budget Speech was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on tomorrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Tuesday, afternoon, May 5th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, May 5th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Courage from the Lower part of Fortune Bay, Re Medical Doctor.

Mr. Courage on behalf of the Committee on Standing Orders, reported that they had considered the Petition of the Architects of the Province, Re Incorporation, and had found that the Rules of the House Respecting Private Bills had been complied with.

On motion this report was adopted and it was ordered that a Bill be introduced to give Effect to the same.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Mr. Courage, seconded by Mr. James, the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Architects and to Regulate the use of Architect Designations in Newfoundland", was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Registration Act, 1892-99".

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again at a later hour in the day.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again at a later hour in the day.

The debate on the Budget Speech was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn
until Wednesday afternoon, ^{Monday} at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, May 6th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Drover from Seal Cove, White Bay Re Road.

Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act Relating to the Keeping of Dogs".

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Civil Service Act, 1947".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education Act, 1927".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland Teachers' Association Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Department of Public Works Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Solicitor General of Newfoundland".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 125 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) Entitled "Of Trustees".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the East Coast Telephone and Telegraph Company Limited".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Civil Service Commission of Newfoundland".
- A Bill "An Act Providing for the Supervision and Control of the Expenditure by Local Authorities of Moneys raised under loans or guarantees made by Her Majesty".

Pursuant to order and on motion of Mr. Courage the Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Newfoundland Association of Architects and to Regulate the Use of Architect Designations in Newfoundland" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The debate on the Budget Speech was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

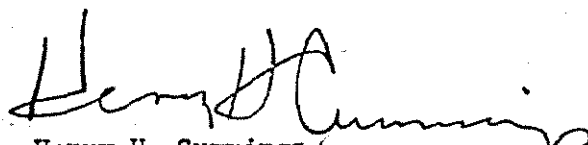
The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Thursday afternoon, May 7th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.


Henry H. Cummings,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, May 7th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

The following Bills were introduced and read a first time and ordered to be read a second time on to-morrow.

- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Local Government Guarantee Act".
- A Bill "An Act to Confirm in Her Majesty in Right of Newfoundland Title to several Parcels of Land on the Topsail Highway in the Electoral District of Harbour Main-Bell Island".
- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Mannings Electric Limited".
- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Agreement between the Government and Koch Shoes Limited".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Change of Name Act".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Civil Service Act, 1947".
- A Bill "An Act Relating to the Keeping of Dogs".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education Act, 1927".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland Teachers' Association Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Department of Public Works Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 125 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of Trustees'".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Providing for the Supervision and Control of of the Expenditure by Local Authorities of Moneys Raised under Loans or Guarantees made by Her Majesty.

A Bill "An Act Respecting the East Coast Telephone and Telegraph Company Limited".

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Civil Service Commission of Newfoundland".

The following Bills were introduced and read a first time and ordered to be read a second time at a later hour in the day:

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Rural District of Placentia Act".

A Bill "An Act Further to Extend the Operation of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1945, and of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1947".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Registration Act, 1892-99".

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Solicitor General of Newfoundland".

The debate on the Budget Speech was continued and on motion was adjourned until a later hour of the day.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Alcoholic Liquors Act, 1949" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Application and Effect of Certain Acts passed in the Present Session of the Legislature upon the Revised Statutes of Newfoundland, 1952".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Revenue and
Audit Act, 1951".

Hon. the Minister of Fisheries and Co-operatives gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Co-operative Societies Act, 1939".

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Friday afternoon, May 8th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, May 8th, 1957.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Petitions were presented by:

Hon. the Minister of Education from Shearstown,
Re Road.

Hon. the Minister of Labour from Lark Harbour,
Re Wharf.

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Provide for the Raising of Funds for Schools in certain areas".

Pursuant to notice and on motion on Hon. the Attorney General, the Third Reading and Passing of the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 111 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of the Registration of Deeds and Other Documents'" ~~was~~ rescinded and it was ordered that the said Bill be recommitted.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Third Reading and Passing of the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942" ~~was~~ rescinded and it was ordered that the said Bill be recommitted.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported ~~ed~~ that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill with some amendment.

