

FOURTH SESSION

THIRTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OPENED JANUARY 12, 1966

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PROCEEDINGS
of the
FOURTH SESSION
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THIRTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
of
NEWFOUNDLAND.

BEGUN and holden at St. John's in the Province of Newfoundland on Wednesday, the twelfth day of January, Anno Domini, Nineteen Hundred and Sixty-six, being in the Fifteenth 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.

Wednesday, January 12th., 1966.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor having fixed the hour at which he proposed to open the present Session of the Legislature at three of the clock in the afternoon of this Wednesday, the twelfth day of January, 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:

I welcome you to your new session, in which I am sure you will devote your minds vigorously to the public affairs of our Province. You will be asked to give consideration to many matters of considerable importance.

The year just passed has witnessed more development and progress than ever seen in our Province in any one year before. The year upon which we have already entered seems likely to be even greater. It appears to be quite certain that more construction will be carried out than in any other year of our history. This will consist of University and school buildings, hospitals, public buildings, industrial and commercial structures, and housing. There will be more mineral production than ever before. Exciting prospects appear to be opening up in the discovery and production of oil. There will be great progress this year in the field of hydro-electric energy production. The fisheries give every promise of seeing the start of more new development than in any previous year of our history. In the field of public services, this year is likely to be the greatest, especially in education, public health, social welfare, and transportation.

My Government, in common with all our people, are greatly pleased by the notable progress that is being made by the Memorial University of Newfoundland.

Two splendid new buildings are under construction, and my Ministers are striving to have them ready for the purposes of the University in the coming autumn. Another new building, to serve the purpose of fishery research, is to be constructed on the Campus.

Still another fishery research establishment is to be constructed by the Government at Logy Bay. This building will be passed over to the University for its work in oceanography and marine science generally. The National Research Council of Canada have made a generous contribution to my Government for this purpose.

Construction on the Campus of six new residences for students is about to commence. My Ministers are very pleased to be in a position also to offer substantial financial assistance to our University's Council of the Canadian Union of Students to enable the Council to erect a multi-million dollar Students' building, to be centrally located on the Campus. This is a building whose cost will be met in the main, over a period of many years, by the students themselves. My Ministers are pleased as well to be able to assist financially and otherwise in the provision of a large new apartment building for members of the faculty of the University. This, too, will be erected at an appropriate position on the Campus. The increase in the numbers of students and faculty is such that the residences and apartment building that I have mentioned must be regarded as but the first of many such buildings to be erected on the Campus in the coming years. Legislative authority for free tuition for all students, and the payment of monthly allowances during their attendance at the University, which have already been announced by the Premier of the Province, will be sought in your present session.

You will be asked in this session to approve the establishment of a research division within the Department of Education and other substantial improvements in the general field of education. I am confident that you will do so with alacrity and considerable personal satisfaction. Among these are important measures designed to make opportunities for vocational and technical education more easily available to our people, especially to unemployed adults.

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

My Ministers will lay before you important proposals for partial reorganization of some Departments of Government. The main purpose of this reorganization is to bring together, in the one Department and under direction of one Minister, a number of activities which, though they are of approximately the same type, are presently divided in responsibility and administration between several Departments of Government. A new Department, to be known tentatively as the Department of Resource Development, would be organized, and to it would be assigned all matters relating to ARDA (Agricultural Rehabilitation and Development Administration), the Newfoundland part of the Federal War on Poverty, the Newfoundland application of the Company of Young Canadians, all matters of centralization of population, and especially all matters of forestry and fishery development. These activities would be removed from the Departments in which they are at present found, and by being put together in this one new Department, under the Direction of a Minister, my Ministers hope that substantial speeding up of these activities will be brought about in the immediate future.

You will be asked to approve a proposal to create a new office of Government to be known as President of the Council.

You will be asked to approve a change in the title of the Department of the Attorney General, which would become the Department of Justice. The Minister in charge of this Department would be known as the Minister of Justice and Attorney General.

My Ministers will lay before you legislation to create a new Department of Labrador Affairs. This Department will be charged with the duty of promoting and assisting in every appropriate way the speedy development of Labrador, both as to natural resources and public and social conveniences. My Ministers are determined to reverse the tendency so often felt on the Island of Newfoundland to regard the resources of Labrador as being primarily of advantage to the Island. They are anxious to impress upon all concerned the fact that the resources of Labrador must be made to mean very great advantage and benefit to the people who work and reside in Labrador.

It must not be supposed that the creation of these new Departments or Offices of Government would always mean addition to the number of Ministers in the Government. Some of them could well be filled by Ministers acting in a dual capacity. It would, however, be the desire of my Ministers as soon as may be to make the Department of Labrador Affairs the responsibility of a Minister who would have few if any additional department duties.

My Ministers will lay before you a proposal that the present system of entitlement to vote in Municipal elections in the City of St. John's be changed to one that will provide for full universal suffrage.

The question of shop closing hours and hours of work in shops and similar commercial establishments has recently been publicly raised again and my Ministers intend to propose the appointment of a Select Committee of your House to examine this question carefully in the present session. I need not remind you that the operation of such a Select Committee would enable all interested persons to appear and to present facts or opinions, and that the Select Committee, if appointed, would have adequate opportunity to inform itself thoroughly of the facts of the matter with a view to possible recommendation of remedial measures to your House.

In the field of municipal affairs you are doubtless aware of the appointment of a Royal Commission to examine the present system of municipal taxation in the City of St. John's. It is not likely that the report of that Royal Commission will be received by my Ministers in time to enable them to lay new legislative proposals before you in your present session.

You are of course aware of the situation that imposed the disagreeable necessity upon my Ministers to suspend the life of the elected Council of the City of Corner Brook and the substitution of an appointed Commission. My Ministers believe that the time may be near when the democratic form of Government should be restored in Corner Brook. They have decided, therefore, that an immediate examination be made of the present position of the Commission and an expert judgement formed of the degree of success achieved in the purpose for which the Commission was created. The report of this

enquiry would be published and the citizens of Corner Brook enabled to form their own judgement of the desirability of restoring the elective system to their City.

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

My Ministers have been giving some thought to the desirability of creating a new force of uniformed men for the performance of certain important special duties in our Province. The Province is presently served by three types of police organization: the Newfoundland Constabulary, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and the Newfoundland Highway Patrol. The Patrol is actually part of the Constabulary, though it functions to a considerable extent separately from that force. The new force that my Ministers have in mind is one that would be only in part a police organization. It would absorb the present Highway Patrol, and perform the duties that they presently discharge, except that they would do it on a Province-wide scale. If the Government of Canada agreed, this new force would take over the duties presently discharged by certain fishery, especially game fishery, wardens and patrolmen. It would also take over certain duties which are presently the responsibility of certain other patrolmen and wardens of the Government of Newfoundland and a number of other officials whose duty may be described broadly as that of enforcing public regulations and protecting public property. A novel duty of this new force would be that of "courtesy" patrol. The number of persons, especially visitors, that will be using our roads in future will become very great. It may be confidently asserted that many thousands of visitors and tourists will travel within our Province. They will motor considerable distances between towns and settlements, between restaurants and hotels, service stations and filling stations, and otherwise be travelling under conditions frequently very different from those to which they are accustomed. Part of the duty of this new force would be to keep patrolmen on the principal highways, equipped with spare gasoline, mechanic's tools, tow rope, first aid equipment, and similar articles that would be useful in case of emergency. These courtesy patrolmen would be friendly guides and helpers to the travelling public, and they would receive special training in knowledge of our Province, simple motor mechanics, first aid, and other useful skills. We believe that our Province is at the commencement of a large tourist development, and my Ministers consider it to be of the greatest possible importance that all visitors to our

Province be given every help and courtesy, on a generous and hospitable scale. The cost may be considerable, but my Government are confident that it will be a sound investment for the future. It is tentatively the intention to name the new force the Newfoundland Company of Rangers. They would number several hundreds, all of whom would receive intensive training at expert hands, and would wear an attractive and distinguishable uniform. My Ministers will probably approach the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in an effort to induce that famous force to give the members of the Newfoundland Company of Rangers, at least in an abbreviated form, some of the training that the members of the Mounted Police now receive.

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

We are all of us looking forward to Come Home Year. We have reason to believe that many thousands of our fellow-Newfoundlanders will come back to us from different parts of the world. There will be many joyous reunions of families and friends. These Newfoundlanders will bring back with them to their native land on these short visits new ideas, new appreciation of modern progress, and they will doubtless press home upon us their own thoughts of many forms of new and additional progress that we might attempt to achieve in our Province. They will, at the same time, especially those of them who have been absent for very many years, doubtless be favourably impressed by the great changes and improvements that have occurred during their absence. If they go back to their new homes with a good impression of Newfoundland they will advertise the fact widely among other Newfoundlanders and their friends, and this should help to bring us an even larger number of visitors next year. The main purpose that my Ministers have had in mind in holding Come Home Year has been to launch our long-awaited tourist and travel enterprise that they believe could quickly become one of the great sources of wealth and prosperity for this Province.

My Ministers deeply appreciate the spirit of co-operation which has been shown by our citizens in every part of the Province in preparing for Come Home Year. Because of this co-operation there are now several thousand citizens actively working on the special and regional committees associated with Come Home Year plans.

The laying of an asphalt surface on the Trans-Canada Highway has been performed, and some refinements and upgrading will be carried out in the coming spring and summer. It is my Government's intention to draw attention to the completion of this greatest of all construction and engineering projects in the Island's history by means of a significant celebration in the early part of the coming season.

A gratifying number of new hotels and motels is under construction, or about to commence construction, and while it is not considered that the number is sufficient, there is considerable satisfaction over the actual increase in the number of hotel rooms that will be available to travellers in the present year.

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

My Ministers are greatly pleased over the progress being made by the Newfoundland and Labrador Power Commission and the Newfoundland and Labrador Rural Electric Authority, in my Ministers' great programme of electric development on this Island. It may come as a surprise to honourable Members to learn that this present programme is costing close to ninety-five million dollars (\$95,000,000). This vast sum is made up of approximately eighty million dollars (\$80,000,000) for the Bay d'Espoir development and its associated transmission grid and terminal stations; and approximately fifteen million dollars (\$15,000,000) for rural electrification for some fifteen Town Councils and fifty rural electricity boards. Close to two thousand men will be working on these projects in the coming season, and the Chairman of the Commission and his colleagues on the Commission are confident that they will realize the plan to complete the first phase of the great Bay d'Espoir project in the early spring of next year, approximately a year from now, and that by then electric current will be coursing through a great new 600-mile network of transmission lines throughout our Province. My Ministers have already announced their hope to have ample supplies of electricity made available to all our people at a price of one cent, or even fractionally a little less than one cent a kilowatt hour for ordinary domestic electricity. My Government believe that there will be a great increase in the use of electricity for many domestic purposes, including that of household heat.

