

THIRD SESSION  
THIRTY-FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
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PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
THIRD SESSION  
OF THE  
THIRTY FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
OF  
NEWFOUNDLAND.

BEGUN and holden at St. John's in the Province of Newfoundland on Monday, the 23rd day of February, Anno Domini, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Nine, being in the Eighth year of the reign of Her Majesty our Sovereign Lady Elizabeth the Second, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories QUEEN, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

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Monday, February 23rd., 1959.

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 Monday, the 23rd., day of February, 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:

Since you last assembled, my Ministers have been informed that it is Her Majesty's intention to visit her subjects in this ancient and loyal part of the Commonwealth during the month of

June in the present year. On this visit Her Majesty will be accompanied by His Royal Highness the Prince Philip. All of Her Majesty's subjects in Newfoundland have rejoiced to hear this news and my Ministers will take all steps consistent with overriding arrangements made by the Federal authorities at Ottawa to enable as many as possible of the children of the Province to greet their monarch on this happy occasion.

Once again the sea has taken its toll and all Newfoundlanders are deeply grieved by the loss of the lives of gallant fishermen in the dragger "Blue Wave".

My Ministers, in common with the vast majority of our people, have viewed with great concern the economic and other turbulence now prevailing in the largest and the most vital of our industries. My Ministers deem it their cardinal duty to take all reasonable steps to insure that the future of the pulp and paper industry in Newfoundland, involving directly or indirectly the well being of the entire Province, is not jeopardized. You will be kept informed of developments so that you will be in a position to take whatever action you may consider to be necessary.

Since you last met, my Ministers have had further discussions with the Government of Canada with a view to impressing upon them the necessity for more generous consideration than that recommended by the Royal Commission set up under the provisions of Term 29 of the Act of Union, whereby Newfoundland became a Province of the Canadian Nation. My Ministers have felt that without this more generous assistance it would not be possible for our public services, especially in the fields of education, highway construction and public health, to be continued at their present level. Still less could we hope to provide for the steady improvements in these levels which the people of Newfoundland entered the Canadian Confederation to attain. It is our hope that the Government of Canada will make known its intentions in this matter at the earliest possible date so that you may be in a position to provide adequate supply to Her Majesty.

Within recent weeks my Ministers have announced important transactions relating to the development of the vast iron ore deposits in the Lake Wabush area of Labrador. The Government hope, in the near future, to inform you of still other developments of this kind in the same region of Labrador. These developments are expected to provide many opportunities for employment to our people. Certain measures dealing with these matters will be laid before you in this session.

My Ministers have been able to effect significant changes in the operation of two important industries established with the help of public monies. These changes are designed to bring about improvements to and expansions of the operations of the North Star Cement Company and Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Limited.

Within recent years my Ministers, with your approval, have endeavoured to eliminate much of the historic inequality in educational opportunity in this Province. The success thus far attained by this programme has encouraged my Ministers to consider submitting to you further plans for an extension of the bursary and scholarship programme to the end that no deserving children in the Province will be denied the opportunity to acquire a high school education because of their parents' lack of means, or because of the smallness or remoteness of the settlements in which they live.

Since you last met, my Ministers have actively investigated the problems associated with the erection of a new and large university designed to meet the ever expanding needs of higher education. It is expected that during the present session my Prime Minister will be laying before you definite proposals which, if they meet with your approval, will result in an early beginning of this great project.

During the past year our Province has experienced economic vicissitudes which have resulted in some hardship. Our fishery was one of the poorest in our history and because of conditions in world markets there was some reduction in logging and mineral production. These economic dislocations would have been felt much more severely were it not for the stabilizing factors which have resulted from the union of Newfoundland with Canada. Nevertheless, the experience of the past year has done much to emphasize the continued need for the development of other resources. To this end my Ministers have taken steps to facilitate the efforts being made by those corporations which have concessions in the Province to bring about development of our forest, mineral and water power resources. It is the belief of my Ministers that several of these enterprises will get into operation during the coming year.

My Ministers have continued to take active measures to assist the fisheries of the Province. Plans have been made for the completion of the great fishery plant at LaScie so that it will be ready to commence production before the end of the present year. In common with the people of the Burin Peninsula, the Government have been deeply concerned by the failure and collapse of the private company that built, owned and operated the large fish plant at Fortune. The collapse of this company caused considerable hardship in some sections of that Peninsula. The Government have been searching out experienced and dependable fish plant companies who would be interested in getting this plant back into production upon some reasonable basis.

Improvements in the fresh and frozen fish markets of North America in recent months have encouraged all in Newfoundland who have any interest in those fisheries.

My Ministers have noted with approval the efforts being made by responsible mercantile interests to regain some of the salt fish markets of the Caribbean.

Many other matters will be brought forward for your consideration. You will be asked to vote supply to Her Majesty.

I ask God's blessing upon all your deliberations.

His Honour left the Assembly Chamber.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

Honourable the Attorney General asked leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend The Labour Relations Act."

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General the said Bill was introduced and read a first time and it was ordered that 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.

It was unanimously agreed that the Clerk should not read the speech.

It was moved by Mr. Mifflin and seconded by Mr. Clarke 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 Members were appointed to said Committee:

Mr. Mifflin  
Mr. Clarke  
Mr. Renouf.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on tomorrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act To Prohibit General Strikes."

A Bill "An Act To Prohibit Secondary Boycotts."

On motion of Honourable the Premier, seconded by Honourable the Attorney General, and supported by Honourable the Leader of the Opposition, the following Resolution was passed unanimously:

WHEREAS the economy of this Province has by the present woods labour dispute been brought to a dangerous crisis, with strong probability of economic disaster:

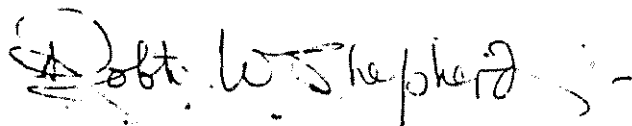
The House of Assembly, while unreservedly reaffirming its support of well-organized and well-conducted trades and labour unions, strongly condemns the International Woodworkers of America for its conduct in Newfoundland and declares that by this conduct the said union has become a stumbling-block to the pulp and paper industry and a danger to the public interest.

The House reaffirms its strong support for the cause of the loggers and woods workers generally in Newfoundland, and emphasizes the view that they must be represented by a strong union.

The House calls upon the loggers to withdraw all support of the International Woodworkers of America and quickly to organize a new union to include all loggers and other woods workers, be independent of the pulp and paper companies, and strictly nonpartisan in public affairs, so that the present strike can be brought to a speedy end.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until summoned by the Call of the Chair, which shall be not later than the 2nd day of March.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, March 2nd., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Public Works presented a petition from Lomond re: Road.

Honourable the Minister of Education tabled a petition from Jacksons Arm and Sopps Arm Area re: Bridge.

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Finance, tabled the Public Accounts of the Province of Newfoundland for the Year Ended 31 March 1958, and requested permission to have them printed.

On motion it was ordered that the said Accounts be printed.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bill entitled "An Act To Protect the Public Interest in the Present Emergency."

The Orders of the Day were deferred.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Prohibit Secondary Boycotts."

A Bill "An Act To Prohibit General Strikes."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow, Tuesday afternoon, March 3rd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, March 3rd., 1959.

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

Mr. Whelan presented a petition from Brigus Junction re: Electricity.

Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources tabled "Annual Report of the Department of Mines and Resources for the Year Ended 31st March, 1958."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General the Bill entitled "An Act To Protect The Public Interests in the Present Emergency" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

The Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow, Wednesday afternoon, March 4th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.



Wednesday, March 4th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement re the coming visit of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

Mr. Duffy gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act to Make Provision for Safeguarding the Public Interest in View of the Present Unsettled Conditions in the Woods Labour Part of the Pulp and Paper Industry in the Province" was read a second time.

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 to-morrow, Thursday afternoon, March 5th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, March 5th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Health tabled the "Annual Report of the Department of Health 1957."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Labour Relations Act" was read a second time.

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 to-morrow, Friday afternoon, March 6th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*R. W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, March 6th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Education, by leave of the House, tabled "A Report of the Conference on Education Held November 3rd - 7th, 1958."

Honourable the Premier made a statement re: the closing of the mine on Bell Island.

Honourable the Premier made a further statement re: the decision of Crown Zellerbach Corporation not to operate a paper mill in the Province.

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.

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

A Bill "An Act to Make Provision for Safeguarding the Public Interest in View of the Present Unsettled Conditions in the Woods Labour Part of the Pulp and Paper Industry in the P Province."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Labour Relations Act."