On motion this report received and adopted and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

The debate on the Budget Speech was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate at a later hour in the day.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands Act, 1930" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House at a later hour in the day.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Koch Shoes Limited" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House at a later hour in the day.

The debate on the Budget Speech was concluded and the House resolved itself into Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Speaker left the chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the following Resolutions:

1. That in order to provide moneys to be used for the control of cancer it is expedient to bring in a measure to provide for the imposition and collection of a tax of five cents upon each adult person attending an entertainment at a place of entertainment.
2. That a Bill be introduced to give effect to this Resolution.

The said Resolutions were read a first and second time and adopted by the House.

On motion it was ordered that the Committee of Ways and Means have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

On motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Imposition and Collection of a Tax to Provide Moneys to be used for the Control of Cancer" was introduced and read a first ~~time~~ and second time ~~and~~ it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.


On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow move that the Rules of the House be suspended.

Mr. Courage gave notice that he would on to-morrow move that Standing Order 67, relating to Private Bills, be suspended.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow morning, May 9th, at eleven of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.


HENRY H. CLIPPINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Saturday, May 9th, 1953.

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The House met at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Rules of the House were suspended.

Pursuant to order, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

"A Bill "An Act Further to Amend Chapter III of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of Registration of Deeds and Other Documents'",

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942".

A Bill "An Act to Authorize the Government to enter into an Agreement with British Newfoundland Corporation Limited and N. M. Rothschild, and Sons".

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Correction and Prevention of Delinquency."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951".

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that they be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had completed their consideration of the estimates.

On motion this report was received and adopted.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949".

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Imposition and Collection of a Tax to Provide Moneys to be Used, for the Control of Cancer."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands Act, 1930".

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Koch Shoes Limited".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Alcoholic Liquors Act, 1949."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the following Bills with some amendment:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949".

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Imposition and Collection of a Tax to Provide Moneys to be Used for the Control of Cancer".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Alcoholic Liquors Act, 1949".

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bills were read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that they be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the following Bills without amendment:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands Act, 1930".

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Koch Shoes Limited".

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bills were read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that they be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Insurance Companies Act".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Motor Carrier Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Assignment of Book Debts Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act to Confirm in Her Majesty in Right of Newfoundland Title to several Parcels of Land on the Topsail Highway in the Electoral District of Harbour Main-Bell Island".

A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Hanning Electric Limited".

On motion it was ordered that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the said Bills.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bills without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bills were read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that ~~be~~ ^{they} be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Civil Service Commission of Newfoundland".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Rural District of Placentia Act, 1945".

A Bill "An Act Further to Extend the Operation of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1945, and of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1947".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Registration Act, 1892-99".

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Solicitor General of Newfoundland."

On motion it was ordered that the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the said Bills.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the following Bills without amendment.

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Civil Service Commission of Newfoundland."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Rural District of Placentia Act, 1945".

A Bill "An Act Further to Extend the Operation of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1945, and of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1947".

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Solicitor General of Newfoundland."

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bills were read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that they be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had considered the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Registration Act, 1992-99" and had passed the said Bill with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bill was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Change of Name Act, 1952"

A Bill "An Act Relating to the Keening of Dogs".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education Act, 1927".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act, 1950",

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland Teachers' Association Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Department of Public Works Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 125 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of Trustees'".

On motion it was ordered that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the said Bills.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the following Bills without amendment:

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Change of Name Act, 1952".

A Bill "An Act Relating to the Keeping of Dogs".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education Act, 1927".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Department of Public Works Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 125 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) entitled 'Of Trustees'".

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bills were read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that they be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

The Chairman from the Committee ^{further} reported that they had considered the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland Teachers' Association Act, 1951" and had passed the said Bill with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bill was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the House resolved into Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred, had passed Certain Resolutions Granting Supply to Her Majesty and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give Effect to the same.