My Ministers have striven to bring to Newfoundland the great blessing of development of the first phase of the Churchill Falls Power. They believe that millions of horsepower will surge into Newfoundland from Labrador commencing in 1971, to be fed into the new grid of transmission lines. The Premier has been negotiating with a number of important industrial corporations with a view to bringing them into this Province to make use of large amounts of this low-cost power. The hope is that announcements will be made in the present year of the coming to Newfoundland of a number of such large industrial concerns.

My Government have entered into an agreement with the Government of Canada to make Civil Servants and other employees of Her Majesty in Newfoundland eligible to receive the benefits of the Canada Pension Plan, which came into effect on the first day of this month. Legislation to ratify that agreement will be placed before you. From the beginning of the year the contributions required under the Plan will be deducted from the salary of all Government employees, as well as from those of teachers, and matching contributions on both will be paid by my Government into the fund.

The financial and economic implications of this great social measure, designed as it is to provide comprehensive social security for all Canadians, are certain to be felt profoundly across the nation. Under it, Newfoundlanders, like all other Canadians, during the years they are employed, can provide for increased security in their declining years.

It is encouraging, also, to note a continued improvement in general health conditions in the Province. All health statistics in the past year have shown improvement over preceding years and in respect of all the main items are the most favourable in the history of the Province.

My Government expect to receive, in the present month, the report of the Royal Commission on Health from the Right Honourable Lord Brain. It is not possible at this juncture to say whether the report can be studied by my Ministers in time to enable them, in your present session, to lay before you new legislation that may arise out of Lord Brain's recommendations.

The magnificent new Children's Hospital will be completed and ready for use in the coming summer. It is my Ministers' intention to make this fine new institution the headquarters of an important Child Health Centre at Pleasantville on the banks of Quidi Vidi.

Construction will be commenced in the immediate future of a substantial residence for the staff of the Children's Hospital. My Ministers have decided also to construct a type of residence that will, in its function, be new in our Province. This is a residence for the parents of children who are patients at the new hospital. While it is not expected that parents residing in St. John's, or nearby, will use this residence, it is apparent that it will be a useful and convenient institution for parents coming into the City from places that are most distant. This new residence will have a number of house-keeping rooms and apartments for the economical use of parents accompanying their children to the Hospital.

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

My Ministers are negotiating actively for the establishment of a large new shipyard in this Province. This shipyard should not be confused with the ship repair yard already announced for the port of Marystown, although it is proposed to construct it contiguous to the repair yard. The ship yard will be thoroughly modern and capable of building a dozen or more steel ships each year. The intention is that certain of the facilities of the ship repair establishment be made available to the ship building yard, and some of them, for that reason, would have to be made larger than would otherwise be the case. This is particularly true of the machine shops.

My Ministers are hopeful that very substantial additional development will be commenced in the forest industry this year.

My Ministers are confident that great forward steps will be taken in fishery development in the present year.

My Ministers are vigorously planning economic activities for the whole area of Bay St. George that will be affected by the withdrawal of the United States Armed Forces from the area.

July 1st., 1966, will be the Fiftieth Anniversary of an event which, although it occasioned deep grief throughout the whole of Newfoundland at the time it occurred,

is nevertheless remembered by all of us with great pride as one of the outstanding events in our history. I refer, of course, to the gallant action at Beaumont Hamel on July 1, 1916, when the Newfoundland Regiment was virtually annihilated by the enemy after a display of outstanding valour and courage.

My Ministers feel that this Fiftieth Anniversary should be observed in a fitting manner and details of the ceremonies proposed to be held will be announced in due course.

Legislation will be placed before you in connection with the Arts and Culture Centre in the capital City, the Arts and Culture Centre in the City of Corner Brook, the Grand Falls public building, the Corner Brook public building, the Marine Science Laboratory at Logy Bay, and the public building at City of Wabush in Labrador.

You will be asked to consider legislation that would empower the Province to make an agreement with Canada respecting Medicare. You will be asked to consider housing legislation, and a Local Government Act.

You will be asked to enact or amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Power Commission Act, the Newfoundland and Labrador Rural Electricity Act, the Child Welfare Act, the Crown Lands Act, the Co-operative Societies Act, the Department of Highways Act, the Department of Public Works Act, the District Courts Act, the Health and Public Welfare Act, the Highway Traffic Act, the Insurance Companies Tax Act, the Newfoundland Hospital Association Act, the Penitentiary Act, the Private Investment Holding Companies Act, the Public Utilities Act, and many other pieces of legislation.

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

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure will be laid before you and you will be requested to grant Supply unto Her Majesty.

I invoke God's blessing upon your labours.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then 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 Registration Of Deeds Act."

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, and by leave of the House, the said Bill was introduced and read a first time.

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

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

It was unanimously agreed that the Speech should be taken as read.

It was moved by Mr. William Smallwood, seconded by Mr. Hodder 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. William Smallwood
Mr. Hodder
Mr. Murphy

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 Mechanics' Lien Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Assignment of Book Debts Act."

Honourable the Minister of Health gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Newfoundland Hospital Association," Act, 1956."

Honourable the Minister of Highways 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 Department of Highways."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Doctor Murphy gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow, Monday afternoon, January 17th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Monday, January 17th., 1966.

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

Mr. Speaker read to the House the following letter regarding the Leadership of the Opposition:

The Honourable George Clarke, M.H.A.,
Speaker of the House of Assembly,
Confederation Building,
St. John's.

Jan. 17th 1966

Mister Speaker,

We beg to advise you that on Wednesday, January 12th., 1966, James J. Greene, Member for St. John's East, advised the caucus of Progressive Conservative Members of the House of Assembly of his wish and desire to relinquish the position of Leader of the Opposition and, with regret, his decision was accepted by the members of the caucus. Subsequently, the caucus of Progressive Conservative Members unanimously elected Dr. Noel F. Murphy, Member for Humber East, as Leader of the Opposition, and we respectfully ask recognition by the House of the Honourable Member in this position.

Yours truly,

(Sgd.) A. Peddle, Member for Grand Falls.
A. J. Murphy, Member for St. John's Centre.
G. Rex Renouf, Member for St. John's South.
James J. Greene, Member for St. John's East.

Mr. Greene made a personal statement regarding his resignation as Leader of the Opposition.

Honourable the Premier announced that Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited of Toronto have decided to build a large fish plant at Marystown, and made a statement relating thereto.

Mr. Barbour presented a Petition from King's Cove, Re Road and Breakwater.

Mr. Hodder, 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 Fabian O'Dea, Q.C.

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.) Mr. William Smallwood
Mr. Hodder
Mr. Murphy

Assembly Room,
January 17th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Minister of Finance tabled copies of "Come Home Year Newsletter."

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, January 18th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, January 18th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding a Resolution passed at the Annual Convention of the Maritime University Liberal Federation, in relation to student Political Clubs in the Province.

Mr. Saunders presented a Petition from Lower Island Cove, Re Telephone System.

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 a measure further to amend the Income Tax Act, 1961.

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

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

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 Mechanics' Lien Act."
- A Bill "An Act to Incorporate The Newfoundland Hospital Association."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting The Department of Highways."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Assignment of Book Debts 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, January 19th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, January 19th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement in relation to the shipyard to be built by the Government of Newfoundland at Marystown in Mortier Bay.

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

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Rural Electrification Act, 1963."

A Bill "An Act to Amend the Newfoundland and Labrador Rural Electricity Act, 1965."

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Intestate Succession Act."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Murphy 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 second time:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Registration of Deeds Act."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Mechanics' Lien Act."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The
Assignment of Book Debts 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 Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting The Department of Highways", was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions respecting ~~the Bill~~, "An Act Further to Amend The Income Tax Act, 1961."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 certain Resolutions respecting "An Act Further to Amend The Income Tax Act, 1961," and recommended 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
Income Tax Act, 1961."

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, Thursday afternoon, January 20th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, January 20th., 1966.

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 following Bills:

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Execute And Deliver An Agreement With Hansa Exploration Limited."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland And Labrador Power Commission Act, 1965."

A Bill "An Act To Ratify And Confirm An Agreement Made Between The Government And Canadian Javelin Limited."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy 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 House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Registration of Deeds Act."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Mechanics' Lien Act."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The
Assignment of Book Debts Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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
Registration of Deeds Act."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The
Assignment of Book Debts 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 Bill 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 the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act to Amend and Consolidate
The Law Respecting The Department
of Highways."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The
Income Tax Act, 1961."

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

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

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Rural Electrification Act, 1963."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Newfoundland And Labrador Rural Electricity Act, 1965."

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 to Amend The Intestate Succession Act" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow, Friday afternoon, January 21st., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, January 21st., 1966.

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

Mr. Peddle presented a Petition from Buchans Junction, Re Electricity.
Honourable the Minister of Education presented a Petition from Rencontre East, Re Electricity.

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

Mr. Sheppard tabled copies of correspondence with Canadian National Telegraphs in relation to the closing of the Canadian National Telegraphs Office at Harbour Grace.

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 Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Execute And Deliver An Agreement With Hansa Exploration Limited,"

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Power Commission Act, 1965."

A Bill "An Act To Ratify and Confirm An Agreement Made Between The Government And Canadian Javelin Limited."

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, Monday afternoon, January 24th., at three of the clock:

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Monday, January 24th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs made a statement in relation to the Recreational Complex at Torbay Airport.

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

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of An Arts And Cultural Centre In The Province."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Public Building In South-Western Labrador."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Public Building At Grand Falls."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Marine Science Laboratory For The Province."

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 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 Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, 1962."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy 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 Registration of Deeds Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Assignment of Book Debts 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 Incorporate The Newfoundland Hospital Association."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Rural Electrification Act, 1963."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Rural Electricity Act, 1965."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Power Commission Act, 1965."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Intestate Succession Act."

A Bill "An Act To Ratify and Confirm An Agreement Made Between The Government And Canadian Javelin Limited."

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, January 25th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, January 25th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding the Arts and Culture Centre to be built at Corner Brook as a centennial project.

Honourable the Minister of Public Works announced that the Government have awarded a contract for the location of five residences on the Memorial University Campus to the Seaboard Construction Limited of St. John's.

Honourable the Minister of Highways tabled the following regulations;

1. The Highway Traffic (Vehicles) Regulations, 1965.
2. The Highway Traffic (Snow Clearing, Grand Falls Area) Regulations, 1965.
3. The Highway Traffic (Snow Clearing, Corner Brook Area) Regulation, 1966.
4. The Highway Traffic (Snow Clearing, St. John's Area) Regulations, 1965.
5. The Highway Traffic (Snow Clearing, Corner Brook Area) Regulations, 1965.
6. The Highway Traffic (Snow Clearing) Regulation, 1966.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Petroleum and Natural Gas Act, 1965."

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 Amend the Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy 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, Wednesday afternoon, January 26th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, January 26th/, 1966.

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

Doctor Joy rose to a question of Personal Privilege regarding an article in the St. John's Evening Telegram of January 25th.

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding a new programme of expansion by the Iron Ore Company of Canada and its associated Company, the Carol Pellet Company.