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

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

A Bill "An Act to Make Provision for Safeguarding the Public Interest in View of the Present Unsettled Conditions in the Woods Labour Part of the Pulp and Paper Industry in the Province."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Labour Relations Act."

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

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

A Bill "An Act to Make Provision for Safeguarding the Public Interest in View of the Present Unsettled Conditions in the Woods Labour Part of the Pulp and Paper Industry in the Province."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Labour Relations Act."

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.

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

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor 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 to Make Provision for Safeguarding the Public Interest in View of the Present Unsettled Conditions in the Woods Labour Part of the Pulp and Paper Industry in the Province."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Labour Relations Act."

His Honour then said "In Her Majesty's Name, I assent to these Bills."

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor left the Assembly Chamber.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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, Monday afternoon, March 9th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, March 9th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Public Welfare presented a petition from New Harbour, Trinity Bay re: Road.

Honourable Mr. Lewis presented a petition from South Shore, Conception Bay re: Shopclosing.

Mr. Mifflin, 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,  
The Honourable Campbell MacPherson, O.B.E.

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.) A. S. Mifflin,  
G. W. Clarke,  
G. Rex Renouf.

Assembly Room,  
March 2nd., 1959.

Honourable the Premier tabled "The Lieutenant-Governor's Warrant."

Honourable 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 Fire Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Newspapers and Books Act."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Accident and Sickness Insurance Act, 1957."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

The Address in Reply was debated 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 to-morrow, Tuesday afternoon, March 10th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, March 10th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Fisheries presented a petition from Burgeo re: Bridge.

Honourable the Minister of Fisheries presented a petition from Burgeo re: Road.

Mr. Nightingale presented a petition from St. Phillips re: Road.

Mr. Duffy gave notice of Question.  
Mr. Renouf gave notice of Question.

The Address in Reply was debated 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 to-morrow, Wednesday afternoon, March 11th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.



Wednesday, March 11th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement re: the utilization of Newfoundland vessels in the transportation of pulp wood.

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

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Fire Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Accident and Sickness Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newspapers and Books Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills 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, Thursday afternoon, March 12th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, March 12th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier expressed on behalf of the House their deep sympathy over the tragic death of Police Officer Wm. H. Moss.

He said "The members of this House share the grief of the people of Newfoundland over the death of this young Policeman. The feelings of the House will be best expressed by standing for two minutes silence."

The House then observed a two minute solemn silence.

Honourable the Premier made a statement re the policing of the Province by the R.C.M.P.

Honourable the Attorney General made a statement re the contract of the Newfoundland Government with the Government of Canada regarding the policing of Newfoundland by the R.C.M.P.

Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs presented a petition from Fermeuse re: Road.

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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Fire Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Accident and Sickness Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newspapers and Books Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills 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 to-morrow, Friday afternoon, March 13th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, March 13th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier informed the House that he had received an offer from the War Veterans of Grand Falls, Windsor, Bishops Falls and Botwood to maintain law and order in Central Newfoundland.

Honourable the Premier tabled a copy of a telegram which he had sent to the Prime Minister of Canada, inviting the Government of Canada to set up a public inquiry under a superior court judge from outside Newfoundland, to investigate the acts of lawlessness and violence which have taken place in Central Newfoundland.

Honourable the Minister of Education made a statement re: the closing of schools at Badger, by the Bishop of Harbour Grace and Grand Falls, and re: the removal of the Sisters of the Presentation Order during the present crisis.

Mr. Nightingale presented a petition from Pouch Cove re: Guard Rail.

The Debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Fire Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Accident and Sickness Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newspapers and Books Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Fire Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Accident and Sickness Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newspapers and Books Act."

On motion 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 to-morrow, Monday afternoon, March 16th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, March 16th., 1959.

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

Mr. Smallwood presented a petition from Tilt Cove re: Road Flooding.

Mr. Sheppard presented a petition from Riverhead, Harbour Grace, re: Flooding of Stream.

The Debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Fire Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Accident and Sickness Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newspapers and Books Act."

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.

Honourable the Premier made a statement re the decision of the Prime Minister not to disallow the recent Labour Legislation of the Newfoundland Government.

Honourable the Premier informed the House that the Government had authorized Honourable the Attorney General to take action in the Exchequer Court of Canada against the Government of Canada for their breach of contract by their refusal to supply reinforcements to the R.C.M.P. when urgently needed by the Province of Newfoundland.

Honourable the Premier expressed his regret over the resignation of Commissioner Nicholson of the R.C.M.P., due to the recent refusal of the Government of Canada to honour their contract re the policing of the Province of Newfoundland.

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, Wednesday afternoon, March 18th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, March 18th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement re the opening of the Carol Lake Iron Ore Deposit and the building of a joint railway by the Iron Ore Company of Canada and the Wabush Iron Ore Company.

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.

The Debate on the Address in Reply 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 to-morrow, Thursday afternoon, March 19th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.



Thursday, March 19th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier informed the House of the decision of the Government to create a new Annual Scholarship to be known as the William Boss Memorial Scholarship; to be awarded each year to the son or daughter of a policeman attaining highest marks in Grade X of the Public Examinations.

Mr. Smallwood presented a petition from Shoe Cove re: Road.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Trustee Act."

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable 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 To Provide For The Suspension of The Rent Restrictions Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Urban and Rural Planning Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government Act."

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Public Utilities Act."

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Health, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pharmaceutical Association Act, 1954."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Food and Drug Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland Medical Board Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."

Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Appointment and Powers of The Nomenclature Board."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Automobile Insurance Act."

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow move "That the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the granting of Interim Supply to Her Majesty."

Honourable the Minister of Education gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Memorial University (Pensions) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Libraries Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act."

Honourable 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 Frobisher Limited (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The M. James Boylen (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act To Approve and Give Statutory Effect to An Agreement Between The Government and Advocate Mines Limited."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Wild Life Act."

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

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

Honourable the Minister of Fisheries, in moving that the House adjourn until to-morrow, Friday afternoon, March 20th., at three of the clock, drew the attention of the House to certain misquotes in the Evening Telegram of date March 19th.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, March 20th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Public Works presented a petition from Trout River re: Road.

The Debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on tomorrow.

Honourable 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:

The Honourable the Minister of Finance:

I, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Newfoundland, transmit Estimates of sums required for the Public Services of the Province for the year ending 31st March, 1960, by way of Interim Supply, and in accordance with the provisions of the British North America Act of 1867, as amended, I recommend these Estimates to the House of Assembly.

(Sgd.) Campbell MacPherson,  
Lieutenant Governor.

March 19th, 1959.

On motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, and with unanimous consent, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions for granting ~~Interim~~ Supply to Her Majesty.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.  
Mr. Clarke 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 ~~Interim~~ Supply to Her Majesty and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions having been 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

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 Sixty and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Honourable 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was read a third time and passed:

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 Sixty and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

On motion 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 the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

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

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, March 31st., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement re the disappointment of the people of Newfoundland over the extraordinary announcement made last week in the House of Commons by the Prime Minister, relating to Term 29.

Honourable the Attorney General made a statement informing the House that on the petition of the Brotherhood of Newfoundland Woodworkers consideration had been given to the fifteen loggers in prison and the remainder of their sentences had been remitted.

Honourable the Attorney General informed the House that the statement of claim in connection with damages and interpretation of the R.C.M.P. Contract had been filed today in the Exchequer Court of Canada.

Honourable the Attorney General presented the following petitions:

Two Good Arm re: Road.  
Herring Neck re: Road.  
New World Island re: Causeway.  
Twillingate and New World Island re: Electrification.

Honourable the Minister of Public Works presented a petition from Bartletts Harbour re: Prohibiting of Dogs.

Honourable the Minister of Labour tabled "1958 Annual Report of Workmen's Compensation Board of Newfoundland."

Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply tabled "St. John's Approaches (Sub-division) (Amendment) Regulations, 1959."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.

The Debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on tomorrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Trustee Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Suspension of The Rent Restrictions Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Urban and Rural Planning Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Public Utilities Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Health, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pharmaceutical Association Act, 1954."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Food and Drug Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland Medical Board Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.



Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Appointment and Powers of The Nomenclature Board."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Automobile Insurance Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Education, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Memorial University (Pensions) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Libraries Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Frobisher Limited (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The M. James Boylen (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act To Approve and Give Statutory Effect To An Agreement Between The Government and Advocate Mines Limited."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Wild Life Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills 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, Wednesday afternoon, April 1st., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, April 1st., 1959.

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

Mr. Canning presented a petition from Long Island  
re: Road.

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

The Debate on the Address in Reply was continued and on motion was deferred to a later hour in the day.

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

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor 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 a Bill for the appropriation of Interim Supply granted in the Present Session.

