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BEING THE THIRD SESSION OF THE THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE OF
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MEETING OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

F. L. BASTEDO,
Lieutenant-Governor,
(L.S.)

CANADA PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

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.

To OUR FAITHFUL the MEMBERS elected to serve in the Legislative
Assembly of Our Province of Saskatchewan, and to every one
of you, GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION

ROY S. MELDRUM,
Deputy Attorney General

WHEREAS, it is expedient for
causes and considerations to con-
vene the Legislative Assembly of
Our Province of Saskatchewan, WE DO WILL that you and each of
you and all others in this behalf interested on THURSDAY, the
TWELFTH day of FEBRUARY, 1959, at Our City of Regina, person-
ally be and appear for the despatch of Business, there to take into
consideration the state and welfare of Our said Province of Saskat-
chewan and thereby do as may seem necessary, HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF we have caused Our Letters to be made Patent
and the Great Seal of Our said Province of Saskatchewan to be
hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: Our right trusty and well beloved THE HONOURABLE
FRANK LINDSAY BASTEDO, Lieutenant-Governor of Our Province
of Saskatchewan.

AT OUR CAPITAL CITY OF REGINA, in Our said Province, this
SIXTH day of JANUARY, in the year of Our Lord ONE THOUSAND
AND NINE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINE, and in the SEVENTH year
of Our Reign.

By Command,

L. J. BEAUDRY,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

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Province of Saskatchewan

THIRD SESSION

THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

Regina, Thursday, February 12, 1959

This being the day appointed by Proclamation of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, dated the Sixth day of January, 1959, for the meeting of the Third Session of the Thirteenth Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, and the Assembly having met:

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that he had received a communication from the Private Secretary to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor stating that His Honour would open the Session at three o'clock p.m. today, Thursday, the Twelfth day of February, 1959.

3 o'clock p.m.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor entered the Chamber and, having taken his seat upon the Throne, was pleased to open the Session with the following Speech:

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

IT IS MY PRIVILEGE to welcome you to the Third Session of the Thirteenth Legislature of Saskatchewan.

The people of Saskatchewan anticipate with much pleasure the forthcoming visit of Her Gracious Majesty The Queen and His Royal Highness The Prince Philip. Last summer Her Royal Highness The Princess Margaret visited the northern reaches of the settled areas of our Province. We rejoiced in the opportunity of welcoming to our midst so gracious a member of the Royal Family.

In spite of a severe drought condition which prevailed last summer, a near average wheat crop was harvested. A serious fodder shortage which followed in the wake of dry weather in many parts of the Province was overcome through emergency measures taken to assist farmers to meet this crisis. An extensive grasshopper threat was successfully met during the past growing season. Chemicals will be made available to farmers at cost to help meet the more widespread infestation expected this year.

The diversification of our agricultural economy continues at an encouraging rate. Livestock marketings have achieved new records. However, the added farm income realized from favourable conditions in the livestock market failed to arrest the growing disparity between farm costs and farm prices. It is apparent that steps must be taken by the Government of Canada to institute national policies to restore stability to our agricultural economy and give to the farmers their fair share of the national income.

Inadequate and uncertain returns have made it more difficult for families to transfer farms from one generation to another and for farmers to acquire economic farm units. Legislation will be introduced to assist the co-operatives in setting up a system of farm credit to help young farmers become established in agriculture.

The Government of Canada has announced that a measure to institute crop insurance in co-operation with such provinces as so desire will be laid before Parliament. This legislation has not been communicated to My Government but when it is available it will be studied. My Government will then determine, in consultation with the farm organizations, to what extent it will be beneficial to the farmers of this Province.

The Government of Saskatchewan welcomed the opportunity of signing an agreement with the Government of Canada for the construction of the South Saskatchewan River Development Project. Legislation will be introduced to establish a South Saskatchewan River Development Commission to provide for the orderly development of this great irrigation and power project.

Arrangements have been made for the Saskatchewan Research Council to undertake a comprehensive technical survey of water resources as related to the growing problems of municipal water supply. You will be asked to approve legislation regarding conservation, development and utilization of ground waters.

Despite adverse conditions in agriculture and the depressing effects of the national recession, Saskatchewan experienced significant advances in the field of industrial development and there was an encouraging increase in industrial employment. In 1958 a number of new industries were established and construction of a steel rolling mill was begun.

In spite of our industrial growth seasonal unemployment is still a serious problem. To help meet this situation the Saskatchewan Government has joined with the federal and municipal governments in a series of work and wages projects. Mounting inflation has also added to the suffering of the unemployed and has threatened the security of low income groups and those on fixed incomes. My Government has urged the Government of Canada to take strong measures to deal with these threats to our national well-being.

The mineral industries continued to make a significant contribution to the expansion of the economy of our Province. During 1958 Saskatchewan rose to fourth place among all the provinces in the production of mineral wealth.

A flare gas collecting system and processing plant in the Steelman area was brought into production during the year. The construction of this plant and related storage facilities have been important steps in the conservation of our fuel resources. Gas heretofore wasted is now available to consumers in Saskatchewan.

During the year the first potash mine in Canada commenced production near Saskatoon. Work on the construction of a shaft and potash processing plant near Esterhazy is well advanced and other potash exploration programs are being carried on over a wide area. Important potential sources of iron ore in the Province are under investigation and have aroused widespread

interest. A sub-surface geological laboratory for storage and examination of cores and samples was opened during the past year.

To keep pace with the growth in demand for electric power, it has been necessary to plan and bring into operation new generating units. Last year additional capacity was added to the Kindersley plant and the first unit of the Queen Elizabeth Power Station at Saskatoon was brought into operation. A second large unit at the new Saskatoon plant and the first unit of the Boundary Dam Generating Station at Estevan will be brought into operation this year.

A major interconnection of provincial power utilities which is being planned in the Estevan-Brandon area will be of mutual advantage to both Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Plans are underway to develop and bring into operation a hydro-electric power site at Squaw Rapids on the Saskatchewan River east of Nipawin.

Over five thousand farms were added to the provincial power system in 1958. Today more than fifty thousand farms enjoy the benefits of electric power. A concentrated effort is being made to complete the electrification of the rural areas of our Province.

The provincial natural gas utility also continued to expand. Weyburn, Estevan, Maple Creek and ten smaller communities were connected to the gas system last year. The program to extend natural gas to all cities in Saskatchewan will be completed this year and additional communities will also be served.

During 1959 Saskatchewan Government Telephones will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of its formation. The investment which the people of Saskatchewan have made in a public telephone system over the past half century has produced a modern, efficient communication system. It is gratifying to note that last year a record was set when approximately twelve thousand telephones were installed. Through the facilities of Saskatchewan Government Telephones, Swift Current was provided with direct television service from the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation in 1958. Prince Albert will be connected in a few weeks' time and the cities of Moose Jaw and Yorkton later in the year.

The continued development of the forest industry in Saskatchewan makes necessary the revision of The Forest Act. You will be asked to consider legislation to amend The Prairie and Forest Fires Act and The Game Act.

To keep pace with the increasing demand new parks are being developed to provide greater recreational facilities. A program will be undertaken to provide more camping and picnic facilities along our major tourist highways and within provincial parks.

The value of services rendered by co-operatives doing business in Saskatchewan reached a record figure of more than \$560,000,000. New records were also set in the number of members of co-operative associations.

My Government has been encouraged by the extent to which the communities in Northern Saskatchewan have been improved through the development of local co-operatives. This achievement of the people in this area now makes it possible for the Government to implement its plan to convert the provincially-owned fish marketing and trading services into co-operatives. Legislation will be introduced which will provide for the transfer of these facilities to the people of the North.

The record program of highway construction which was undertaken last year provided improved highways in many areas of the Province. A new policy for assistance to urban municipalities through which provincial highways pass was well received. During 1959 work will commence on the con-

struction of a four-lane traffic bridge over the North Saskatchewan River in the City of Prince Albert.

During the past year further progress has been made in the construction of the municipal grid road system. Two hundred and sixty-four rural municipalities, eleven local improvement districts and twenty-nine towns and villages have participated in this program to date.

During the past decade the Government has constructed more than two thousand five hundred miles of roads in the mineral and forest areas of Northern Saskatchewan. Plans are underway to exceed last year's construction record of over two hundred miles of northern roads. In addition, the Saskatchewan Government is co-operating with the Government of Canada in the construction of roads which will connect Prince Albert to Creighton-Flin Flon, Hudson Bay to The Pas, Buffalo Narrows to La Loche and Lac La Ronge to Uranium City.

It is evident that Saskatchewan has taken great strides toward realizing our goal of a more balanced economic base. During the post-war period the total value of commodity production has increased almost threefold. In 1958 non-agricultural sources accounted for over sixty-five percent of all commodity production. A team of specialized Canadian and American consultants has been engaged to carry out an objective appraisal of our achievements. Their studies and analyses will assist the Government in working out further long-range programs for the fullest development of Saskatchewan's economic potential.

Substantial increases in operating grants for schools will be provided. To assist with capital financing the Government has for many years followed a practice of purchasing certain school debentures, and further assistance in the financing of capital expenditures is being planned. Having in mind the ever-increasing need for advanced education, the Government is proposing a university scholarship program to supplement the extensive assistance provided through the Student Aid Fund.

The first stage of construction of the Provincial Technical Institute is underway and will be available for use this fall.

It is encouraging to note a continued improvement in the level of certification of Saskatchewan teachers and an increase in enrolment at teacher training institutions.

This year the University of Saskatchewan celebrates its Golden Jubilee. A steadily increasing number of students continues to take advantage of the opportunities provided by our University. To an already impressive campus is being added a College of Arts Building, a Biology Building and an Animal Husbandry Building. Last year saw the completion of the Saskatchewan Research Council Building and the Cancer and Medical Research Building. 1959 will also be marked by the retirement of Dr. W. P. Thompson after many years' service as Professor, Dean and President of the University. Dr. Thompson's basic research contributed greatly to the development of rust-resistant varieties of wheat. Saskatchewan is fortunate in having had for so many years the services of such a renowned scientist, effective teacher and able administrator.

Saskatchewan is also fortunate in that the new President of the University is to be Dean J. W. T. Spinks, an outstanding scientist who has served the University with great distinction for many years.

No cases of poliomyelitis were reported in Saskatchewan last year. The framework of effective public health services built up in our Province enabled everyone under forty years of age to take advantage of the Government's policy of making Salk vaccine available without cost. This achievement gives hope that this crippling disease may ultimately be wiped out in Saskatchewan.

A new health region was established recently in the Melfort-Tisdale area. This brings to ten the number of health regions in the Province. You will be asked to provide funds to establish another health region during the coming year.

My Government has reduced the personal tax payments for hospital services. Additional out-patient services, including minor surgical procedures, will be progressively added as soon as hospitals can provide the staff and facilities to handle the increased workload.

My Government has worked out with the organizations representing rural and urban municipalities a new system of providing social aid to those in need. You will be asked to approve a new Social Aid Act which will provide for greater financial assistance to municipalities and a more equitable distribution of the municipal share of social aid costs between the municipalities. You will also be asked to approve amendments to The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act. Legislation will be introduced to provide for the integration of child welfare and juvenile correction programs.

During 1958 twenty-two new housing projects for senior citizens were completed, bringing the total to fifty-six. More than three thousand aged persons can now be accommodated in modern housing units. Six additional units are presently under construction and some twenty other projects are in various stages of planning. The growing life expectancy of our people continues to increase that portion of our population over sixty-five years of age. A conference of interested persons will be held early this year to discuss the problem of providing further programs and facilities for the care of the aged and those suffering long-term illnesses.

Legislation will be introduced to relieve the cities of the cost of housing surveys and to provide more housing for low-income groups by reducing to five percent the cities' contribution for low-rental housing.

Saskatchewan was represented at a Dominion-Provincial Conference which discussed the recommendations contained in the Report of the Fauteux Commission on Penal Reform. The Saskatchewan Government will continue to co-operate with the Government of Canada and work toward the development of a more humane and progressive correction program.

The work of the Local Government Continuing Committee is proceeding satisfactorily. Progress reports are being prepared for submission to the annual conventions of local government organizations.

Last fall Chiefs and Councillors from almost every Indian reservation in the Province met in conference with representatives of the Government to discuss the extension of the provincial franchise to Indians and other matters affecting their welfare. Arrangements have been made to have these questions discussed by the Indians on the various reservations. As requested by the Federation of Saskatchewan Indians, a further conference will be held next summer.

The report of the Royal Commission on Certain Mineral Transactions has been received. Legislation dealing with the matters reviewed by this Commission will be introduced.

The report of the Quadrennial Committee of Review of The Workmen's Compensation (Accident Fund) Act will result in some amendments to this Act being submitted for your consideration.

You will be asked to approve amendments to The Farm Security Act extending for a further two-year period the protection given to farmers against a final order of foreclosure of the home quarter.

Legislation abolishing *ex parte* interim injunctions in connection with labour disputes will be introduced. Amendments to The Landlord and Tenant Act to give greater security for wages to employees of tenants will be

presented for your consideration. Amendments designed to strengthen provisions of The Fair Employment Practices Act will be proposed. You will be asked to approve legislation designed to provide simple and informal proceedings for the recovering of small debts and small damage claims. Amendments to The Attachments of Debts Act designed to assist wives and children in the collection of amounts payable under alimony and maintenance orders will be proposed.

Recommendations of a Law Reform Committee appointed to give consideration to desirable reforms in statute laws will be embodied in proposed amendments to The District Courts Act, The Limitation of Civil Rights Act, The Interpretation Act and The Land Titles Act. Amendments to The Queen's Bench Act and The Surrogate Courts Act will also be introduced.

You will be asked to approve legislation transferring to the Local Government Board the jurisdiction now exercised over electrical and gas utilities by the Saskatchewan Power Commission.

Amendments to The Legislative Assembly Act and amendments to The Saskatchewan Elections Act will also be presented.

After a year of experience with uniform time legislation in the Province it is considered desirable to ask you to refer this question again to the Select Standing Committee on Municipal Law.

The Liquor Sales Outlets Inquiry Committee, appointed pursuant to a recommendation of the Assembly at its last Session, submitted its report to the Government. Representing all groups in the Assembly, the Committee reported a gratifying degree of unanimity on the major conclusions reached, thus enhancing the value of its contribution. Legislation based on the Committee's report will be presented for your consideration. You will be asked to approve plans for the extension of the activities of the Bureau on Alcoholism. Approval of additional grants to assist in expanding temperance education programs will be requested.

The Public Accounts for the last fiscal year, together with estimates for the year beginning April 1, 1959, will be submitted.

I leave you now to the business of the Session with full confidence that you will favourably discharge your duties and responsibilities. May Divine Providence continue to bless our Province and guide the Legislature in all its deliberations.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor then retired from the Chamber.

PRAYERS:

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn) have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Administration of Oaths.

He accordingly presented the said Bill, and the same was received and read the first time.

Mr. Speaker then informed the Assembly that, in order to prevent mistakes, he had obtained a copy of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which was laid on the Table.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the speech of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor be taken into consideration on Monday next.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

Ordered, That the Votes and Proceedings of this Assembly be printed after first having been perused by Mr. Speaker; that he do appoint the printing thereof, and that no person but such as he shall appoint do presume to print the same.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

Ordered, That *Messieurs* Brockelbank, Howe, Brown (Bengough), Cameron, Danielson, and Weber be constituted a Select Special Committee to prepare and report, with all convenient speed, lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees of this Assembly provided under Standing Order 50;

That the said Select Standing Committees be severally empowered to examine and inquire into all such matters and things as may be referred to them by this Assembly, and to report from time to time their observations thereon; with power to send for persons, papers and records, and to examine witnesses under oath.

The Assembly then adjourned at 3:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Friday, February 13, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

The Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, from the Select Special Committee appointed to prepare lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees of the Assembly, presented the Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee recommends that the Members whose names appear on the appended lists, compose the Select Standing Committees of the Assembly under Standing Order 50:

AGRICULTURE

Messieurs

Kramer	Foley	Meakes
Bentley	Horsman	Neibrandt
Berezowsky	Johnson	Nicholson
Brown (Bengough)	Klein	Nollet
Brown (Last Mountain)	McCarthy	Thiessen
Danielson	McFarlane	Thurston
Dewhurst	McIntosh	Wood

Ten shall be a quorum

EDUCATION

Messieurs

Willis (Elrose)	Gardiner	McDonald
Begrand	Heming	Meakes
Berezowsky	Klein	Neibrandt
Brown (Last Mountain)	Korchinski	Thiessen
Cooper (Mrs.)	Kramer	Walker
Elias	Lloyd	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)
Foley	McCarthy	Wood

Twelve shall be a quorum

LAW AMENDMENTS AND DELEGATED POWERS

Messieurs

Willis (Elrose)	Dewhurst	McCarthy
Barrie	Elias	Neibrandt
Batten (Mrs.)	Erb	Thiessen
Begrand	Fines	Thorson
Coderre	Harrop	Thurston
Danielson	Heming	Walker
Davies	Howe	Weber
	Loptson	Wood

Twelve shall be a quorum

LIBRARY

MR. SPEAKER AND *Messieurs*

Johnson	Erb	Lloyd
Batten (Mrs.)	Gibson	Meakes
Cooper (Mrs.)	Horsman	Thorson
Dewhurst	Klein	Willis (Elrose)
Elias	Korchinski	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)

Seven shall be a quorum

MUNICIPAL LAW

Messieurs

Stone	Loptson	Thiessen
Berezowsky	McCarthy	Thorson
Brockelbank	McFarlane	Weber
Danielson	McIntosh	Willis (Elrose)
Douglas (Rosetown)	Meakes	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)
Foley	Neibrandt	Wood
Gardiner	Nicholson	
Heming	Sturdy	

Twelve shall be a quorum

PRIVATE BILLS

Messieurs

Gibson	Harrop	Stone
Barrie	Heming	Thiessen
Begrاند	Horsman	Thorson
Brown (Bengough)	Korchinski	Thurston
Coderre	Kramer	Walker
Danielson	Johnson	Weber
Davies	Loptson	Wood
Dewhurst	McIntosh	
Erb	Nicholson	
Foley		

Twelve shall be a quorum

PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS

Messieurs

Howe	Dewhurst	Meakes
Barrie	Douglas (Weyburn)	Neibrandt
Batten (Mrs.)	Heming	Nicholson
Berezowsky	Klein	Walker
Brockelbank	Korchinski	Weber
Brown (Bengough)	Kramer	Williams
Brown (Last Mountain)	Loptson	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)
Cooper (Mrs.)	McDonald	

Twelve shall be a quorum

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND PRINTING

Messieurs

Dewhurst	Fines	Meakes
Barrie	Gardiner	Neibrandt
Begrand	Gibson	Stone
Berezowsky	Harrop	Thiessen
Brown (Bengough)	Howe	Thorson
Cameron	Johnson	Thurston
Coderre	Klein	Walker
Cooper (Mrs.)	Korchinski	Weber
Danielson	Lloyd	Willis (Elrose)
Davies	McCarthy	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)
Douglas (Weyburn)	McDonald	Wood
Elias	McFarlane	

Fifteen shall be a quorum

STANDING ORDERS

Messieurs

Howe	Fines	Walker
Danielson	Johnson	Weber
Davies	Loptson	Willis (Elrose)
	McDonald	

Five shall be a quorum

CROWN CORPORATIONS

Messieurs

Brown (Bengough)	Douglas (Weyburn)	McFarlane
Barrie	Elias	Meakes
Batten (Mrs.)	Fines	Nicholson
Begrand	Foley	Stone
Berezowsky	Gardiner	Thiessen
Brockelbank	Harrop	Thorson
Brown (Last Mountain)	Horsman	Thurston
Cameron	Howe	Walker
Coderre	Johnson	Weber
Cooper (Mrs.)	Klein	Williams
Davies	Kramer	Willis (Elrose)
Dewhurst	Kuziak	Wood
Douglas (Rosetown)	Lloyd	
	Loptson	
	McDonald	

Fifteen shall be a quorum

RADIO BROADCASTING OF SELECTED PROCEEDINGS

MR. SPEAKER AND *Messieurs*

Howe	Dewhurst	Horsman
Brown (Last Mountain)	Elias	McDonald

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, seconded by Mr. Cameron:

Ordered, That the Report of the Select Special Committee appointed to prepare lists of the Members to compose the Select Standing Committees of this Assembly, be now concurred in.

Mr. Speaker laid before the Assembly the Report of the Legislative Librarian, dated February 12, 1959, which is as follows:—

REPORT OF THE LEGISLATIVE LIBRARIAN

To the Honourable,

The Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan.

Sir:

I have the honour to submit to you the Annual Report of the Legislative Library.

The Library was honoured by visits of distinguished people during the year. Among those signing the Distinguished Visitors' Register were:

His Excellency Dr. Lambertus Nicodemus Palar, Indonesian Ambassador, Ottawa;

His Excellency Sir Velupillai Coomaraswamy, C.M.G., High Commissioner of Ceylon, and Lady Coomaraswamy, Ottawa;

Mr. Paul C. Hutton, United States Consul General, Winnipeg;

Members of the British Trade Mission:

Sir William Rootes, London, England,

Sir Edward Herbert, London, England,

Sir Vincent Tewson, London, England,

Sir Norman Kipping, London, England,

Lord Polwarth, Edinburgh, Scotland and

Lord Riverdale, Sheffield, England.

The Library received many gifts of books and materials during the year. While it is not feasible to list each item, special mention is made of a gift of a Saskatchewan medal and various coronation medals from Reverend J. Harrison Hill, now of Goodland, Kansas, formerly of Pense, and a significant and unique collection of World War I materials including operational maps and company orders from Mr. Dan. A. Cameron, Regina. The Library is warmly appreciative of these and all other gifts.

During the year work was nearly completed on a mimeographed newspaper index for the period 1949-1954. The indexing of current Saskatchewan newspapers was continued. The Legislative Library and the Provincial Archives jointly published a Catalogue of Newspapers on microfilm in the Legislative Library and Provincial Archives of Saskatchewan. Again in 1959 scholars and technicians from Commonwealth and other countries used the facilities of the Library. There was a noticeable increase in the use made of library resources.