On motion this report was received and adopted and the said Resolutions were read a first and second time.

On motion of Hon. the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain sums of Money for Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service for the Financial Year Ending the Thirty-first Day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-four, and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service" was introduced and read a first, second and third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

On motion of Hon. the Attorney General, it was ordered that the third reading and passing of the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Accident Insurance (Licensing) Act, 1939" be rescinded and that the said Bill be deleted from the Order Paper.

On motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the third reading and passing of the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shops Act, 1938" was rescinded and it was ordered that the said Bill be recommitted.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill with some amendment.

On motion this report was adopted.

On motion the said Bill was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Application and Effect of Certain Acts passed in the Present Session of the Legislature upon the Revised Statutes of Newfoundland, 1952", was introduced and read a first and second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Revenue and Audit Act, 1951" was introduced and read a first and second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would presently ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend Certain Statutes Relating to the Advance and Guarantee of Loans by Her Majesty".

Pursuant to Notice the said Bill was introduced and read a first and second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Assure the Maintenance of a Telephone Service for the people of Twillingate" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Providing for the Supervision and Control of the Expenditure by Local Authorities of Moneys raised under Loans or Guarantees made by Her Majesty" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1950" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Fisheries and Co-operatives, the Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Co-operative Societies Act, 1930" was introduced and read a first and second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Public Works, a Bill entitled "An Act Further to Amend the Highway Traffic Act" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Premier, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend Certain Statutes Relating to the Advance and Guarantee of Loans by Her Majesty":

Mr. Sneaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Sneaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bill without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bill was read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

And it being after eleven of the clock, it was ordered that the House do not adjourn.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Shop Hours (St. John's Barbers) Acts, 1938", was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Application and Effect of Certain Acts Passed in the Present Session of the Legislature upon the Revised Statutes of Newfoundland, 1952".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Revenue and Audit Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act to Assure the Maintenance of a Telephone Service for the people of Twillingate".

A Bill "An Act Providing for the Supervision and Control of the Expenditure by Local Authorities of Moneys Raised under Loans or Guarantees made by Her Majesty".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Co-operative Societies Act, 1939".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Shop Hours (St. John's Barbers) Acts, 1938".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
Mr. Sneaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bills without amendment.


On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bills were read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that they be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his assent.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Monday afternoon, May 18th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.


HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, May 18th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Petitions were presented by:

Hon. the Minister of Labour from Humber District,
Re Road.

Hon. Mr. Lewis from Harbour Main, Re Road.

Hon. the Minister of Public Welfare tabled: "Annual Report of Department of Public Welfare for the Year ended 31st of March 1953",

Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply tabled Accounts of the St. John's Municipal Council, 1952".

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would at a later hour in the day move that the third reading and passing of the following Bills be rescinded and that the said following Bills be recommitted:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Revenue and Audit Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act to Amend Certain Statutes Relating to the Advance ^{and} Guarantee of Loans by Her Majesty".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland Teachers Association Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942".

Hon. the Attorney General gave notice that he would at a later hour in the day ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Armed Forces (Taking of Oaths) Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Dental Act, 1934".

Hon. the Minister of Provincial Affairs gave notice that he would at a later hour in the day ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Respecting Lists of Electors for Elections to be held under the Election Act, 1913".

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Civil Service Act, 1947" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the third reading and passing of the following Bills were rescinded:

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Revenue and Audit Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act to Amend Certain Statutes Relating to the Advance and Guarantee of Loans by Her Majesty".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland Teachers' Association Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942".

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be recommitted presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Civil Service Act, 1947".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Revenue and Audit Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1950".

A Bill "An Act to Amend Certain Statutes Relating to the Advance and Guarantee of Loans by Her Majesty".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland Teachers' Association Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
 Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
 Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bills with some amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion the said Bills were read a third time and passed and it was ordered that the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that they be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Sunnly, the Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1952" was read a second time and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to notice the following Bills were introduced and read a first and second time and ordered to be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Armed Forces (Taking of Oaths) Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Respecting Lists of Electors for Elections to be held under the Election Act, 1913".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Dental Act, 1934".