Whereupon the Clerk read 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 Sixty and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

His Honour then said "In Her Majesty's Name, I thank Her Loyal Subjects, I accept their benevolence, and assent to this Bill."

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 To Amend The Fire Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Accident and Sickness Insurance Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newspapers and Books Act."

His Honour then said "In Her Majesty's Name, I assent to these Bills."

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor left the Assembly Chamber.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Memorial University (Pensions) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Libraries Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pharmaceutical Association Act, 1954."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Food and Drug Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland Medical Board Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, and with unanimous consent of the House, it was ordered that the following Bills be withdrawn from the Order Paper:

A Bill "An Act To Prohibit General Strikes and Lockouts."

A Bill "An Act To Prohibit Secondary Boycotts."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Public Utilities Act."

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Trustee Act" 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.

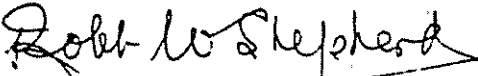
The second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act To Provide For The Suspension of The Rent Restrictions Act" was debated, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Honourable the Attorney General, by leave of the House, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labour Relations Act."

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, Thursday afternoon, April 2nd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, April 2nd., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier welcomed the winners in the Rotary Public Speaking Contest, who were present for the Session.

Honourable the Minister of Finance presented a petition from Badger re: Electrification and Telephones.

Mr. Nightingale presented a petition from Shoe Cove re: Road and Bridge.

Honourable the Premier gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize the Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Canadian Javelin Limited."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize the Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited and Canadian Javelin Limited, And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions for The Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize the Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, Canadian Javelin Limited and Wabush Iron Company Limited, And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose and To Make Certain Amendments to The Nalco-Javelin (Mineral Lands) Act, 1957."

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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Urban and Rural Planning Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting the Appointment and Powers of The Nomenclature Board."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills 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 to-morrow, Friday afternoon, April 3rd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, April 3rd., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier informed the House that the Government of Canada had again violated a written contract with the Government of Newfoundland re The Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation agreement.

Honourable the Premier made a statement re the Appointment of Puisne Judges.

Honourable the Minister of Labour tabled the following reports:

"Report of the matters transacted by the Minister of Labour during 1958 under the provisions of the Labour Relations Act."

"Report of Newfoundland Labour Relations Board for the year 1958."

"Report of the Proceedings of the Minimum Wage Board established under the Minimum Wage Act covering the year 1958."

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Premier, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Canadian Javelin Limited." TAT

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited and Canadian Javelin Limited, And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose." T.V.

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, Canadian Javelin Limited, and Wabush Iron Company, Limited, and to Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose And To Make Certain Amendments To The Nalco-Javelin (Mineral Lands) Act, 1957." N.J. (MIN. LANDS)



On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Labour Relations Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.


On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, and with unanimous consent of the House, it was ordered that the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Labour Relations Act" be withdrawn from the Order Paper.

The Debate on the Address in Reply 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 to-morrow, Monday afternoon, April 27th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, April 27th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Attorney General announced that Honourable the Premier hopes to be in his seat for to-morrow's session.

Honourable the Minister of Health presented a petition from North Harbour re: Bridge.

Honourable 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 Wabush Lake Railway Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Notaries Public Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Use of Sound Recording Machines for Taking and Recording Evidence."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Wabush Lake Railway Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and Carol Lake Company Limited and To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions for The Same Purpose."

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act."

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Welfare of Children Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Corrections Act."

Honourable the Minister of Fisheries gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting The Payment of Bounties on The Construction of Coasting Vessels."

Honourable 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 To Amend The Labrador Lands (Reservation) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited and American Smelting and Refining Company."

Honourable 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 To Validate Assessments Made In The Towns of Harbour Grace, Placentia and Freshwater."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958."

Honourable the Minister of Labour gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting Boilers, Pressure Vessels and Pressure Plants."

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Assessment Act, 1958."

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the bill entitled "An Act Respecting A Private Mining Carrier Railway in Labrador."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.

Honourable the Attorney General made a statement in which he informed the House that a Writ had been issued in the Supreme Court against the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The M. James Boylen (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act To Approve and Give Statutory Effect To An Agreement Between The Government and Advocate Mines Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Suspension of The Rent Restrictions Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Wild Life Act."

The second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act" was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

On motion it was ordered that the following Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow:

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The M. James Boylen (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act To Approve and Give Statutory Effect To An Agreement Between The Government and Advocate Mines Limited."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Suspension of The Rent Restrictions Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Wild Life Act."

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Trustee Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government Act."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Appointment and Powers of The Nomenclature Board."

Mr. Deputy Speaker left the Chair.  
Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.  
Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Trustee Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government Act."

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 other 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 to-morrow, Tuesday afternoon, April 28th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, April 28th., 1959.

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

Mr. Strange presented a petition from Coley's Point re: Widening of Road.

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Education, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Memorial University Act."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.

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

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Wabush Lake Railway Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Notaries Public Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Use of Sound Recording Machines For Taking and Recording Evidence."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Wabush Lake Railway Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and Carol Lake Company Limited and To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Welfare, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Welfare of Children Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Corrections Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Fisheries, the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting The Payment of Bounties on The Construction of Coasting Vessels" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Labrador Lands (Reservation) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize the Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited and American Smelting and Refining Company."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Validate Assessments Made In The Towns of Harbour Grace, Placentia and Freshwater."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting Boilers, Pressure Vessels and Pressure Plants" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Assessment Act, 1958" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Respecting a Private Mining Carrier Railway in Labrador" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion 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, Wednesday afternoon, April 29th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.



Wednesday, April 29th., 1959.

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

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

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, and with unanimous consent of the House, it was ordered that the previous order, to read the following Bill a third time, be rescinded:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be re-committed presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Government Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pharmaceutical Association Act, 1954."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Food and Drug Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland Medical Board Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Memorial University (Pensions) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Libraries Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Appointment and Powers of The Nomenclature Board."

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Suspension of The Rent Restrictions Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pharmaceutical Association Act, 1954."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland Medical Board Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Memorial University (Pensions) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Libraries Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Appointment and Powers of The Nomenclature Board."

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 also reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed the following Bill with some amendment:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government Act."

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 other matters 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 to-morrow, Thursday afternoon, April 30th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, April 30th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement re: The resignation, due to ill health, of Honourable G. J. Power, Minister of Highways, Member for Placentia East.

Honourable the Premier, on behalf of Mr. Lane, presented a petition from St. Anthony re: Electrification.

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Questions.

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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Trustee Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pharmaceutical Association Act, 1954."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland Medical Board Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Memorial University (Pensions) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Libraries Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Appointment and Powers of The Nomenclature Board."

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.

The second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Automobile Insurance Act" was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Notaries Public Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Use of Sound Recording Machines For Taking and Recording Evidence."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Validate Assessments Made In The Towns of Harbour Grace, Placentia and Freshwater."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Payment of Bounties on The Construction of Coasting Vessels."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting Boilers, Pressure Vessels and Pressure Plants."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Assessment Act, 1958."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Welfare of Children Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

The second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act" was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Memorial University Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Food and Drug Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The M. James Boylen (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act To Approve and Give Statutory Effect To An Agreement Between The Government and Advocate Mines Limited."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Urban and Rural Planning Act."

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

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The M. James Boylen (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act To Approve and Give Statutory Effect To An Agreement Between The Government and Advocate Mines Limited."

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 also reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed the following Bill with some amendment:

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Food and Drug Act."

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 other 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 to-morrow, Friday afternoon, May 1st., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,

Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, May 1st., 1959.

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

The second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951" was debated 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 to-morrow, Monday afternoon, May 4th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.



ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, May 4th., 1959.

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

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited and American Smelting and Refining Company."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Labrador Lands (Reservation) Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Corrections Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Urban and Rural Planning Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Wild Life Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Notaries Public Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Use of Sound Recording Machines For Taking and Recording Evidence."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Welfare of Children Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Payment of Bounties on The Construction of Coasting Vessels"

A Bill "An Act To Validate Assessments Made In The Towns of Harbour Grace, Placentia and Freshwater."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Assessment Act, 1958."



Mr. Deputy Speaker left the Chair.  
 Mr. Jones took the Chair of Committee.  
 Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Wild Life Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Notaries Public Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Welfare of Children Act."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Payment of Bounties on The Construction of Coasting Vessels."
- A Bill "An Act To Validate Assessments Made In The Towns of Harbour Grace, Placentia and Freshwater."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Assessment Act, 1958."

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 other matters 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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

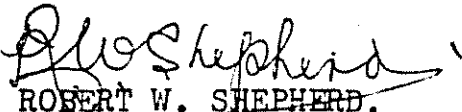
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Food and Drug Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The M. James Boylen (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act To Approve and Give Statutory Effect To An Agreement Between The Government and Advocate Mines Limited."