The summary following shows materials loaned, exclusive of those used in the Library:

Books and Materials circulated in 1958

General Book Collection	1,755
Reference Shelf	1,137
Law and Legislative Section	723
Parliamentary Debates and Statutes	839
Newspapers	1,013
Pamphlets	1,573
Periodicals	1,234
Dominion Bureau of Statistics	829
Maps	81
	9,184

Reference Inquiries, Bibliographic Research, etc.,

Total in Legislative Library	2,197
Total in Archives Division of the Library	1,046
	3,243

Again this year members of the Library staff provided cataloguing, microfilming and clerical assistance in the Archives Division on projects of an archival nature. The Archives Division received numerous gifts and donations during 1958. The Library is especially indebted to Mr. G. H. Barr, Mr. G. Hodgson, Mr. C. Frank McDonald and Mrs. Horace A. Croome, all of Regina, for historic photographs; to Mrs. D. A. Young of Yorkton, Mrs. William Milne of Victoria, Mr. J. H. Mason of Ottawa, and Mrs. Graham Spry of London, England, also for photographs; and to Mrs. S. C. Burton of Regina and Mrs. A. G. Elder of Nakusp, B.C., for historical items. The Library is especially appreciative of Mrs. A. E. M. Hewlett's donation of photographs of Cannington Manor and her good offices in obtaining for the Library the Manor Advocate, 1906-1909 from Mrs. Hulton Greene, Colchester, England. Mr. W. S. Gardiner of Kerrobert, kindly donated copies of the Kerrobert Citizen for the years 1918-1947. The public-spiritedness of these and other donors is much appreciated.

Again I take pleasure in recording publicly my personal thanks to a courteous and efficient staff.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN H. ARCHER,
Legislative Librarian.

(*Sessional Paper No. 1*)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn) seconded by Mr. McDonald, and agreed to by standing vote:

Resolved, That this Assembly records its profound regret at the passing, since last Session, of two former Members of this Assembly, each of whom made notable contributions to the development of this Province, and who merit high tributes in commemoration of their services to Saskatchewan and to Canada:

THE HONOURABLE CHARLES AVERY DUNNING, who earned great distinction in Provincial and Federal fields and in the realms of industry and finance, and who died in hospital at Montreal on October 1, 1958, was a Member of this Assembly from 1916 until 1926, during which period he served as Provincial Treasurer, Minister of Railways, Minister of Telephones, Minister of Agriculture, Provincial Secretary, Minister of Municipal Affairs, and, from 1922 to 1926, as Premier of Saskatchewan and President of the Executive Council, resigning in the latter year to become Minister of Railways and Canals and, later, Minister of Finance in the Federal Government;

ALAN CARL STEWART, who died at his home in Long Beach, California, on July 26, 1958, was a member of the Seventh Legislature from 1929 to 1934, during which period he was Minister of Highways in the Government headed by the late Dr. J. T. M. Anderson, and of the Ninth Legislature from 1938 to 1944; and later, of the Federal House of Commons, from 1949 to 1953, as Member of Parliament for Yorkton Constituency.

This Assembly desires also to pay belated tribute to the memory of DEAKIN ALEXANDER HALL, who died at Victoria, B.C. on July 16, 1957, whose record of continuous service in this Assembly exceeds that of any Member, past or present, and who, throughout the 31 years he sat in this Chamber as representative of northern Constituencies, sought ardently to interest his fellow Members in the wealth and variety of the resources latent in Saskatchewan's Northland and to advocate their development.

In recording its own deep sense of loss, the Assembly expresses its most sincere sympathies with members of the bereaved families.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by Mr. McDonald:

Ordered, That the Resolution just passed, together with transcripts of the oral tributes to the memory of the deceased former Members, be communicated to the bereaved families, on behalf of this Assembly, by Mr. Speaker.

Returns, Reports and Papers tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council:

Statement by the Provincial Auditor of Attorney General's opinions, Treasury Board decisions, and of Special Warrants and Expenditures thereunder, for the fiscal year 1957-58.

(*Sessional Paper No. 2*)

Statement of Facts concerning Temporary Loans for Current Revenue Deficiencies as provided for under Section 30, Chapter 33, R.S.S. 1953.

(Sessional Paper No. 3)

By command of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor—Public Accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 4)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

Ordered, That the Public Accounts of the Province of Saskatchewan for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Printing.

Statement of Facts in connection with the Implementing of Guarantees as provided for under Section 60 of the Treasury Department Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 5)

Statement of all moneys raised under The Deferred Charges Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 6)

Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Treasury Department Farm Loans Branch for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 7)

Annual Report of the Provincial Auditor under The Administrator of Estates of the Mentally Incompetent Act, as at March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 8)

Annual Report and Financial Statement of The Liquor Board for the year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 9)

Annual Report and Financial Statements of The Liquor Board Superannuation Commission, for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 10)

Detail of Expenditure under The Saskatchewan Election Act for the fiscal year 1957-58.

(Sessional Paper No. 11)

By order of the Assembly—Report of the Liquor Sales Outlets Inquiry Committee, 1958, dated July 29, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 12)

Annual Report of The Saskatchewan Government Insurance Office for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 13)

Annual Report of The Saskatchewan Guarantee and Fidelity Company Limited for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 14)

By the Hon. Mr. McIntosh, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs and of the Municipal Road Assistance Authority for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 15)

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Bylaws, Rules and Regulations of the following Professional Associations, under the provisions of the respective Acts relating thereto:

Of The Saskatchewan Dietetic Association

Of The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Saskatchewan

Of Saskatchewan Pharmaceutical Association

Of Saskatchewan Registered Nurses' Association.

(Sessional Paper No. 16)

Detailed Statement of all Remissions made under The Penalties and Forfeitures Act, for the period from February 1, 1958, to January 31, 1959.

(Sessional Paper No. 17)

Return (*No. 58 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 27, 1958, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

In each fiscal year since 1951-52 in the L.I.D.'s partly or wholly within the Turtleford Constituency, (1) The amount spent by the Government for (a) road construction, (b) road maintenance, (c) gravelling, (d) bridge construction; (2) Locations of these projects: (a) road construction, (b) gravelling, (c) bridge construction.

(Sessional Paper No. 18)

Return (*No. 55 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 1, 1958, on motion of Mrs. Batten, showing:

Copies of correspondence exchanged by the Department of the Attorney General of Saskatchewan and the various Bar Associations of Saskatchewan, namely the Benchers, The Law Society of Sask-

atchewan and the Law Associations of the various Judicial Districts, and copies of the briefs and representations made by the said bodies to the Attorney General, in regard to proposed changes in the Judicial System of Saskatchewan since the date of the presentation of the Culliton Committee Report but such Return shall only include: (a) any letter, the inclusion of which has been consented to by the Benchers, The Law Society of Saskatchewan or the Law Association of the Judicial District on whose behalf it was written; (b) any reply to such letter where the inclusion of the letter to which it was a reply has been consented to as provided in clause (a); (c) any brief or representation to the Attorney General the inclusion of which has been consented to by the Benchers, the Law Society of Saskatchewan, or the Law Association of the Judicial District of whose behalf it was made.

(Sessional Paper No. 19)

Return (*No. 37 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 12, 1958, on motion of Mr. McDonald, showing:

- (1) All Government properties covered by Saskatchewan Government insurance.
- (2) The amount of insurance carried in respect to each property.
- (3) Total premiums paid on each property to date.
- (4) Total losses paid by the Government Insurance Office on each property.

(Sessional Paper No. 20)

Return to an Order of the Legislative Assembly for an Address, dated March 12, 1958, on motion of Mr. McDonald, showing:

Copies of all correspondence from July 1, 1957, to date, between the Government of Canada or any of its Ministers and the Government of Saskatchewan or any of its Ministers, with regard to the South Saskatchewan River Development Project.

(Sessional Paper No. 21)

Return (*No. 34 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 10, 1958, on motion of Mr. Klein, showing:

- (1) How much money has been paid to the Government Insurance Office by the Government on Government buildings that were not previously insured, since the inception of the Government Insurance Office, to date.
- (2) How much has been collected in losses from the Government Insurance Office by the Government in the said period.

(Sessional Paper No. 22)

Return (*No. 47 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 20, 1958, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

Of the total sales of each of the Crown Corporation (excluding Saskatchewan Power Corporation, Saskatchewan Government Telephones, and Saskatchewan Transportation Company) during their respective financial years ending in 1957, the amounts: (a) derived from goods sold, and services rendered, to other Crown Corporations and Departments of Government; (b) derived from goods sold, and services rendered, to other groups or organizations on a compulsory basis; (c) derived from goods sold, and services rendered, to others not included in (a) or (b).

(Sessional Paper No. 23)

Return (*No. 36 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 12, 1958, on motion of Mr. McDonald, showing:

- (1) Quantities, if any, of materials ordered from Prairie Pipe Manufacturers by the Government of Saskatchewan or any of its Corporations from November 1, 1957, to date.
- (2) Amount of Money paid to Prairie Pipe Manufacturers either as payment in full, or advances on any of the above material.

(Sessional Paper No. 24)

Return (*No. 59 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 25, 1958, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

- (a) The date on which each Larger School Unit was established.
- (b) The number and names of units established before the Act was changed to provide for a vote being taken.
- (c) The number of areas from which petitions were received, prior to organization, asking that a vote be taken and the names of the areas.
- (d) The number of said petitions accepted, and the result of the votes held in each area of the province.
- (e) The number and names of each unit in which a vote has been held following the five-year trial period, and the result in each.
- (f) In each of the above units in (e), the number of local schools in each area that had been closed between the time the unit was organized and the taking of the vote at the end of the five-year trial period.

(Sessional Paper No. 25)

Return (*No. 11 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 27, 1958, on motion of Mr. McFarlane, showing:

- (1) Number of foreclosures and cancellations of agreements for sale allowed in the calendar year 1939.
- (2) Number of evictions which had been allowed in the calendar year 1939.

(Sessional Paper No. 26)

Return (*No. 68 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 1, 1958, on motion of Mr. Korchinski, showing:

In each of the years 1946 to 1957, inclusive: The number of accidents reported, fatal accidents being shown separately, in (a) coal mining, (b) metal mining, (c) shaft sinking and contract development, (d) contract drilling.

(Sessional Paper No. 27)

Return (*No. 67 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 1, 1958, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

- (1) The number of rural schools in Saskatchewan that have ceased to operate.
- (2) The number of these rural schools that have been acquired by (a) private individuals, (b) social organizations, (c) others.
- (3) The number of Composite high schools that have been opened.
- (4) The number of students transported by bus.

(Sessional Paper No. 28)

Return (*No. 66 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 1, 1958, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

- (1) The number of (a) film strips, (b) motion picture films acquired by the Visual Aids Branch, and the number of each loaned to schools.
- (2) The number of schools equipped with (a) motion picture projectors, (b) film strip projectors.

(Sessional Paper No. 29)

Return (*No. 64 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 1, 1958, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

The land descriptions within the boundaries of the community pasture at Bapaume, and the amount pending or paid for each parcel.

(Sessional Paper No. 30)

Return (*No. 65 of 1958*) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 1, 1958, on motion of Mr. Danielson, showing:

Copy of Public Service Commission's Monthly Report for December 31, 1957.

(Sessional Paper No. 31)

By the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Saskatchewan Public Service Superannuation Board for the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 32)

Annual Report of the University of Saskatchewan for 1957-58.

(Sessional Paper No. 33)

Recommendations of the Public Documents Committee under The Archives Act, respecting the disposal of certain public documents.

(Sessional Paper No. 34)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, seconded by Mrs. Cooper:

Ordered, That the retention and disposal schedules approved by the Public Documents Committee, as submitted, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Library.

By the Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council:

Report of Administration of The Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Act for the Fiscal Period ending March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 35)

The Assembly then adjourned at 3:40 p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until Monday at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Monday, February 16, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Brown (Bengough), seconded by Mr. Johnson, moved:

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE FRANK LINDSAY BASTEDO
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. McDonald, adjourned.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Bentley, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Social Welfare and Rehabilitation for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 36)

By the Hon. Mr. Broeckelbank, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Mineral Resources for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 37)

By the Hon. Mr. Kuziak, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Natural Resources for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 38)

By the Hon. Mr. Williams, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Labour for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958.

(*Sessional Paper No. 39*)

By the Hon. Mr. Erb, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Saskatchewan Anti-Tuberculosis League for the year 1957.

(*Sessional Paper No. 40*)

By the Hon. Mr. Brown, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Western Development Museum Fund for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1958.

(*Sessional Paper No. 41*)

By the Hon. Mr. Walker—Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 16:
Amendment to Bylaws:

Of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Walker, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

Ordered, That Bylaws, Rules and Regulations, and amendments thereto, submitted by the various Professional Associations, be referred, as tabled, to the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers.

The Assembly adjourned, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), at 4:35 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Tuesday, February 17, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, and the Minister in each case having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Thursday next:

- Bill No. 2—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn)*)
- Bill No. 8—An Act to amend The Liquor Board Superannuation Act. (*Hon. Mr. Fines*)
- Bill No. 9—An Act to amend The Education and Hospitalization Tax Act. (*Hon. Mr. Fines*)
- Bill No. 11—An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option. (*Hon. Mr. Fines*)
- Bill No. 13—An Act to amend The Public Service Superannuation Act. (*Hon. Mr. Lloyd*)

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Thursday next:

- Bill No. 1—An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn)*)
- Bill No. 3—An Act to amend The Co-operative Associations Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn)*)
- Bill No. 4—An Act to amend The Credit Union Act, 1956.
(*Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn)*)
- Bill No. 5—An Act to amend The Vehicles Act, 1957.
(*Hon. Mr. Fines*)
- Bill No. 6—An Act to amend The Liquor Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Fines*)
- Bill No. 7—An Act to amend The Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Act, 1954. (*Hon. Mr. Fines*)

- Bill No. 10—An Act to amend The Travelling Shows Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Fines*)
- Bill No. 12—An Act respecting the Superannuation of Certain Employees of Municipalities, Larger School Units and other Institutions. (*Hon. Mr. McIntosh*)
- Bill No. 14—An Act to repeal The Moratorium Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 15—An Act to amend The Trustee Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 16—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Evidence Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 17—An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 18—An Act to amend The Fair Employment Practices Act, 1956. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 19—An Act to amend The Limitation of Actions Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 20—An Act providing for Certain Temporary Changes in the Law. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 21—An Act to amend The Landlord and Tenant Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 22—An Act to amend The Municipal Hail Insurance Act. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 23—An Act to amend The Interpretation Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 24—An Act respecting the Enforcement of Small Claims. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 25—An Act to amend The Provincial Magistrates Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 26—An Act respecting Benevolent and Other Societies.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 27—An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1954.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 28—An Act to amend The Farm Security Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)

- Bill No. 29—An Act to amend The Administration of Estates of the Mentally Incompetent Act. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 30—An Act to amend The Companies Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 31—An Act to amend The Land Contracts (Actions) Act. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 32—An Act to amend The Limitation of Civil Rights Act. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 33—An Act to amend The Surrogate Court Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 34—An Act to amend The District Court Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 35—An Act to amend The Queen's Bench Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)
- Bill No. 36—An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Nollet*)
- Bill No. 37—An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act. (*Hon. Mr. Nollet*)
- Bill No. 38—An Act respecting the Artificial Insemination of Domestic Animals. (*Hon. Mr. Nollet*)
- Bill No. 39—An Act to amend The Stray Animals Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Nollet*)
- Bill No. 40—An Act to amend The Grain Charges Limitation Act. (*Hon. Mr. Nollet*)
- Bill No. 41—An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act. (*Hon. Mr. Nollet*)
- Bill No. 42—An Act to amend The Pure Bred Sire Areas Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Nollet*)

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Brown (Bengough), seconded by Mr. Johnson:

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE FRANK LINDSAY BASTEDO
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

The debate continuing, in amendment thereto, it was moved by Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mr. Cameron:—

That the following words be added to the Address:

“We respectfully submit that in the opinion of this Assembly, Your Honour's advisers have failed to take action to lower farmers' production costs, or to provide urgently needed financial assistance to local governments.”

The debate continuing on the amendment, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), adjourned.

The following Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers:

By Mr. McFarlane, for a Return (No. 1) showing:

- (1) The total number of pounds of (a) butter, (b) margarine, purchased by the Provincial Government for each of its institutions during the fiscal years 1956-57 and 1957-58.
- (2) The total cost of (a) butter, (b) margarine, purchased by the Provincial Government for each of its institutions during the fiscal year 1956-57 and 1957-58.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 2) showing:

- (1) In regard to the holding of the Larger Unit Vote in the South Melville Superintendency on October 29, 1958:
 - (a) the tabulated official vote poll by poll;
 - (b) the itemized statement of expenses involved in the taking of the vote including the names of those parties in receipt of moneys from the Department of Education and the services they rendered;
 - (c) the names of all employees of the Department of Education who were present in the area during the two-month period immediately preceding the holding of the vote and the number of days they were in the area.

By Mr. Korchinski, for a Return (No. 3) showing:

- (1) In the fiscal years 1955-56, 1956-57, 1957-58, the amounts spent on Highway No. 40 from Blaine Lake to Speers corner (a) on repairs, (b) on maintenance;
- (2) To whom, and the purpose for which these amounts were paid.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Orders of the Day.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the name of Mr. Thurston be substituted for that of Mr. Howe in the list of Members composing the Select Standing Committee on Radio Broadcasting of Selected Proceedings.

Question No. 6 on the Orders of the Day, asked by Mr. Gardiner, was, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, by leave of the Assembly withdrawn:—

By Mr. McCarthy, No. 8.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Nollet, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Agriculture for the year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 42)

Annual Report of the Saskatchewan Agricultural Research Foundation for the year ended June 30, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 43)

By the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Public Service Commission for the fiscal year 1957-58.

(Sessional Paper No. 44)

Annual Report of the Saskatchewan Research Council for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 45)

By the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Local Government Board for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 46)

By the Hon. Mr. Williams, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Telephones for the calendar year 1957.

(Sessional Paper No. 47)

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Report under The Crown Administration of Estates Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 48)

Interim Report of the Law Reform Committee.

(Sessional Paper No. 49)

By the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown), a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of Department of Highways for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 50)

The Assembly adjourned, at 5:20 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Wednesday, February 18, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Speaker, as Chairman of the Select Standing Committee on Radio Broadcasting of Selected Proceedings, presented the First Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee has had under consideration the division of the 1500 minutes of radio time arranged for the current Session, and recommends to the Assembly that the time be shared on a two-to-one basis as follows:

500 minutes to Opposition Members, an average of 29 $\frac{6}{17}$ minutes each;

1,000 minutes to Government Members, an average of 28 $\frac{4}{7}$ minutes each.

Your Committee further recommends that allocation of times to individual Members be arranged by the Party Whips.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Elias:

Ordered, That the First Report of the Select Standing Committee on Radio Broadcasting of Selected Proceedings be now concurred in.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, and the Minister in each case having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Friday next:

Bill No. 44—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Government Telephones Superannuation Act, 1955. (*Hon. Mr. Williams*)

Bill No. 45—An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Board Superannuation Act, 1958. (*Hon. Mr. Williams*)

Bill No. 51—An Act to amend The Power Corporation Superannuation Act. (*Hon. Mr. Brown*)

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Friday next:

Bill No. 43—An Act to amend The Minimum Wage Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Williams*)

Bill No. 46—An Act to amend The Teachers' Federation Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Lloyd*)

Bill No. 47—An Act to amend The Union Hospital Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Erb*)

Bill No. 48—An Act to amend The Marriage Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Erb*)

Bill No. 49—An Act to amend The Hospital Standards Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Erb*)

Bill No. 50—An Act for the Prevention and Suppression of
Disease among Bees. (*Hon. Mr. Nollet*)

The Question (No. 13) on the Orders of the Day was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order 31, and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer accordingly, viz. :—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 5) showing:

The position held by Mr. L. H. Lewry with any Department of the Government or its Crown Corporations during 1958, and (a) the remuneration he received from the Government during 1958, (b) his qualifications.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations :—

By Mr. Coderre, No. 12.

By Mr. Gardiner, No. 15.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Brown (Bengough), seconded by Mr. Johnson:

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor as follows :—

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE FRANK LINDSAY BASTEDO
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled,

humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

and the proposed amendment thereto, moved by Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mr. Cameron:—

That the following words be added to the Address:

“We respectfully submit that in the opinion of this Assembly, Your Honour’s advisers have failed to take action to lower farmers’ production costs, or to provide urgently needed financial assistance to local governments.”

The debate continuing on the amendment, it was, on motion of Mr. Weber, adjourned.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Nollet, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report under the Water Power Act for the year 1958.
(*Sessional Paper No. 51*)

Orders and Regulations made under The Provincial Lands Act.
(*Sessional Paper No. 52*)

The Assembly adjourned at 4.05 o’clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until tomorrow at 2:30 o’clock p.m.

Regina, Thursday, February 19, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Fines have leave to introduce Bill No. 54—An Act to amend The Automobile Accident Insurance Act.

The Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The said Bill was accordingly received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next:

Bill No. 52—An Act to repeal Certain Acts respecting the Town of Carlyle and Carlyle Lake Resort. (*Hon. Mr. McIntosh*)

Bill No. 53—An Act to repeal The Municipal Telephone Act. (*Hon. Mr. McIntosh*)

Bill No. 55—An Act to amend The Highways and Transportation Act. (*Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown)*)

Bill No. 56—An Act to amend The Prairie and Forest Fires Act, 1958. (*Hon. Mr. Kuziak*)

Bill No. 57—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Insurance Act. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)

Bill No. 58—An Act to amend The Infants Act. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)

Bill No. 59—An Act to amend The Chiropractic Act. (*Mr. Thorson*)

The Question (No. 20) on the Orders of the Day was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order 31, and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer accordingly, viz.:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 6) showing:

- (1) Number of charges laid under The Saskatchewan Bill of Rights Act.
- (2) Number of convictions obtained under The Saskatchewan Bill of Rights Act.
- (3) Number of injunctions obtained under The Saskatchewan Bill of Rights Act.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Brown (Bengough), seconded by Mr. Johnson:

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE FRANK LINDSAY BASTEDO
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

and the proposed amendment thereto, moved by Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mr. Cameron:—

That the following words be added to the Address:

“We respectfully submit that in the opinion of this Assembly, Your Honour's advisers have failed to take action to lower farmers' production costs, or to provide urgently needed financial assistance to local governments.”