Pursuant to order and on motion of Hon. the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1952".

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Armed Forces (Taking of Oaths) Act, 1951".

A Bill "An Act Respecting Lists of Electors for Elections to be held under the Election Act, 1913".

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Dental Act, 1934".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
 Mr. Courage took the Chair of Committee.
 Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matter to them referred and had passed the said Bills without amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that they be submitted to the Lieutenant Governor for his assent.

On motion the remaining Orders of the day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until Tuesday afternoon, May 19th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

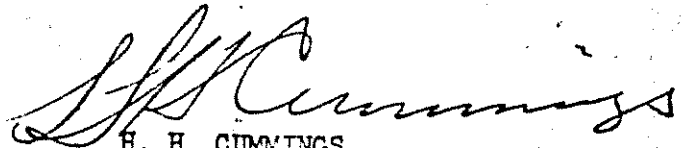


HENRY H. CUMMINGS.

Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, May 19th, 1953.

There being no Quorum present at quarter past three of the
clock in the afternoon, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House until
Wednesday afternoon, May 20th, at three of the clock.



H. H. CUMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, May 20th, 1953.

The House met at three of the clock in the afternoon, pursuant to adjournment.

The Sergeant-at-Arms announced that His Honour the Administrator had arrived.

His Honour the Administrator took the Chair.

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour as follows:

May it please Your Honour, the General Assembly of the Province has at its Present Session Passed Certain Bills, to which, in the name and on behalf of the General Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's assent.

Whereupon the Clerk read the following Bills entitled:

- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Judicature Act".
- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government of Newfoundland and Atlantic Gloves Limited". Chapter
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend (III of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) Entitled 'Of the Registration of Deeds and Other Documents'".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act, 1938".
- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Superior Rubber Company Limited".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Wild Life Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Public Utilities (Acquisition of Lands) Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Forest Fires Act, 1933".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Mothers' Allowances Act, 1949".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Act, 1949".

- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Blind Persons Allowances Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Timber Licenses (Reversion to Crown) Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government (Elections) Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Old Age Assistance Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Community Councils Act, 1952".
- A Bill "An Act to Provide for Loans to Encourage the Development of the Tourist Industry in Newfoundland and to Create a Tourist Development Loan Board for Newfoundland".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Application and Effect of Certain Acts Passed in the Present Session of the Legislature upon the Revised Statutes of Newfoundland, 1952."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Western Memorial Hospital Corporation Act, 1947".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland Corporation Income Tax Act, 1949".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Municipal Act, 1921, and for Other Purposes".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 127 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) Entitled "Of Companies".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Grading of Livestock and Meat".

- A Bill "An Act to Provide for Urban and Rural Planning.
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Slum Clearance Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act to Create a Farm Loan Board and to Provide Loans for Farm Development.
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Public Utilities Act, 1949".
- A Bill "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Registered Nurses in Newfoundland and for Other Purposes Therewith".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Food and Drugs Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act to Empower the St. John's Municipal Council to Raise a Loan for Municipal Purposes by the Issue of Bonds".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1949".
- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited".
- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and International Forest Products Limited".
- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Canadian Amco Limited."
- A Bill "An Act to Incorporate the Association of Newfoundland Surveyors and for Other Purposes in Connection Therewith".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Insurance Companies Act."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Imposition of a Tax to Provide Moneys to be Used for the Control of Cancer".
- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government and Koch Shoes Limited".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act, 1942"
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands Act, 1930".

- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Alcoholic Liquors Act, 1949".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Motor Carrier Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Assignment of Book Debts Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act to Confirm in Her Majesty in Right of Newfoundland Title to Several Parcels of Land on the Topsail Highway in the Electoral District of Harbour Main-Bell Island".
- A Bill "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement between the Government of Newfoundland and Hanning Electric Limited".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Civil Service Commission of Newfoundland."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Extend the Operation of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1945, and of the Shipbuilding (Bounties) Amendment Act, 1947".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Rural District of Placentia Act, 1945".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Registration Act, 1892-99".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Solicitor General of Newfoundland".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Change of Name Act, 1952".
- A Bill "An Act Relating to the Keeping of Dogs".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education Act, 1927."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Department of Public Works Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend Chapter 125 of the Consolidated Statutes (Third Series) Entitled 'Of Trustees'".

- A Bill "An Act to Amend Certain Statutes Relating to the Advance and Guarantee of Loans and Guarantees by Her Majesty".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1950".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Correction and the Prevention of Delinquency".
- A Bill "An Act to Authorize the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to enter into an Agreement with British Newfoundland Corporation Limited and N. M. Rothschild and Sons".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Shop Hours (St. John's Barbers) Acts, 1938".
- A Bill "An Act to Assure the Maintenance of a Telephone Service for the People of Twillingate."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Co-operative Societies Act, 1939".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Revenue and Audit Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Providing for the Supervision and Control of the Expenditure by Local Authorities of Moneys Raised by Loans Advanced or Under Guarantees made by Her Majesty".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland Teachers' Association Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting Lists of Electors for Elections to be held under the Election Act, 1913".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Armed Forces (Taking of Oaths) Act, 1951".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Dental Act, 1934".
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1952".
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Civil Service Act, 1947".

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His Honour then said "In Her Majesty's name I assent to these Bills".

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour as follows:

It is my agreeable duty On behalf of Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, Her faithful Commons in Newfoundland, to present to Your Honour a Bill for the appropriation of Supply granted in the Present Session.

Whereupon the Clerk read the following Bill entitled:

A Bill "An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money for Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service for the Financial Year Ending the Thirty-first day of March, One thousand Nine hundred and Fifty-four, and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service.

His Honour then said "In Her Majesty's name I thank her loyal subjects and assent to this Bill".

His Honour the Administrator was then pleased to make the following Speech:

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE HONOURABLE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY:

It was the sad duty of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, on behalf of the Government and people of the Province, to tender an expression of sincere sympathy to Her Majesty the Queen and the Royal Family on the death of Her Majesty Queen Mary whose nobility of character, dignity of bearing, profound sense of duty, sympathetic understanding and common touch, deepened through the trials and bereavements sustained in her own family life, engendered genuine esteem and affection in the hearts of her people. The tribute paid by the late great Laureate to Queen Victoria could as appropriately be applied to Her Majesty Queen Mary: "A thousand claims to reverence closed in her as Mother, Wife and Queen".

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor accompanied by my Prime Minister and Minister of Education will be attending the Coronation of Her Gracious Majesty Elizabeth II. We all trust that with the Divine blessing and guidance the reign of our young Queen, who will shortly dedicate her life to the service of the people whom she has been called upon to rule, will be a long and happy one.

In releasing you from your duties I have to thank you for the careful attention you have given to the various Bills introduced by my Ministers. In a short period of time much important public business has been dealt with.

My Ministers are gratified that the outcome of the financial year which ended on the 31st. March last showed a surplus of over six and one-half million dollars, nearly one one-quarter of a million dollars more than estimated. The financial condition of our Province and people was never better and I am sure that the maintenance and improvement of this gratifying position is the earnest

wish and objective of all.

Two significant pieces of legislation have been given your approval. Sometime ago my Ministers decided to increase the authorized capital of Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation, Limited, often referred to as "Nalco", and permit the sale of the Majority of its shares to private interests, thereby terminating its status as a "Crown Corporation". The Crown will continue to be a shareholder in this Corporation and will therefore continue to participate in its management and in any profits. It is hoped that the introduction of this fresh non-Government capital will give this Corporation the additional backing, initiative and drive to bring success to its efforts. This Corporation has been successful in introducing at least two substantial mining interests into the Province-Newmont Mining Corporation of Canada Limited and American Zinc, Lead and Smelting Company, both of which are planning to make very substantial expenditures on their respective concessions.