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 to-morrow, Wednesday afternoon, May 6th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, May 6th., 1959.

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

Mr. Smallwood presented a petition from Brighton re: Bait Depot.

Honourable the Minister of Welfare presented a petition from Sunnyside re: Shop Closing.

Honourable the Minister of Public Works presented a petition from Parsons Pond re: Cold Storage Plant.

Honourable the Minister of Labour presented a petition from Meadows re: Road.

Honourable 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 City of St. John's Act."

The Debate on the Address in Reply was concluded.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bill was read a second time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."

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 to-morrow, Thursday afternoon, May 7th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, May 7th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Fisheries made a statement  
re: The Loss of the Dragger "Blue Wave."

Mr. Smallwood presented a petition from Rattling Brook  
re: Road.

Honourable the Minister of Public Works presented a petition from River of Ponds re: Hospital.

Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Education, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Local School Tax Act, 1957."

Mr. Duffy gave notice of Question.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The City of St. John's Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Canadian Javelin Limited."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose." 1-✓

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, Canadian Javelin Limited, and Wabush Iron Co., Limited, and to Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose. And To Make Certain Amendments To The Nalco-Javelin (Mineral Lands) Act, 1957." N-5 (MIN)

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Wabush Lake Railway Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and Carol Lake Company Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Wabush Lake Railway Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act Respecting a Private Mining Carrier Railway in Labrador."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

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

A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting Boilers, Pressure Vessels and Pressure Plants."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited and American Smelting and Refining Company."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Corrections Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Labrador Lands (Reservation) Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."

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

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

A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting Boilers, Pressure Vessels and Pressure Plants."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited and American Smelting and Refining Company."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Labrador Lands (Reservation) Act."

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 also reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Corrections Act" 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 remaining 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 to-morrow, Friday afternoon, May 8th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, May 8th., 1959.

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

Mr. Mercer presented the following petitions:

Change Islands re: Bridge.  
Seldom re: Community Well.

Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply tabled "The Protected Road Regulations, 1959."

Honourable 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 Development of Housing Accommodation."

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Unimproved Lands (Redistribution) Act, 1957."

Mr. Renouf gave notice of Question.  
Mr. Nightingale gave notice of Question.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act" was read a second time.

On motion 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 Honourable the Minister of Education, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Local School Tax Act, 1957" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."

- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Canadian Javelin Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting a Private Mining Carrier Railway in Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Wabush Lake Railway Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and Carol Lake Company Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Wabush Lake Railway Act, 1955."

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


The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters 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 to-morrow, Monday afternoon, May 11th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.



Monday, May 11th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources presented a petition from Jeffreys re: Road.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act" was read a second time.

On motion 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 Honourable 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 The Use of Sound Recording Machines For Taking and Recording Evidence."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Canadian Javelin Limited."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited and Canadian Javelin Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, Canadian Javelin Limited, and Wabush Iron Co., Limited and to Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose And To Make Certain Amendments To The Nalco-Javelin (Mineral Lands) Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Wabush Lake Railway Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and Carol Lake Company Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Wabush Lake Railway Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting a Private Mining Carrier Railway in Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.


The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters 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 to-morrow, Wednesday afternoon, May 13th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, May 13th., 1959.

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.

Honourable the Premier made a statement re: The New Memorial University Building.

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

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labrador Railway Act, 1948."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland Cement Company Limited and North Star Cement Limited."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with McNamara Construction of Newfoundland Limited and Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Summary Jurisdiction Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Industries Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Companies Act."

Honourable 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 To Restrict Travelling Through Forest Lands."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into Agreements with M. James Boylen."

Honourable the Minister of Health gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."

Honourable 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 Apprenticeship Act."

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain resolutions respecting "The Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957."

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

A Bill, "An Act Further To Amend The Wild Life Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Notaries Public Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Welfare of Children Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Payment of Bounties on The Construction of Coasting Vessels."

A Bill "An Act To Validate Assessments Made In The Towns of Harbour Grace, Placentia and Freshwater."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Assessment Act, 1958."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958."

A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting Boilers, Pressure Vessels and Pressure Plants."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited and American Smelting and Refining Company."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Corrections Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Labrador Lands (Reservation) Act."

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 notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled "An Act To Provide For The Development of Housing Accommodation" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Unimproved Lands (Redistribution) Act, 1957" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Local School Tax Act, 1957" was read a second time. ✕

On motion 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 Honourable 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 The Use of Sound Recording Machines For Taking and Recording Evidence."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."

Z Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Canadian Javelin Limited."

- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited and Canadian Javelin Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, Canadian Javelin Limited and Wabush Iron Co., Limited and to Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose And To Make Certain Amendments To The Nalco-Javelin (Mineral Lands) Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Wabush Lake Railway Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and Carol Lake Company Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Wabush Lake Railway Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting a Private Mining Carrier Railway in Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Use of Sound Recording Machines For Taking and Recording Evidence."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Canadian Javelin Limited."

- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited and Canadian Javelin Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, Canadian Javelin Limited and Wabush Iron Co., Limited and to Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose And To Make Certain Amendments To The Nalco-Javelin (Mineral Lands) Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Wabush Lake Railway Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and Carol Lake Company Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Wabush Lake Railway Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting a Private Mining Carrier Railway in Labrador."

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 other matters 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 to-morrow, Thursday afternoon, May 14th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
 ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
 Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, May 14th., 1959.

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

Mr. Smallwood presented a petition from Brighton re: Bridge.

Mr. Jones presented a petition from Burin re: Highroad.

Mr. Strickland presented a petition from Charlottetown re: Hospital.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labrador Railway Act, 1948."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland Cement Company Limited and North Star Cement Limited."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with McNamara Construction of Newfoundland Limited and Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Limited."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Summary Jurisdiction Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Industries Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Companies Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Restrict Travelling Through Forest Lands."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into Agreements with M. James Boylen."



On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Apprenticeship Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Frobisher Limited (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Memorial University Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

The second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act To Provide For The Development of Housing Accommodation" was debated, and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, and with unanimous consent of the House, it was ordered that the previous order, to read the following Bill a third time, be rescinded:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be re-committed presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke 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 The Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act" 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 Honourable 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 Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Local School Tax Act, 1957."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Local School Tax Act, 1957."

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 to-morrow, Friday afternoon, May 15th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*  
 ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
 Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, May 15th., 1959.

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

Mr. Renouf presented petitions from the following:

Newfoundland Federation of Labour re: Appointment of a Joint Commission.

Petty Harbour re: Roads.

Mr. Jones, on behalf of Mr. Courage, presented a petition from Rencontre East re: Road.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Premier, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Use of Sound Recording Machines For Taking and Recording Evidence."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Canadian Javelin Limited."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited and Canadian Javelin Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, Canadian Javelin Limited, and Wabush Iron Co., Limited, and to Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose And To Make Certain Amendments To The Nalco-Javelin (Mineral Lands) Act, 1957."

- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Wabush Lake Railway Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and Carol Lake Company Limited And To Provide Certain Statutory Provisions For The Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Wabush Lake Railway Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting a Private Mining Carrier Railway in Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Local School Tax Act, 1957."

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 notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Health, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Frobisher Limited (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Memorial University Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act."

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 also reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed the following Bills without amendment:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Frobisher Limited (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Memorial University Act."

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 Honourable the Premier, the Bill entitled "An Act To Restrict Travelling Through Forest Lands" was read a second time.

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 summoned by the Call of the Chair.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, June 9th., 1959.

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

Mr. Mercer presented a petition from Stoneville re: Road.

Honourable the Minister of Fisheries tabled "Report of the Newfoundland Fisheries Development Authority covering the fiscal year ending 31st March, 1959."

Mr. Higgins gave notice of Question.

Honourable the Premier gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Vocational Education Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The School Attendance Act."

Honourable the Premier, on behalf of Honourable 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 Conditional Sales Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Expropriation Act, 1957."

Honourable the Premier, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act To Repeal The Fire Loss Returns Act."

Honourable the Premier, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Highways, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Road Boards Act, 1956."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."

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

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Civil Service Act."

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions respecting The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957."

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Loan Act, 1958, Assented to on the Tenth Day of September, 1958, and to Validate Certain Debentures of the Province."

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions in relation to the granting of Interim Supply to Her Majesty.

Honourable the Minister of Labour gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act."

On motion of Honourable the Premier, and with unanimous consent of the House, it was ordered that the previous order, to read the following Bill a third time, be rescinded:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be re-committed presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Premier, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke 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 The Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act" 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 Honourable the Premier, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Frobisher Limited (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Memorial University Act."

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 Honourable the Premier, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Urban and Rural Planning Act."

A Bill "An Act To Restrict Travelling Through Forest Lands."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Urban and Rural Planning Act."