The debate continuing on the amendment, it was, on motion of Mr. McFarlane, adjourned.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 3—An Act to amend The Co-operative Associations Act.

Bill No. 4—An Act to amend The Credit Union Act, 1956.

Bill No. 13—An Act to amend The Public Service Superannuation Act.

Bill No. 14—An Act to repeal The Moratorium Act.

Bill No. 15—An Act to amend The Trustee Act.

Bill No. 16—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Evidence Act.

Bill No. 17—An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.

Bill No. 20—An Act providing for Certain Temporary Changes in the Law.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker: That Bill No. 18—An Act to amend The Fair Employment Practices Act, 1956—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mrs. Batten, adjourned.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker: That Bill No. 19—An Act to amend The Limitation of Actions Act—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker: That Bill No. 21—An Act to amend The Landlord and Tenant Act—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Government Finance Office for the year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 53)

Annual Report of the Industrial Development Fund for the year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 54)

By the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown), a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Saskatchewan Transportation Company for the year ended October 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 55)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

Ordered, That the Annual Reports and Financial Statements of the various Crown Corporations and related Agencies, as submitted, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations.

The Assembly adjourned, at 5:25 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Friday, February 20, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Tuesday next:

Bill No. 60—An Act respecting the Department of Mineral Resources. (*Hon. Mr. Brockelbank*)

Bill No. 61—An Act respecting Mineral Resources. (*Hon. Mr. Brockelbank*)

The Answer to Question No. 25, asked by Mr. Gardiner, and tabled by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh, was, by reason of its length, converted to a Return (No. 9) showing:

- (1) Urban communities in Saskatchewan which have had a re-assessment during the last five years ended December 31, 1958.
- (2) Change in assessment resulting from the re-assessment in each case.

(*Sessional Paper No. 60*)

The Questions (Nos. 29 and 31) on the Orders of the Day were passed by the Assembly as Orders for Returns, under subsection (3) of Standing Order 31, and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz. :—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 10) showing:

Buildings owned by the Government or any of its Crown Corporations within the boundaries of the Melville Provincial Constituency.

By Mr. Danielson, for a Return (No. 11) showing:

- (1) Since July 11, 1944 to date, the total of Saskatchewan Government Bonds and/or debentures, etc., sold in the United States by the Saskatchewan Government.
- (2) Amount of the said bonds and debentures outstanding as at December 31, 1958.
- (3) Amount of interest paid on the said bonds and debentures from 1944 to December 31, 1958.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Barrie, Nos. 33 and 34.

By Mr. McCarthy, No. 35.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Brown (Bengough), seconded by Mr. Johnson:

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE FRANK LANDSAY BASTEDO

Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

and the proposed amendment thereto, moved by Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mr. Cameron:—

That the following words be added to the Address:

“We respectfully submit that in the opinion of this Assembly, Your Honour's advisers have failed to take action to lower farmers' production costs, or to provide urgently needed financial assistance to local governments.”

The debate continuing on the amendment, it was, on motion of Mrs. Cooper, adjourned.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 5—An Act to amend The Vehicles Act, 1957.

Bill No. 7—An Act to amend The Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Act, 1954.

Bill No. 10—An Act to amend The Travelling Shows Act.

Bill No. 12—An Act respecting the Superannuation of Certain Employees of Municipalities, Larger School Units and other Institutions.

Bill No. 22—An Act to amend The Municipal Hail Insurance Act.

Bill No. 23—An Act to amend The Interpretation Act.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Fines: That Bill No. 9—An Act to amend The Education and Hospitalization Tax Act—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. Coderre, adjourned.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, a member of the Executive Council:

Orders in Council under The Mineral Resources Act, February 14, 1958, to February 20, 1959.

(Sessional Paper No. 56)

By the Hon. Mr. Williams, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Workmen's Compensation Board for the calendar year 1958. *

(Sessional Paper No. 57)

By the Hon. Mr. Kuziak, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of Saskatchewan Forest Products for the year ended October 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 58)

Annual Report of Saskatchewan Government Airways for the year ended October 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 59)

The Assembly adjourned, at 5:25 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until Monday at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Monday, February 23, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Fines have leave to introduce Bill No. 62—An Act to assist Interprovincial Steel Corporation Ltd. in establishing a Steel Manufacturing Plant in Saskatchewan.

The Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The said Bill was accordingly received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Wednesday next.

The Questions (Nos. 38 and 42) on the Orders of the Day, were passed by the Assembly as Orders for Returns, under subsection (3) of Standing Order 31, and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 15) showing:

The total cost of the Liquor Sales Outlets Inquiry Committee.

By Mr. Elias, for a Return (No. 16) showing:

- (1) Number of traffic counts taken during each of the years 1956, 1957 and 1958, on, (a) No. 11 Highway between the junction of No. 11 and No. 5 and the junction of No. 11 and No. 2; (b) Grid roads in the (1) Laird Municipality, (2) Rosthern Municipality.
- (2) The dates on which these counts were taken.
- (3) The total traffic count for each date.

The Order of the Day being called for the following Question (No. 39), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Question stand as a Notice of Motion for a Return:—

By Mrs. Batten:

- (1) Number of Justices of the Peace in Saskatchewan.
- (2) Of these, the number who are (a) members of the R.C.M.P.; (b) employees of the Government of Saskatchewan or any board or department thereof; (c) employees of a Crown Corporation.

- (3) The amount paid them for services and expenses in the year 1958.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Brown (Bengough), seconded by Mr. Johnson:

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE FRANK LINDSAY BASTEDO
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

and the proposed amendment thereto, moved by Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mr. Cameron:—

That the following words be added to the Address:

“We respectfully submit that in the opinion of this Assembly, Your Honour's advisers have failed to take action to lower farmers' production costs, or to provide urgently needed financial assistance to local governments.”

The debate continuing on the amendment, it was, on motion of Mr. Davies, adjourned.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 1—An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Bill No. 2—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act.

Bill No. 25—An Act to amend The Provincial Magistrates Act.

Bill No. 54—An Act to amend The Automobile Accident Insurance Act.

Bill No. 26—An Act respecting Benevolent and Other Societies.

Bill No. 28—An Act to amend The Farm Security Act.

Bill No. 29—An Act to amend The Administration of Estates of the Mentally Incompetent Act.

Bill No. 30—An Act to amend The Companies Act.

Bill No. 31—An Act to amend The Land Contracts (Actions) Act.

Bill No. 32—An Act to amend The Limitation of Civil Rights Act.

Bill No. 33—An Act to amend The Surrogate Court Act.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker: That Bill No. 24—An Act respecting the Enforcement of Small Claims—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker: That Bill No. 27—An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1954—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council:

Copy of Agreement between Her Majesty the Queen, in the right of the Province of Saskatchewan, and Interprovincial Steel Corporation Ltd., Regina.

(Sessional Paper No. 61)

By the Hon. Mr. Kuziak, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of Saskatchewan Marketing Services for 1957-58.
(Sessional Paper No. 62)

By the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of Saskatchewan Student Aid Fund for 1957-58.
(Sessional Paper No. 63)

Eighth Report of the Saskatchewan Archives Board for the period
June 1, 1956, to May 31, 1958.

(*Sessional Paper No. 64*)

The Assembly adjourned, at 9:50 o'clock p.m., on motion of the
Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Tuesday, February 24, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Thursday next:

Bill No. 63—An Act respecting Crown Timber and Conservation and Preservation of Forest Lands. (*Hon. Mr. Kuziak*)

Bill No. 64—An Act to amend The Devolution of Real Property Act. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)

Bill No. 65—An Act to amend The Local Government Board Act. (*Hon. Mr. Walker*)

The Questions (Nos. 44 and 46) on the Orders of the Day, were passed by the Assembly as Orders for Returns, under subsection (3) of Standing Order 31, and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Foley, for a Return (No. 19) showing:

- (1) Number of roadside picnic tables built in the province during the calendar year 1958 (a) by the Government; (b) in conjunction with the Federal Government; (c) by others.
- (2) Total cost to the Provincial Government of (a) and (b) above.

By Mrs. Batten, for a Return (No. 20) showing:

- (1) Number of Small Debt Summons issued in 1958.
- (2) Number of Small Debt Default Judgments signed.
- (3) Number of Small Debt trials heard.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Brown (Bengough), seconded by Mr. Johnson:

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

To HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE FRANK LINDSAY BASTEDO

Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

and the proposed amendment thereto, moved by Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mr. Cameron:—

That the following words be added to the Address:

“We respectfully submit that in the opinion of this Assembly, Your Honour's advisers have failed to take action to lower farmers' production costs, or to provide urgently needed financial assistance to local governments.”

The debate continuing, and the question being put on the proposed amendment, it was negatived on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

McDonald
McCarthy
Horsman
Danielson
Loftson

Coderre
Barrie
Gardiner
McFarlane

Foley
Klein
Weber
Elias

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NAYS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)
Brown (Bengough)
Bentley
McIntosh
Brockelbank
Fines
Walker
Lloyd
Nollet
Cooper (Mrs.)
Gibson

Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)
Brown (Last Mountain)
Howe
Douglas (Rosetown)
Kuziak
Williams
Erb
Heming
Johnson
Thurston
Dewhurst

Begrand
Stone
Willis (Elrose)
Kramer
Berezowsky
Neibrandt
Davies
Meakes
Wood
Thorson
Harrop

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The debate continuing on the motion for the Address, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, adjourned.

The following Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers:

By Mr. McCarthy, for a Return (No. 7) showing:

The names and addresses of all employees of the Department of Labour who work in or out of the city of Saskatoon.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 8) showing:

- (1) The names of the Deputy Ministers of each Department of Government.
- (2) Salary received by each of the above in the calendar year 1958.
- (3) Which of the above came to their positions through promotion within the Department or the Government service, and how long each had been in the Government service.
- (4) If a car is supplied for the use of each of the above, the year and model of each of the cars, and the travel and expense account for each of the above from January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958.

By Mr. Coderre, for a Return (No. 13) showing:

The amount paid out by all Departments, Branches and Crown Corporations for advertising to all advertising agencies in 1958.

By Mr. Foley, for a Return (No. 14) showing:

During 1957-58 for each Crown Corporation and for each Department of the Government:

- (1) the amount paid out to the Queen's Printer and to the Saskatchewan Government Printing Office;
- (2) the firms which accepted printing contracts, and the amounts paid to them.

Moved by Mr. Foley, on behalf of Mr. Gardiner: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 4) showing:

In regard to the building now known as Saskatchewan House and previously known as Government House:

- (a) the items sold by the Government following the closing of Government House as the home of the Lieutenant-Governors, and the total amount realized from the sale of these items;
- (b) the purposes for which the building has been used since it was closed as the home of Lieutenant-Governors;
- (c) the amount expended on Saskatchewan House since it was closed as the home of Lieutenant-Governors;

- (d) the amount expended in renovating the building for Adult Education purposes.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Willis, seconded by Mr. Gibson:

That clause (a) be deleted and the following substituted therefor;

“(a) the total amount realized from the sale of items sold by the Government following the closing of Government House as the home of the Lieutenant-Governors;”

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the Motion for Return (No. 4) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. McDonald, on behalf of Mr. Gardiner: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 12) showing:

- (1) Amount paid by the Government in each of its Departments and Crown Corporations for insurance of all types from April 1, 1945, to March 31, 1958.
- (2) Losses the Government has suffered during the same period in all cases where insurance claims were made.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

That all the words after “showing” be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

“(1) Amount paid by each Department of Government and Crown Corporation for insurance of all types from April 1, 1948, to March 31, 1958;

“(2) Amount of insurance claims received by each Department of Government and Crown Corporation during the same period.”

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the proposed Motion for Return (No. 12) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. McDonald on behalf of Mrs. Batten: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 17) showing:

- (1) Number of Justices of the Peace in Saskatchewan.
- (2) Of these the number who are (a) members of the R.C.M.P.; (b) employees of the Government of Saskatchewan or any board or department thereof; (c) employees of a Crown Corporation.
- (3) The amount paid them for services and expenses in the year 1958.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

That the word "permanent" be inserted before the word "employees" in subclauses (b) and (c) of clause (2).

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the proposed Motion for Return (No. 17) it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Willis, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Public Works for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 65)

By the Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of The Saskatchewan Government Printing Company for 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 66)

By the Hon. Mr. Nollet, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of The Milk Control Board for 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 67)

By the Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council:

Draft of Proposed Regulations pursuant to Bill No. 11—An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option.

(Sessional Paper No. 68)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

Ordered, That, pursuant to the recommendation of the Liquor Sales Outlets Inquiry Committee, the proposed Regulations under, and relating to, Bill No. 11—An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option—be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers.

The Assembly adjourned, at 9:45 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Wednesday, February 25, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Fourteen Petitions were presented, and laid on the Table, as follows:

By Mr. Thurston — Of Guaranty Trust Company.

Of Saskatchewan Co-operative Credit
Society Limited.

Of Federated Co-operatives Limited.

Of Canadian Sunday School Mission.

Of Western Turf and Driving Club.

By Mrs. Cooper — Of The City of Regina.

Of the Seventh Avenue and Pasqua Street
Church of Christ.

Of Regina Grey Nuns' Hospital.

By Mr. Stone — Of The City of Saskatoon.

Of St. Paul's Hospital (Grey Nuns)
Saskatoon.

By Mr. Neibrandt— Of Saskatchewan Hospital Association.

By Mr. Brown (Bengough)— Of Weyburn Agricultural Society.

By Mr. Coderre — Of St. Joseph's Hospital (Grey Nuns)
Gravelbourg.

By Mr. Heming — Of Moose Jaw Bible College.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Friday next:

Bill No. 66—An Act to amend The Fire Prevention Act, 1954.
(Hon. Mr. Williams)

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. Coderre, No. 51.

By Mr. McCarthy, No. 61.

The Questions (Nos. 58 and 62) on the Orders of the Day, were passed by the Assembly as Orders for Returns, under subsection (3) of Standing Order 31, and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Korchiński, for a Return (No. 21) showing:

- (1) The names of private high schools in the province of Saskatchewan where high school subjects are being taught.
- (2) The number of students in each private high school.

By Mr. Foley, for a Return (No. 22) showing:

During 1958, partly or wholly within the Turtleford Constituency, (a) the lakes on which commercial fishing took place, (b) the number of pounds of fish taken from each lake, (c) the number of pounds sold through the Saskatchewan Government Fish Marketing Service, and the price paid per pound.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Brown (Bengough), seconded by Mr. Johnson:

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE FRANK LINDSAY BASTEDO
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.

The debate continuing, at 5:00 o'clock p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(4), Mr. Speaker put the question on the motion, which was agreed to on the following recorded division:—

YEAS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)
Brown (Bengough)
Bentley

Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)
Brown (Last Mountain)
Howe

Stone
Willis (Elrose)
Kramer

McIntosh
Brockelbank
Fines
Walker
Lloyd
Nollet
Cooper (Mrs.)
Gibson

Kuziak
Williams
Erb
Heming
Johnson
Thurston
Dewhurst
Begrand

Berezowsky
Neibrandt
Davies
Meakes
Wood
Thorson
Harrop
Thiessen

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NAYS

Messieurs

McDonald
Batten (Mrs.)
McCarthy
Horsman
Cameron
Danielson

Loptson
Coderre
Barrie
Korchinski
Gardiner
McFarlane

Foley
Klein
Weber
Elias
Nicholson

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On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the said Address be engrossed and presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor by such Members of the Assembly as are of the Executive Council.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

Ordered, That this Assembly will, at the next sitting, resolve itself into a Committee to consider the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

Ordered, That this Assembly will, at the next sitting, resolve itself into a Committee to consider the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Fines: That Bill No. 62—An Act to assist Interprovincial Steel Corporation Ltd. in establishing a Steel Manufacturing Plant in Saskatchewan—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. Loptson, adjourned.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Co-operation and Co-operative Development for the year ended March 31, 1958.
(*Sessional Paper No. 69*)

By the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, a member of the Executive Council :

Annual Report of Saskatchewan Minerals for the year ended December 31, 1958.
(*Sessional Paper No. 70*)

By the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report and Financial Statement of the Municipal Employees' Superannuation Board for the year ended December 31, 1958.
(*Sessional Paper No. 71*)

By the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain), a member of the Executive Council:

First Annual Report of the Department of Travel and Information for the year ended March 31, 1958.
(*Sessional Paper No. 72*)

The Assembly adjourned at 5:25 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Thursday, February 26, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

According to Order, the Clerk having favourably reported on the same pursuant to Standing Order 55(7), the following Petitions were Read and Received:—

Of Guaranty Trust Company, praying for an Act respecting the said Company and The Western Trust Company.

Of Saskatchewan Co-operative Credit Society Limited, praying for an Act to amend and consolidate its Act of Incorporation.

Of Federated Co-operatives Limited, praying for an Act to amend Chapter 92 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1955.

Of the Corporation of The City of Regina and McCallum Hill and Company, Limited, praying for an Act to confirm and validate an Agreement between the said Corporation and Company, dated December 31, 1958.

Of The City of Saskatoon, praying for an Act to validate and confirm Bylaw No. 3736 of the said City.

Of Canadian Sunday School Mission, praying for an Act to provide for exemption from taxation of certain property of the said Mission.

Of H. Dean Dempsey, of Regina, and two others, praying for an Act to incorporate Western Turf and Driving Club Limited.

Of Charles E. Barton, of Regina, and two others, praying for an Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Hospital Association.

Of Murray McFadden and six others, praying for an Act to incorporate Weyburn Agricultural Society.

Of Edgar D. Ashby and four others, praying for an Act to incorporate the Seventh Avenue and Pasqua Street Church of Christ, of Regina.

Of Reverend Sister Marie Jeanne Tougas and three others, praying for an Act to incorporate Regina Grey Nuns' Hospital.

Of Reverend Sister Yvone Prevost and three others, praying for an Act to incorporate St. Paul's Hospital (Grey Nuns) Saskatoon.

Of Reverend Sister Irene Drouin and three others, praying for an Act to incorporate St. Joseph's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Gravelbourg.

Of the Board of Trustees of the Moose Jaw Bible College, praying for an Act to incorporate the said College, and to provide partial exemption from taxation of certain properties of the College.

The Question (No. 65) on the Orders of the Day, was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order 31, and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 24) showing:

- (1) The position held by C. H. Fisher with the Government, and the length of time he has held such position.
- (2) His remuneration and expense account each year since his appointment.

The Order of the Day being called for the following Question (No. 66), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Question stand as a Notice of Motion for a Return:—

By Mr. Loptson:

- (1) Miles of road built since 1945 to date in the forest and mineral area of Saskatchewan.
- (2) The location of these roads.
- (3) The total cost.
- (4) The finished top width.
- (5) The number of miles gravelled.
- (6) The number of miles being used during 12 months of the year.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, by leave of the Assembly withdrawn:—

By Mr. Coderre, Nos. 71, 72 and 73.

The following Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer:

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 18) showing:

- (1) The total amount of money paid to Phil South from 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (2) The amount paid to Phil South in each of the years 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (3) The total amount of money which has been paid to South Construction from 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (4) The amount paid to South Construction in each of the years 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (5) The total amount of money paid to South Brothers from 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (6) The amount paid to South Brothers in each of the years 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (7) The gravel contracts let in the three years when the weight clause was deleted and rates for hauling clause was deleted.
- (8) The amount paid to each of these contractors in each year.
- (9) The rate at which hired trucks were paid for hauling this material.

Moved by Mr. Dewhurst, seconded by Mr. Thurston:

That this Assembly, recognizing the inadequacy of present national agricultural policies, requests the Government of Saskatchewan to again urge the Government of Canada to convene a conference of federal and provincial governments and farm organizations to discuss and initiate comprehensive and effective national policies that will insure stability in agriculture and a fair share of the national income to the Canadian farm population.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to unanimously.

According to Order, the following Bill was read the second time, and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers:

Bill No. 59—An Act to amend The Chiropractic Act.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Bill No. 9—An Act to amend The Education and Hospitalization Tax Act—be now read the second time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded division, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

YEAS

Messieurs

Brown (Bengough)	Howe	Neibrandt	
Bentley	Douglas (Rosetown)	Davies	
McIntosh	Kuziak	Meakes	
Brockelbank	Erb	Wood	
Fines	Johnson	Thorson	
Walker	Thurston	Thiessen	
Cooper (Mrs.)	Dewhurst	Weber	
Gibson	Stone	Nicholson	
Brown (Last Mountain)	Kramer		—26

NAYS

Messieurs

McDonald	Coderre	McFarlane	
McCarthy	Barrie	Foley	
Horsman	Gardiner		—8

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

- Bill No. 47—An Act to amend The Union Hospital Act.
- Bill No. 48—An Act to amend The Marriage Act.
- Bill No. 49—An Act to amend The Hospital Standards Act.
- Bill No. 51—An Act to amend The Power Corporation Superannuation Act.
- Bill No. 52—An Act to repeal Certain Acts respecting the Town of Carlyle and Carlyle Lake Resort.
- Bill No. 53—An Act to repeal The Municipal Telephone Act.
- Bill No. 55—An Act to amend The Highways and Transportation Act.
- Bill No. 56—An Act to amend The Prairie and Forest Fires Act, 1958.

Bill No. 57—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Insurance Act.

Bill No. 58—An Act to amend The Infants Act.

Bill No. 60—An Act respecting the Department of Mineral Resources.

Bill No. 61—An Act respecting Mineral Resources.

Bill No. 63—An Act respecting Crown Timber and Conservation and Preservation of Forest Lands.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Industrial Development Fund for period April 1 to December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 73)

By the Hon. Mr. Erb, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Saskatchewan Hospital Services Plan for the year 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 74)

By the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Department of Education for the year 1957-58.

(Sessional Paper No. 75)

Sixth Annual Report of the Saskatchewan Provincial Library for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 76)

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 4) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

In regard to the building now known as Saskatchewan House and previously known as Government House:

- (a) the total amount realized from the sale of items sold by the Government following the closing of Government House as the home of the Lieutenant-Governors;
- (b) the purposes for which the building has been used since it was closed as the home of Lieutenant-Governors;
- (c) the amount expended on Saskatchewan House since it was closed as the home of Lieutenant-Governors;
- (d) the amount expended in renovating the building for Adult Education purposes.