Honourable the Premier announced that the Government have decided to appoint a Royal Commission to examine the minimum wage legislation of the Province.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following members were appointed as the Nominating Committee to prepare lists of members to serve on the Standing Committees of the House:

Honourable the Attorney General
Honourable Minister of Health
Honourable Minister of Fisheries
Chairman of Committees
Member for St. John's East.

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

- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Construction of an Arts and Cultural Centre in the Province."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Construction of a Public Building In South-western Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting the Construction of a Public Building at Grand Falls."

**A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction
of A Marine Science Laboratory
For The Province."**

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 Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958", was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled, "An Act Further to Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, 1962", was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Petroleum and Natural Gas Act, 1965" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965", was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Honourable the Leader of the
Opposition gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

The debate on the Address in Reply was continued.

The following Amendment to the Address In Reply was moved by the Honourable the Leader of the Opposition and seconded by Mr. A. J. Murphy.

"That all the words after "that" be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:
This House regrets that the Provincial Government has failed to increase minimum wage rates above the present inadequate amounts, particularly in view of the fact that, after sixteen years of Confederation, the Province of Newfoundland still has the lowest per capita income of all the Provinces of Canada, the Newfoundland average for 1964 being \$1,065.00, an amount \$756.00 lower than the national per capita average of \$1,821.00, and also in view of the fact that Newfoundland is burdened with the highest cost of living in Canada."

The said Amendment was debated.

Mr. Speaker put the motion that the words proposed to be left out do stand part of the question. The House divided, and there appeared in favour of the motion:

Honourable the Premier, Honourable the Attorney General, Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture and Resources, Honourable Mr. Lewis, Honourable the Minister of Public Works, Honourable the Minister of Welfare, Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, Honourable the Minister of Health, Honourable the Minister of Finance, Honourable the Minister of Highways, Honourable the Minister of Education, Mr. Canning, Mr. Cheeseman, Mr. Carter, Mr. Starkes, Mr. Hodder, Mr. Neary, Mr. Carnell, Mr. Hill, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Windsor, Mr. Strickland, Mr. Smallwood, Mr. Spencer, Mr. Smith. (25)

Against: Honourable the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. Greene, Mr. Peddie, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Devine. (5) The Amendment was lost.

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, January 27th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, January 27th., 1966.

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

Mr. Saunders presented a Petition from Kingston, Re. Telephone Service.

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Murphy 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 House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting The Department of Highways."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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.

This report was received and adopted, and it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again 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, January 28th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, January 28th., 1966.

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

Mr. William Smallwood presented a Petition from Beaumont North, Re. Road and Bridge.

Honourable the Minister of Health tabled:

"Annual Report of Department of Health, 1964."

Honourable the Minister of Fisheries tabled:

"Report of the Newfoundland Fisheries Development Authority, covering the fiscal year ending 31st. March, 1965."

"Fourteenth Annual Report of the Fisheries Loan Board of Newfoundland."

Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply tabled: "Regulations made under the Urban and Rural Planning Act, 1965."

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

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Honourable the Premier, the Bill entitled, "an Act Respecting the Construction of an Arts and Cultural Centre in the Province", was read a second time, and on motion it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

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

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Monday, January 31st., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement, Re Storm Damage.

Honourable the Minister of Finance made a statement regarding rates of licenses for Motor Vehicles, and tabled "The Highway Traffic (Fees) Regulations, 1965."

Petitions were presented by the Honourable the Minister of Labour from the North Side of Bay of Islands, Re Road, and from the North Side of Bay of Islands, Re Telephone System.

Honourable the Minister of Finance tabled, "Public Accounts of the Province of Newfoundland for the year ended 31st March, 1965, and Report of the Auditor General Thereon", and requested permission to have them printed.

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

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Murphy 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, Tuesday afternoon, February 1st., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, February 1st., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding the visit of Her Majesty the Queen to Gander Airport.

Petitions were presented by:

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition from Trout River, Re Bait Depot.

Mr. Starkes from Cotrell's Cove, Re Electricity.

Honourable the Minister of Public Welfare tabled "Annual Report of the Department of Public Welfare for the year ended March 31, 1965."

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

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 Amend And Consolidate The Law Relating To The Establishment And Administration Of Local Government."

Honourable the Minister of Labour gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Minimum Wage Act."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Renouf gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.

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

Mr. Cheeseman rose to a Question of Privilege regarding a remark made by Honourable the Minister of Fisheries during his speech on the Address in Reply. Honourable the Minister of Fisheries withdrew the remark.

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, February 2nd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, February 2nd., 1966.

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

The Honourable the Minister of Finance rose to a question of Personal Privilege regarding a letter published in the St. John's Daily News of February 2nd., 1966.

Honourable the Attorney General presented a Petition from New World Island, Re Hospital.

Mr. Starkes presented a Petition from Port Albert, Re Hospital.

- Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.
- Mr. Renouf gave notice of Questions.
- Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.
- Mr. Murphy 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 the Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled, "An Act Further to Amend The Companies' Act" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of the Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, the Bill entitled, "An Act to Amend and Consolidate the Law Relating To The Establishment and Administration Of Local Government" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of the Honourable the Minister of Labour, the Bill entitled, "An Act to Amend The Minimum Wage Act"

was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Public Building In South-Western Labrador" was read a second time, and on motion it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

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

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, February 3rd., 1966.

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

The Honourable the Minister of Finance rose to a question of Personal Privilege regarding an error in a letter of his, published in the Evening Telegram of February 3rd.

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

A Bill "An Act Respecting Private Investment Holding Companies."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The District Courts Act."

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of the Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture 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 Co-operative Societies Act."

A Bill "An Act To Regulate and restrict the keeping of Dogs and to provide for the payment of compensation to the owners of Sheep in respect of certain losses caused by Dogs."

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 Supplementary Supply to Her Majesty for the Financial Year, ending the Thirty-first day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-six."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave Notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave Notice of Questions.

Mr. Renouf gave Notice of Questions.

Mr. Peddle gave Notice of Questions.

Mr. Murphy gave Notice of Questions.

Mr. Speaker gave his ruling regarding the Question of Privilege raised by the Honourable the Minister of Finance on February 2nd., 1966.

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

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Public Building at Grand Falls."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Marine Science Laboratory For The Province."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Execute And Deliver An Agreement With Hansa Exploration Limited."

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

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, February 4th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, February 4th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier announced that a Conference on Agriculture will be held at Bishop's Falls on the 14th of this month.

Honourable the Premier gave notice that he would on to-morrow move that a Select Committee, to be named by the Speaker, be appointed to examine the whole question of Shop Closing Hours and Hours of Work in Shops and similar Commercial Establishments.

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Renouf gave notice of Questions.

The debate on the Address in Reply was concluded.

Mr. Speaker put the motion that the report of the Select Committee appointed to draft a Reply to the Opening Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor be adopted.

The motion was carried.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Petroleum And Natural Gas Act, 1965" 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.

Pursuant to order and on motion of the Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting The Department of Highways."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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.

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, February 7th, at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Monday, February 7th., 1966.

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

The Honourable the Premier paid tribute to Doctor Walter Templeman of Bell Island, and announced that the new Hospital on Bell Island would be named, "The Doctor Walter Templeman Hospital".

The Honourable the Minister of Finance announced that a meeting of the "Governing Committee of Come Home Year" would be held in the Sir Robert Bond Auditorium on February 10th and 11th.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Premier, it was ordered that a Select Committee, to be headed by Mr. Speaker, be appointed to examine the question of Shop Closing Hours and Hours of Work in Shops and similar Commercial Establishments.

Mr. Speaker appointed the following Members to the said Select Committee:

Honourable the Minister of
Provincial Affairs
Mr. Starke
Mr. A. J. Murphy
Mr. Heary
Mr. Strickland

Permission was given the Select Committee to sit while the House is in adjournment or out of Session.

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

ordered that the said bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting Private Investment Holding Companies" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture and Resources, the Bill entitled, "An Act To Regulate And Restrict The Keeping of Dogs And To Provide For The Payment Of Compensation To The Owners Of Sheep In Respect Of Certain Losses Caused By Dogs" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice and on motion of 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 Mechanics' Lien Act."

A BILL "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting The Department of Highways."

A BILL "An Act Further To Amend The Income Tax Act, 1962."

A BILL "An Act To Incorporate The Newfoundland Hospital Association."

A BILL "An Act To Amend The Rural Electrification Act, 1963."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Income Tax Act, 1961."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Rural Electrification Act, 1963."

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

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting The Department of Highways", with some Amendments.

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, 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.

Pursuant to notice 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 Newfoundland and Labrador Rural Electricity Act, 1965".

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Intestate Succession Act."

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Power Commission Act, 1965."
- A Bill "An Act To Ratify And Confirm An Agreement Made Between The Government And Canadian Javelin Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of An Arts And Cultural Centre In The Province."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Public Building In South-western Labrador."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Newfoundland and Labrador Rural Electricity Act, 1965."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Intestate Succession Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Power Commission Act, 1965."
- A Bill "An Act To Ratify And Confirm An Agreement Made Between The Government And Canadian Javelin 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 had passed the following Bills, with Amendments:

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of An Arts And Cultural Centre In The Province."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Public Building In ~~South~~-western Labrador."

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow.

✓ Pursuant to notice and on motion of the Honourable Minister of Finance, it was ordered that the House resolve itself into Committee of Supply, presently.

The Honourable 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 Supplementary Estimates of sums required for the Public Services of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1966, in an aggregate of fourteen million, five hundred and fifty three thousand, seven hundred dollars (14,553,700.00) and, in accordance with the provisions

of the British North America Act of 1867, as amended, I recommend these Supplementary Estimates to the House of Assembly.

(Sgd.) Fabian O'Dea,
Lieutenant Governor.

February 4th., 1966.

On motion it was ordered that the Message of the Lieutenant Governor, together with the Supplementary Estimates, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 certain Resolutions for Granting Supplementary Supply to Her Majesty, and recommended 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.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that the Committee had directed him to ask leave to sit again.

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

On Motion of the Honourable the Minister of Finance, the following Bill was introduced and read a first and second 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-Six, and For Other Purposes Relating To The Public Service."

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

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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, Tuesday afternoon, February 8th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMINGS,
Clark (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, February 8th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding the fire at the City of Wabush.

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting The Department of Highways".
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Income Tax Act, 1961".
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Rural Electrification Act, 1963".
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Rural Electricity Act, 1965".
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Intestate Succession Act".
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Power Commission Act, 1965".
- A Bill "An Act To Ratify And Confirm An Agreement Made Between The Government And Canadian Javelin Limited".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of An Arts And Culture Centre In The Province".
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Building In Western Labrador".

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 To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Execute And Deliver An Agreement With Hansa Exploration Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Public Building At Grand Falls."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Marine Science Laboratory For The Province."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Petroleum And Natural Gas Act, 1965."
- 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-Six And For Other Purposes Relating To The Public Service."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Execute And Deliver An Agreement With Hansa Exploration Limited."

- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Public Building At Grand Falls."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Marine Science Laboratory For The Province."
- 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-Six And For Other Purposes Relating To The Public Service."

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 by leave, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Execute And Deliver An Agreement With Hansa Exploration Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Public Building At Grand Falls."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Marine Science Laboratory For The Province."
- 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-Six And For Other Purposes Relating To The Public Service."

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 Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Petroleum And Natural Gas Act, 1965", with some Amendment.

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, it was ordered that the said bill be read a third time, presently.

Pursuant to order, and by leave, the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Petroleum And Natural Gas Act, 1965", 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 the Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The Newfoundland Hospital Association."

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

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Amendments:

A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The Newfoundland Hospital Association."

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

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, 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, Wednesday afternoon, February 9th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. GIBBINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, February 9th., 1966.

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

Mr. Carnell presented a Petition from the Hairdressers' of the Province, asking for incorporation by Act of the Legislature.

It was ordered that the said Petition be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders.

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Highways, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act, 1962."

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

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Queen's College Incorporation Act, 1963."

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of the Honourable Minister of Finance, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act To Repeal The St. John's Garage And Service Station (Sunday Closing) Act."

Mr. Peddle gave Notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy gave Notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order and on motion of the Honourable the Attorney General, the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958", was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

On motion it was ordered that the third reading and passing of the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958" be rescinded, and that the said Bill be recommitted forthwith.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 it was ordered that the Committee have leave to sit again on to-morrow.

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

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, 1962".
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965".
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Companies Act".
- A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Relating To The Establishment And Administration Of Local Government".
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The District Courts 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, Thursday afternoon, February 10th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, February 10th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding the first part of the Report of the Right Honourable Lord Brain, Newfoundland's Royal Commission on Public Health.

Honourable the Minister of Finance announced that he would bring down the Budget on Wednesday of next week.

Honourable the Attorney General presented a Petition from Twillingate; Re Causeway.

Honourable the Attorney General presented the Report of the Nominating Committee as follows:

MISCELLANEOUS PRIVATE BILLS COMMITTEE.

Honourable the Minister of Highways
 Mr. G. Rex Renouf
 Mr. Hill
 Mr. Strickland
 Mr. Devine

PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS COMMITTEE.

Honourable the Attorney General
 Honourable Mr. Lewis
 Mr. Winsor
 Mr. Smallwood
 Mr. Greene

STANDING ORDERS AND LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

Mr. Speaker
 Honourable the Minister of Finance
 Honourable the Minister of Education.
 Mr. Sheppard
 Honourable the Leader of the Opposition

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE.

Honourable Minister of Municipal Affairs &
Supply

Mr. Hodder
Mr. Starkes
Mr. Saunders
Mr. Carter
Mr. Peddle
Mr. Dawe

On Motion this Report was received and adopted.

Honourable the Premier gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Pothead And Wink Whales (Processing) Act, 1955."

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Public Utilities Act, 1964."

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

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 Labour Relations Act."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The
Co-operative Societies Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act, 1962."

A Bill "An Act To Repeal The St. John's Garage And Service Station (Sunday Closing) Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Securities Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Queen's College Incorporation Act, 1963."

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

Pursuant to order and on motion of the 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 Companies Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bill, without Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order, and by leave, the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Companies Act" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, it was ordered that the third reading and passing of the Bill entitled, "An Act To Incorporate The Newfoundland Hospital Association" be rescinded and that the said Bill be recommitted forthwith.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
 Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bill, with some Amendment.

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time forthwith.

Pursuant to order, and by leave, the Bill entitled, "An Act to Incorporate the Newfoundland Hospital Association" 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 the 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 Corner Brook Act, 1968,"
1958
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Mechanics' Lien Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, 1962."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Relating To The Establishment And Administration Of Local Government."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The District Courts Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 Further To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Mechanics' Lien Act."

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time on to-morrow.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, 1962", without Amendment.

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

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had 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, Friday

afternoon, February 11th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. GUSTINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, February 11th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier and Mr. Greene, on behalf of the House, paid tribute to Reverend Mother Mary DeSales Walsh on the occasion of her 100th birthday, and to Reverend Brother T. I. Murphy, on the occasion of his Golden Anniversary as a Christian Brother.

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 Supplementary Supply granted in the Present Session.

Whereupon the Clerk read the Bill entitled:

A Bill "An Act For Granting To Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money For Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service for the Financial Year Ending the Thirty-First Day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Six 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.

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Petroleum and Natural Gas Act, 1965."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Assignment of Book Debts Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Registration of Deeds Act."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Power Commission Act, 1965."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Intestate Succession Act."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Newfoundland and Labrador Rural Electricity Act, 1965."

A Bill "An Act to Amend The Rural Electrification Act, 1963."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Income Tax Act, 1961."

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

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

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor left the Assembly Chamber.

Pursuant to notice the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pothead and Mink Whales (Processing) Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Utilities Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labour Relations Act."

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

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

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Mechanics' Lien Act."

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, 1962."

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, the following Bills were read a second time:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Minimum Wage Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting Private Investment Holding Companies."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Co-operative Societies Act."

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

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Honourable the Attorney General 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 a Measure further to amend The Insurance Companies Tax Act, 1957, the Act No. 76 of 1957.

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, February 14th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. GUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Monday, February 14th., 1966.

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

Mr. Speaker informed the House that Mr. Speaker and Members of the House had proceeded to Government House on Friday afternoon at 4.30 p.m., and had presented the Address in Reply to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, and that His Honour 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."

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, it was ordered that the House would at a later hour in the day resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider Certain Resolutions in relation to a measure further to Amend The Insurance Companies Tax Act, 1957, the Act No. 76 of 1957.

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend And Consolidate the Law Relating To The Establishment And Administration Of Local Government".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The District Courts Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Minimum Wage Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting Private Investment Holding Companies."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Co-operative Societies Act."

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 Minimum Wage Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting Private Investment Holding Companies."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Co-operative Societies 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 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 the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Queen's College Incorporation Act, 1963" 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 House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions in relation to a measure further to Amend the Insurance Companies Tax Act, 1957, the Act No. 76 of 1957.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 certain Resolutions in relation to a measure further to Amend the Insurance Companies Tax Act, 1957, the Act No. 76 of 1957, and recommended 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 Attorney General, the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Insurance Companies Tax Act, 1957" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act To Repeal The St. John's Garage And Service Station (Sunday Closing) Act" was read a second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow, Tuesday afternoon, February 15th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. GUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, February 15th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Minister of Public Works presented a Petition from Bird Cove: Re ~~Read~~ *water supply*

Honourable the Minister of Highways presented a Petition from ~~Meadows~~ *S*; Re removal of houses to prevent flood damage.

On motion of Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, it was ordered that the following Members be added to the Select Committee appointed by the House to enquire into the matter of Hours of Work in Shops and Other Commercial Establishments:

Mr. Barbour
Mr. Canning

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Child Welfare Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Children Of Unmarried Parents Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Adoption Of Children Act, 1964."

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

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 certain Resolutions for the granting of Supply to Her Majesty.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.

The second reading of the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act, 1962" was debated, and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Securities Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pothead And Minke Whales (Processing) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Utilities Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labour Relations Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Insurance Companies Tax Act, 1957."

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

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

- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The St. John's Garage And Service Station (Sunday Closing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Queen's College Incorporation Act, 1963."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bills without Amendment.

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

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, it was ordered that the previous order to refer the following Bills to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow be rescinded.

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Securities Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pothead And Minke Whales (Processing) Act, 1955."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Utilities Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labour Relations Act."

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

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

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Pothead And Minke Whales (Processing) Act, 1955."

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A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Utilities Act, 1964."

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

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.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow move that the following Members be appointed a Select Committee on the franchise in the City of St. John's.

- Doctor Joy
- Mr. Hill
- Mr. Saunders
- Mr. Devine
- Mr. W. R. Smallwood
- Mr. A. J. Murphy

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

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Minimum Wage Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Co-operative Societies Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting Private Investment Holding Companies."

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, February 16th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, February 16th., 1966.

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

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Minister of Finance, it was ordered that the House resolve itself into Committee of Ways and Means.

Honourable the Minister of Finance moved that Mr. Speaker leave the Chair and in doing so, delivered the Budget Speech.

On motion it was ordered that the debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

Honourable the Minister of Finance informed the House that he had received a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor. The said Message was read to the House by Mr. Speaker 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, 1967, in an aggregate of One Hundred and Eighty-Five Million, Seven Hundred and Thirty-Four Thousand, Three Hundred Dollars (\$185, 734,300), 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.) Fabian O'Dea
Lieutenant Governor.

February 15th., 1966.

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. Sheppard 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, Thursday afternoon, February 17th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, February 17th., 1966.

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 following Bills:

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department of Labrador Affairs."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Community And Social Development."

Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Issue A Quarry Lease To Pelly-Shaw Newfoundland Limited."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order, the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Child Welfare Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Adoption Of Children Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Children Of Unmarried Parents Act, 1964."

Pursuant to notice and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following

Members were appointed a Select Committee on the Franchise in the City of St. John's.

Doctor Joy
Mr. Hill
Mr. Saunders
Mr. Devine
Mr. W. R. Smallwood
Mr. A. J. Murphy

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

- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The St. John's Garage And Service Station (Sunday Closing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Queen's College Incorporation Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pothead And Minke Whales (Processing) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Utilities Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Insurance Companies 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 order the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1962" 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 the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Bills:

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965."

A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Relating To The Establishment And Administration Of Local Government."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The District Courts Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Securities Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labour Relations Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Winsor 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 To Amend The Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965," with some Amendments.

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, 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, Friday afternoon, February 18th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, February 18th., 1966.

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

Mr. Speaker reported that the Select Committee on Standing Orders had considered the Petition of the Hairdressers of the Province, and had found that the Rules of the House with respect to Private Bills had been complied with.

Pursuant to order and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following Headings:

- II. Legislature Item 202.
- III. Executive Council.
- IV. Department of Finance,
401 to 405, inclusive,

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 following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Labrador Affairs."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Community And Social Development."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The
Lieutenant-Governor In Council
To Issue A Quarry Lease To
Pelly-Shaw Newfoundland Limited."

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, Monday
afternoon, February 21st., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clark (Acting), House of Assembly.

Monday, February 21st., 1966.

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

A Petition was presented by Mr. Winsor from Mud Lake: 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 Authorize Rearrangements And Transfers Of Duties In The Public Service."

A Bill "An Act To Establish The Newfoundland Company Of Rangers."

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 Department Of Health Act, 1965."

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

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, seconded by Mr. Greene, it was resolved unanimously that an expression of sympathy be conveyed by Mr. Speaker to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Quebec, on the occasion of the tragic death of the Lieutenant-Governor of that Province.

Honourable the Attorney General announced that the Banker "Blue Mist" was missing, and expressed the hope of the House for her safety.

Honourable the Minister of Finance made a statement regarding applications for 1966 Motor Vehicle Licenses.

The Debate on the Budget was continued and 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, February 22nd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, February 22nd., 1966.