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 also reported that they had considered the other matter to them referred and had passed the following Bill without amendment:

A Bill "An Act To Restrict Travelling Through Forest Lands."

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 of Honourable the Premier, and with unanimous consent of the House, it was ordered that the Bill entitled "An Act To Provide For The Suspension of The Rent Restrictions Act" be withdrawn from the Order Paper.

The second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland Cement Company Limited and North Star Cement Limited" was debated, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.



Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Apprenticeship Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Unimproved Lands (Redistribution) Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Industries Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into Agreements with M. James Boyden."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

The second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The City of St. John's Act" was debated, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.


Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Labrador Railway Act, 1948" was read a second time.

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 to-morrow, Wednesday afternoon, June 10th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, June 10th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier announced changes in the Membership of The St. John's Housing Authority.

Honourable the Minister of Public Welfare presented petitions from the following:

*HEARTS DELIGHT*  
*Riv* Whiteway re: Roads.  
 Spread Eagle re: Road.

Honourable the Premier gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions respecting the construction of buildings and ancillary buildings and improvements for the purpose of establishing facilities for the use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland.

Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act To Amend and Consolidate the Law Respecting the Operation of Saw Mills."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Premier, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Vocational Education Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The School Attendance Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Conditional Sales Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Expropriation Act, 1957."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the Bill entitled "An Act To Repeal The Fire Loss Returns Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Highways, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Road Boards Act, 1956."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Loan Act, 1958, Assented to on the Tenth Day of September, 1958, and to Validate Certain Debentures of the Province."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Honourable 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:

The Honourable the Minister of Finance:

I, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Newfoundland, transmit Estimates of additional funds required for the Public Services of the Province for the year ending 31st March, 1960, by way of a second Interim Supply in the amount of \$2,740,000, making an aggregate of \$13,520,000 by way of Interim Supply for 1959-60, and in accordance with the provisions of the British North America Act of 1867, as amended, I recommend these Estimates to the House of Assembly.

(Sgd.) Campbell MacPherson,  
Lieutenant Governor.

June 10th, 1959.

On motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, and with unanimous consent, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions in relation to the Granting of Interim Supply to Her Majesty.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.  
Mr. Clarke 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 in relation to the Granting of Interim Supply to Her Majesty and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions having been 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

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 Sixty and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was read a third time and passed:

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 Sixty and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

On motion 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, and with unanimous consent, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions respecting The Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.  
Mr. Clarke 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 respecting The Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957, and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions having been 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend the Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The City of St. John's Act" was read a second time.

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 to-morrow, Thursday afternoon, June 11th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, June 11th., 1959.

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

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

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor 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 a Bill for the appropriation of Interim Supply granted in the Present Session.

Whereupon the Clerk read 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 Sixty and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

His Honour then said "In Her Majesty's Name, I thank Her Loyal Subjects, I accept their benevolence, and assent to this Bill."

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 To Amend The Labrador Lands (Reservation) Act."

A Bill "An Act to Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council to Enter into an Agreement with Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited and American Smelting and Refining Company."

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Wabush Lake Railway Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council to Enter into an Agreement with Canadian Javelin Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited Act, 1951."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council to Enter into an Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited and Canadian Javelin Limited, and to Provide Certain Statutory Provisions for the Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act to Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council to Enter into an Agreement with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, Canadian Javelin Limited, and Wabush Iron Co., Limited, to Provide Certain Statutory Provisions for the Same Purpose and to Make Certain Amendments to the Nalco-Javelin (Mineral Lands) Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act to Authorize The Lieutenant Governor in Council to Enter into an Agreement with Wabush Lake Railway Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and to Provide Certain Statutory Provisions for the Same Purpose."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting a Private Mining Carrier Railway in Labrador."

His Honour then said "In Her Majesty's Name, I assent to these Bills."

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor left the Assembly Chamber.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

Mr. Mifflin presented the following petitions:

Little Harbour and Pope's Harbour re: Road.  
Deer Harbour re: Road.

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions in relation to the providing of salaries for the Comptroller of the Treasury and the Auditor General.



Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Urban and Rural Planning Act."

A Bill "An Act To Restrict Travelling Through Forest Lands."

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 notice, and on motion of Honourable the Premier, and with unanimous consent, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions respecting "An Act to Provide For The Construction of Additional Buildings and Improvements for the Use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke 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 respecting "An Act to Provide For The Construction of Additional Buildings and Improvements for the Use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland," and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions having been 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 Honourable the Premier, the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act to Provide for the Construction of Additional Buildings and Improvements for the use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Premier, 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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland Cement Company Limited and North Star Cement Limited."

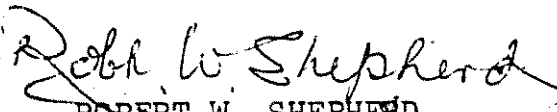
A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Development of Housing Accomodation."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills 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 to-morrow, Friday afternoon, June 12th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, June 12th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Standard Time (Newfoundland) Act."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Automobile Insurance Act" was read a second time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, and with unanimous consent of the House, it was ordered that the previous order, to read the following Bill a third time, be rescinded:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be re-committed presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Unimproved Lands (Redistribution) Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labrador Railway Act, 1948."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Industries Act."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into Agreements with M. James Boylen."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Apprenticeship Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Development of Housing Accomodation."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland Cement Company Limited and North Star Cement Limited."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland Cement Company Limited and North Star Cement Limited."

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 also reported that they had considered the other matters to them referred and had passed the following Bills without amendment:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Unimproved Lands (Redistribution) Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labrador Railway Act, 1948."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Industries Act."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into Agreements with M. James Boylen."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Apprenticeship Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Development of Housing Accomodationl"

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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Companies Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Vocational Education Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The School Attendance Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills 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 to-morrow, Monday afternoon, June 15th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, June 15th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled "An Act Relating to Historic Objects, Sites and Records."

Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions respecting "An Act to Provide for the Establishment of an Insurance Fund to Provide a Contributory Pension Plan for Members of the House of Assembly with long Service."

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Civil Service Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources, the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting The Operation of Saw Mills" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Standard Time (Newfoundland) Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, and with unanimous consent, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions respecting The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.  
 Mr. Clarke 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 respecting "The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957," and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions having been 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend the Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, and with unanimous consent, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions in Relation to the Providing of Salaries for the Comptroller of the Treasury and the Auditor General.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.  
 Mr. Clarke 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 in Relation to the Providing of Salaries for the Comptroller of the Treasury and the Auditor General, and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions having been 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

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

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Unimproved Lands (Redistribution) Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labrador Railway Act, 1948."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Industries Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into Agreements with M. James Boylen."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Apprenticeship Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Development of Housing Accomodation."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with Newfoundland Cement Company Limited and North Star Cement Limited."

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 Honourable 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 City of St. John's Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Provide For The Construction of Additional Buildings and Improvements for the Use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Automobile Insurance Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Companies Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Vocational Education Act."



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

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters 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 Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The School Attendance Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.  
 Mr. Clarke 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 Bill without amendment:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The School Attendance Act."

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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with McNamara Construction of Newfoundland Limited and Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Limited."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Summary Jurisdiction Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills 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 to-morrow, Tuesday afternoon, June 10th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
 Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, June 16th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution in Relation to the Granting of Supplementary Supply to Her Majesty.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Conditional Sales Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Expropriation Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Fire Loss Returns Act;"
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Road Boards Act, 1956."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Loan Act, 1958, Assented to on the Tenth Day of September, 1958, and to Validate Certain Debentures of the Province."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Civil Service Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957."

On motion, and by leave of the House, it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House at a later hour in the day.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting The Operation of Saw Mills" was read a second time.

On motion 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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Revenue and Audit Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Standard Time (Newfoundland) Act."

On motion, and by leave of the House, it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House at a later hour in the day.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the Bill entitled "An Act Relating To Historic Objects, Sites and Records" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion, and by leave of the House, it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order, the second reading of the Bill entitled "An Act Relating to Historic Objects, Sites and Records" was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, and with unanimous consent, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions in relation to The Establishment of an Insurance Fund to Provide a Contributory Pension Plan for Members of the House of Assembly with Long Service.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke 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 in relation to The Establishment of an Insurance Fund to Provide a Contributory Pension Plan for Members of the House of Assembly with Long Service, and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions having been 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 Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act to Provide for the Establishment of an Insurance Fund to Provide a Contributory Pension Plan for Members of the House of Assembly with Long Service."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

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

A Bill "An Act to Provide For The Construction of Additional Buildings and Improvements for the Use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.  
Mr. Clarke 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 to-morrow, Wednesday, afternoon, June 17th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, June 17th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier made an announcement re: The Gift to Her Majesty of \$10,000.00 for Retarded Children, on behalf of the Government and People of Newfoundland.