(Sessional Paper No. 77)

Return (No. 14) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

During 1957-58 for each Crown Corporation and for each Department of the Government:

- (1) the amount paid out to the Queen's Printer and to the Saskatchewan Government Printing Office;
- (2) the firms which accepted printing contracts and the amounts paid to them.

(Sessional Paper No. 78)

The Answer to Question No. 70, asked by Mr. Foley, and tabled by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown), was converted into a Return (No. 23) showing:

Number of Traffic Counts, taken in 1957-58, on certain Highways in Turtleford Constituency.

(Sessional Paper No. 79)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3).

Regina, Friday, February 27, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

The Hon. Mr. Fines, delivered a message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which was read by Mr. Speaker, as follows:

FRANK L. BASTEDO,

Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the twelve months ending March 31, 1960, and supplementary Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending March 31, 1959, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

REGINA, February 27, 1959.

(Sessional Paper No. 80)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

Ordered, That His Honour's Message, the Estimates and Supplementary Estimates be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Orders of the Day being called for the following Questions (Nos. 78 and 79), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Questions stand as Notices of Motion for Returns:—

By Mr. Loptson:

- (1) The number of oil and gas wells drilled by the Co-ops under the share-of-production agreement.
- (2) The number of wells abandoned.
- (3) The number in production.
- (4) The number paying share of production.
- (5) Amount received from these wells (a) in royalties, (b) in share of production.
- (6) The number of well sites under share-of-production agreement with the Co-operative.

By Mr. Gardiner:

- (1) The total number of licences required to operate a garage that has an agency for selling machinery and cars, hires mechanics and provides complete service.
- (2) The licence fees for each licence.
- (3) Which of the above licences were charged in 1945, and which licences have been begun since 1945.

The Question (No. 80) on the Orders of the Day, was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order 31, and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 28) showing:

- (1) Whether or not Claude Ellis has been in the employ of the Government from January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958.
- (2) If so, the length of time employed and salary received.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. Gardiner, No. 81.

The Order of the Day being called for the Assembly to resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, the Hon. Mr. Fines moved:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. Cameron, adjourned.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Bill No. 62—An Act to assist Interprovincial Steel Corporation Ltd. in establishing a Steel Manufacturing Plant in Saskatchewan—be now read the second time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to unanimously, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Walker:

That Bill No. 18—An Act to amend The Fair Employment Practices Act, 1956—be now read the second time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 34—An Act to amend The District Court Act.

Bill No. 36—An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act.

Bill No. 37—An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act.

Bill No. 38—An Act respecting the Artificial Insemination of Domestic Animals.

Bill No. 39—An Act to amend The Stray Animals Act.

Bill No. 40—An Act to amend The Grain Charges Limitation Act.

Bill No. 41—An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act.

Bill No. 42—An Act to amend The Pure Bred Sire Areas Act.

Bill No. 64—An Act to amend The Devolution of Real Property Act.

Bill No. 65—An Act to amend The Local Government Board Act.

Bill No. 45—An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Board Superannuation Act, 1958.

Bill No. 46—An Act to amend The Teachers' Federation Act.

Bill No. 50—An Act for the Prevention and Suppression of Disease among Bees.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Fines, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the Government Finance Office for the period April 1, 1958, to December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 81)

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 16) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 23, 1959, on motion of Mr. Elias, showing:

- (1) Number of traffic counts taken during each of the years 1956, 1957 and 1958, on, (a) No. 11 Highway between the junction of No. 11 and No. 5 and the junction of No. 11 and No. 2; (b) Grid roads in the (1) Laird Municipality, (2) Rosthern Municipality.
- (2) The dates on which these counts were taken.
- (3) The total traffic count for each date.

(Sessional Paper No. 82)

Return (No. 7) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. McCarthy, showing:

The names and addresses of all employees of the Department of Labour who work in or out of the city of Saskatoon.

(Sessional Paper No. 83)

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until Monday, at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Monday, March 2, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

The following Petition was presented:—

By the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn)—Of Radio Station CJGX, Yorkton, and some 5,000 Others.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Wednesday next:

Bill No 67—An Act respecting Hours of Work.
(Hon. Mr. Williams)

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Barrie, Nos. 87 and 88.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (The Assembly to go into the Committee of Supply).

The debate continuing, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Walker, adjourned.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

That, in view of the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Municipal Law adopted by this Assembly on April 4, 1957, viz:—

- “1. That the whole Province of Saskatchewan be placed in the same time zone, and that Mountain Standard Time obtain during the winter months and Central Standard Time during the summer months.
2. That the necessary legislation to give effect to the said recommendation be prepared with all convenient speed for presentation to the Assembly at the earliest date possible.”

and recognizing that The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1958, was enacted on a trial basis,

The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1958, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Municipal Law for review, with instructions that the said Committee shall have power to pursue its study of the question of time in such manner as it deems fit, and to report at this Session its observations thereon;

and, further, that, for purposes of the said study, the Committee be augmented by the addition of the following Members: *Messieurs* Horsman, Kramer, Kuziak, Walker, and Mrs. Batten.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 66—An Act to amend The Fire Prevention Act, 1954.

Bill No. 44—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Government Telephones Superannuation Act, 1955.

Bill No. 43—An Act to amend The Minimum Wage Act.

Bill No. 6—An Act to amend The Liquor Act.

Bill No. 8—An Act to amend The Liquor Board Superannuation Act.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Fines: That Bill No. 11—An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

Moved by Mr. Lopton: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No 25) showing:

- (1) Miles of road built since 1945 to date in the forest and mineral area of Saskatchewan.
- (2) The location of these roads.
- (3) The total cost.
- (4) The finished top width.
- (5) The number of miles gravelled.

(6) The number of miles being used during 12 months of the year.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown), adjourned.

The following Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers:

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 26) showing:

The amount owing to the Government by purchasers and lessees of Crown lands for agricultural purposes at December 31, 1958.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 27) showing:

In how many instances 33-year agricultural leases have been cancelled for (a) veterans, (b) others, during 1957-58.

Moved by Mr. Loptson: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 29) showing:—

- (1) The number of oil and gas wells drilled by the Co-ops under the share-of-production agreement.
- (2) The number of wells abandoned.
- (3) The number in production.
- (4) The number paying share of production.
- (5) Amount received from these wells (a) in royalties, (b) in share of production.
- (6) The number of well sites under share-of-production agreement with the Co-operative.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, seconded by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:—That all the words after the word “showing” be deleted, and the following substituted therefor;

1. The number of oil and gas wells which have been drilled by Consumers' Co-op. Refineries Limited, under farm-out agreements and net royalty leases.

2. The number of these wells that have been abandoned.

3. The number of these wells that are in production.

4. The number of these wells from which a share of gross production is being collected.

5. The amount of money received from the Co-ops in (a) gross royalties provided for in the regulations or the agreements, and (b) net royalty or share of surplus.

6. The number of drainage units held by the Co-ops under these agreements and leases.

7. The total acreage of land held by the Co-ops under these agreements.

8. The amount of cash bonus paid for land under these agreements.

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the Motion for Return (No. 29) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Gardiner: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 30) showing:

- (1) The total number of licences required to operate a garage that has an agency for selling machinery and cars, hires mechanics and provides complete service.
- (2) The licence fees for each licence.
- (3) Which of the above licences were charged in 1945, and which licences have been begun since 1945.

A debate arising, by leave of the Assembly, the said Motion for Return (No. 30) was withdrawn.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 62—An Act to assist Interprovincial Steel Corporation Ltd. in establishing a Steel Manufacturing Plant in Saskatchewan.

Bill No. 3—An Act to amend The Co-operative Associations Act.

Bill No. 4—An Act to amend The Credit Union Act, 1956.

Bill No. 13—An Act to amend The Public Service Superannuation Act.

Bill No. 15—An Act to amend The Trustee Act.

Bill No. 16—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Evidence Act.

(In the Committee)

During consideration in the Committee of Bill No. 14—An Act to amend The Moratorium Act, the Chairman ruled a question asked by Mr. Danielson out of order. Mr. Danielson appealed the said ruling.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

Thereupon, Mr. Brown (Bengough) reported as follows:

“On the reading of the Title and enacting clause of Bill No. 14—An Act to amend The Moratorium Act,—Mr. Danielson asked a question of the Hon. Mr. Walker, which I ruled out of order on the ground that the question should more properly have been asked during discussion of the principle of the Bill on second reading than during its consideration in Committee of the Whole. Mr. Danielson has appealed my ruling.”

Thereupon Mr. Speaker put the question: “Shall the ruling of the Chairman be confirmed?”—which was agreed to on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Brown (Last Mountain)	Kramer
Bentley	Douglas (Rosetown)	Berezowsky
McIntosh	Kuziak	Neibrandt
Brockelbank	Williams	Davies
Fines	Johnson	Meakes
Walker	Thurston	Wood
Lloyd	Dewhurst	Thorson
Nollet	Begrand	Harrop
Cooper (Mrs.)	Stone	Thiessen
Gibson	Willis (Elrose)	

NAYS

Messieurs

McDonald	Coderre	Weber	
McCarthy	Barrie	Elias	
Danielson	Gardiner	Nicholson	
Loptson	Klein		—11

Mr. Speaker having left the Chair, the Assembly again resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on Bill No. 14—An Act to amend The Moratorium Act—which was reported without amendment.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

That Bill No. 14—An Act to amend The Moratorium Act—be now read the third time.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by Mr. Loptson, seconded by Mr. Danielson:

That the word “now” be deleted, and the words “this day six months” added at the end of the motion.

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was negatived on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

McDonald	Coderre	Weber	
McCarthy	Barrie	Elias	
Danielson	Gardiner	Nicholson	
Loptson	Klein		—11

NAYS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Gibson	Willis (Elrose)	
Brown (Bengough)	Brown (Last Mountain)	Kramer	
Bentley	Douglas (Rosetown)	Berezowsky	
McIntosh	Kuziak	Neibrandt	
Brockelbank	Williams	Davies	
Fines	Johnson	Meakes	
Walker	Thurston	Wood	
Lloyd	Dewhurst	Thorson	
Nollet	Begrاند	Harrop	
Cooper (Mrs.)	Stone	Thiessen	—30

The debate continuing on the motion, it was, on motion of Mr. Nicholson, adjourned.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), a member of the Executive Council:

Local Government Continuing Committee — Progress Report, March 1959.

(Sessional Paper No. 84)

By the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, a member of the Executive Council:

First Annual Report of the Center for Community Studies, 1957-1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 85)

Annual Report of the Teachers' Superannuation Commission for the year ended June 30, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 86)

Annual Report of The Saskatchewan Arts Board for the year 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 87)

By the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain), a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report and Financial Statements of The Power Corporation Superannuation Board for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 88)

Copy of an Agreement, dated February 14, 1958, between Saskatchewan Power Corporation and Many Islands Pipe Lines Limited.

(Sessional Paper No. 89)

Return (No. 11) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 20, 1959, on motion of Mr. Danielson, showing:

- (1) Since July 11, 1944 to date, the total of Saskatchewan Government Bonds and/or debentures, etc., sold in the United States by the Saskatchewan Government.
- (2) Amount of the said bonds and debentures outstanding as at December 31, 1958.
- (3) Amount of interest paid on the said bonds and debentures from 1944 to December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 90)

Return (No. 19) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

- (1) Number of roadside picnic tables built in the province during the calendar year 1958 (a) by the Government; (b) in conjunction with the Federal Government; (c) by others.
- (2) Total cost to the Provincial Government of (a) and (b) above.
(Sessional Paper No. 91)

Return (No. 22) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 25, 1959, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

During 1958, partly or wholly within the Turtleford Constituency, (a) the lakes on which commercial fishing took place, (b) the number of pounds of fish taken from each lake, (c) the number of pounds sold through the Saskatchewan Government Fish Marketing Service, and the price paid per pound.
(Sessional Paper No. 92)

By the Hon. Mr. Walker—Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 16—
Amendment to Bylaws:

Of the College of Dental Surgeons of Saskatchewan.

At 10:10 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Tuesday, March 3, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

According to Order, the Clerk having favourably reported on the same pursuant to Standing Order 55 (7), the following Petition was Read and Received:—

Of Radio Station CJGX, Yorkton, and some 5,000 duly qualified electors in the eastern portion of the province, praying for "the necessary amendment to existing legislation so as to permit any Municipality which, prior to the changes brought about by the provisions of The Statute Law Amendment Act, being Chapter 99 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1958, used Central Standard Time, to revert back to, and use, Central Standard Time . . . and restoring to all Municipalities the right to adopt the time to be used in such Municipalities."

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the said Petition be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Municipal Law as augmented by Resolution of the Assembly dated March 2, 1959.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. McFarlane, No. 92.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. McCarthy, No. 100,

By Mr. Coderre, No. 102.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (The Assembly to go into the Committee of Supply).

The debate continuing, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Willis, adjourned.

Moved by Mr. Meakes, seconded by Mr. Brown (Bengough):

That this Assembly, recognizing the serious economic plight of Western agriculture and resulting adverse effects on the entire provincial economy, requests that the Federal Government give favourable consideration to the petition being submitted by Western farmers to the Federal Government for deficiency payments on grain deliveries for the 1955-56, 1956-57 and 1957-58 crop years.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to unanimously.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Loptson:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 25) showing:

- (1) Miles of road built since 1945 to date in the forest and mineral area of Saskatchewan.
- (2) The location of these roads.
- (3) The total cost.
- (4) The finished top width.
- (5) The number of miles gravelled.
- (6) The number of miles being used during 12 months of the year.

The debate continuing, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):—That all the words after the word “showing” be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

- (1) Miles of road built or rebuilt by the Department of Natural Resources since 1945, in the following classifications: (a) surface-treated gravel; (b) gravel surface; (c) improved earth surface; (d) other earth roads.
- (2) The location of roads listed under classifications (a), (b), and (c).
- (3) The total cost to date.
- (4) The finished top width.
- (5) The number of miles being used during twelve months of the year.

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the Motion for Return (No. 25) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the Order of the Assembly dated February 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 12) showing:

“(1) Amount paid by each Department of Government and Crown Corporation for insurance of all types from April 1, 1948, to March 31, 1958;”

“(2) Amount of insurance claims received by each Department of Government and Crown Corporation during the same period,”

be rescinded, and the Order withdrawn.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 17—An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.

Bill No. 19—An Act to amend The Limitation of Actions Act.

Bill No. 21—An Act to amend The Landlord and Tenant Act.

Bill No. 7—An Act to amend The Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Act, 1954.

Bill No. 10—An Act to amend The Travelling Shows Act.

Bill No. 22—An Act to amend The Municipal Hail Insurance Act.

Bill No. 23—An Act to amend The Interpretation Act.

Bill No. 24—An Act respecting the Enforcement of Small Claims.

Bill No. 25—An Act to amend The Provincial Magistrates Act.

Bill No. 54—An Act to amend The Automobile Accident Insurance Act.

Bill No. 28—An Act to amend The Farm Security Act.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 2) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 17, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

- (1) In regard to the holding of the Larger Unit Vote in the South Melville Superintendency on October 29, 1958:
 - (a) the tabulated official vote poll by poll;
 - (b) the itemized statement of expenses involved in the taking of the vote including the names of those parties in receipt of moneys from the Department of Education and the services they rendered;
 - (c) the names of all employees of the Department of Education who were present in the area during the two-month period immediately preceding the holding of the vote and the number of days they were in the area.

(Sessional Paper No. 93)

Return (No. 5) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 18, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

The position held by Mr. L. H. Lewry with any Department of the Government or its Crown Corporations during 1958, and

- (a) the remuneration he received from the Government during 1958,
- (b) his qualifications.

(Sessional Paper No. 94)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Wednesday, March 4, 1959*2:30 o'clock p.m.***PRAYERS:**

Mr. Howe, from the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the First Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:

Your Committee met for organization, and appointed Mr. Howe as its Chairman.

Your Committee has duly examined the undermentioned Petitions for Private Bills, and finds that the provisions of Standing Orders 78, 79 and 82 have been fully complied with in each case:

Of Guaranty Trust Company, praying for an Act respecting the said Company and The Western Trust Company.

Of Saskatchewan Co-operative Credit Society Limited, praying for an Act to amend and consolidate its Act of Incorporation.

Of Federated Co-operatives Limited, praying for an Act to amend Chapter 92 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1955.

Of the Corporation of The City of Regina and McCallum Hill and Company, Limited, praying for an Act to confirm and validate an Agreement between the said Corporation and Company, dated December 31, 1958.

Of The City of Saskatoon, praying for an Act to validate and confirm Bylaw No. 3736 of the said City.

Of Canadian Sunday School Mission, praying for an Act to provide for exemption from taxation of certain property of the said Mission.

Of H. Dean Dempsey, of Regina, and two others, praying for an Act to incorporate Western Turf and Driving Club Limited.

Of Charles E. Barton, of Regina, and two others, praying for an Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Hospital Association.

Of Murray McFadden and six others, praying for an Act to incorporate Weyburn Agricultural Society.

Of Edgar D. Ashby and four others, praying for an Act to incorporate the Seventh Avenue and Pasqua Street Church of Christ, of Regina.

Of Reverend Sister Marie Jeanne Tougas and three others, praying for an Act to incorporate Regina Grey Nuns' Hospital.

Of Reverend Sister Yvonne Prevost and three others, praying for an Act to incorporate St. Paul's Hospital (Grey Nuns) Saskatoon.

Of Reverend Sister Irene Drouin and three others, praying for an Act to incorporate St. Joseph's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Gravelbourg.

Of the Board of Trustees of the Moose Jaw Bible College, praying for an Act to incorporate the said College, and to provide partial exemption from taxation of certain properties of the College.

The Clerk laid upon the Table the following Bills:—

Bill No. 01—An Act respecting Guaranty Trust Company of Canada and The Western Trust Company. (*Mr. Thurston*)

Bill No. 02—An Act to amend and consolidate An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Co-operative Credit Society Limited. (*Mr. Thurston*)

Bill No. 03—An Act to amend Chapter 92 of the Statutes of 1955. (*Mr. Thurston*)

Bill No. 04—An Act to confirm a Certain Agreement between The City of Regina and McCallum Hill & Co. Limited. (*Mrs. Cooper*)

Bill No. 05—An Act to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon. (*Mr. Stone*)

Bill No. 06—An Act to provide for Exemption from Taxation of Certain Property of the Canadian Sunday School Mission. (*Mr. Thurston*)

Bill No. 07—An Act to incorporate Western Turf and Driving Club Limited. (*Mr. Thurston*)

Bill No. 08—An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Hospital Association. (*Mr. Neibrandt*)

Bill No. 09—An Act to incorporate Weyburn Agricultural Society. (*Mr. Brown (Bengough)*)

Bill No. 010—An Act to incorporate The Seventh Ave. and Pasqua St. Church of Christ. (*Mrs. Cooper*)

Bill No. 011—An Act to incorporate Regina Grey Nuns' Hospital. (*Mrs. Cooper*)

Bill No. 012—An Act to incorporate St. Paul's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Saskatoon. (*Mr. Stone*)

Bill No. 013—An Act to incorporate St. Joseph's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Gravelbourg. (*Mr. Coderre*)

Bill No. 014—An Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Bible College. (*Mr. Heming*)

The said Bills were read the first time, and ordered for second reading on Friday next, pursuant to Standing Order 86.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Lloyd have leave to introduce Bill No. 69—An Act to amend The School Grants Act.

The Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council, on behalf of the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, then acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The said Bill was accordingly received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Friday next.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Friday next:

Bill No. 68—An Act respecting Crown Oil within, upon or under Road Allowances. (*Hon. Mr. Brockelbank*)

Bill No. 70—An Act to amend The Student Aid Fund Act. (*Hon. Mr. Lloyd*)

Bill No. 71—An Act to amend The Western Development Museum Act. (*Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain)*)

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (The Assembly to go into the Committee of Supply).

The debate continuing, it was, on motion of Mr. Korchinski, adjourned.

The Assembly adjourned, at 5:10 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Thursday, March 5, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next:

Bill No. 72—An Act to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Co-operative Superannuation Society.
(Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn))

Bill No. 73—An Act respecting the Drilling of Water Wells and the Conservation and Utilization of Ground Water.
(Hon. Mr. Nollet)

The Order of the Day being called for the following Question (No. 110), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Question stand as a Notice of Motion for a Return:—

By Mr. Loftson:

The amount of money the Government of Saskatchewan received from the Saskatchewan Cement Company Limited, located at Regina, since it has been operating, for royalties, or other taxes other than bond or debenture charges.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (The Assembly to go into the Committee of Supply).

The debate continuing, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown), adjourned.

Moved by Mr. Gardiner: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return No. (31) showing:

- (1) All types of permits, fees and licences issued by all Departments and Boards of the Government in 1944, and the fee charged for each.
- (2) All types of permits, fees and licences issued by all Departments and Boards of the Government in 1958, and the fee charged for each.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. McDonald, adjourned.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bill, which was reported without amendment, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 36—An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act.

5:25 o'clock p.m.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having entered the Chamber, took his seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour:—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly to date in the present Session has passed several Bills, which, in the name of the Assembly, I present to Your Honour, and to which Bills I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed severally as follows:—

No.

- 3 An Act to amend The Co-operative Associations Act.
- 4 An Act to amend The Credit Union Act, 1956.
- 7 An Act to amend The Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Act, 1954.
- 10 An Act to amend The Travelling Shows Act.
- 13 An Act to amend The Public Service Superannuation Act.
- 15 An Act to amend The Trustee Act.
- 16 An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Evidence Act.
- 17 An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.
- 19 An Act to amend The Limitation of Actions Act.
- 21 An Act to amend The Landlord and Tenant Act.
- 22 An Act to amend The Municipal Hail Insurance Act.
- 23 An Act to amend The Interpretation Act.
- 24 An Act respecting the Enforcement of Small Claims.
- 25 An Act to amend The Provincial Magistrates Act.

No.