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

Mr. William R. Smallwood presented a Petition from Beachside: Re Water Supply.

Mr. Renouf gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to notice the following bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act To Authorise Rearrangements And Transfers Of Duties In The Public Service."

A Bill "An Act To Establish The Newfoundland Company Of Rangers."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Department Of Health Act, 1965."

A Bill "An Act Further 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.

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

Pursuant to order and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following Heading:

IV. Department of Finance;
406 to 413, inclusive,

and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

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, February 23rd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, February 23rd., 1966.

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

The House stood in silence in memory of the men who lost their lives on the Trawler "Blue Mist II".

Honourable the Premier announced that Lord Thompson, Chancellor of Memorial University would give a Medical Library and Law Library to the University.

Petitions were presented by the Honourable Minister of Finance from Hampden; Re Electricity and from Bear Cove; Re Electricity.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to move the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider certain Amendments to the Revenue and Audit Act.

On motion the Bill entitled, "An Act To Incorporate the Newfoundland Hairdressers' Association" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

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

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Account Expenditure under the following Headings:

- IV. Department of Finance,
Item 414.
- II. Legislative, Item 201.
- V. Department of Provincial Affairs,
Items 501 to 506, inclusive,

and asked leave to sit again.

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, February 24th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, February 24th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding the Report of a Survey by Dr. J. A. MacFarlane, of the feasibility of establishing a Medical School at Memorial University.

Honourable the Minister of Finance tabled "Come Home Year Newsletter" for February, 1966. ✓

Mr. Speaker announced that he had received a communication from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, informing him of the appointment of the following Members as Commissioners of Internal Economy of the Legislature:

Mr. Speaker
 Chairman of Committees
 Honourable the Premier
 Honourable the Attorney General
 Honourable the Minister of Finance

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.

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

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Item 506-14 under the

Heading of the Department of Provincial Affairs,
and asked leave to sit again.

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, February 25th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. GUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, February 25th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding the location of the Children's Hospital at Fort Pepperrell, and tabled correspondence in relation thereto.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Starkes from Glover's Harbour: Re Road.

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

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Transfer To Her Majesty In Right Of Canada Of The Administration And Control Of Lands Belonging To Her Majesty In Right Of The Province."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Justice."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The House Of Assembly Act."

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Public Welfare, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Social Assistance Act, 1962."

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 Revenue And Audit Act."

Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply gave notice that he would on to-morrow

ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting The Development Of Housing Accommodation".

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

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

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Canning 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 Items 506-15 to 510, inclusive, under the Heading of the Department of Provincial Affairs, and asked leave to sit again.

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, February 28th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Monday, February 28th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier announced that Bowater's Pulp & Paper Mills Limited would make a contribution of \$5,000.00 to the Blue Mist II Disaster Fund.

A Petition was presented by Mr. W. R. Smallwood from Port Anson; Re Road.

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Finance, gave notice that he would on to-morrow move the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution in relation to the raising of a Loan on the credit of the Province from moneys which may become available for the purpose under the Canada Pension Plan.

Pursuant to notice the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Transfer To Her Majesty In Right Of Canada Of The Administration And Control Of Lands Belonging To Her Majesty In Right Of The Province."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Justice."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The House of Assembly Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Social Assistance Act, 1962."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting The Development Of Housing Accommodation."

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

Mr. Renouf gave notice of Questions.

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

Pursuant to order and on motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 Items 511 to 512-02-02, inclusive, under the Heading of the Department of Provincial Affairs, and asked leave to sit again.

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, March 1st., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, March 1st., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier announced the appointment of a Royal Commission to investigate and report upon prices being charged for food and drugs in the Province, consisting of the following members:

His Worship Mayor W. V. Adams, Chairman
Mrs. John O'Brien
Mr. Hugh Allen
Mr. Thomas J. Dalton

A Petition was presented by Mr. Starkes from Leading Tickles West: Re Causeway.

Mr. Greene gave notice of Questions.

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

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow Wednesday afternoon, March 2nd., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, March 2nd., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier tabled the Annual Report of the Newfoundland and Labrador Rural Electricity Authority for the year ended, March 31st., 1965, and made a statement regarding consumption of power in the Province.

Honourable the Premier expressed the regret of the House on the report of the death of Reverend Father Charles Conroy in Peru.

Honourable the Premier announced that he and Mr. Sheppard, the Honourable Member for Harbour Grace, had sent telegrams of best wishes to Mr. George Faulkner and the Canadian National Hockey team in Yugoslavia.

A Petition was presented by Mr. W. R. Smallwood from Brighton: Re Electricity.

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of the Honourable Minister of Health, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled, "An Act To Incorporate the Children's Hospital Corporation."

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act to Incorporate the Newfoundland Hairdressers' Association" was read a second time, and on motion it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to the Select Committee on Private Bills.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting The Development Of Housing Accommodation" was

read a second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

The second reading of the Bill entitled, "An Act To Establish The Newfoundland Company Of Rangers" was debated, and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

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

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

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

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, March 3rd., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier announced the appointment of Mr. Dennis P. Galway of St. John's, as a member of the St. John's Metropolitan Commission.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Winsor from Hopedale: Re Road.

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 Department Of Public Works Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Department Of Economic Development 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 Penitentiary 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 Alcoholic Liquors Act."

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Renouf gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting The Department of Labrador Affairs"

was read a second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

The second reading of the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting The Department Of Community And Social Development" 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, Friday afternoon, March 4th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, March 4th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement in relation to the disposition of Harmon Airforce Base.

Petitions were presented by:

Mr. Cheeseman from Conne River; Re Bridge.
Honourable the Minister of Finance from Baie Verte; Re Radio and Television Reception.

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Renouf gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order the following Bills were introduced and read a first time;

A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The Children's Hospital Corporation."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Department Of Public Works Act, 1957."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Department of Economic Development Act."

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Alcoholic Liquors 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 Finance, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution in relation to the raising of a Loan on the credit of the Province, from moneys which may become available for the purpose under the Canada Pension Plan.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 certain Resolutions in relation to the raising of a Loan on the credit of the Province, from moneys which may become available for the purpose under the Canada Pension Plan, and recommended 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.

Pursuant to order, and by leave, the Bill entitled, "An Act To Authorize The Government Of The Province And All Agencies Thereof To Borrow Annual Sums From Moneys Which May Become Available For The Purpose Under The Canada Pension Plan, To Issue Securities Of The Province Securing The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To The Government And The Payment Of Interest Thereon And To Guarantee Both As To Principal And Interest The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To Agencies Of The Government," was introduced and read a first and second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following Headings:

V. Department of Provincial Affairs,
512-04.

XIII. Department of Municipal Affairs
and Supply,
Items 1301-1311-04-05, inclusive,

and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

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, March 7th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Monday, March 7th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of 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 Supplementary Supply to Her Majesty for the financial year ending the thirty-first day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-six.

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled: "An Act To Authorize The Government Of the Province And All Agencies Thereof To Borrow Annual Sums From Moneys Which May Become Available For The Purpose Under The Canada Pension Plan, To Issue Securities Of The Province Securing The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To The Government And The Payment Of Interest Thereon And To Guarantee Both As To Principal And Interest The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To Agencies Of The Government."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bill, without Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order, and by leave, the Bill entitled, "An Act To Authorize The Government Of the Province And All Agencies Thereof To Borrow Annual Sums From Moneys Which May Become Available For The Purpose Under The Canada Pension Plan, To Issue Securities Of The Province Securing The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To The Government And The Payment Of Interest Thereon And To Guarantee Both As To Principal And Interest The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To Agencies Of The Government" 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.

The debate on the Budget Speech was continued. The following Amendment was moved by the Honourable the Leader of the Opposition and seconded by Mr. Peddle:

"That all the words after "that" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:
This House regrets the failure of the Government of Newfoundland so to organize the economic expansion of the Province that enough new revenue is created from resources and industrial development to keep pace with increasing costs of existing government services and the necessity to implement new services and create new facilities, and that this failure on the part of the government necessitates a disturbingly high rate of public borrowing and long-term financing, which increases substantially year by year, and which will limit the ability of the Province to finance its expansion and development in the years ahead."

The said Amendment was debated.

Mr. Speaker put the motion that the words proposed to be left out do stand part of the question. The House divided, and there appeared in favour of the motion:

Honourable the Premier, Honourable the Attorney General, Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture and Resources, Honourable the Minister of Public Works, Honourable the Minister of Finance, Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs, Honourable the Minister of Highways, Honourable the Minister of Education, Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Strickland, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Canning, Doctor Joy, Mr. Saunders, Mr. Dawe, Mr. Neary, Mr. Starkes. (17)

Against: Honourable the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. Peddle, Mr. Greene, Mr. Murphy.
(4) The Amendment was lost.

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

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following Heading:

XIII. Department of Municipal Affairs
and Supply,
Items 1311-04-06 to 1314-03-04,
inclusive,

and asked leave to sit again on to-morrow.

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, March 8th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, March 8th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding the resumption of production by Wabush Mines.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Barbour from Upper Amherst Cove: Re Road.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "The Leitch Gold Mines Limited (Amendment of Agreement) Act, 1966".

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

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

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following Headings:

XIII. Department of Municipal Affairs
and Supply,
Items 1315-01 to 1315-03-03, inclusive,
1316-01 to 1334-03-03, inclusive.

XIV. Department of Fisheries,
Items 1401-01 to 1424-03-02, inclusive,

and asked leave to sit again, presently.

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

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

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rises, it adjourn until to-morrow, Wednesday afternoon, March 9th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, March 9th., 1966.

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

Mr. Speaker informed the House that he had received a communication from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor stating that on March 8th., 1966, he had assented to the Bill entitled: "An Act To Authorize The Government Of The Province And All Agencies Thereof To Borrow Annual Sums From Moneys Which May Become Available For The Purpose Under The Canada Pension Plan, To Issue Securities Of The Province Securing The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To The Government And The Payment Of Interest Thereon And To Guarantee Both As To Principal And Interest The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To Agencies Of The Government."

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture and Resources, gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting Big Nama Creek Mines Limited."

Honourable the Minister of Finance gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act To Provide For The Partial Exemption Of Certain Companies From The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

The debate on the Budget Speech was concluded, and it was ordered that the House resolve itself into Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting The Department Of Community and Social Development" was read a second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, it was ordered that Standing Order 7 be suspended to permit the House to sit to-day, Wednesday, from 8.00 o'clock p.m. until 11.00 o'clock p.m.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act, 1962".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bill, without Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order, the House recessed until eight of the clock.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following Headings:

XIV. Department of Fisheries,
Items 1427 to 1428 inclusive.

XI. Department of Public Welfare,
Items 1101-1109-03-12 inclusive,

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, March 10th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, March 10th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier announced that Mr. Chesley A. Pippy would contribute the sum of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00), for the extension of the Campus of Memorial University.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Starkes from Norris Arm South: Re Road.