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of Ways and Means.

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of Supply.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The School Attendance Act" was read a third time and passed.

On motion 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 Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Relating to Historic Objects, Sites and Records" was read a second time.

On motion, and by leave of the House, it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

On motion of Honourable the Premier, and by leave of the House, it was ordered that the following Bill be referred to a Select Committee of the House with authority to sit out of session, hear representation, take reports and report back to the House at its next Session:

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Establishment of an Insurance Fund To Provide a Contributory Pension Plan for Members of the House of Assembly with Long Service."

It was ordered accordingly and the following Members were appointed to said Committee:

Honourable the Premier  
Honourable the Leader of the Opposition  
Honourable the Attorney General  
Honourable the Minister of Finance  
Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs  
Mr. Higgins  
Mr. Canning  
Mr. Clarke  
Mr. Speaker as Chairman.

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

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke 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 in relation to the granting of Supplementary Supply to Her Majesty, and recommending that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

The said Resolutions having been 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

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 Ended the Thirty-First Day of March One Thousand and Nine Hundred and Fifty-Nine and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was read a third time and passed:

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 Ended the Thirty-First Day of March One Thousand and Nine Hundred and Fifty-Nine and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

On motion 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 Honourable 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 City of St. John's Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Provide For The Construction of Additional Buildings and Improvements for the Use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Automobile Insurance Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Companies Act. "
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Vocational Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with McNamara Construction of Newfoundland Limited and Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Summary Jurisdiction Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Conditional Sales Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Expropriation Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Fire Loss Returns Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Road Boards Act, 1956."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Loan Act, 1958, Assented to on the Tenth Day of September, 1958, and to Validate Certain Debentures of the Province."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Civil Service Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Revenue and Audit Act."

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

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

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Automobile Insurance Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Companies Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Expropriation Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Fire Loss Returns Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Road Boards Act, 1956."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Loan Act, 1958, Assented to on the Tenth Day of September, 1958, and to Validate Certain Debentures of the Province."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Civil Service Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Revenue and Audit Act."

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 also reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed the following Bills, each with some amendment:

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The City of St. John's Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Provide For The Construction of Additional Buildings and Improvements for the Use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Vocational Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with McNamara Construction of Newfoundland Limited and Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Limited."



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 other matters to them referred and recommended that the following Bills be referred to a Select Committee:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Summary Jurisdiction Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Conditional Sales Act."

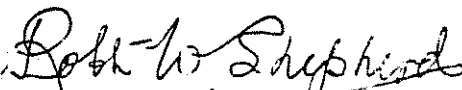
A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."

Said Committee to consist of the Members of the Legal Profession in the House, with a special invitation to the Ex-Magistrates of the House to attend, and that by permission of the House the regular two weeks waiting period be waved and the meeting be held on Monday, June 22nd., at four of the clock in the afternoon, with Mr. Speaker as Chairman.

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, Thursday afternoon, June 25th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, June 25th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Attorney General tabled The Reports of the Select Committee appointed to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Summary Jurisdiction Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Conditional Sales Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled: "An Act Further To Amend The Public Utilities Act."

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The City of St. John's Act."

A Bill "An Act to Provide For The Construction of Additional Buildings and Improvements for the Use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Automobile Insurance Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Companies Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Vocational Education Act."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government of Newfoundland To Enter Into An Agreement with McNamara Construction of Newfoundland Limited and Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Limited."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Expropriation Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Fire Loss Returns Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Road Boards Act, 1956."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Loan Act, 1958, Assented to on the Tenth Day of September, 1958, and to Validate Certain Debentures of the Province."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Civil Service Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Revenue and Audit Act."

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

On motion of Honourable the Premier, it was ordered that the Debate on the said motion be deferred until to-morrow.

Honourable 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:

The Honourable the Minister of Finance:

I, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Newfoundland, transmit Estimates of sums required for the Public Services of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1960, aggregating Eighty-two Million Eight Hundred and Forty Seven Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (\$82,847,400), 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.

(Sgd) Campbell MacPherson,  
Lieutenant Governor.

June 25th, 1959.

On motion of Honourable 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. Clarke 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 to-morrow, Friday afternoon, June 26th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, June 26th., 1959.

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

Mr. Mercer presented a petition from Fogo Island re: Installation of Diesel Unit to Provide Water for Hospital.

Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs presented a petition from Renssers re: Restoration of Road.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow move that the Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Education Act" be reconsidered, that third reading be rescinded, and that the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

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

- A Bill "An Act Relating to Historic Objects, Sites and Records."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting The Operation of Saw Mills."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Summary Jurisdiction Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Conditional Sales Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed the Bill entitled "An Act Relating to Historic Objects, Sites and Records" 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 also reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed the following Bills, each with some amendment:

A Bill "An Act To Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting The Operation of Saw Mills."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Summary Jurisdiction Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Conditional Sales Act."

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 other 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 Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Public Utilities Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

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

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed Estimates of the Current Expenditure under the following headings:

- I. Consolidated Fund Services.
- II. Legislative.
- III. Executive Council.
- IV. Department of Finance.

The Chairman from the Committee 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 to-morrow, Monday afternoon, June 29th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, June 29th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier made an announcement in reference to Statutory and other Holidays.

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Education, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Department of Education Act."

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

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

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed Estimates of the Current Expenditure under the following headings:

V. Department of Provincial Affairs.

VI. Department of Education.

The Chairman from the Committee 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 to-morrow, Tuesday afternoon, June 30th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,

Clerk of the House of Assembly.



Tuesday, June 30th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier and Honourable the Leader of the Opposition expressed the sympathy of the House over the death of Mr. T. LeFeuvre, a former member of the House of Assembly.

Honourable the Premier, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The St. John's Shops Act."

Mr. Duffy gave notice of Question.

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

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Education, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Department of Education Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of Supply.

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

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed Estimates of the Current Expenditure under the following headings:

- Vll. Department of Attorney General.
- Vlll. Department of Mines and Resources.

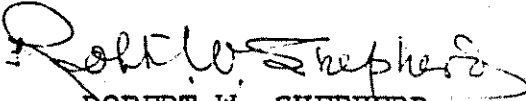
The Chairman from the Committee asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

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 to-morrow, Thursday afternoon, July 2nd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Thursday, July 2nd., 1959.

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

Mr. Forsey presented petitions from the following:

Corner Brook East re: Water and Sewerage.  
Corner Brook re: Dust from Cement Plant.

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

The Debate on the Budget Speech was concluded.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.  
Mr. Clarke 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 of Honourable the Attorney General, the motion to have the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Education Act" reconsidered, third reading rescinded and the Bill re-committed, was withdrawn.

Pursuant to notice, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The St. John's Shops Act" was introduced and read a first time.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, and by leave of the House, it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order, the second reading of the Bill "An Act Further To Amend The St. John's Shops Act" was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

- A Bill "An Act Relating To Historic Objects, Sites and Records."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting The Operation of Saw Mills."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Summary Jurisdiction Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Conditional Sales Act."

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 Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Standard Time (Newfoundland) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Department of Education Act."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of Supply.

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

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed Estimates of the Current Expenditure under the following headings:

- lX. Department of Public Works.
- X. Department of Health.

The Chairman from the Committee 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 to-morrow, Friday afternoon, July 3rd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, July 3rd., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier informed the House that in response to representation made by very highly placed persons in this Province, the Bill "An Act Further To Amend The St. John's Shops Act" will not eliminate St. George's Day, St. Patrick's Day and July 12th., but will eliminate Easter Monday and Thanksgiving Day.

Honourable the Premier presented a petition from Four Grand Falls Labour Unions re: Labour Legislation.

Mr. Smallwood presented a petition from Point Lemington re: Extension of Power Lines.

Honourable Mr. Lewis presented a petition from Middle Bight re: Road.

Mr. Hollett gave notice of Question.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke took the Chair of Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters to them referred and had passed Estimates of the Current Expenditure under the following headings:

- XI. Department of Public Welfare.
- XII. Board of Liquor Control.
- XIII. Department of Municipal Affairs and Supply.
- XIV. Department of Fisheries.
- XV. Department of Economic Development.
- XVI. Department of Labour.
- XVII. Department of Highways.

On motion this report was received and adopted.

The Chairman from the Committee also reported that they had considered the other matters to them referred and had passed Estimates of the Capital Account Expenditure under the following headings:

- I. Consolidated Fund Services.
- IV. Department of Finance.
- VI. Department of Education.
- VIII. Department of Mines and Resources.
- IX. Department of Public Works.
- X. Department of Health.
- XI. Department of Public Welfare.
- XIII. Department of Municipal Affairs and Supply.
- XLV. Department of Fisheries.
- XV. Department of Economic Development.
- XVII. Department of Highways.