- 28 An Act to amend The Farm Security Act.
54 An Act to amend The Automobile Accident Insurance Act.
62 An Act to assist Interprovincial Steel Corporation Ltd. in establishing a Steel Manufacturing Plant in Saskatchewan.

The Royal Assent to these Bills was announced by the Clerk:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these Bills."

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor then retired from the Chamber.

7:30 o'clock p.m.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed:

- Bill No. 37—An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act.
Bill No. 39—An Act to amend The Stray Animals Act.
Bill No. 40—An Act to amend The Grain Charges Limitation Act.
Bill No. 41—An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act.
Bill No. 42—An Act to amend The Pure Bred Sire Areas Act.
Bill No. 64—An Act to amend The Devolution of Real Property Act.
Bill No. 45—An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Board Superannuation Act, 1958.
Bill No. 27—An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1954.
Bill No. 29—An Act to amend The Administration of Estates of the Mentally Incompetent Act.

Bill No. 30—An Act to amend The Companies Act.

Bill No. 31—An Act to amend The Land Contracts (Actions) Act.

Bill No. 32—An Act to amend The Limitation of Civil Rights Act.

Bill No. 33—An Act to amend The Surrogate Court Act.

Bill No. 47—An Act to amend The Union Hospital Act.

Bill No. 48—An Act to amend The Marriage Act.

Bill No. 49—An Act to amend The Hospital Standards Act.

Bill No. 57—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Insurance Act.

Bill No. 58—An Act to amend The Infants Act.

Bill No. 60—An Act respecting the Department of Mineral Resources, 1959.

On the following Bill progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 5—An Act to amend The Vehicles Act, 1957.

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3).

Regina, Friday, March 6, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Tuesday next:

Bill No. 74—An Act to amend The Cemeteries Act, 1955.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Coderre, Nos. 121 and 122,

By Mr. Klein, No. 123.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (The Assembly to go into the Committee of Supply).

The debate continuing, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain), adjourned.

The following Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers:

By Mr. Gardiner, for Return (No. 32) showing:

- (1) Total amount of insurance premiums received by the Saskatchewan Government Insurance Office and the Saskatchewan Guarantee and Fidelity Company Limited, from each Department of Government and from each Crown Corporation for each calendar year starting from January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1958, showing fire, automobile, casualty and miscellaneous insurance separately, but excluding premiums under The Automobile Accident Insurance Act.
- (2) Total amount of losses incurred under the insurance as set out in No. (1).

By Mr. Gardiner, for Return (No. 33) showing:

For the month of December, 1958: (a) the number of Old Age Security Pensioners, and (b) the number of Blind Persons, receiving Supplementary Allowances at each rate of monthly supplementary allowance.

By Mr. Barrie, for Return (No. 34) showing:

Names and addresses of farmer permittees, and quantity of spruce lumber received by each of said permittees, from the 126 permits issued in 1958, for spruce timber from the Porcupine Forest Reserve.

Moved by Mr. Loptson:— That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 35) showing:

The amount of money the Government of Saskatchewan received from the Saskatchewan Cement Company Limited, located at Regina, since it has been operating, for royalties, or other taxes other than bond or debenture charges.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

(1) That the letter “(a)” be inserted before the words “for royalties”;

(2) That all the words after the word “royalties” be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

“(b) for guarantee fees.”

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment, it was, on motion of Mr. McFarlane, adjourned.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 1) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 17, 1959, on motion of Mr. McFarlane, showing:

(1) The total number of pounds of (a) butter, (b) margarine, purchased by the Provincial Government for each of its institutions during the fiscal years 1956-57 and 1957-58.

- (2) The total cost of (a) butter, (b) margarine, purchased by the Provincial Government for each of its institutions during the fiscal year 1956-57 and 1957-58.

(Sessional Paper No. 95)

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, until Monday at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Monday, March 9, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by Mr. McDonald, and agreed to unanimously by standing vote:

Resolved, That this Assembly, deeply shocked at the sudden and untimely death, Sunday, of Mr. Henry Begrand, respected Member for the Constituency of Kinistino since 1952, records its profound regret at the loss of a valued friend and popular colleague, and extends to his Widow its warmest sympathies, and to members of his family its sincerest condolences, praying that Merciful Providence will solace and comfort them in their great bereavement;

and further, That Mr. Speaker transmit to Mrs. Begrand this Resolution on behalf of this Assembly, the Members of which will sorely miss his participation in their deliberations and his amiable presence in their midst.

The Questions (Nos. 125, 126 and 127) on the Orders of the Day, were passed by the Assembly as Orders for Returns, under subsection (3) of Standing Order 31, and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 43) showing:

- (1) The average daily attendance in the Saskatchewan Boys' School for each month of the fiscal year 1957-58.
- (2) Number of persons on the staff for each month of the fiscal year 1957-58.
- (3) The total cost of operating the school during the year 1957-58.

By Mr. Korchinski, for a Return (No. 44) showing:

The total costs to date, including costs of reports, of the Royal Commission on Agriculture and Rural Life.

By Mr. Coderre, for a Return (No. 45) showing:

- (1) To the end of the fiscal year 1957-58, the total cost of (a) construction, (b) furnishing and equipping, (c) landscaping, driveways, grounds, etc., of the Natural History Museum.
- (2) In 1957-58, the total costs of operating the museum.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Gardiner, Nos. 128 and 129.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (The Assembly to go into the Committee of Supply).

The debate continuing, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Bentley, adjourned.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, seconded by Mr. Dewhurst:

That this Assembly requests the Government of Saskatchewan to urge the Government of Canada to have the Canadian Wheat Board take immediate action to provide—

(a) a special advance wheat marketing quota of three bushels per acre in addition to the quota now in effect, for all delivery points in Saskatchewan where any appreciable quantities of tough or damp wheat is stored on farms, such quota to be available to all having tough or damp wheat to market, and

(b) a sufficient supply of box cars to the above delivery points so that this off-condition wheat may be rapidly, and without serious loss, moved off the farms to the terminal elevators.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to unanimously.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Erb, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report on Saskatchewan Vital Statistics for the calendar year 1957.

(Sessional Paper No. 96)

Report of the Centralized Teaching Program for Student Nurses in Saskatchewan and Financial Statements, for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 97)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Tuesday, March 10, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by Mr. McDonald:

Ordered, That, when the Assembly adjourns today, it do stand adjourned until Thursday next at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:

By Mr. McFarlane, No. 131.

The Question (No. 130) on the Orders of the Day, was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Klein, for a Return (No. 46) showing:

- (1) Number of Veteran Co-operative farms established since 1944, and their names.
- (2) The number of such farms which have been dissolved.
- (3) The losses on dissolution of the said co-operative farms.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (The Assembly to go into the Committee of Supply).

The debate continuing, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. McIntosh, adjourned.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Williams, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of Saskatchewan Government Telephones for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 98)

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 15) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 23, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

The total cost of the Liquor Sales Outlets Inquiry Committee.
(Sessional Paper No. 99)

The Assembly adjourned, at 5:25 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until Thursday at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Thursday, March 12, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Stone, from the Select Committee on Municipal Law (Time), presented the Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee met for organization and appointed Mr. Stone as its Chairman, and Mr. Thorson as its Vice-Chairman.

Your Committee had before it for consideration:

1. The Resolution of the Assembly dated March 2, 1959, as follows:—

That, in view of the recommendation of the Select Standing Committee on Municipal Law adopted by this Assembly on April 4, 1957, viz:—

- "1. That the whole Province of Saskatchewan be placed in the same time zone, and that Mountain Standard Time obtain during the winter months and Central Standard Time during the summer months.
2. That the necessary legislation to give effect to the said recommendation be prepared with all convenient speed for presentation to the Assembly at the earliest date possible,"

and recognizing that The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1958, was enacted on a trial basis,

The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1958, be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Municipal Law for review, with instructions that the said Committee shall have power to pursue its study of the question of time in such manner as it deems fit, and to report at this Session its observations thereon;

and, further, that, for purposes of the said study, the Committee be augmented by the addition of the following Members: Messieurs Horsman, Kramer, Kuziak, Walker, and Mrs. Batten.

2. The Petition, referred to the Committee on March 3, 1959—

"Of Radio Station CJGX Yorkton, and some 5,000 duly qualified electors in the eastern portion of the province, praying for 'the necessary amendment to existing legislation so as to permit any Municipality which, prior to the changes brought about by the provisions of The Statute Law Amendment Act, being Chapter 99 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1958, used Central Standard Time, to revert back to, and use, Central Standard Time . . . and restoring to all Municipalities the right to adopt the time to be used in such Municipalities.'"

3. A telegram from the Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities, addressed to the Hon. T. C. Douglas, Premier, reading:—

“The Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities in convention assembled wishes to convey to you the results of a Resolution passed today with the request that action be taken along the lines suggested by the Resolution:

‘Whereas 1958 Legislation making Mountain Standard Time in the winter months and Central Standard Time in summer months compulsory for the whole province of Saskatchewan has not solved the unsatisfactory time situation existing in this province and in fact has had the effect of creating greater dissatisfaction than previously existed. Now, therefore, be it resolved that this convention request the Provincial Government to rescind 1958 time legislation and revert to the standard time zones previously in existence in the province, and that the use of Daylight Saving Time in the summer months be prohibited. Carried by a very large majority. One dissenting vote.’

(Signed) Roy E. Davis, Secretary.”

4. A Resolution of the Beverley Community Club, protesting the change from Mountain Standard Time to Central Standard Time during the summer months, and stating certain reasons therefor.

Having considered the references, the Committee recommends to the Assembly:

- (1) That The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1958, be repealed.
- (2) That all legislation relating to Time existing prior to the date of the coming into force of the said The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1958, be reinstated.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of Mr. Stone, seconded by Mr. Thorson:

Ordered, That the Report of the Select Committee on Municipal Law (Time) be now concurred in.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, and the Minister in each case having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next:

Bill No. 75—An Act to provide Assistance to Farmers in the Establishment and Development of Family Farms as Economic Farm Units. (*Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn)*)

Bill No. 76—An Act to provide for the Granting of Aid to Certain Persons under Certain Conditions.

(Hon. Mr. Bentley)

The Order of the Day being called for the following Question (No. 134), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Question stand as a Notice of Motion for a Return:—

By Mr. Korchinski:

For each of the following lakes in Saskatchewan—Redberry, Murray, Jackfish, Meeting, Iroquois, Mistawasis: (1) the length of the shoreline, (2) the surface area, (3) the average depth, (4) the fish found in each.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Coderre, No. 136.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair (The Assembly to go into the Committee of Supply).

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded division:—

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Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Sturdy	Dewhurst
Brown (Bengough)	Brown (Last Mountain)	Stone
Bentley	Howe	Willis (Elrose)
McIntosh	Douglas (Rosetown)	Kramer
Brockelbank	Kuziak	Neibrandt
Fines	Williams	Davies
Walker	Erb	Meakes
Nollet	Heming	Wood
Cooper (Mrs.)	Johnson	Thorson
Gibson	Thurston	Thiessen
Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)		

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Messieurs

McDonald	Coderre	Foley
Batten (Mrs.)	Barrie	Klein
McCarthy	Korchinski	Weber
Horsman	Gardiner	Elias
Cameron	McFarlane	Nicholson
Loptson		

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The Assembly, accordingly, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

Moved by Mr. Korchinski, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 36) showing:

Number of (a) passenger cars, (b) trucks, (c) other motor vehicles, owned by each Department, Branch and Agency of the Government.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mrs. Batten:

That the words "as at January 1, 1959" be added to the motion.

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Klein: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 40) showing:

(1) The name, location and purpose of all buildings constructed or purchased by the Government since the fiscal year 1944-45.

(2) The cost of each of the above.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Willis, seconded by Mr. Gibson:

That the word "Government" in part (1) be deleted, and the following words substituted therefor:

"Department of Public Works or any Crown Corporation"

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

The following Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers:

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 37) showing:

The make, model and purchase price of each motor vehicle purchased in the fiscal year 1957-58 for each Department, Branch and other Agency of the Government.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 38) showing:

Copy of each publication issued in the year 1957-58, and in the year 1958-59 to date, by the Department of Travel and Information.

By Mr. Barrie, for a Return (No. 39) showing:

Copy of Public Service Commission's monthly reports for August 30, 1958, and December 31, 1958.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 41) showing:

For each fiscal year since 1947-48, the total amount spent in construction, surfacing, purchase of land and for other purposes, in connection with Highway No. 39 from Corinne to North Portal.

By Mrs. Batten, for a Return (No. 42) showing:

Rates of the Saskatchewan Power Corporation currently in effect for electricity and for natural gas.

The Order being called for the Motion to be moved by Mr. Elias:

That this Assembly, recognizing that municipalities are finding it progressively more difficult to meet their financial obligations, recommends that the Government request the Federal Government to take such steps as will provide that the Bank of Canada finance, through advance credit, free of interest, those municipal developments which are necessary to meet the needs of the people, thus freeing local government bodies from the task of having to negotiate loans at interest rates which increase considerably the taxes which have to be imposed upon their ratepayers.—

By leave of the Assembly, the said Motion was withdrawn, and the Order discharged.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Private Bills:

Bill No. 01—An Act respecting Guaranty Trust Company of Canada and The Western Trust Company. (*Mr. Thurston*)

- Bill No. 02—An Act to amend and consolidate An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Co-operative Credit Society Limited.
(*Mr. Thurston*)
- Bill No. 03—An Act to amend Chapter 92 of the Statutes of 1955. (*Mr. Thurston*)
- Bill No. 05—An Act to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon. (*Mr. Stone*)
- Bill No. 06—An Act to provide for Exemption from Taxation of Certain Property of the Canadian Sunday School Mission.
(*Mr. Thurston*)
- Bill No. 07—An Act to incorporate Western Turf and Driving Club Limited. (*Mr. Thurston*)
- Bill No. 08—An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Hospital Association. (*Mr. Neibrandt*)
- Bill No. 09—An Act to incorporate Weyburn Agricultural Society. (*Mr. Brown (Bengough)*)
- Bill No. 010—An Act to incorporate The Seventh Ave. and Pasqua St. Church of Christ. (*Mrs. Cooper*)
- Bill No. 011—An Act to incorporate Regina Grey Nuns' Hospital. (*Mrs. Cooper*)
- Bill No. 012—An Act to incorporate St. Paul's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Saskatoon. (*Mr. Stone*)
- Bill No. 013—An Act to incorporate St. Joseph's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Gravelbourg. (*Mr. Coderre*)
- Bill No. 014—An Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Bible College.
(*Mr. Heming*)

Moved by Mrs. Cooper: That Bill No. 04—An Act to confirm a Certain Agreement between The City of Regina and McCallum Hill & Co. Limited—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to the Select Standing Committee on Private Bills.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 8) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

- (1) The names of the Deputy Ministers of each Department of Government.
- (2) Salary received by each of the above in the calendar year 1958.
- (3) Which of the above came to their positions through promotion within the Department or the Government service, and how long had they been in the Government service.
- (4) If a car is supplied for the use of each of the above, the year and model of each of the cars, and the travel and expense account for each of the above from January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 100)

Return (No. 29) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 2, 1959, on motion of Mr. Loptsou, showing:

- (1) The number of oil and gas wells which have been drilled by Consumers' Co-op. Refineries Limited, under farm-out agreements and net royalty leases.
- (2) The number of these wells that have been abandoned.
- (3) The number of these wells that are in production.
- (4) The number of these wells from which a share of gross production is being collected.
- (5) The amount of money received from the Co-ops in (a) gross royalties provided for in the regulations or the agreements, and (b) net royalty or share of surplus.
- (6) The number of drainage units held by the Co-ops under these agreements and leases.
- (7) The total acreage of land held by the Co-ops under these agreements.
- (8) The amount of cash bonus paid for land under these agreements.

(Sessional Paper No. 101)

At 10:05 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Friday, March 13, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the name of Mrs. Cooper be substituted for that of the late Mr. Begrand on the list of Members composing the Select Standing Committee on Private Bills.

The Question (No. 142) on the Orders of the Day was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. McCarthy, for a Return (No. 51) showing:

- (1) Whether a farm with buildings and improvements at Cumberland Settlement is owned (a) by the Government, (b) some other party.
- (2) If the answer to (1) is (b), the name of such party.
- (3) The date of establishment of this farm.
- (4) The name of the user of the buildings and other improvements, and the terms under which they are used.
- (5) In the year 1957-58, the net return from this farm to the Government.
- (6) The total number of acres capable of being cultivated on this farm.
- (7) Number of acres under cultivation in 1957-58.

The following Question on the Orders of the day was, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. McFarlane, No. 143.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn): Ordered, That the Assembly do now proceed to the Order MOTIONS.

Moved by Mr. Thorson, seconded by Mr. Johnson:

That this Assembly, requests the Government of Saskatchewan to again urge the Government of Canada to convene a Dominion-

Provincial Conference at which special attention will be given to establishing a policy whereby the Provinces receive a larger share and a more equitable distribution of funds from the Government of Canada within the framework of the Tax-Rental Agreements.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. Wood, adjourned.

Moved by Mr. Brown (Bengough), seconded by Mr. Meakes:

That this Assembly, recognizing the impact which rising freight rates have had upon the economy of the province,

(1) commends the Government of Saskatchewan for its efforts to limit the rise in freight rates and to secure a more equitable freight rate structure, and

(2) urges the Government to continue its efforts to alleviate the inequitable impact of increases in transportation costs on the Western and Maritime provinces.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to unanimously.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines: Ordered, That the Assembly revert to GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Walker:

That Bill No. 14—An Act to repeal The Moratorium Act—be now read the third time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to. The Bill, accordingly, was read the third time and passed.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker: That Bill No. 35—An Act to amend The Queen's Bench Act—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank: That Bill No. 68—An Act respecting Crown Oil within, upon or under Road Allowances—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mrs. Batten, adjourned.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Nollet: That Bill No. 73—An Act respecting the Drilling of Water Wells and the Conservation and Utilization of Ground Water—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mrs. Batten, adjourned.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 67—An Act respecting Hours of Work.

Bill No. 69—An Act to amend The School Grants Act.

Bill No. 70—An Act to amend The Student Aid Fund Act.

Bill No. 71—An Act to amend The Western Development Museum Act.

Bill No. 74—An Act to amend The Cemeteries Act, 1955.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 51—An Act to amend The Power Corporation Superannuation Act.

Bill No. 52—An Act to repeal Certain Acts respecting the Town of Carlyle and Carlyle Lake Resort.

Bill No. 53—An Act to repeal The Municipal Telephone Act.

Bill No. 56—An Act to amend The Prairie and Forest Fires Act, 1958.

Bill No. 18—An Act to amend The Fair Employment Practices Act, 1956.

Bill No. 34—An Act to amend The District Court Act.

Bill No. 38—An Act respecting the Artificial Insemination of Domestic Animals.

Bill No. 46—An Act to amend The Teachers' Federation Act.

Bill No. 50—An Act for the Prevention and Suppression of Disease among Bees.

Bill No. 55—An Act to amend The Highways and Transportation Act.

Bill No. 12—An Act respecting the Superannuation of Certain Employees of Municipalities, Larger School Units and other Institutions.

Bill No. 26—An Act respecting Benevolent and Other Societies.

The following Bill was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 20—An Act providing for Certain Temporary Changes in the Law.

On the following Bill progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 63—An Act respecting Crown Timber and Conservation and Preservation of Forest Lands.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 10) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 20, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

Buildings owned by the Government or any of its Crown Corporations within the boundaries of the Melville Provincial Constituency.

(Sessional Paper No. 102)

Return (No. 28) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 27, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

(1) Whether or not Claude Ellis has been in the employ of the Government from January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958.

(2) If so, the length of time employed and salary received.

(Sessional Paper No. 103)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until Monday at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Monday, March 16, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, and the Minister in each case having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Wednesday next:

Bill No. 77—An Act respecting Northern Co-operative Trading Services Limited. (*Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn)*)

Bill No. 80—An Act to amend The Larger School Units Act. (*Hon. Mr. Lloyd*)

Bill No. 82—An Act to amend The Game Act. (*Hon. Mr. Kuziak*)

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Wednesday next:

Bill No. 78—An Act to amend The School Act. (*Hon. Mr. Lloyd*)

Bill No. 79—An Act to amend The Secondary Education Act. (*Hon. Mr. Lloyd*)

Bill No. 81—An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act. (*Hon. Mr. Bentley*)

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. McFarlane, No. 149.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Gardiner, Nos. 150 and 154,

By Mr. Nicholson, No. 151,

By Mr. Coderre, Nos. 152 and 153,

By Mr. Foley, No. 155.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 72—An Act to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Co-operative Superannuation Society.

Bill No. 76—An Act to provide for the Granting of Aid to Certain Persons under Certain Conditions.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 1—An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Bill No. 9—An Act to amend The Education and Hospitalization Tax Act.

On the following Bills progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 61—An Act respecting Mineral Resources, 1959.

Bill No. 11—An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain), a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report and Financial Statement of the Saskatchewan Power Corporation for the year ended December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 104)

Return (No. 26) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 2, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

The amount owing to the Government by purchasers and lessees of Crown lands for agricultural purposes at December 31, 1958.

(Sessional Paper 105)

Return (No. 27) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 2, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

In how many instances 33-year agricultural leases have been cancelled for (a) veterans, (b) others, during 1957-58.
(*Sessional Paper No. 106*)

Return (No. 33) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 6, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

For the month of December, 1958: (a) the number of Old Age Security Pensioners, and (b) the number of Blind Persons, receiving Supplementary Allowances at each rate of monthly supplementary allowance.
(*Sessional Paper No. 107*)

Return (No. 43) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 9, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

- (1) The average daily attendance in the Saskatchewan Boys' School for each month of the fiscal year 1957-58.
- (2) Number of persons on the staff for each month of the fiscal year 1957-58.
- (3) The total cost of operating the school during the year 1957-58.
(*Sessional Paper No. 108*)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Tuesday, March 17, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, and the Minister in each case having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Thursday next:

Bill No. 83—An Act respecting South Saskatchewan River Development Commission. (*Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn)*)

Bill No. 88—An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act. (*Hon. Mr. Lloyd*)

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Thursday next:

Bill No. 84—An Act to amend The City Act.
(*Hon. Mr. McIntosh*)

Bill No. 85—An Act to amend The Town Act.
(*Hon. Mr. McIntosh*)

Bill No. 86—An Act to amend The Village Act.
(*Hon. Mr. McIntosh*)

Bill No. 87—An Act to amend The Local Improvement Districts Act. (*Hon. Mr. McIntosh*)

Bill No. 89—An Act respecting the Disposal of Certain Funds of Saskatchewan Co-operative Abattoirs Limited.
(*Mr. Thurston*)

Bill No. 90—An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan. (*Mr. Brown (Bengough)*)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by Mr. McDonald:

Resolved, That this Assembly learns with profound regret of the death, yesterday, of Dr. Henry E. Houze, former Member for the Constituency of Gravelbourg, who was held in the highest esteem and respect by the veterinary profession of which he was a distinguished

member, by the community he served so long as school trustee, councillor and reeve, and by all Members of the Legislature in which he served with great distinction from 1944 to 1948.