Honourable the Minister of Health tabled:

Food and Drugs (Eating Establishments) Regulations, 1966.

Food and Drugs (Milk and its Products) Regulations, 1966.

Food and Drugs (Meat and Meat Products) Regulations, 1966.

The Sanitation of Ponds (No. 2) Regulations, 1965.

Mr. Peddle gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to notice the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Agreement ratified by and set forth in the schedule to the Leitch Gold Mines Limited (Agreement) Act, 1964," was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time on to-morrow.

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

A Bill "An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Relating To The Establishment And Administration Of Local Government."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The
Highway Traffic Act, 1962."

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, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following Headings:

- XI. Department of Public Welfare,
Items 1109-04-01-1122 inclusive.
- X. Department of Health,
Items 1001 to 1020-03-13 Inclusive, and
1022-1029 inclusive,

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.

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
Memorial University Act."

A Bill "An Act To Encourage The
Establishment In The Province
Of A Plant For The Manufacture
Of Steel."

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 11th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, March 11th., 1966.

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 move the House into a Committee of the Whole to Consider a Resolution in Relation to the Raising of a Loan on the Credit of the Province.

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Supply, gave notice that he would on to-morrow move the House into a Committee of the Whole to Consider Certain Resolutions Relative to the Amendment of The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957".

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

Mr. Renouf gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to notice the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Respecting Big Nama Creek Mines Limited."

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Partial Exemption Of Certain Companies From The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."

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

A Bill "An Act To Encourage The Establishment In The Province Of A Plant For The Manufacture Of Steel."

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

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

A Bill "An Act To Authorize Re-arrangements And Transfers Of Duties In The Public Service."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Justice."

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

Pursuant ^{to} order, the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following headings:

X. Department of Health,
Item 1020-03-15.
Items 1030 to 1037, inclusive.

VI. Department of Education,
Items 601 to 608 inclusive.
Items 609-02 to 609-04, inclusive,

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, March 15th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, March 15th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier announced that the Companies participating in the development of Wabush Mines and one related Company, would give Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) to Memorial University for the purpose of establishing a chair in Geology.

Honourable the Premier announced the formation of a Corporation to maintain and manage Harmonfield, and that the following persons would be members of the Corporation:

Mr. Albert Martin (Chairman)
Mr. Derrick Hammond
Mr. George Warren
Mr. Clarence Powell
The Mayor of Stephenville

Doctor Joy, with the unanimous approval of the House, made a personal statement in relation to the Children's Hospital.

Honourable the Minister of Labour tabled the "Annual Report of the Workmen's Compensation Board of Newfoundland and Labrador for 1965".

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.

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

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Direct Sale Of Goods And Services In The Province".

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Construction Of A Fish Plant At Marystown".

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Executive Council".

A Bill "An Act Respecting Certain Water Powers In Labrador".

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Finance, gave notice that he would on to-morrow move the House into a Committee of the Whole to Consider a Resolution in Relation to "An Act Further to Amend The Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957".

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Adoption Of Children Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Children Of Unmarried Parents Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Issue A Quarry Lease To Pelly-Shaw Newfoundland Limited."

A Bill "An Act To Establish The Newfoundland Company Of Rangers".

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Department Of Health Act, 1965".

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

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Transfer To Her Majesty In Right Of Canada Of The Administration And Control Of Lands Belonging To Her Majesty In Right Of The Province."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The
House of Assembly 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 Child Welfare Act, 1964," was debated and on motion was adjourned for further debate on to-morrow.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following Heading:

VI. Department of Education, ^{to}
Items 609-01, ~~to~~ 611-52⁴, inclusive,

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, March 16th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, March 16th., 1966.

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

At three of the clock, there being no quorum present, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House until to-morrow afternoon, Thursday March 17th., at three of the clock.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, March 17th., 1966.

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

Honourable the Premier announced that, in order to encourage permanent settlement in Labrador, the Government will remove the 5 per cent sales Tax on building materials used for the construction of houses in Labrador.

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

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Chesley A. Pippy Park."

A Bill "An Act Designed To Encourage The Building Of Homes In Labrador."

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled, "An Act To Repeal The Mortier Bay Development Act, 1958, And To Clarify The Title To Property Affected By It."

Honourable the Leader of the Opposition gave notice of Questions.
Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Child Welfare Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Social Assistance Act, 1962."

A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The
Children's Hospital Corporation."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The
Department Of Public Works Act,
1957."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The
Department of Economic Develop-
ment Act."

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

Pursuant to notice the House resolved
itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a
Resolution in relation to certain Amendments to
the Revenue and Audit Act.

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

The Chairman from the Committee reported
that they had considered the matters to them re-
ferred, had passed the said Resolution and
recommended that a Bill be introduced to give
effect to the same.

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.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An
Act Further To Amend The Revenue and Audit Act"
was introduced and read a first time, and it was
ordered that the said Bill be referred to a
Committee of the Whole House on to-morrow.

Pursuant to notice the following Bills
were introduced and read a first time;

- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Direct Sale Of Goods And Services In The Province."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Construction Of A Fish Plant At Marystown."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The President Of The Executive Council."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting Certain Water Powers In Labrador."

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

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Department Of Health Act, 1965."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 Current Expenditure under the following Headings:

VII. Department of Attorney General,
Items 701-717, inclusive.

XV. Department of Economic Development,
Items 1501 to 1508, inclusive,

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

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, March 18th., 1966.

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

Petitions were presented by,

Mr. Starkes from Morris Arm South, Re Road.
Honourable the Minister of Education
from Pool's Cove, Re Electricity and Road.

Honourable the Minister of Labour tabled:

"Report of the matters transacted by the
Minister of Labour during 1965 under the
Provisions of the Labour Relations Act."

"Report of Newfoundland Labour Relations
Board for the year 1965."

"Report of the proceedings of the Minimum
Wage Board established under the Minimum
Wage Act covering the year 1965."

"Minimum Wage (Hotel and Catering Industry)
Order 1965."

"Minimum Wage (Hotel and Catering Industry)
(Amendment) Order 1965."

Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture
and Resources, gave notice that he would on to-
morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled,
"An Act Relating To The Conservation Of The Water
Resources Of The Province."

Honourable the Minister of Provincial Affairs,
gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave
to introduce the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To
Amend The Barbers And Hairdressers Shop Closing Act,
1964."

Mr. Murphy gave notice of Questions.

Pursuant to notice the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Chesley A. Pippy Park."

A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Mortier Bay Development Act, 1958, And To Clarify The Title To Property Affected By It."

A Bill "An Act Designed To Encourage The Building Of Homes In Labrador."

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

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Canning 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 Current Expenditure under the following Headings:

XV. Department of Economic Development,
Item 1509.

XVI. Department of Labour,
Items, 1601 to 1602-02-02, inclusive.
Items 1604 to 1607, inclusive.

XII. Board of Liquor Control,
Items 1201 to 1203 inclusive.

/X ~~III~~. Department of Public Works,
Items 901 to 908 inclusive.

XVII. Department of Highways,
Items 1701 to 1707, inclusive,

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 morning, March 21st., at ten-thirty of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Monday, March 21st., 1966.

The House met at ten-thirty of the clock in the forenoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Honourable the Premier made a statement regarding the bringing of dragger fishermen within the scope of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

A Petition was presented by Honourable the Premier from Baker's Brook, Re Electricity.

Honourable the Premier gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled, "An Act To Empower The St. John's Municipal Council To Raise A Loan For Municipal Purposes By The Issue Of Bonds."

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled, "An Act To Revive And Amend The British Newfoundland Exploration Limited (Petroleum And Natural Gas Act, 1963.)"

Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture and Resources gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled, "An Act To Clarify The Title To Certain Minerals At Pilley's Island."

Pursuant to order the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

- A Bill "An Act Relating To The Conservation Of The Water Resources Of The Province."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Barbers And Hairdressers Shop Closing Act, 1964."

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

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

A Bill "An Act Designed To Encourage The Building Of Homes In Labrador."

A Bill "An Act To Encourage The Establishment In The Province Of A Plant For The Manufacture Of Steel."

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

Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Finance, informed the House that he had received a Message from His Honour the ~~Lieutenant Governor~~ ^{Administrator}, which Message Mr. Speaker read to the House as follows:

The Honourable the Minister of Finance:

I, the Administrator Of The Province of Newfoundland, transmit Second Supplementary Estimates of sums required for the Public Service of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1966, in an aggregate of Eighty-Five Thousand, Six Hundred Dollars (\$85,600.00) and, in accordance with the provisions of the British North America Act of 1867, as amended, I recommend these Second Supplementary Estimates to the House of Assembly.

(Sgd.) R. S. Furlong,
Administrator.

March 18th., 1966.

On motion it was resolved that the Message of the ~~Lieutenant Governor~~ ^{Chairman}, together with the Second Supplementary Estimates, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Canning 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 passed certain Resolutions for granting Supplementary Supply to Her Majesty, and recommended 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.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that the Committee had directed him to ask leave to sit again.

On motion it was ordered that the Committee of Supply have leave to sit again ~~on to-morrow~~ ^{presently}.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled, "An Act For Granting To Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money For Defraying Certain Expenses of The Public Service For The Financial Year Ending The Thirty-First Day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Six, And For Other Purposes Relating To The Public Service And To Make Provision For Other Matters", was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time at a later hour in the day.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
 Mr. Canning 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 Current Expenditure under the following Headings:

VIII. Department of Mines, Agriculture and Resources, Items 801 to 835 inclusive.

XIII. Department of Municipal Affairs and Supply, Item 1315-03-04.

XVI. Department of Labour, Item 1603, and Estimates of Capital Account Expenditure under the following Headings:

IV. Department of Finance.

VI. Department of Education.

VIII. Department of Mines, Agriculture and Resources.

IX. Department of Public Works.

X. Department of Health.

XI. Department of Public Welfare.

XIII. Department of Municipal Affairs and Supply.

XIV. Department of Fisheries.

XV. Department of Economic Development.

XVII. Department of Highways,

and asked leave to sit again.

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

Honourable the Attorney General announced that the President of Furniture Discount Limited, had been arrested in Ontario and would be brought back to St. John's to stand trial on charges arising out of the operations of the said Company.

Pursuant to notice the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain Resolutions relative to the Amendment of the "Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 passed the said Resolutions, and recommended 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.

Pursuant to order, and with unanimous consent, the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Local Authority Guarantee Act" was introduced, read a first and second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith,

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bill, without Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Constituting The Office Of President Of The Council" was read a second time, and on motion it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The District Courts Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Securities Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labour Relations Act."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 To Amend The Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965", with some Amendment.

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time on to-morrow.

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The District Courts Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Securities Act."

A Bill "An Act Further 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 forthwith.

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The District Courts Act."

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Securities Act."

A Bill "An Act Further 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.