On motion this report was received and adopted.

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, Monday afternoon, July 6th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, July 6th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier tabled "Annual Report of the Department of Education For The Year Ending March 31st, 1958," and "Statistical Supplement to the Annual Report of the Department of Education for School Year ended June 30, 1958."

Honourable the Minister of Health made a statement re: Polio.

Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs gave notice that he would presently, by leave of the House, ask leave to introduce the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Shops Act."

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

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shop Closing (Barbers and Hairdressers) Act."

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into a Committee of Ways and Means to consider certain Resolutions in relation to the granting to supply to Her Majesty.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Clarke 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 the following Resolution, and recommended that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same:

"That it is expedient to introduce a measure to provide for the granting to Her Majesty for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service for the financial year ending the 31st day of March, 1960, the further sum of sixty-nine million three hundred and twenty-seven thousand four hundred dollars (\$69,327,400) in addition to the sums of ten million seven hundred and eighty thousand dollars (\$10,780,000) and two million seven hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$2,740,000) authorized by the Acts Nos. 6 and 44 of 1959."



The said Resolution having been read a first and second time, it was moved and seconded that the House concur with the Committee therein and the said Resolution was agreed to.

On motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance the following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

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 Sixty, and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was read a third time and passed:

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 Sixty, and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

On motion 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 Honourable the Attorney General, and by leave of the House, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Shops Act."

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

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shop Closing (Barbers and Hairdressers) Act."

On motion, and by leave of the House, it was ordered that the said Bills be read a second time presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a second time:

- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Shops Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shop Closing (Barbers and Hairdressers) Act."

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, and by leave of the House, it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

The second reading of the Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Public Utilities Act" was debated and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General was adjourned for further debate presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable 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 Standard Time (Newfoundland) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Department of Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Shops Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shop Closing (Barbers and Hairdressers) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The St. John's Shops Act."

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

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Standard Time (Newfoundland) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Department of Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Shops Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shop Closing (Barbers and Hairdressers) Act."

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered, by leave of the House, that the said Bills be read a third time presently.

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

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The St. John's Shops Act."

On motion this report was received and adopted and it was ordered, by leave of the House, that the said Bills be read a third time presently.

Pursuant to order, and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Standard Time (Newfoundland) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Department of Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Shops Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The St. John's Shop Closing (Barbers and Hairdressers) Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The St. John's Shops Act."

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.

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

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor 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:

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 Ended the Thirty-First Day of March One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Nine 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 Sixty and for Other Purposes Relating to the Public Service."

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

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:

- A BILL "An Act Further to Amend the Public Libraries Act."
- A BILL "An Act Further to Amend the Trustee Act."
- A BILL "An Act Further to Amend the Local Government Act, 1956."
- A BILL "An Act to Amend the Pharmaceutical Association Act, 1954."
- A BILL "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland Medical Board Act."
- A BILL "An Act Further to Amend the Health and Public Welfare Act."
- A BILL "An Act Respecting the Appointment and Powers of the Nomenclature Board."
- A BILL "An Act Further to Amend the Memorial University (Pensions) Act."
- A BILL "An Act to Approve and Give Statutory Effect to an Agreement Between the Government and Advocate Lines Limited."
- A BILL "An Act to Amend the M. James Boylen (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."
- A BILL "An Act Further to Amend the Food and Drug Act."
- A BILL "An Act Further to Amend the Wild Life Act."
- A BILL "An Act to Amend the Assessment Act, 1958."
- A BILL "An Act to Amend the Notaries Public Act, 1957."
- A BILL "An Act Further to Amend the Life and Accident Insurance Agents (Licensing) Act."

- A Bill "An Act to Validate Assessments Made in the Towns of Harbour Grace, Placentia and Freshwater."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Welfare of Children Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the City of Corner Brook Act, 1958."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Payment of Bounties on the Construction of Coasting Vessels."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend and Consolidate the Law Respecting Boilers, Pressure Vessels and Pressure Plants."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Corrections Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Accident Insurance Companies (Licensing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Provide for the Use of Sound Recording Machines for Taking and Recording Evidence."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands (Mines and Quarries) Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local School Tax Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Frobisher Limited (Confirmation of Agreement) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Memorial University Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education (Teachers' Pensions) Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Restrict Travelling Through Forest Lands."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Unimproved Lands (Redistribution) Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Urban and Rural Planning Act, 1953."
- A Bill "An Act to Provide for the Development of Housing Accommodation."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Industries Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Labrador Railway Act, 1948."

- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Apprenticeship Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act to Authorize the Government of Newfoundland to Enter into an Agreement with Newfoundland Cement Company Limited and North Star Cement Limited."
- A Bill "An Act to Authorize the Government of Newfoundland to Enter into Agreements with M. James Boylen."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Automobile Insurance Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the City of St. John's Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Authorize the Government of Newfoundland to Enter into an Agreement with McNamara Construction of Newfoundland Limited and Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Companies Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Vocational Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the School Attendance Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Expropriation Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act to Repeal the Fire Loss Returns Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Local Road Boards Act, 1956."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Crown Lands Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Workmen's Compensation Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Civil Service Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Loan Act, 1958, Assented to on the Tenth Day of September, 1958, and to Validate Certain Debentures of the Province."

- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act to Provide for the Construction of Additional Buildings and Improvements for the Use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Revenue and Audit Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Summary Jurisdiction Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Conditional Sales Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend and Consolidate the Law Respecting the Operation of Saw Mills."
- A Bill "An Act Relating to Historic Objects, Sites and Records."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Highway Traffic Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Standard Time (Newfoundland) Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend the Department of Education Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shops Act."
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- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the Exploits Valley (Closing Hours) Shop Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend the St. John's Shop Closing (Barbers and Hairdressers) Act."

His Honour then said "In Her Majesty's Name, I assent to these Bills."

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor left the Assembly Chamber.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

On motion of Honourable the Premier, and with unanimous consent of the House, it was ordered that the Bill entitled "An Act Further To Amend The Public Utilities Act" be withdrawn from the Order Paper.



It was moved and seconded that when the House rises,  
it adjourn until summoned by the Call of the Chair.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*John W. Shepherd*  
ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, July 20th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the following Resolution:

"This House affirms the following statement of facts:

1. Term 29 is an indispensable part of the terms under which Newfoundland abandoned her ancient and honourable independence within the British Commonwealth to become a Province of Canada;
2. Term 29 was accepted and adopted by the Parliament of Canada, the Parliament of the United Kingdom, and the duly-constituted authority of Newfoundland;
3. Term 29 is embodied in the British North America Act, forms part of the Constitution of Canada, and by Canadians in general, and Newfoundlanders in particular, must be considered to be as sacred as any other clause of the Constitution;
4. As Term 29 forms part of the Terms of Union, which Terms were negotiated and signed by Canada and Newfoundland jointly, no change should be made in it except by joint decision of Canada and Newfoundland through their properly constituted authorities, and Newfoundland's rights under this Term should not be ended, amended or reduced without Newfoundland's consent freely made and freely given;
5. Term 29 provides for the continuation of Newfoundland's public services as they were found to be when the McNair Royal Commission made its report and recommendations. This continuation of the Province's public services is to be paid for by the Government of Canada, after the people of Newfoundland have borne to the Government of Newfoundland at least as great a burden of taxation, having regard to their capacity to pay, as the people do in the nearby Maritime Provinces; and this is to be done without qualification, and without limit of time;

6. Term 29 is not for the purpose of dealing with the matter of making Newfoundland's public services as good as those of the Maritime or any other Provinces, but deals only with the continuation of Newfoundland's public services as they were found to be by the McNair Royal Commission;

7. Term 29 is not for the purpose of providing for any improvement in the levels and standards of Newfoundland's public services, as they were found by the McNair Royal Commission, but only with their continuation;

8. Term 29, and its strict and honourable enforcement, does not, and was not intended to, deprive Newfoundland of any grants or other forms of assistance made generally available to all or any number of the other Provinces of Canada, and does not in any sense or degree reduce Newfoundland's general rights as a Province of Canada.

This House notes with deep regret that the present Government of Canada, through the announcement of the Prime Minister, and the legislation recently enacted, have, without the consent of this House or of the Government of this Province, decided that the sacred rights provided by Term 29 shall become null and void after 1962.

This House affirms its deep loyalty to the union of our two countries (Canada and Newfoundland), to the terms of that union as they are written into the Constitution of Canada, and in particular to the rights solemnly provided for Newfoundland in this Term.