In recording its regrets this Assembly desires to express its deep sympathy with, and requests Mr. Speaker to convey its condolences to, the members of the bereaved family.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by Mr. McDonald:

That Mr. Speaker, on behalf of this Assembly, convey by telegram to the Prime Minister, the Rt. Hon. J. G. Diefenbaker, its deep sympathy with him in the sudden and unexpected death today of a distinguished and trusted colleague, and expressing its sense of the great loss suffered by the people and Parliament of Canada, in the passing of the Hon. Dr. Sydney E. Smith who, as Secretary of State for External Affairs, has made Canada's prestige high in the Councils of the Nations, and who, applying great talents and abilities to the service of his country in an arduous and difficult field of endeavour, had won the respect, the confidence and the gratitude of his fellow-countrymen.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to by silent standing vote.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Coderre, No. 160.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Gardiner: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 31) showing:

- (1) All types of permits, fees and licences issued by all Departments and Boards of the Government in 1944, and the fee charged for each.
- (2) All types of permits, fees and licences issued by all Departments and Boards of the Government in 1958, and the fee charged for each.

The debate continuing, by leave of the Assembly, the motion for Return (No. 31) was withdrawn.

The following Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers:

By Mr. Foley, for Return (No. 47) showing:

During 1957-58, for each Department of the Government, the programs sponsored, and amount paid for: (a) Radio, (b) Television.

By Mr. Coderre, for Return (No. 49) showing:

A list of all publications issued under authority of the Saskatchewan Power Corporation, with the cost of each, during the years 1944 to date.

By Mr. Coderre, for Return (No. 50) showing:

Amount paid out to the following advertising media by the Saskatchewan Power Corporation, from 1944 to date, on: (a) Television; (b) Radio; (c) Daily newspapers; (d) Weekly newspapers and other publications; (e) Billboard advertising; (f) Others.

Moved by Mr. Korchinski: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 48) showing:

For each of the following lakes in Saskatchewan — Redberry, Murray, Jackfish, Meeting, Iroquois, Mistawasis: (1) the length of the shoreline, (2) the surface area, (3) the average depth, (4) the fish found in each.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

That all the words after the word "Mistawasis" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"(1) as represented on the latest topographic map or aerial photograph—(a) the length of shoreline, (b) the surface area, and (c) the average depth;

(2) the fish found in each lake."

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 48) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Neibrandt, seconded by Mr. Dewhurst:

That this Assembly, believing that capital punishment is incompatible with Christian concepts of justice and the value of human life and recognizing that the death penalty has not, in practice, had the deterrent effect for which it is imposed, recommends that the Government of Saskatchewan request the Government of Canada to abolish capital punishment.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Sturdy, adjourned.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn): That Bill No. 75—An Act to provide Assistance to Farmers in the Establishment and Development of Family Farms as Economic Farm Units—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 66—An Act to amend The Fire Prevention Act, 1954.

Bill No. 44—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Government Telephones Superannuation Act, 1955.

Bill No. 8—An Act to amend The Liquor Board Superannuation Act.

Bill No. 69—An Act to amend The School Grants Act.

Bill No. 71—An Act to amend The Western Development Museum Act.

Bill No. 5—An Act to amend The Vehicles Act, 1957.

The following Bill was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 70—An Act to amend The Student Aid Fund Act.

On the following Bills progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 63—An Act respecting Crown Timber and Conservation and Preservation of Forest Lands.

Bill No. 11—An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option.

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Wednesday, March 18, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

The Question (No. 162) on the Orders of the Day was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer, accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 54) showing:

For each Larger School Unit as at December 31, 1957, the amount of (a) debentures not yet due, (b) other capital liabilities, (c) loans as a revenue liability, (d) arrears of taxes.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. Coderre, No. 163.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. McFarlane, Nos. 164 and 165.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That Mr. Speaker with Members of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, be constituted a Select Special Committee to consider the desirability and advisability of revising Standing Orders 5, 13 and 46, and specifically, that the said Committee be instructed that it have power to consider and to report with recommendations thereon:

1. Amendment of Standing Order 5 to provide that the Assembly shall adjourn on Fridays at 5:30 o'clock p.m., instead of on Wednesdays;
2. Amendment of Standing Order 13 to provide that Tuesdays and Fridays be Private Members' days, instead of Tuesdays and Thursdays;
3. Amendment of Standing Order 46 to provide that the Mover of the Budget motion for Committee of Supply be given a reasonable opportunity to exercise his right to close the Budget Debate.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. McDonald, adjourned.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

That Bill No. 68—An Act respecting Crown Oil within, upon or under Road Allowances—be now read the second time.

The debate continuing, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, adjourned.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 78—An Act to amend The School Act.

Bill No. 79—An Act to amend The Secondary Education Act.

Bill No. 80—An Act to amend The Larger School Units Act.

Bill No. 81—An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act.

Bill No. 82—An Act to amend The Game Act.

The following Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer:—

By Mr. Korchinski, for a Return (No. 52) showing:

The total amount paid to, and on account of, each Cabinet Minister for expenses, including car expenses, in the fiscal year 1957-58.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Loptson:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 35) showing:

The amount of money the Government of Saskatchewan received from the Saskatchewan Cement Company Limited, located at Regina, since it has been operating, for royalties, or other taxes other than bond or debenture charges.

and the proposed amendment thereto, by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

(1) That the letter "(a)" be inserted before the words "for royalties";

(2) That all the words after the word "royalties" be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

"(b) for guarantee fees."

The debate continuing, and the question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 35) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Returns. Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 20) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 24, 1959, on motion of Mrs. Batten, showing:

- (1) Number of Small Debt Summons issued in 1958.
- (2) Number of Small Debt Default Judgments signed.
- (3) Number of Small Debt trials heard.

(Sessional Paper No. 109)

Return (No. 13) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. Coderre, showing:

The amount paid out by all Departments, Branches and Crown Corporations for advertising to all advertising agencies in 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 110)

Return (No. 46) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 10, 1959, on motion of Mr. Klein, showing:

- (1) Number of Veteran Co-operative farms established since 1944, and their names.
- (2) The number of such farms which have been dissolved.
- (3) The losses on dissolution of the said co-operative farms.

(Sessional Paper No. 111)

The Assembly adjourned at 3:25 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), in order that Members of the Assembly might congratulate, and pay fitting tribute to, Members of the Richardson Rink of the Civil Service Curling Club, Regina, on their magnificent and outstanding achievements in winning the Dominion Curling Championship at Quebec City, and subsequently defeating the Scottish champions in all five games of The Scotch Cup series, played in Scotland, earning in their progress to victory great credit to themselves by their skill on the ice and by their deportment off it, and bringing glory to the Province of Saskatchewan whose representatives they were. Presentations were made to the victorious curlers, on behalf of the Assembly and Province, in recognition of their great achievements and in appreciation of the honour they had brought to Saskatchewan.

Regina, Thursday, March 19, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), have leave to introduce Bill No. 91—An Act respecting Co-operative Fisheries Limited.

The Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), a member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The said Bill was accordingly received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. Barrie, No. 170,

By Mr. Foley, No. 172.

Moved by Mr. Foley: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 53) showing:

In each of the following Rural Municipalities Nos. 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 486, 487, 488, 490, 491, 493, 494, 496, 497, 498, 499, 501, 502, 529, during each of the years 1947-48 and 1957-58:

(a) the number of farming units being operated;

(b) the number of Rural Telephones in operation.

A debate arising in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Williams, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Erb:

(1) That the words "each of" in the first line be deleted, and

(2) That part (b) be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"(b) the total number of Rural Telephone companies operating in the said municipalities, and the total number of subscribers."

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 53) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Thorson, seconded by Mrs. Cooper:

That this Assembly condemns the removal of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Band from Regina and requests the Government of Saskatchewan to communicate to the Government of Canada the earnest desire of the people of Saskatchewan to have the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Band maintained with permanent headquarters at Regina.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

That the words "condemns the" in the first line be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

"regrets the proposed"

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment, and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion as amended, it was agreed to unanimously.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers:

Bill No. 89—An Act respecting the Disposal of Certain Funds of Saskatchewan Co-operative Abattoirs Limited.
(*Mr. Thurston*)

Bill No. 90—An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan. (*Mr. Brown (Bengough)*)

According to Order, the following Bill was read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 88—An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act. (*Hon. Mr. Lloyd*)

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 78—An Act to amend The School Act.

Bill No. 79—An Act to amend The Secondary Education Act.

Bill No. 72—An Act to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Co-operative Superannuation Society.

Bill No. 80—An Act to amend The Larger School Units Act.

Bill No. 74—An Act to amend The Cemeteries Act, 1955.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 17) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 24, 1959, on motion of Mrs. Batten, showing:

- (1) Number of Justices of the Peace in Saskatchewan.
- (2) Of these the number who are (a) members of the R.C.M.P.; (b) permanent employees of the Government of Saskatchewan or any board or department thereof; (c) permanent employees of a Crown Corporation.
- (3) The amount paid them for services and expenses in the year 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 112)

Return (No. 34) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 6, 1959, on motion of Mr. Barrie, showing:

Names and addresses of farmer permittees, and quantity of spruce lumber received by each of said permittees, from 126 permits issued in 1958, for spruce timber from the Porcupine Forest Reserve.

(Sessional Paper No. 113)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Friday, March 20, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Walker, have leave to introduce Bill No. 92—An Act to facilitate the Re-negotiation of Certain Contracts respecting Mineral Rights.

The Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council, then acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The said Bill was accordingly received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Tuesday next.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Tuesday next:

Bill No. 93—An Act to amend the Statute Law.
(*Hon. Mr. Walker*)

Bill No. 94—An Act to amend the Workmen's Compensation (Accident Fund) Act, 1955. (*Hon. Mr. Williams*)

Bill No. 95—An Act to amend The Engineering Profession Act. (*Mrs. Cooper*)

Bill No. 96—An Act to amend The Pest Control Act, 1956.
(*Hon. Mr. Nollet*)

The Order of the Day being called for the following Questions (Nos. 175 and 178), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Questions stand as Notices of Motion for Returns:—

By Mr. McFarlane:

The name, salary and expenses of each person employed in 1957-58 at the Centre for Community Studies.

By Mr. Gardiner:

The number of students attending classes in each grade in the schools of the province, according to Units and Superintendencies, at the beginning of the school term in September 1958.

The Question (No. 179) on the Orders of the Day was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer, accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 56) showing:

The total number of teachers teaching in Saskatchewan at the commencement of the September term 1958 by classification, in each Larger Unit and Superintendency.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

That Mr. Speaker with Members of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders, be constituted a Select Special Committee to consider the desirability and advisability of revising Standing Orders 5, 13 and 46, and specifically, that the said Committee be instructed that it have power to consider, and to report with recommendations thereon:

1. Amendment of Standing Order 5 to provide that the Assembly shall adjourn on Fridays at 5:30 o'clock p.m., instead of on Wednesdays;
2. Amendment of Standing Order 13 to provide that Tuesdays and Fridays be Private Members' days, instead of Tuesdays and Thursdays;
3. Amendment of Standing Order 46 to provide that the Mover of the Budget motion for Committee of Supply be given a reasonable opportunity to exercise his right to close the Budget Debate.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

That Bill No. 68—An Act respecting Crown Oil within, upon or under Road Allowances—be now read the second time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded division, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

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Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)	Stone
Bentley	Howe	Willis (Elrose)
McIntosh	Douglas (Rosetown)	Kramer
Brockelbank	Williams	Neibrandt
Fines	Erb	Meakes
Walker	Heming	Wood
Lloyd	Johnson	Thorson
Nollet	Thurston	Harrop
Cooper (Mrs.)	Dewhurst	Thiessen
Gibson		

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Messieurs

McDonald	Loptson	Gardiner
Batten (Mrs.)	Coderre	McFarlane
McCarthy	Barrie	Weber
Horsman	Korchinski	Elias
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The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

That Bill No. 73—An Act respecting the Drilling of Water Wells and the Conservation and Utilization of Ground Water—be now read the second time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn): That Bill No. 83—An Act respecting South Saskatchewan River Development Commission—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

The Order being called for the Assembly to resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills, and the Deputy Speaker being absent, Mr. Speaker called on Mr. Willis (Elrose) to take the Chair in the Committee, under the provision of subsection (2) of Standing Order 42.

The following Bill was reported without amendment, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 88—An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act.

On the following Bill progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 11—An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 45) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 9, 1959, on motion of Mr. Coderre, showing:

(1) To the end of the fiscal year 1957-58, the total cost of (a) construction, (b) furnishing and equipping, (c) landscaping, driveways, grounds, etc., of the Natural History Museum.

(2) In 1957-58, the total costs of operating the Museum.

(Sessional Paper No. 114)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until Monday at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Monday, March 23, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Wednesday next:

Bill No. 97—An Act to amend The Provincial Lands Act.
(Hon. Mr. Nollet)

Bill No. 98—An Act to amend The Child Welfare Act.
(Hon. Mr. Bentley)

Bill No. 99—An Act to amend The Corrections Act.
(Hon. Mr. Bentley)

Bill No. 100—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Hospitalization Act. *(Hon. Mr. Erb)*

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the name of Mr. Meakes be substituted for that of the late Mr. Begrand in the list of Members composing the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers.

Question No. 182 on the Orders of the Day, asked by Mr. McFarlane, was, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations.

According to Order, the following Bill was read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 77—An Act respecting Northern Co-operative Trading Services Limited.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn): That Bill No. 91—An Act respecting Co-operative Fisheries Limited—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the following Bill:

Bill No. 11—An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option.

The said Bill was reported with amendments, considered as amended, and ordered to be read the third time at the next sitting.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Erb, a member of the Executive Council:

Annual Report of the University Hospital Board for the calendar year 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 115)

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until tomorrow, at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Tuesday, March 24, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS :

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Thursday next:

Bill No. 101—An Act to amend The Mineral Taxation Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Brockelbank*)

Bill No. 102—An Act to amend The Housing Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Bentley*)

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Weber, No. 189,

By Mr. McFarlane, No. 190.

Moved by Mr. McFarlane, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 57) showing:

The name, salary and expenses of each person employed in 1957-58 at the Centre for Community Studies.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Walker:—

That all the words after the word "employed" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"by the Centre for Community Studies for its financial year ending June 30, 1958."

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 57) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly to the proper officer.

The following Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 55) showing:

- (1) A list of all types of licences and permits issued by any Board or Department of Government showing the fee charged in 1944 and in 1958, respectively.
- (2) A list of all fees collected by the Government through any Department or Board showing the purpose of the fee and the fee charged in the years 1944 and 1958 respectively.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 58) showing:

The number of students attending classes in each grade in the schools of the province, according to Units and Superintendencies, at the beginning of the school term in September 1958.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 59) showing:

A copy of all documents or publications issued or distributed to date by the Centre for Community Studies.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 60) showing:

A copy of all documents or publications issued or distributed by the Adult Education Branch of the Department of Education.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Thorson:

That this Assembly, requests the Government of Saskatchewan to again urge the Government of Canada to convene a Dominion-Provincial Conference at which special attention will be given to establishing a policy whereby the Provinces receive a larger share and a more equitable distribution of funds from the Government of Canada within the framework of the Tax-Rental Agreements.

The debate continuing, in amendment thereto, it was moved by Mr. McCarthy, seconded by Mr. Gardiner:—

That the following words be added to the motion:

“and we urge the Government of Saskatchewan to give consideration to allotting a reasonable share of money received from the Federal Government under the Tax-Rental Agreements to the payment of unconditional grants to the municipalities.”

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

(1) That the word "urge" in the first line be deleted, and the word "commend" substituted therefor;

(2) that the words "to give consideration to allotting" be deleted, and the following words substituted therefor: "for giving".

Mr. McDonald having asked Mr. Speaker to rule whether or not the proposed amendment to the amendment was in order, in that it was a negation of the amendment, and Mr. Speaker having ruled the proposed amendment to the amendment admissible, Mr. McDonald appealed to the Assembly from the ruling of Mr. Speaker.

The question being put by Mr. Speaker: Shall the ruling of the Chair be sustained?—it was agreed to, on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Sturdy	Stone
Brown (Bengough)	Howe	Willis (Elrose)
Bentley	Douglas (Rosetown)	Berezowsky
McIntosh	Kuziak	Neibrandt
Brockelbank	Williams	Davies
Fines	Erb	Meakes
Walker	Heming	Wood
Lloyd	Johnson	Thorson
Cooper (Mrs.)	Thurston	Harrop
Gibson	Dewhurst	Thiessen
Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)		

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Messieurs

McDonald	Loptson	McFarlane
Batten (Mrs.)	Coderre	Foley
McCarthy	Barrie	Klein
Horsman	Korchinski	Weber
Cameron	Gardiner	Elias
Danielson		

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The debate continuing on the proposed amendment to the amendment, it was, on motion of Mr. McDonald, adjourned.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Neibrandt:

That this Assembly, believing that capital punishment is incompatible with Christian concepts of justice and the value of human life, and recognizing that the death penalty has not, in practice, had the deterrent effect for which it is imposed, recommends that the Government of Saskatchewan request the Government of Canada to abolish capital punishment.

The debate continuing, it was, on motion of Mr. Loftson, adjourned.

According to Order, the following Bill was read the second time, and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers:

Bill No. 95—An Act to amend The Engineering Profession Act.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Walker: That Bill No. 92—An Act to facilitate the Re-negotiation of Certain Contracts respecting Mineral Rights—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. Cameron, adjourned.

According to Order, the following Bill was read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 93—An Act to amend the Statute Law.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Fines: That Bill No. 11—An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option—be now read the third time.

The question being put, it was agreed to. The Bill, accordingly, was read the third time and passed.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bill was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and ordered to be read the third time at the next sitting:

Bill No. 68—An Act respecting Crown Oil within, upon or under Road Allowances.

On the following Bills progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 6—An Act to amend The Liquor Act.

Bill No. 61—An Act respecting Mineral Resources.

Bill No. 76—An Act to provide for the Granting of Aid to Certain Persons under Certain Conditions.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 32) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 6, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

- (1) Total amount of insurance premiums received by the Saskatchewan Government Insurance Office and the Saskatchewan Guarantee and Fidelity Company Limited, from each Department of Government and from each Crown Corporation for each calendar year starting from January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1958, showing fire, automobile, casualty and miscellaneous insurance separately, but excluding premiums under The Automobile Accident Insurance Act.
- (2) Total amount of losses incurred under the insurance as set out in No. (1).

(Sessional Paper No. 116)

Return (No. 38) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 12, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

Copy of each publication issued in the year 1957-58, and in the year 1958-59 to date, by the Department of Travel and Information.

(Sessional Paper No. 117)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Wednesday, March 25, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Speaker, as Chairman of the Select Standing Committee on Library, presented the First Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee has considered the reference of the Assembly, dated February 13, 1959, namely, the recommendations of the Public Documents Committee under The Archives Act, contained in the retention and disposal schedules comprising Sessional Paper No. 34 of the present Session.

Your Committee recommends to the Assembly that the said Retention and Disposal Schedules, Nos. 75 to 80 inclusive, be confirmed and approved.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, seconded by Mrs. Cooper:

Ordered, That the First Report of the Select Standing Committee on Library be now concurred in.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next:

Bill No. 103—An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act.
(*Hon. Mr. McIntosh*)

Bill No. 104—An Act to amend The Power Corporation Act.
(*Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain)*)

The Order of the Day being called for the following Questions (Nos. 193 and 194), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Questions stand as Notices of Motion for Returns:—

By Mr. Coderre:

The grants paid to each municipality within the Gravelbourg Constituency for each year 1952-1953 to 1956-1957, inclusive.

By Mr. Klein:

The total paid in grants to the Municipalities in the Notukeu-Willowbunch Constituency in the years 1954 to 1958 inclusive.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Foley, No. 197.

On the Question (No. 198) being asked by Mr. Foley:—

What was the average cost to the farmer of installing a Rural Telephone in each of the years 1937-38; 1947-48; 1957-58?

the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn) requested Mr. Speaker to rule as to the admissibility of a question relating to matters not directly within the purview of a Department of Government, the answer to which could be obtained only from sources outside the Government. Mr. Speaker deferred his ruling, and the Question (No. 198) was allowed to stand.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That when the Assembly adjourns on Thursday, March 26th, it do stand adjourned until 2:30 o'clock p.m., on Monday, March 30th.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bill was reported without amendment, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 76—An Act to provide for the Granting of Aid to Certain Persons under Certain Conditions.

The following Bill was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 6—An Act to amend The Liquor Act.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 84—An Act to amend The City Act.

Bill No. 87—An Act to amend The Local Improvement Districts Act.

Bill No. 94—An Act to amend the Workmen's Compensation (Accident Fund) Act, 1955.

Bill No. 96—An Act to amend The Pest Control Act, 1956.

Bill No. 97—An Act to amend The Provincial Lands Act.

Bill No. 98—An Act to amend The Child Welfare Act.

Bill No. 99—An Act to amend The Corrections Act.

Bill No. 100—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Hospitalization Act.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank: That Bill No. 68—An Act respecting Crown Oil within, upon or under Road Allowances—be now read the third time.