My Ministers were authorized to enter into an Agreement with N. M. Rothschild and Sons and the British Newfoundland Corporation Limited. Under this Agreement it is anticipated that extraordinary efforts will be made to ascertain what natural resources remaining in the Crown in the way of timber in the Labrador and Waterpowers in the Province may best be developed. It is also anticipated that all remaining mineral areas, not otherwise committed, will be carefully examined and that profitable development of any minerals that may be located will result. Under the terms of the proposed Agreement the Government of Newfoundland will, in addition to normal taxes, participate substantially in any profits. This Agreement has already been signed by Rothschild's and the Corporation in London; it will be executed by the Government during the next few days. Steps have already been taken by the Corporation to initiate exploratory work this season.

Two other important mineral agreements which may lead to extensive development have been approved. Canadian Amco Limited have been given a concession area of twelve hundred square miles in Northern Labrador, and a concession of some five hundred square miles on the Burin Peninsula has been given to Newfoundland Fluorspar Limited, whereby this Company may be enabled to increase its production. All in all the next few years should be eventful so far as the investigation and possible development of our natural resources is concerned. Indications are that a search of vigorous and unprecedented proportions will be undertaken. Success of one or more of these groups might well revolutionize the financial and economic position of the Province.

In the field of forestry an Agreement between the Government and International Forest Products Limited was approved under the terms of which the Company will engage in timber and pulpwood operations in the Sandwich Bay area of Labrador.

In pursuance of the economic development programme of my Government, Agreements have been approved with Superior Rubber Company, Limited; Hanning Electric Limited; Koch Shoes, Limited and Atlantic Gloves Limited. Construction of plants for Superior Rubber Company, Limited and Hanning Electric, Limited is well under way and, in the cases of the other two Companies, negotiations for suitable sites are proceeding.

In addition to Amendments to the Crown Lands, Wild Life, and Forest Fire Acts, new Legislation was approved for the grading of livestock and meat and for the setting up of a Farm Development Loan Board to provide loans for improving and developing the agricultural industry of the Province.

The enactment of the Corrections Act at this Session marked a progressive step in the field of penal reform. Its unanimous approval by the House and its favourable reception by the public are very gratifying.

The Act enabling Urban and Rural Communities to undertake a systematic planning of street, water system and building projects in their respective areas, will facilitate the provision of additional housing required as a result of the expansion of population in places where new industrial enterprises and particularly the centralization and modernization of fish production operations are in progress.

In the Estimates for Education an amount of one million dollars has been provided for the construction and equipment of schools. This amount is much larger than would normally be voted because half of it is earmarked for the establishment of Central or Regional High Schools, in accordance with a Policy yet to be determined. This will constitute an important step in the attempt to successfully solve the problem presented by one-room schools.

Within recent weeks my Ministers have received the Report of the Newfoundland Fisheries Development Committee. This Report, based on a thorough investigation into all phases of the fisheries, submits a programme of development which has been enthusiastically welcomed by both my Ministers and the Government of Canada. It has been impossible, in the short time that has elapsed since the Report was presented, to give it the detailed study that its importance warrants but negotiations have already been initiated between my Ministers and the Government of Canada in relation to the steps that may immediately be taken to implement some of the recommendations and a substantial grant has been provided to cover the cost involved.


I thank you for the ample provision that you have made for the Public Service and I feel sure that the amounts voted will be expended wisely and economically and in the best interests of the Province.

I thank you for your continued devotion to duty and trust that with all the people of the Province, you will enjoy a full measure of happiness and prosperity in all your undertaking.

His Honour the Administrator left the Assembly Chamber.

Mr. Speaker then said:

It is the will and pleasure of His Honour the Administrator that this General Assembly be prorogued until Wednesday the eighth day of July next, and this Assembly is prorogued accordingly.


HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk of the House of Assembly