We cannot regard any legislation unilaterally adopted by the Parliament of Canada, or any oral or even written assurance of individual Ministers of the Government of Canada as a substitute for Canada's Constitution itself. As the elected representatives of the people of Newfoundland we will strive by all proper means to procure in the Parliament of Canada, which is our national Parliament, the unequivocal acceptance of Term 29 as a solemn and abiding guarantee of the rights of Newfoundland, for which there can be no substitute. Our rights have been invaded by the Government of Canada, and we will not cease our resistance until these rights have been fully restored."

Mr. Higgins rose to a Point of Personal Privilege and made a statement.

Mr. Duffy rose to a Point of Personal Privilege and made a statement.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow, Tuesday afternoon, July 21st., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, July 21st., 1959.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement re the Building of a Bridge at Placentia.

Honourable the Premier tabled the report of the Foundation of Canada Engineering Corporation re the Proposed Bridge at Placentia.

Pursuant to notice, Honourable the Premier introduced the following Resolution:

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7. Term 29 is not for the purpose of providing for any improvement in the levels and standards of Newfoundland's public services, as they were found by the McNair Royal Commission, but only with their continuation;

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The Debate on the Resolution was adjourned until to-morrow.

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

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Wednesday, July 22nd., 1959.

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

Mr. Higgins rose to a Point of Privilege re a statement made by Press and Radio.

The Debate on the Resolution re Term 29 was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow, Thursday afternoon, July 23rd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.



Thursday, July 23rd., 1959.

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

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition presented a petition from Thorburn Road re: Road.

The Debate on the Resolution re Term 29 was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

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

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Friday, July 24th., 1959.

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

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition rose to a Point of Privilege re an article in the July 24th issue of the Daily News.

The Debate on the Resolution re Term 29 was continued and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

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

The House then adjourned accordingly.

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Monday, July 27th., 1959.

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

The Debate on the Resolution re Term 29 was continued.

It being now six of the clock, Mr. Speaker recessed the House until eight of the clock.

The Debate on the Resolution re Term 29 was concluded.

Honourable the Premier moved the adoption of the Resolution.

Mr. Speaker put the motion and the House divided.

There appeared in favour of the motion:

Honourable the Premier, Honourable the Attorney General, Honourable the Minister of Mines and Resources, Honourable the Minister of Finance, Honourable the Minister of Public Works, Honourable the Minister of Highways, Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, Honourable the Minister of Welfare, Honourable the Minister of Health, Honourable the Minister of Fisheries, Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, Honourable the Minister of Labour, Honourable Mr. Lewis, Mr. Canning, Mr. Strickland, Mr. Smith, Mr. O'Driscoll, Mr. Mercer, Mr. Winsor, Mr. Forsey, Mr. Whelan, Mr. Strange, Mr. Sellars, Mr. Mifflin, Mr. Jones, Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Nightingale, Mr. Clarke, Mr. Smallwood, Mr. Higgins, Mr. Duffy. (31)

There appeared against the motion:

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition,  
Mr. Renouf. (2) The motion was carried.

Honourable the Premier then made the following statement:

"I wish to inform the House that I shall advise the Lieutenant Governor to dissolve the House and to call a General Election within 21 days from His Proclamation."

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

The House then adjourned accordingly.

*Robert W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Tuesday, July 28th., 1959.

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

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

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor took the Chair.

His Honour was then pleased to make the following Speech:

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

I am glad to be able to relieve you of the responsible duties of this extended session which has been punctuated by several anxious recesses. In doing so I desire to express my appreciation of the faithful manner in which you have applied yourselves to your legislative labours and of the careful attention and consideration you have given to the matters which my Ministers have submitted to you.

During this session Newfoundland has had the great honour of a visit from Her Majesty the Queen and His Royal Highness, Prince Philip, The Duke of Edinburgh. As far as the overriding arrangements made by the Federal authorities at Ottawa would permit, my Ministers took all steps to ensure that as many as possible of our people were afforded the opportunity to greet Her Majesty and Prince Philip, and it is particularly pleasing to note that their itinerary included visits to various areas outside St. John's thereby enabling thousands of our people to participate in this happy event.

Many of the measures which you have considered in this session are of paramount importance to Newfoundland. As the session opened, great turbulence and unrest prevailed in our pulp and paper industry which were regarded by my Ministers as constituting a serious threat to our whole economy. The legislation introduced by my Ministers for the purpose of safeguarding the public interest met with your unanimous support and approval and, as a result, the unsettled conditions which existed in the largest and most vital of our industries were remedied. My Ministers have expressed their intention to review this legislation in due course to determine whether or not the situation has improved to the extent that some of the safeguards which it was necessary, in the public interest, to impose, may be modified.

Important transactions relating to the vast iron ore deposits in the Lake Wabush area of Labrador have been announced by my Ministers. Bills authorizing the Government to enter into various agreements with Newfoundland and Labrador Corporation Limited, Canadian Javelin Limited, Wabush Iron Company Limited, Northern Land Company Limited and Carol Lake Company Limited have received your approval and it is my firm belief that these measures will materially encourage and facilitate the exploration and development of the mineral resources of Labrador. It is also most encouraging to note your approval of a Bill relating to the construction of a second railway in Labrador. The success of the large scale operations presently in progress in the Lake Wabush area will provide many opportunities for employment to our people and may well revolutionize the financial and economic position of a large part of the Province.

In other fields of mining development, my Ministers have been authorized by appropriate legislation to enter into Agreements with Advocate Mines Limited, with Dr. M. James Boylen and with Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited and American Smelting and Refining Company. The purpose of these Agreements is to facilitate the development of various mineral deposits throughout the Province; and keeping in mind the vigorous and diversified programme of mineral exploration which is now being carried on in Newfoundland, the next few years should prove to be most eventful so far as the development of our natural resources is concerned.

Legislation to give effect to significant changes in the management and operation of two of the industries established with the help of public monies have been considered by you. This legislation authorizes my Ministers to enter into an Agreement with McNamara Construction of Newfoundland Limited relative to the operation of Canadian Machinery and Industry Construction Limited and with Newfoundland Cement Company Limited regarding North Star Cement Limited. As a result of these measures, my Ministers are confident that there will be improvement and expansion in these two industries in the future.

Educational matters have continued to occupy the attention of my Ministers and, with your approval, one of the most forward steps in the history of education in Newfoundland has been taken. For many years, my Ministers have been concerned about the serious lack of suitable University facilities and this problem has been receiving most careful attention. The necessary legislative authority having been provided during this session, the work of constructing a number of new and well-equipped buildings for the use of the Memorial University of Newfoundland has now been commenced

and will be pushed forward by my Ministers with all possible speed in an effort to have them available for use at the earliest possible time.

Mindful of the difficulties which have beset our fisheries during the past year, my Ministers have endeavoured to exert every effort to improve the conditions existing in this most important industry. The closing down of the fish plant at Fortune and the consequent hardships suffered by the fishermen and others in the area, have been extremely disturbing to my Ministers and they have worked assiduously to find a solution to the problem. I am happy to note that it has been possible to interest a large outside fishing concern in re-opening and operating the plant in question and it is earnestly to be hoped that this arrangement will prove to be successful and beneficial to the whole community.

The decline in recent years in the number of coasting vessels operating in our waters has been quite marked and, for the purpose of encouraging the construction of such vessels, my Ministers have introduced legislation to provide for the payment of a bounty ranging from \$120 to \$300 a ton. This has been approved by you and should be of great assistance to those of our people who are already engaged or may wish to engage in the coastal trade.

Various Bills dealing with such matters as the development of housing accommodation and the preservation of historic objects, sites and records have received your attention whilst miscellaneous Bills involving numerous amendments to existing legislation bring the number of measures dealt with by you during the session to an impressive total.

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

I thank you for the provision you have made for all essential services for the present fiscal year which will enable my Ministers to pursue the progressive measures already initiated by them in the fields of health, public welfare, education and road construction whilst the votes provided for fisheries and agriculture will, it is hoped, help to increase the earning power and independence of many of our people. These monies will be disbursed with the utmost regard for economy and with the welfare and interests of Newfoundland foremost in the minds of my Ministers.

My Ministers are gravely concerned over the legislation recently adopted by the Parliament of Canada in connection with the implementation of Term 29 of the Terms of Union between Newfoundland and Canada. In their view this legislation is an inexcusable violation of Term 29. It is their policy to seek by all proper means the restoration of Term 29 in its full original meaning.

As you are already aware, this will be the last session of the 31st General Assembly.

To all of you, whether you continue to occupy a seat in this House or not, I wish success in your future avocations and a measure of well deserved relaxation after your heavy duties.

In releasing you from your duties, I express the hope that Divine Providence will continue to guide you and that His blessing will be on all of our people as they pursue their occupations on the sea, in the forests, in the mines, in industry and in every field of their labours.

*Robert W. Shepherd*

ROBERT W. SHEPHERD,  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.