The question being put, it was agreed to. The Bill, accordingly, was read the third time and passed.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bill, on which progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 75—An Act to provide Assistance to Farmers in the Establishment and Development of Family Farms as Economic Farm Units.

At 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5(2), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Thursday, March 26, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Question (No. 198):

What was the average cost to the farmer of installing a Rural Telephone in each of the years 1937-38; 1947-48; 1957-58?

Speaker's Ruling

Thereupon, Mr. Speaker said:

Yesterday, when this Question (No. 198) was called, the Premier asked me to rule as to its admissibility, on the ground that it related to matters not directly within the purview of a Department of Government and that the answer to it could be obtained only from non-governmental sources. I deferred my ruling, and the Question was allowed to stand.

I have made some inquiries of the Department or Crown Corporation to which the Question, had it not been challenged, would have been referred, and have ascertained that the answer to it, as the Question is worded, is not a matter of record with the Department, and that to arrive even at an approximation of "the average cost to the farmer of installing a rural telephone in each of the years 1937-38, 1947-48 and 1957-58" would involve search and analysis of the Annual Reports of some 900 Rural Telephone Companies. The matter seems to be of record with the individual companies and not with the Department or Crown Corporation to which the Question would have been directed. I must rule, therefore, that, in my considered opinion, the Premier's point is well taken, that the Question (No. 198) is inadmissible in its present form, and that it should be dropped.

(Citations from Beauchesne's Parliamentary Rules and Forms, 4th Edition:

Citation 171 (dd): "A question oral or written must not deal with matters not officially connected with Government or Parliament."

Also, Citation 178: "Questions addressed to Ministers should relate to the public affairs with which they are officially connected . . . or to any matter of administration for which the Minister is responsible.")

The Question (No. 198) was, accordingly, dropped.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. Foley, No. 205,

By Mr. McFarlane, No. 207.

The following Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 61) showing:

A copy of all tests used at the Teachers' Colleges in Moose Jaw and Saskatoon to determine student adaptability, during 1958.

Moved by Mr. Coderre, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 62) showing:

The grants paid to each municipality within the Gravelbourg Constituency for each year 1952-1953 to 1956-1957 inclusive.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That the word "municipality" be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

"unit of local government wholly or partly"

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 62) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Klein, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 63) showing:

The total paid in grants to the Municipalities in the Notukeu-Willowbunch Constituency in the years 1954 to 1958 inclusive.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That all the words after the word "to" be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

"each unit of local government wholly or partly within the Notukeu-Willowbunch Constituency for each of the years 1953-54 to 1957-58 inclusive."

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 63) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Neibrandt:

That this Assembly, believing that capital punishment is incompatible with Christian concepts of justice and the value of human life, and recognizing that the death penalty has not, in practice, had the deterrent effect for which it is imposed, recommends that the Government of Saskatchewan request the Government of Canada to abolish capital punishment.

The debate continuing, in amendment thereto, it was moved by Mr. Loptson, seconded by Mr. Danielson:

That the motion be amended

- (1) by deleting the words "believing that capital punishment is incompatible with Christian concepts of Justice and the value of human life, and recognizing that the death penalty has not in practice had the deterrent effect for which it is imposed"

and

- (2) by deleting all the words after 'Canada' and substituting therefor the words "to continue to investigate the advisability of abolishing capital punishment, or alternatively of changing the method of administering it."

The debate continuing on the amendment, and the question being put, it was negatived on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Williams
Batten (Mrs.)
McCarthy
Horsman

Danielson
Loptson
Coderre

Korchinski
Gardiner
McFarlane

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Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)
Brown (Bengough)
Bentley
McIntosh
Brockelbank
Fines
Lloyd
Nollet
Cooper (Mrs.)
Gibson

Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)
Sturdy
Douglas (Rosetown)
Kuziak
Erb
Heming
Johnson
Dewhurst
Stone
Kramer

Berezowsky
Neibrandt
Davies
Meakes
Wood
Thorson
Harrop
Thiessen
Elias

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The question being put on the main motion, it was agreed to, on division.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 85—An Act to amend The Town Act.

Bill No. 101—An Act to amend The Mineral Taxation Act.

Bill No. 102—An Act to amend The Housing Act.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bill was reported without amendment, read the third time, and passed:

Bill No. 43—An Act to amend The Minimum Wage Act.

The following Bill was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 87—An Act to amend The Local Improvement Districts Act.

On the following Bills progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 61—An Act respecting Mineral Resources.

Bill No. 82—An Act to amend The Game Act.

Bill No. 84—An Act to amend The City Act.

5:30 o'clock p.m.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having entered the Chamber, took his seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour:—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly to date in the present Session has passed several Bills, which, in the name of the Assembly, I present to Your Honour, and to which Bills I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed severally as follows:—

No.

- 1 An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.
- 5 An Act to amend The Vehicles Act, 1957.
- 6 An Act to amend The Liquor Act.
- 8 An Act to amend The Liquor Board Superannuation Act.
- 9 An Act to amend The Education and Hospitalization Tax Act.
- 11 An Act to provide for the Licensing of Liquor Outlets, subject to Local Option.
- 12 An Act respecting the Superannuation of Certain Employees of Municipalities, Larger School Units and other Institutions.
- 14 An Act to repeal The Moratorium Act.
- 18 An Act to amend The Fair Employment Practices Act, 1956.
- 20 An Act providing for Certain Temporary Changes in the Law.
- 26 An Act respecting Benevolent and Other Societies.
- 27 An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1954.
- 29 An Act to amend The Administration of Estates of the Mentally Incompetent Act.
- 30 An Act to amend The Companies Act.
- 31 An Act to amend The Land Contracts (Actions) Act.
- 32 An Act to amend The Limitation of Civil Rights Act.
- 33 An Act to amend The Surrogate Court Act.
- 34 An Act to amend The District Court Act.
- 36 An Act to amend The Dairy Products Act.
- 37 An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act.
- 38 An Act respecting the Artificial Insemination of Domestic Animals.
- 39 An Act to amend The Stray Animals Act.
- 40 An Act to amend The Grain Charges Limitation Act.
- 41 An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act.
- 42 An Act to amend The Pure Bred Sire Areas Act.
- 44 An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Government Telephones Superannuation Act, 1955.
- 45 An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Board Superannuation Act, 1958.
- 46 An Act to amend The Teachers' Federation Act.
- 47 An Act to amend The Union Hospital Act.
- 48 An Act to amend The Marriage Act.
- 49 An Act to amend The Hospital Standards Act.
- 50 An Act for the Prevention and Suppression of Disease among Bees.
- 51 An Act to amend The Power Corporation Superannuation Act.
- 52 An Act to repeal Certain Acts respecting the Town of Carlyle and Carlyle Lake Resort.
- 53 An Act to repeal The Municipal Telephone Act.
- 55 An Act to amend The Highways and Transportation Act.

No.

- 56 An Act to amend The Prairie and Forest Fires Act, 1958.
- 57 An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Insurance Act.
- 58 An Act to amend The Infants Act.
- 60 An Act respecting the Department of Mineral Resources.
- 64 An Act to amend The Devolution of Real Property Act.
- 66 An Act to amend The Fire Prevention Act, 1954.
- 68 An Act respecting Crown Oil within, upon or under Road Allowances.
- 69 An Act to amend The School Grants Act.
- 70 An Act to amend The Student Aid Fund Act.
- 71 An Act to amend The Western Development Museum Act.
- 72 An Act to amend An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Co-operative Superannuation Society.
- 74 An Act to amend The Cemeteries Act, 1955.
- 76 An Act to provide for the Granting of Aid to Certain Persons under Certain Conditions.
- 78 An Act to amend The School Act.
- 79 An Act to amend The Secondary Education Act.
- 80 An Act to amend The Larger School Units Act.
- 88 An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act.
- 87 An Act to amend The Local Improvement Districts Act.

The Royal Assent to these Bills was announced by the Clerk:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these Bills."

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor then retired from the Chamber.

Mr. Speaker having resumed the Chair—

The Assembly adjourned, at 5:40 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), until Monday next at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Monday, March 30, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Wednesday next:

Bill No. 105—An Act to amend The Annual Holidays Act.
(Hon. Mr. Williams)

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Sturdy, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

That this Assembly requests the Government to make representations to the Government of Canada, urging the said Government to relieve the Provinces of the responsibility for carrying out the death sentence, provided such Provinces have, by resolution of their respective Legislative Assemblies, expressed their opposition to capital punishment.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. Cameron, adjourned.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Walker:

That Bill No. 92—An Act to facilitate the Re-negotiation of Certain Contracts respecting Mineral Rights—be now read the second time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 86—An Act to amend The Village Act.

Bill No. 103—An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain): That Bill No. 104—An Act to amend The Power Corporation Act—be now read the second time.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read the third time, and passed:

Bill No. 102—An Act to amend The Housing Act.

Bill No. 100—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Hospitalization Act.

Bill No. 99—An Act to amend The Corrections Act.

Bill No. 82—An Act to amend The Game Act.

Bill No. 81—An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act.

Bill No. 93—An Act to amend the Statute Law.

The following Bills were reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 84—An Act to amend The City Act.

Bill No. 85—An Act to amend The Town Act.

Bill No. 75—An Act to provide Assistance to Farmers in the Establishment and Development of Family Farms as Economic Farm Units.

On the following Bill progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 77—An Act respecting Northern Co-operative Trading Services Limited.

The following Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 64) showing:

Whether or not any of the undernoted persons were employed by any Department or Board of the Government, or any of its Crown Corporations, during 1958, and if so, the salary and expenses paid, and the position held, in each case:

Messrs. W. M. Johnson; A. M. Nicholson; A. M. Campbell;
R. R. Knight; E. G. McCullough; G. H. Castleden and H. A. Bryson.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 21) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 25, 1959, on motion of Mr. Korchinski, showing:

- (1) The names of private high schools in the province of Saskatchewan where high school subjects are being taught.
- (2) The number of students in each private high school.
(*Sessional Paper No. 118*)

Return (No. 24) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 26, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

- (1) The position held by C. H. Fisher with the Government, and the length of time he held such position.
- (2) His remuneration and expense account each year since his appointment.
(*Sessional Paper No. 119*)

Return (No. 25) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 3, 1959, on motion of Mr. Loftson, showing:

- (1) Miles of road built or rebuilt by the Department of Natural Resources since 1945, in the following classifications: (a) surface-treated gravel; (b) gravel surface; (c) improved earth surface; (d) other earth roads.
- (2) The location of roads listed under classifications (a), (b), and (c).
- (3) The total cost to date.
- (4) The finished top width.
- (5) The number of miles being used during twelve months of the year.

(*Sessional Paper No. 120*)

Return (No. 51) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 13, 1959, on motion of Mr. McCarthy, showing:

- (1) Whether a farm with buildings and improvements at Cumberland Settlement is owned (a) by the Government, (b) by some other party.

- (2) If the answer to (1) is (b), the name of such party.
- (3) The date of establishment of this farm.
- (4) The name of the user of the buildings and other improvements, and the terms under which they are used.
- (5) In the year 1957-58, the net return from this farm to the Government.
- (6) The total number of acres capable of being cultivated on this farm.
- (7) Number of acres under cultivation in 1957-58.
(*Sessional Paper No. 121*)

Return (No. 48) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 17, 1959, on motion of Mr. Korchinski, showing:

For each of the following lakes in Saskatchewan — Redberry, Murray, Jackfish, Meeting, Iroquois, Mistawasis:

- (1) as represented on the latest topographic map or aerial photograph —(a) the length of shoreline, (b) the surface area, and (c) the average depth.
- (2) the fish found in each lake.
(*Sessional Paper No. 122*)

Return (No. 54) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 18, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

For each Larger School Unit as at December 31, 1957, the amount of (a) debentures not yet due, (b) other capital liabilities, (c) loans as a revenue liability, (d) arrears in taxes.
(*Sessional Paper No. 123*)

The Answers to the undernoted Questions were tabled, and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:

By the Hon. Mr. Fines: Answer to Question No. 212, asked by Mr. Gardiner.

By the Hon. Mr. Brown: Answers to Questions Nos. 153 and 160, asked by Mr. Coderre.

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Tuesday, March 31, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Thursday next:

Bill No. 106—An Act respecting The Summer Resort Village of Carlyle Lake Resort. (*Hon. Mr. McIntosh*)

The Question (No. 210) on the Orders of the Day, was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer, accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 65) showing:

- (1) The mill rate in each school district in each of the four superintendencies not yet in units for the years 1957 and 1958.
- (2) The mill rate for school purposes in all cities and larger towns not included in the Larger School Unit system or the superintendencies as mentioned above.

The Order of the Day being called for the following Questions (Nos. 216 and 217), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Questions stand as Notices of Motion for Returns:—

By Mr. Loptson:

- (1) Number of gallons of gasoline purchased by the Department of Highways during the fiscal year 1957-58.
- (2) The price paid per gallon.
- (3) From whom was this gasoline purchased.
- (4) Whether or not tenders were called for.
- (5) If tenders were called for, the names of the firms tendering on same.

By Mr. Loptson:

- (1) Number of gallons of bituminous oil purchased by the Department of Highways during the fiscal year 1957-58.

- (2) The price paid per gallon.
- (3) From whom this oil was purchased.
- (4) Whether or not tenders were called for.
- (5) If tenders were called for, the names of the firms tendering on same.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. Coderre, Nos. 219, 220 and 221.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Thorson:

That this Assembly, requests the Government of Saskatchewan to again urge the Government of Canada to convene a Dominion-Provincial Conference at which special attention will be given to establishing a policy whereby the Provinces receive a larger share and a more equitable distribution of funds from the Government of Canada within the framework of the Tax-Rental Agreements.

and the proposed amendment thereto by Mr. McCarthy:

That the following words be added to the motion:

“and we urge the Government of Saskatchewan to give consideration to allotting a reasonable share of money received from the Federal Government under the Tax-Rental Agreements to the payment of unconditional grants to the municipalities.”

and the proposed amendment to the amendment by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

(1) That the word “urge” in the first line be deleted, and the word “commend” substituted therefor;

(2) that the words “to give consideration to allotting” be deleted, and the following words substituted therefor: “for giving”.

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment to the amendment, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)	Kramer
Brown (Bengough)	Brown (Last Mountain)	Berezowsky
Bentley	Howe	Neibrandt
McIntosh	Douglas (Rosetown)	Davies
Brockelbank	Erb	Meakes
Fines	Heming	Wood
Walker	Johnson	Thorson
Nollet	Thurston	Harrop
Cooper (Mrs.)	Willis (Elrose)	Thiessen
Gibson		

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Messieurs

McDonald	Loptson	Foley
Batten (Mrs.)	Coderre	Klein
McCarthy	Barrie	Weber
Horsman	Korchinski	Elias
Cameron	Gardiner	Nicholson
Danielson	McFarlane	

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The debate continuing on the proposed amendment as amended, it was, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), adjourned.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Sturdy:

That this Assembly requests the Government to make representations to the Government of Canada, urging the said Government to relieve the Provinces of the responsibility for carrying out the death sentence, provided such Provinces have, by resolution of their respective Legislative Assemblies, expressed their opposition to capital punishment.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to without dissenting voice.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

The following Resolution was adopted:—

INTERIM SUPPLY

Main Estimates, 1959-60

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding Twelve Million, Seven Hundred and Ninety-eight Thousand, Four Hundred and Twenty-nine

Dollars and Thirteen Cents, being one-twelfth of the gross amount of each of the several sums to be voted, as set forth in the Estimates for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, laid before the Assembly at the present Session, be granted to Her Majesty, on account, for the twelve months ending March 31st, 1960.

The said Resolution was reported, and, by leave of the Assembly, read twice and agreed to, and the Committee given leave to sit again later today.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee)

The following Resolution was adopted:—

Resolved, That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the sum of Twelve Million, Seven Hundred and Ninety-eight Thousand, Four Hundred and Twenty-nine Dollars and Thirteen Cents be granted out of the Consolidated Fund.

The said Resolution was reported, and, by leave of the Assembly, read twice and agreed to, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

Leave having been granted, the Hon. Mr. Fines presented Bill No. 107—An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of Money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Year ending the Thirty-first day of March, 1960.

The said Bill was received and read the first time.

By leave of the Assembly, and under Standing Order 58, the said Bill was then read the second and third time and passed.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read the third time, and passed:

Bill No. 96—An Act to amend The Pest Control Act, 1956.

Bill No. 101—An Act to amend The Mineral Taxation Act.

Bill No. 104—An Act to amend The Power Corporation Act.

Bill No. 97—An Act to amend The Provincial Lands Act.

Bill No. 61—An Act respecting Mineral Resources.

The following Bills were reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 86—An Act to amend The Village Act.

Bill No. 103—An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act.

Bill No. 77—An Act respecting Northern Co-operative Trading Services Limited.

9:50 o'clock p.m.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having entered the Chamber, took his seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour:—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly to date in the present Session has passed several Bills, which, in the name of the Assembly I present to Your Honour, and to which Bills I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed severally as follows:—

No.

- 43 An Act to amend The Minimum Wage Act.
- 75 An Act to provide Assistance to Farmers in the Establishment and Development of Family Farms as Economic Farm Units.
- 81 An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act.
- 82 An Act to amend The Game Act.
- 84 An Act to amend The City Act.
- 85 An Act to amend The Town Act.
- 93 An Act to amend the Statute Law.
- 99 An Act to amend The Corrections Act.
- 100 An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Hospitalization Act.

- 102 An Act to amend The Housing Act.
 86 An Act to amend The Village Act.
 103 An Act to amend The Rural Municipality Act.
 77 An Act respecting Northern Co-operative Trading Services Limited.
 96 An Act to amend The Pest Control Act, 1956.
 97 An Act to amend The Provincial Lands Act.

The Royal Assent to these Bills was announced by the Clerk:

“In Her Majesty’s name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these Bills.”

Mr. Speaker then said:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

The Legislative Assembly has voted Supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service. In the name of the Assembly, I present to Your Honour the following Bill:—

“An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of Money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Year ending the Thirty-first day of March, 1960,”

to which Bill I respectfully request Your Honour’s Assent.

The Royal assent to this Bill was announced by the Clerk:

“In Her Majesty’s name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth thank the Legislative Assembly, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill.”

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor then retired from the Chamber.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following paper was laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 42) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 12, 1959, on motion of Mrs. Batten, showing:

Rates of the Saskatchewan Power Corporation currently in effect for electricity and for natural gas.

(Sessional Paper No. 124)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Wednesday, April 1, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Friday next:

Bill No. 108—An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.
(Hon. Mr. Walker)

Bill No. 109—An Act to amend The Attachment of Debts Act.
(Hon. Mr. Walker)

Bill No. 110—An Act to amend The Companies Winding Up Act.
(Hon. Mr. Walker)

Bill No. 111—An Act to amend The Community Planning Act, 1957. *(Hon. Mr. McIntosh)*

Mr. Speaker read a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, as follows:

FRANK L. BASTEDO,
Lieutenant-Governor

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

I have received with great pleasure the Address which you have voted in reply to my Speech at the Opening of the present Session of the Legislature, and wish to express to you my sincere thanks for it.
REGINA, March 25, 1959. *(Sessional Paper No. 126)*

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was dropped on the ground that, in its present form, it was unanswerable:

By Mr. Gardiner, No. 226.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. Gardiner, No. 227.

The Order of the Day being called for the following Question (No. 228), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Question stand as a Notice of Motion for a Return:—

By Mr. Korchinski:

The amounts of unconditional grants paid in 1957-58 to the following Rural Municipalities: Nos. 434, 435, 436, 437, 466, 467, 468, 469.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. McFarlane, Nos. 229 and 230.

According to Order, the following Bill was read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 105—An Act to amend The Annual Holidays Act.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bill was reported without amendment, read the third time, and passed:

Bill No. 98—An Act to amend The Child Welfare Act.

The following Bill was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 91—An Act respecting Co-operative Fisheries Limited.

On the following Bill progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 63—An Act respecting Crown Timber and Conservation and Preservation of Forest Lands.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following paper was laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 57) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. McFarlane, showing:

The name, salary and expenses of each person employed by the Centre for Community Studies for its financial year ending June 30, 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 125)

At 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5(2), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Thursday, April 2, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

The Questions (Nos. 231, 235, 237, 238 and 240) on the Orders of the Day, were passed by the Assembly as Orders for Returns, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers, accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Foley, for a Return (No. 71) showing:

- (1) For each of the following lakes in Saskatchewan, namely, Turtle, Bright Sand, Chitek, Little Loon, Birch, Wichegan, Midnight,
 - (1) As represented on the latest topographical map or aerial photograph (a) the length of shoreline, (b) the surface area, (c) the average depth in each case.
- (2) The fish found in each lake.
- (3) During the years from 1944-45 to date, restocking activities which have taken place.

By Mr. McCarthy, for a Return (No. 72) showing:

- (1) The operator of the Government farm at Cumberland settlement, and his wages for the year 1958.
- (2) The net profit or loss on the said farm for each of the years from January 1, 1947, to December 31, 1958.
- (3) The amount of each type of product produced on the farm for each year since the farm was established.
- (4) The disposition made of the said products.
- (5) In regard to Return No. 51, the products sold to indicate sales of \$316.45.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 73) showing:

In the operating costs of the Anti-Tuberculosis League in the operation of the Sanatoria in Saskatchewan, the total contribution in each year from 1944 to 1958, by (a) the Provincial Government, (b) Municipalities, (c) voluntary contributions.

By Mr. Foley, for a Return (No. 74) showing:

- (1) Number of miles of (a) main power transmission lines, (b) natural gas lines, (c) rural power lines, constructed in the Province to date.
- (2) The total cost of each of (a), (b), and (c), to date.

By Mr. Foley, for a Return (No. 75) showing:

- (1) The Aerial Photographic Surveys which have been undertaken by the Government during each year since 1944-45.
- (2) The cost of each survey and who conducted it.
- (3) For what areas of the province Aerial Photographs are available to the public.