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

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Labrador Affairs."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Community And Social Development."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize Rearrangements And Transfers Of Duties In The Public Service."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Justice."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Adoption of Children Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Children Of Unmarried Parents Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Issue A Quarry Lease To Pelly-Shaw Newfoundland Limited."
- A Bill "An Act To Establish The Newfoundland Company Of Rangers."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Department Of Health Act, 1965."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Health And Public Welfare Act."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Transfer To Her Majesty In Right Of Canada Of The Administration And Control Of Lands Belonging To Her Majesty In Right Of The Province."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The House Of Assembly Act."
- A Bill "An Act Constituting The Office Of President Of The Council."

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had considered the matters to them referred, and had passed the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting The Department Of Community And Social Development", with some Amendment.

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time forthwith.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting The Department Of Community And Social Development" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent

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

- A Bill "An Act Constituting The Office Of President Of The Council."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Issue A Quarry Lease To Pelly-Shaw Newfoundland Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Labrador Affairs."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act To Authorize Rearrangements And Transfers Of Duties In The Public Service."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Justice."
- A Bill "An Act To Establish The Newfoundland Company Of Rangers."

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 the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

- A Bill "An Act Constituting The Office Of President Of The Council."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Issue A Quarry Lease To Pelly-Shaw Newfoundland Limited."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Labrador Affairs."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize Rearrangements And Transfers Of Duties In The Public Service."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Justice."

A Bill "An Act To Establish The Newfoundland Company Of Rangers."

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 Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend The Department Of Health Act, 1965", without Amendment.

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

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had 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, Tuesday morning, March 22nd., at ten-thirty of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Tuesday, March 22nd., 1966.

The House met at ten-thirty of the clock in the forenoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Honourable the Premier tabled "Annual Report of The Civil Service Commission of Newfoundland and Labrador for The Fiscal Year ended 31st March, 1965."

A Petition was presented by Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture and Resources from Jeffries: Re Road.

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Agreement Ratified By And Set Porth In The Schedule To The Leitch Gold Mines Limited (Agreement) Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting Big Nama Creek Mines Limited."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The partial Exemption Of Certain Companies From The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Memorial University Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Revenue And Audit Act."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting Certain Water Powers In Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Chesley A. Pippy park."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills

be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

The second reading of the Bill entitled, "An Act Relating To The Conservation Of The Water Resources Of The Province" was debated, and on motion was adjourned for further debate at a later hour in the day.

Pursuant to notice the following Bills were read a first time:

- A Bill "An Act To Empower The St. John's Municipal Council To Raise a Loan For Municipal Purposes By The Issue Of Bonds."
- A Bill "An Act To Revive And Amend The British Newfoundland Exploration Limited (Petroleum And Natural Gas) Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act To Clarify The Title To Certain Minerals At Pilley's Island."

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

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Adoption Of Children Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Children Of Unmarried Parents Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Transfer To Her Majesty In Right Of Canada Of The Administration And Control Of Lands Belonging To Her Majesty In Right Of The Province."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The House Of Assembly Act."

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Child Welfare Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Social Assistance Act, 1962."
- A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The Children's Hospital Corporation."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Department Of Public Works Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Department Of Economic Development Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Encourage The Establishment In The Province Of A Plant For The Manufacture Of Steel."
- A Bill "An Act Designed To Encourage The Building Of Homes In Labrador."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Canning 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 Further To Amend The Department of Public Works Act", with some Amendment.

The Amendments having been read a first and second time, it was ordered that the said Bill be read a third time, presently.

Pursuant to order, and by leave, the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Department of Public Works Act" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Adoption Of Children Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Children Of Unmarried Parents Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Transfer To Her Majesty In Right Of Canada Of The Administration And Control Of Lands Belonging To Her Majesty In Right Of The Province."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The House of Assembly Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Social Assistance Act, 1962."
- A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The Children's Hospital Corporation."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Department of Economic Development Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Encourage The Establishment In The Province Of A Plant For The Manufacture Of Steel."

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

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Child Welfare Act, 1964", without Amendment.

On motion this report was received and adopted, and it was ordered that the said bill be read a third time at a later hour in the day.

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 at a later hour in the day.

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

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Agreement Ratified By and Set Forth In The Schedule To The Leitch Gold Mines Limited (Agreement) Act, 1964."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act Respecting Big Nama Creek Mines Limited."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Partial Exemption Of Certain Companies From The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Memorial University Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Revenue And Audit Act."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting Certain Water Powers In Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Chesley A. Pippy Park."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
 Mr. Sheppard 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 Respecting the Chesley A. Pippy Park", with some Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting The Chesley A. Pippy Park" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

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

- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Agreement Ratified By And Set Forth In The Schedule To The Leitch Gold Mines Limited (Agreement) Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting Big Nama Creek Mines Limited."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Partial Exemption Of Certain Companies From The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Memorial University Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Revenue And Audit Act."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting Certain Water Powers In Labrador."

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 the said Bills were read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that

the said Bills be printed, being entitled as above, and that they be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act to Amend The Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act To Clarify The Title To Certain Minerals at Pilley's Island" was read a second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

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 Department Of Municipal Affairs and Supply Act."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Hours of Work Act, 1963."

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act To Clarify The Title To Certain Minerals at Pilley's Island."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bill, without Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act To Clarify the Title To Certain Minerals At Pilley's Island" was read a third time and passed,

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

Pursuant to order the 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-Six, And For Other Purposes Relating To The Public Service And To Make Provision For Other Matters," was read a second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the said Bill:

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bill, without Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order 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-Six, And For Other Purposes Relating To The Public Service And To Make Provision For Other Matters" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

Pursuant to notice the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution in relation to "An Act Further To Amend The Loan And Guarantee Act, 1957."

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

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had passed the Resolution to them referred, and recommended that a Bill be introduced to give effect to the same.

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.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Loan And Guarantee Act, 1957" was introduced and read a first and second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Loan And Guarantee Act, 1957".

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

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

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

On motion, and with unanimous consent, it was ordered that the House do not recess at six of the clock.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Loan And Guarantee Act, 1957".

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bill, without Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Loan And Guarantee Act, 1957" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce a Bill entitled, "An Act To Provide For The Exemption Of Marystown Shipyard Construction Limited From Taxes Imposed By The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."

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 morning, March 23rd., at ten-thirty of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Wednesday, March 23rd., 1966.

The House met at ten-thirty of the clock in the forenoon, pursuant to adjournment.

Honourable the Premier announced that a Commission had been appointed to take control of C. A. Pippy Park, and that the following persons had been appointed members of the Commission:

Mr. Charles R. Bell, Chairman
Mr. H. Darroch MacGillivray, Deputy Chairman
Mr. J. Douglas Fraser, C.A.
Mr. Edgar L. Hickman
Mr. George Warren
Mr. Frederick W. Russell
Mr. Francis J. Ryan, C.C.
Mr. Campbell Eaton

Honourable the Premier made a statement in relation to negotiations with Golden Eagle Refinery Company of Canada Limited for utilizing shipping facilities of that Company for transporting products to and from Holyrood.

Petitions were presented by:

Honourable the Minister of Mines,
Agriculture and Resources from the
District of St. George's: Re Hospital.

Mr. W. R. Smallwood from Middle Arm,
Re Electricity.

Honourable the Minister of Education tabled,
"Annual Report of the Department of Education for
the year ending March 31st., 1965".

Mr. Strickland presented the report of the
Select Committee on the Bill entitled, "An Act To
Incorporate The Newfoundland Hairdressers' Assoc-
iation" as follows:

'The Select Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills begs leave to report as follows on Bill No. 50, An Act To Incorporate the Newfoundland Hairdressers' Association.

1. The Committee reports the Bill, with some amendments.
2. The reasons for these amendments are to bring the Bill into conformity with existing legislation, more particularly An Act To Amend and Consolidate the Law Respecting Apprenticeship, The Apprenticeship Act, 1962, and regulations made thereunder.'

Sgd. U. F. Strickland, M.H.A.,
Clerk.

March 23rd., 1966.

Honourable the Attorney General gave notice that he would on to-morrow ask leave to introduce the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting The Attachment Of Wages And Salaries".

Pursuant to notice the following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Hours of Work Act, 1963."

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Exemption Of Marystown Shipyard Construction Limited From Taxes Imposed By The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."

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

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

- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Construction Of A Fish Plant At Mooring Cove Near Marystown."
- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Mortier Bay Development Act, 1958, And To Clarify The Title To Property Affected By It."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Exemption Of Marystown Shipyard Construction Limited From Taxes Imposed By The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Sheppard 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 passed certain Resolutions granting Supply to Her Majesty, and recommended 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.

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that he had been directed to ask leave to sit again.

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

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, on behalf of Honourable the Minister of Finance, the Bill entitled, "An Act for Granting To Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money For Defraying Certain Expenses of the Public Service For The Financial Year Ending The Thirty-First Day of March One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Seven and For Other Purposes Relating To The Public Service," was introduced and read a first, second and third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

✓ Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Further to Amend The Alcoholic Liquors Act" was read a second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

Pursuant to notice the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution recommending that a Bill be introduced to raise a Loan on the Credit of the Province.

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

The Chairman from the Committee reported that they had passed the Resolution to them referred.

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.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act To Authorize the raising of a Sum of Money by Way of Loan on the Credit of the Province" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time, presently.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act To Authorize The Raising of a Sum of Money By Way of Loan on the Credit of the Province" was read a second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

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

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Alcoholic Liquors Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Construction Of A Fish Plant At Mooring Cove Near Marystown."
- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Mortier Bay Development Act, 1958, And To Clarify The Title To Property Affected By It."
- A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Exemption Of Marystown Shipyard Construction Limited From Taxes Imposed By The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Raising Of A Sum of Money By Way Of Loan On The Credit Of The Province."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Provide For The Construction Of A Fish Plant At Mooring Cove Near Marystown."
- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Mortier Bay Development Act, 1958, And To Clarify The Title To Property Affected By It."

A Bill "An Act To Provide For The Exemption Of Marystown Shipyard Construction Limited From Taxes Imposed By The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."

A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Raising Of A Sum of Money By Way Of Loan on the Credit of the Province."

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

The Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had considered the other matters to them referred, had made some progress, and asked leave to sit again, presently.

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

Honourable the Minister of Mines, Agriculture and Resources tabled, "Annual Report of the Department of Mines, Agriculture and Resources" for the year ended 31st March, 1965."

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

A Bill "An Act Relating To The Conservation Of The Water Resources Of The Province."

A Bill "An Act To Regulate And Restrict The Keeping Of Dogs And To Provide For The Payment Of Compensation To The Owners Of Sheep In Respect Of Certain Losses Caused By Dogs."

On motion it was ordered that the said bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

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

A Bill "An Act Relating To The Conservation Of The Water Resources Of The Province."

A Bill "An Act To Regulate And Restrict The Keeping Of Dogs And To Provide For The Payment Of Compensation To The Owners Of Sheep In Respect Of Certain Losses Caused By Dogs."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Canning 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 The Conservation Of The Water Resources Of The Province", without Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order the bill entitled, "An Act Relating To The Conservation Of The Water Resources Of The Province" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

✓ The 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, presently.

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

On motion and with unanimous consent, it was ordered that the House should not adjourn at six of the clock.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill entitled, "An Act To Regulate And Restrict The Keeping Of Dogs And To Provide For The Payment Of Compensation To The Owners Of Sheep In Respect Of Certain Losses Caused By Dogs"

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
Mr. Canning 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 said Bill, without Amendment.

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

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act To Regulate And Restrict The Keeping Of Dogs And To Provide For The Payment Of Compensation To The Owners Of Sheep In Respect Of Certain Losses Caused By Dogs" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed, being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

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 morning, March 24th., at ten-thirty of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Thursday, March 24th., 1966.

The House met at ten-thirty of the clock in the forenoon, pursuant to adjournment.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Hill from Lodge Bay: Re Road.

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

A Bill "An Act To Amend The Department Of Health Act, 1965".

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Child Welfare Act, 1964".

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 Barbers And Hairdressers Shop Closing Act, 1964" was debated, and on motion was adjourned for further debate, presently.

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

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

A Bill "An Act To Empower The St. John's Municipal Council To Raise A Loan For Municipal Purposes By The Issue Of Bonds."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Barbers And Hairdressers Shop Closing Act, 1964."

A Bill "An Act To Revive And Amend The British Newfoundland Exploration Limited (Petroleum And Natural Gas) Act, 1963."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Hours Of Work Act, 1963."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Direct Sale Of Goods And Services In The Province."

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

Pursuant to notice the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Department Of Municipal Affairs And Supply Act" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time, presently.

Pursuant to order the said Bill was read a second time, and on motion it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

Pursuant to order the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain Bills.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Winsor 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 Amendments:

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

A Bill "An Act Designed To Encourage The Building Of Homes In Labrador."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Alcoholic Liquors Act."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Direct Sale Of Goods And Services In The Province."

A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The Newfoundland Hairdressers' Association."

The said Amendments having been read a first and second time, it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time, presently.

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

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

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Penitentiary Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Barbers And Hairdressers' Shop Closing Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act To Empower The St. John's Municipal Council To Raise A Loan For Municipal Purposes By The Issue Of Bonds."
- A Bill "An Act To Revive And Amend The British Newfoundland Exploration Limited (petroleum And Natural Gas) Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Hours Of Work Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Department Of Municipal Affairs And Supply 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 Chairman from the Committee further reported that they had passed the Bill entitled,

"An Act To Amend And Consolidate The Law Respecting
The Development Of Housing Accommodation", with some
Amendments. ^{LD}

The Amendments having been read a first and
second time, it was ordered that the said Bill be
read a third time on to-morrow.

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day
were deferred.

It was moved and seconded that when the House
rises, it adjourn until to-morrow, Friday afternoon,
March 25th., at three of the clock.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.

Friday, March 25th., 1966.

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

Petitions were presented by:

Honourable the Attorney General from Bonne Bay:
Re Road and Electricity.

Mr. William E. Smallwood from Miles Cove:
Re Road.

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Members Of The House of Assembly Contributory Pension Plan Act, 1962."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Pensioning Of Certain Persons Who Served In The Public Service."

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General the third reading and passing of the following Bills were rescinded:

A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Mortier Bay Development Act, 1958, and to Clarify The Title To Property Rights Affected By It."

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

On motion it was ordered that the said Bills be recommitted, presently.

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

A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Mortier Bay Development Act, 1958, and to Clarify The Title To Property Rights Affected By It."

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

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 said Bills, with some Amendment.

The said Amendments having been read a first and second time, it was ordered that the said Bills be read a third time, presently.

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

A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Mortier Bay Development Act, 1958, and to Clarify The Title To Property Rights Affected By It."

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Health and Public Welfare 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 the Bill entitled, "An Act To Amend And Consolidate the Law Respecting The Development of Housing Accommodation" was read a third time and passed, and it was ordered that the said Bill be printed being entitled as above, and that it be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor for his Assent.

Pursuant to notice the Bill entitled, "An Act Respecting The Pensioning of Certain Persons Who Served In The Public Service" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time, presently.

Pursuant to order 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, presently.

Pursuant to notice the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Members of The House of Assembly Contributory Pension Plan Act, 1962" was introduced and read a first time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be read a second time, presently.

On the motion that the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Members of The House of Assembly Contributory Pension Plan Act, 1962" be now read a second time, it was moved in Amendment by Mr. Spencer and seconded by Mr. Peddle, that all words after the word "that" be stricken out and the following substituted therefor: "This Bill be read a second time six months hence".

Mr. Speaker put the Amendment.

The Amendment was lost.

Pursuant to order the Bill entitled, "An Act Further To Amend The Members of The House of Assembly Contributory Pension Plan Act, 1962" was read a second time, and it was ordered that the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House, presently.

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

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Members Of The House of Assembly Contributory Pension Plan Act, 1962."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Pensioning of Certain Persons Who Served In The Public Service."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Mr. Sheppard 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 Members Of The House of Assembly Contributory Pension Plan Act, 1962".

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Pensioning Of Certain Persons Who Served In The Public Service".

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 the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Members Of The House of Assembly Contributory Pension Plan Act, 1962."

A Bill "An Act Respecting The Pensioning Of Certain Persons Who Served In The Public Service."

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 Administrator had arrived.

His Honour the Administrator 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 Bills entitled:

A Bill "An Act For Granting To Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money For Defraying Certain Expenses Of The Public Service For The Financial Year Ending The Thirty-First Day Of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Six, And For Other Purposes Relating To The Public Service and to Make Provision For Other Matters."

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-Seven 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 Mechanics' Lien Act."

A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The Newfoundland Hospital Association."

A Bill "An Act To Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting The Department of Highways."

A Bill "An Act To Ratify and Confirm an Agreement Made Between The Government and Canadian Javelin Limited."

- ✓ A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Execute And Deliver An Agreement With Hansa Explorations Limited."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction of a Public Building at Grand Falls."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction of an Arts and Culture Centre in the Province."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction Of A Marine Science Laboratory For The Province."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act Respecting The Construction of A Public Building in South-Western Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The City of Corner Brook Act, 1958."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, 1962."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend and Consolidate The Law Relating To The Establishment and Administration Of Local Government."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Local Government (Elections) Act, 1965."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend The Minimum Wage Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Regulate and Restrict The Keeping of Dogs and to Provide For The Payment of Compensation To The Owners of Sheep in Respect of Certain Losses Caused by Dogs."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Co-operative Societies Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The District Courts Act."

- A Bill "An Act Respecting Private Investment Holding Companies."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Highway Traffic Act, 1962."
- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The St. John's *Garage* and Service Station (Sunday Closing) Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Securities Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Queen's College Incorporation Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Public Utilities Act, 1964."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act To Amend The Pothead and Minke Whales (Processing) Act, 1955."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Crown Lands Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Labour Relations Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Insurance Companies Tax Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Child Welfare Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Adoption of Children Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Children Of Unmarried Parents Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department Of Labrador Affairs."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department of Community and Social Development."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Lieutenant-Governor In Council To Issue A Quarry Lease to Pelly-Shaw Newfoundland Limited."

- A Bill "An Act To Authorize Rearrangements and Transfers of Duties In The Public Service."
- A Bill "An Act To Establish The Newfoundland Company of Rangers."
- A Bill "An Act To Amend The Department Of Health Act, 1965."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Health and Public Welfare Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The Newfoundland Hairdressers' Association."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Revenue and Audit Act."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act To Amend and Consolidate The Law Respecting The Development of Housing Accommodation."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Department of Justice."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The House Of Assembly Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Social Assistance Act, 1962."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Transfer To Her Majesty In Right Of Canada Of The Administration And Control Of Lands Belonging To Her Majesty In Right Of The Province."
- A Bill "An Act To Incorporate The Children's Hospital Corporation."
- A Bill "An Act To Authorize The Government Of The Province And All Agencies Thereof To Borrow Annual Sums From Moneys Which May Become Available For The Purpose Under The Canada Pension Plan, To Issue Securities Of The Province Securing The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To The Government And The Payment Of Interest Thereon And To Guarantee Both as to Principal and Interest The Repayment Of All Moneys Advanced To Agencies Of The Government."

- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Department Of Public Works Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Department of Economic Development Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Penitentiary Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Alcoholic Liquors Act."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act to Authorize The Raising Of a Sum of Money By Way of Loan On the Credit of the Province."
- A Bill "An Act to Amend The Agreement Ratified By and Set Forth In The Schedule to the Leitch Gold Mines Limited (Agreement) Act, 1964, and to Make Certain Statutory Provisions Relating to That Agreement."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting Big Nama Creek Mines Limited."
- A Bill "An Act to Provide for the Partial Exemption of Certain Companies from the Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Memorial University Act."
- A Bill "An Act To Encourage The Establishment In The Province of A Plant for the Manufacture of Steel."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Local Authority Guarantee Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Direct Sale of Goods and Services In The Province."
- A Bill "An Act to Provide for the Construction Of a Fish Plant at Mooring Cove Near Marystown."

- A Bill "An Act Constituting The Office Of President of The Council."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting Certain Water Powers In Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Loan and Guarantee Act, 1957."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The G. A. Pippy Park."
- A Bill "An Act To Repeal The Mortier Bay Development Act, 1958, and to Clarify The Title to Property Rights Affected By It."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act Designed to Encourage The Building of Homes In Labrador."
- A Bill "An Act Relating To The Conservation Of The Water Resources of The Province."
- ✓ A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Barbers and Hairdressers Shop Closing Act, 1964."
- A Bill "An Act to Empower The St. John's Municipal Council to Raise a Loan for Municipal Purposes by the Issue of Bonds."
- A Bill "An Act to Revive and Amend The British Newfoundland Exploration Limited (Petroleum and Natural Gas) Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act to Clarify the Title to Certain Minerals at Pilley's Island."
- A Bill "An Act Further to Amend The Department of Municipal Affairs and Supply Act."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Hours of Work Act, 1963."

- A Bill "An Act to Provide for the Exemption of Marystown Shipyard Construction Limited From Taxes Imposed By The Social Security Assessment Act, 1963."
- A Bill "An Act Further To Amend The Members of the House of Assembly Contributory Pension Plan Act, 1962."
- A Bill "An Act Respecting The Pensioning of Certain Persons Who Served In The Public Service."

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

His Honour the Administrator left the Assembly Chamber.

On motion of Honourable the Attorney General, the following Resolution was passed:

"Resolved, that when this House adjourns today, it stand adjourned until Wednesday, January 18th., 1967, provided always that if it appears to the satisfaction of Mr. Speaker, or in the case of his absence from the Province, the Chairman of Committees after consultation with Her Majesty's Government, that the public interest requires that the House should meet at an earlier time than the adjournment, Mr. Speaker/or in his absence, the Chairman of Committees may give notice that he is so satisfied and thereupon the House shall meet at the time stated by such notice and shall transact its business as if it had been duly adjourned to that time."

On motion the remaining Orders of the Day were deferred.

The House then adjourned accordingly.

HENRY H. CUMMINGS,
Clerk (Acting), House of Assembly.