Moved by Mr. Loptson, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 66) showing:

- (1) Number of gallons of gasoline purchased by the Department of Highways during the fiscal year 1957-58.
- (2) The price paid per gallon.
- (3) From whom this gasoline was purchased.
- (4) Whether or not tenders were called for.
- (5) If tenders were called for, the names of the firms tendering on same.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown) seconded by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

That parts (1) to (5) be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

- “(1) Exclusive of incidental retail pump sales, (a) the names of oil companies from which gasoline was purchased by the Department of Highways and Transportation during the fiscal year, 1957-58, (b) the number of gallons purchased from each company.
- (2) The price paid per gallon.
- (3) Whether or not tenders were called for.
- (4) If tenders were called for, the names of the firms tendering on same.”

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 66) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Loptson, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 67) showing:

- (1) Number of gallons of bituminous oil purchased by the Department of Highways during the fiscal year 1957-58.
- (2) The price paid per gallon.
- (3) From whom this oil was purchased.
- (4) Whether or not tenders were called for.
- (5) If tenders were called for, the names of the firms tendering on same.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

That part (2) be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

“(2) The average price paid to each supplier during the year.”

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment, and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 67) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Korchinski, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 68) showing:

The amounts of unconditional grants paid in 1957-58 to the following Rural Municipalities: Nos. 434, 435, 436, 437, 466, 467, 468, 469.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

That the words “and other” be inserted after the word “unconditional”.

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment, and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 68) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

According to Order, the following Bill was read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 106—An Act respecting The Summer Resort Village of Carlyle Lake Resort.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bill, on which progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 2—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following paper was laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 16: Amendment to Bylaws:
Of the Saskatchewan Land Surveyors Act.

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Friday, April 3, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

The Questions (Nos. 243 and 244) on the Orders of the Day, were passed by the Assembly as Orders for Returns, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers, accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Coderre, for a Return (No. 77) showing:

The amount in municipal grant, and other grants, if any, received by following municipalities in each year 1950 to date: Nos. 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136 and 137.

By Mr. Foley, for a Return (No. 78) showing:

- (1) The Provincial highways serviced by road-side picnic tables as at March 31, 1959.
- (2) Number of tables located on each of such highways.

The Order of the Day being called for the following Question (No. 248), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Question stand as a Notice of Motion for a Return:—

By Mr. Gardiner:

The total amount paid for care and treatment in Geriatric Centres, during the year 1958, by all patients other than those receiving pensions, or those whose care is paid by the Federal Government for care of veterans.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, according to Order, referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:—

By Mr. Foley, Nos. 253 and 254.

The answer to Question No. 247, asked by Mr. Gardiner, and tabled by the Hon. Mr. Fines, on behalf of the Hon. Mr. Lloyd, was, by leave of the Assembly and by reason of its length, converted to a Return (No. 79) showing:

The names of the individuals, and the organizations they represent, engaged at present on revision of the school curriculum.
(*Sessional Paper No. 129*)

According to Order, the following Bills were read the second time, and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting:

Bill No. 108—An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

Bill No. 109—An Act to amend The Attachment of Debts Act.

Bill No. 110—An Act to amend The Companies Winding Up Act.

Bill No. 111—An Act to amend The Community Planning Act, 1957.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read the third time, and passed:

Bill No. 106—An Act respecting The Summer Resort Village of Carlyle Lake Resort.

Bill No. 105—An Act to amend The Annual Holidays Act.

The following Bills were reported with amendment, considered as amended, and ordered to be read the third time at the next sitting:

Bill No. 63—An Act respecting Crown Timber and Conservation and Preservation of Forest Lands.

Bill No. 73—An Act respecting the Drilling of Water Wells and the Conservation and Utilization of Ground Water.

Bill No. 35—An Act to amend The Queen's Bench Act.

On the following Bill progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 94—An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation (Accident Fund) Act, 1955.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

The following Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers:—

By Mr. Foley, for a Return (No. 69) showing:

Names and addresses of farmer permittees, and quantity of spruce lumber received by each of said permittees from the Bronson Forest Reserve during each of the years 1953-54 to date.

By Mr. Foley, for a Return (No. 70) showing:

The total paid in grants to each unit of local government wholly or partly within the Turtleford Constituency for each of the years 1953-54 to 1957-58 inclusive.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the Assembly do now revert to ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS: Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees.

Mr. Gibson, from the Select Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the First Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee met for organization and appointed Mr. Gibson as its Chairman, and Mr. Davies as its Vice-Chairman.

Your Committee has considered the undernoted Bills, and has agreed to report the same without amendment:

Bill No. 02—An Act to amend and consolidate An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Co-operative Credit Society Limited.

Bill No. 03—An Act to amend Chapter 92 of the Statutes of 1955.

Bill No. 07—An Act to incorporate Western Turf and Driving Club Limited.

Bill No. 08—An Act to incorporate ^{*}Saskatchewan Hospital Association.

Bill No. 09—An Act to incorporate Weyburn Agricultural Society.

Bill No. 010—An Act to incorporate The Seventh Ave. and Pasqua St. Church of Christ.

Bill No. 011—An Act to incorporate Regina Grey Nuns' Hospital.

Bill No. 012—An Act to incorporate St. Paul's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Saskatoon.

Bill No. 013—An Act to incorporate St. Joseph's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Gravelbourg.

Bill No. 014—An Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Bible College.

Your Committee also has had under consideration the following Bill, and has agreed to report the same with amendment:

Bill No. 05—An Act to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon.

Your Committee also has considered Bill No. 01—An Act respecting Guaranty Trust Company and The Western Trust Company.

After hearing representations from the Agents for the Petitioners in connection with Bill No. 01, the Committee found it expedient to amend the Preamble thereto in order that cognizance might be taken of an Agreement between Guaranty Trust Company and The Western Trust Company entered into subsequent to the date of application and petition for a Private Act of the Legislature respecting the said Companies.

The Committee, therefore, agreed to report the said Bill No. 01 with the appropriate amendment to the Preamble.

Your Committee also considered Bill No. 06—An Act to provide for Exemption from Taxation of Certain Property of the Canadian Sunday School Mission.

Having heard representations from proponents of the Bill and from representatives of the Rural Municipality concerned in opposition thereto, the Committee found the Preamble not proven, and recommends to the Assembly that the said Bill No. 06 be not further proceeded with at this Session.

Your Committee has also considered the matter of the remission of fees, under Standing Order 80, and recommends to the Assembly—

That the fees paid in connection with the following Bills be remitted, less the cost of printing:

Bills Nos. 05, 06, 08, 010, 011, 012, 013 and 014.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of Mr. Gibson, seconded by Mr. Davies:

Ordered, That the First Report of the Select Standing Committee on Private Bills be now concurred in.

Mr. Willis (Elrose), from the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers, presented the First Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:

Your Committee met for organization and appointed Mr. Willis (Elrose) as its Chairman, and Mr. Dewhurst as its Vice-Chairman.

Your Committee has had under consideration the following Bills, and has agreed to report the same without amendment:

Bill No. 59—An Act to amend The Chiropractic Act.

Bill No. 89—An Act respecting the Disposal of Certain Funds of Saskatchewan Co-operative Abattoirs Limited.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 35) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 18, 1959, on motion of Mr. Lopton, showing:

The amount of money the Government of Saskatchewan received from the Saskatchewan Cement Company Limited, located at Regina, since it has been operating (a) for royalties, (b) for guarantee fees.

(Sessional Paper No. 127)

Return (No. 59) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

A copy of all documents or publications issued or distributed to date by the Centre for Community Studies.

(Sessional Paper No. 128)

The Assembly adjourned at 9:55 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, until Monday next at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Monday, April 6, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Gardiner asked leave to move the adjournment of the Assembly, under Standing Order 20, for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely that, effective April 1, 1959, changes had been made in regulations relating to recipients of Old Age Security Supplemental Allowances, Blind Persons' Allowances and Mothers' Allowances, which would have the effect of increasing drug and medical expenses to individuals receiving such payments.

A point of Order being raised by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn) that an opportunity of discussing the matter referred to would be presented during consideration of the Estimates of the Department of Social Welfare and Rehabilitation in the Committee of Supply,

Mr. Speaker ruled that the point was well taken, and that there was not sufficient urgency since an early opportunity would be provided for discussion of the matter raised. Mr. Speaker, therefore, declined to put the motion from the Chair.

The Question (No. 266) on the Orders of the Day, was passed by the Assembly as an Order for a Return, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer, accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 81) showing

- (1) Whether or not Mrs. D. H. F. Black is an employee of the Government or any of its Crown Corporations.
- (2) If so, her position and the salary she received in the year 1958.

According to Order, the following Bills were read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 63—An Act respecting Crown Timber and Conservation and Preservation of Forest Lands.

Bill No. 73—An Act respecting the Drilling of Water Wells and the Conservation and Utilization of Ground Water.

Bill No. 35—An Act to amend The Queen's Bench Act.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 111—An Act to amend The Community Planning Act, 1957.

Bill No. 83—An Act respecting South Saskatchewan River Development Commission.

The following Bill was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 94—An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation (Accident Fund) Act, 1955.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the Assembly do now revert to ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS: Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees.

Mr. Willis (Elrose), from the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers, presented the Second Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee has had under consideration Bill No. 95—An Act to amend The Engineering Profession Act.

In considering the said Bill, Your Committee heard representations from its proponents, and from the Counsel and Registrar for the Association of Professional Engineers of Saskatchewan in opposition to the Bill. As both sides acknowledged the necessity of a complete revision of The Engineering Profession Act, and that the proposed amendment might better be considered in the new context, and since the Association in its brief to the Committee "undertakes to present to the 1960 Session of the Legislative Assembly its complete submission on the requirements of The Engineering Profession Act," including the right of appeal proposed in the Bill under review,

Your Committee has agreed to recommend to the Assembly that Bill No. 95 be not further proceeded with at this Session.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of Mr. Willis (Elrose), seconded by Mr. Dewhurst:

Ordered, That the Second Report of the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers be now concurred in.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain), a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 39) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 12, 1959, on motion of Mr. Barrie, showing:

Copy of Public Service Commission's monthly reports for August 30, 1958, and December 31, 1958.
(*Sessional Paper No. 130*)

The Answers to the undernoted Questions were tabled, and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:

By the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain): Answer to Question No. 190, asked by Mr. McFarlane.

By the Hon. Mr. Kuziak: Answers to Questions Nos. 267 and 268, asked by Mr. Foley.

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Tuesday, April 7, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

The Order of the Day being called for the following Question (No. 269), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Question stand as a Notice of Motion for a Return:—

By Mr. Coderre:

- (1) Number of level crossings in Saskatchewan on (a) the Trans-Canada Highway, (b) other blacktopped highways.
- (2) Number of car accidents which have occurred on mentioned crossings, if any.

The following Questions on the Orders of the Day were, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. McFarlane, Nos. 270 and 273.

Moved by Mr. Foley, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 76) showing:

- (1) In the 1957-58 fiscal year, the number of game licences sold by vendors in Game Management Zones 47, 46, 42, 44 for (a) deer, (b) moose-elk.
- (2) The total fees received for the licences issued as in (1) (a) and (1) (b).
- (3) On licences returned to the Department from all areas in the province, the recorded kill for (a) deer, (b) moose, (c) elk in Zones 42, 44, 46, 47, for the fiscal year 1957-58.
- (4) The percentages of deer, moose and elk licences returned to the Department for the above fiscal year.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

(1) That Part (1) be amended by striking out the words "(b) moose-elk", and substituting therefor "(b) moose, and (c) elk.";

(2) That Part (2) be amended by deleting the word "and", and adding after "(1) (b)" the following: "and (1) (c)".

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 76) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Gardiner, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 80) showing:

The total amount paid for care and treatment in Geriatric Centres, during the year 1958, by all patients other than those receiving pensions, or those whose care is paid by the Federal Government for care of veterans.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Bentley, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Erb:

(1) That the words "or on behalf of" be inserted after the word "by" in the second line;

(2) that the word "pensions" in the third line be deleted, and the following words substituted therefor:

"Old Age Security Pensions, Old Age Assistance, Blind Persons' Allowance and Disabled Persons' Allowance."

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 80) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Weber, seconded by Mr. Elias:

That this Assembly recommends to the Government the appointment of a Select Committee of the Assembly, under the provisions of Section 56A of The Legislative Assembly Act, as enacted by Chapter 85 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1958, to inquire into the operation and administration of The Trade Union Act in all its aspects;

the said Committee to be empowered to sit after prorogation, during the interval between Sessions; to have the powers and authority, as provided by Section 24 of The Legislative Assembly Act, to call for such persons, papers and things as the Committee may deem necessary in any of its proceedings or deliberations; to examine witnesses under oath or affirmation, and to report the results of its inquiry to the Assembly within the first ten sitting days of the next ensuing Session;

the said Select Committee to be composed of such Members of the Assembly as may be named later.

A debate arising, it was, on motion of Mr. Loptson, adjourned.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed.

Bill No. 01—An Act respecting Guaranty Trust Company of Canada and The Western Trust Company.

Bill No. 02—An Act to amend and consolidate An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Co-operative Credit Society Limited.

Bill No. 03—An Act to amend Chapter 92 of the Statutes of 1955.

Bill No. 05—An Act to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon.

Bill No. 07—An Act to incorporate Western Turf and Driving Club Limited.

Bill No. 08—An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Hospital Association.

Bill No. 09—An Act to incorporate Weyburn Agricultural Society.

Bill No. 010—An Act to incorporate The Seventh Ave. and Pasqua St. Church of Christ.

Bill No. 011—An Act to incorporate Regina Grey Nuns' Hospital.

Bill No. 012—An Act to incorporate St. Paul's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Saskatoon.

Bill No. 013—An Act to incorporate St. Joseph's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Gravelbourg.

Bill No. 014—An Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Bible College.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Thorson:

That this Assembly, requests the Government of Saskatchewan to again urge the Government of Canada to convene a Dominion-Provincial Conference at which special attention will be given to establishing a policy whereby the Provinces receive a larger share and a more equitable distribution of funds from the Government of Canada within the framework of the Tax-Rental Agreements.

and the proposed amendment thereto by Mr. McCarthy, as amended:

“and we commend the Government of Saskatchewan for giving a reasonable share of money received from the Federal Government under the Tax-Rental Agreements to the payment of unconditional grants to the municipalities.”

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment as amended, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That the proposed amendment as amended be further amended by striking out all the words after “Tax-Rental Agreements” in the third line and substituting therefor the following:

“in the form of additional financial assistance to local governments, and urge that representatives of the latter be invited to attend the proposed Dominion-Provincial Conference.”

A Point of Order being raised by Mr. Danielson as to the admissibility of the proposed sub-amendment on the ground that the Assembly had voted to adopt the amendment as amended,

Mr. Speaker ruled the proposed sub-amendment in order on the grounds: (1) that the question before the Assembly was the amendment as amended; (2) that the Assembly had voted only to alter certain words in the first part of the proposed amendment; (3) that the sub-amendment now proposed to strike out certain words in the latter part of the amendment as amended and to substitute other words therefor, and (4) inasmuch as the Assembly had not yet expressed an opinion on the part of the amendment to which the sub-amendment related, it was within the competence of the Mover to move the proposed sub-amendment.

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment to the amendment as amended, it was, on motion of Mr. Cameron, adjourned.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 59—An Act to amend The Chiropractic Act.

Bill No. 89—An Act respecting the Disposal of Certain Funds of Saskatchewan Co-operative Abattoirs Limited.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bill, on which progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 2—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 44) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 9, 1959, on motion of Mr. Korchinski, showing:

The total costs to date, including costs of reports, of the Royal Commission on Agriculture and Rural Life.

(Sessional Paper No. 131)

Return (No. 36) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 12, 1959, on motion of Mr. Korchinski, showing:

Number of (a) passenger cars, (b) trucks, (c) other motor vehicles, owned by each Department, Branch and Agency of the Government as at January 1, 1959.

(Sessional Paper No. 132)

Return (No. 37) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 12, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

The make, model and purchase price of each motor vehicle purchased in the fiscal year 1957-58 for each Department, Branch and other Agency of the Government.

(Sessional Paper No. 133)

Return (No. 52) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 18, 1959, on motion of Mr. Korchinski, showing:

The total amount paid to, and on account of, each Cabinet Minister for expenses, including car expenses, in the fiscal year 1957-58.
(*Sessional Paper No. 134*)

Return (No. 71) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 2, 1959, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

- (1) For each of the following lakes in Saskatchewan, namely, Turtle, Bright Sand, Chitek, Little Loon, Birch, Wichegan, Midnight,
(1) As represented on the latest topographical map or aerial photograph (a) the length of shoreline, (b) the surface area, (c) the average depth in each case.
- (2) The fish found in each lake.
- (3) During the years from 1944-45 to date, restocking activities which have taken place.

(*Sessional Paper No. 135*)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Wednesday, April 8, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Willis (Elrose), from the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers, presented the Third Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee has had under consideration Bill No. 90—An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan.

During its consideration of the said Bill, the Committee heard representations from The College of Dental Surgeons of Saskatchewan, proponent of the Bill, through its Counsel and officers, from representatives of the Association of Dental Technicians of Saskatchewan in support of the Bill, and from representatives of a group of Public Denturists operating in Saskatchewan in opposition to the Bill.

The dental technicians, in a brief presented to the Committee, stated that a draft Dental Technicians Act had been submitted by their Association to the Department of Public Health for consideration and suggestions, too late for introduction during the present Session of the Assembly. The public denturists agreed, for their part, that a Saskatchewan Dental Technicians Act was desirable and necessary to preserve high standards in the industry. The dental technicians further stated in their brief that the Bill for their Act was "complementary to the Dental Bill under consideration."

In view of these circumstances, the Committee is of the opinion that the two Bills, being complementary, might better be considered together at the next Session of the Assembly, and since no apparent hardship would be imposed on any of the parties concerned by deferment of the Dental Bill,

Your Committee recommends that Bill No. 90—An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan—be not further proceeded with at this Session.

According to an Order of the Assembly dated February 24, 1959, your Committee has considered and reviewed a draft of proposed Regulations made pursuant to The Liquor Licensing Act, 1959, and finds that the same embody the spirit and intent of the recommendations and postulates contained in the Report of the Liquor Sales Outlets Inquiry Committee, 1958.

Your Committee has duly examined new and amending Bylaws, Rules and Regulations of professional associations or societies incorporated under Acts of this Province, as referred to it by the Assembly, and comprising Sessional Paper No. 16 of the present Session.

Your Committee recommends that the Bylaws, Rules or Regulations of the undermentioned professional bodies, as submitted, be ratified and approved:

Of Saskatchewan Dietetic Association

Of The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Saskatchewan

Of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan

Of The College of Dental Surgeons of Saskatchewan

Of Saskatchewan Registered Nurses' Association

Of Saskatchewan Pharmaceutical Association

Of Saskatchewan Land Surveyors Association.

Mr. Cameron having indicated a desire to debate one of the recommendations to the Assembly contained in the Report,

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, it was

Ordered, That the recommendations to the Assembly be presented in two separate Reports.

Further, by leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines, it was

Ordered, That the said Reports of the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers be considered later today.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. Gardiner, No. 277.

The Questions (Nos. 279 and 281) on the Orders of the Day, were passed by the Assembly as Orders for Returns, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers, accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 83) showing:

The total spent for the purchase of road construction machinery in each of the years 1948 to 1957 inclusive.

By Mr. Coderre, for a Return (No. 84) showing:

- (1) When the Saskatchewan Government first engaged in the marketing of fish.
- (2) The total advances paid out for the above purpose to date.
- (3) The total operating losses to date.
- (4) The total cost to date of the above operation including advances, floor price payments, interest, etc.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

Moved by Mr. Cederre, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 82) showing:

- (1) Number of level crossings in Saskatchewan on (a) the Trans-Canada Highway, (b) other blacktopped highways. *
- (2) Number of car accidents which have occurred on mentioned crossings, if any.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown), seconded by Mr. Howe:

That all the words after "showing" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

- "(1) As at December 31, 1958, the number of railway highway intersections at grade in Saskatchewan on (a) the Trans-Canada Highway, including its route through towns and cities, (b) other bituminous surfaced provincial highways and bituminous surfaced routes of provincial highways through towns and cities.
- (2) During the period October 1, 1953, to December 31, 1958, the number of motor vehicle accidents that occurred on those crossings listed under (1) (a) and (1) (b)."

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment, and the question put, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 82) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly to the proper officer.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 47) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 17, 1959, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

During 1957-58, for each Department of the Government, the programs sponsored, and amount paid for: (a) Radio, (b) Television.

(Sessional Paper No. 136)

Return (No. 58) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 24, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

The number of students attending classes in each grade in the schools of the province, according to Units and Superintendencies at the beginning of the school term in September 1958.

(Sessional Paper No. 137)

The Answers to the undernoted Questions were tabled, and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:

By the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain): Answer to Question No. 182, asked by Mr. McFarlane.

By the Hon. Mr. Kuziak: Answer to Question No. 253, asked by Mr. Foley.

At 5:35 o'clock, Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5(2), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Thursday, April 9, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Gibson, from the Select Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the Second Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee has had under consideration the following Bill, and has agreed to report the same, with amendment:

Bill No. 04—An Act to confirm a Certain Agreement between
The City of Regina and McCallum Hill & Co. Limited.

In considering the said Bill, the Committee found it necessary and expedient to amend the Preamble to take cognizance of an Agreement between The City and the Company, dated March 23, 1959, amending the original Agreement which forms Schedule A of the Bill. A true copy of the amending Agreement, which was entered into subsequently to the presentation of the Petition, is appended to the Bill as Schedule B.

The Order of the Day being called for the following Question (No. 282), under subsection (2) of Standing Order 31, it was ordered that the said Question stand as a Notice of Motion for a Return:—

By Mr. McFarlane:

The total amount of arrears of taxes on Crown Lands in L.I.D.'s as of December 31, 1958.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Weber:

That this Assembly recommends to the Government the appointment of a Select Committee of the Assembly, under the provisions of Section 56A of The Legislative Assembly Act, as enacted by Chapter 85 of the Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1958, to inquire into the operation and administration of The Trade Union Act in all its aspects;

the said Committee to be empowered to sit after prorogation, during the interval between Sessions; to have the powers and authority, as provided by Section 24 of The Legislative Assembly Act, to call for such persons, papers and things as the Committee may deem necessary in any of its proceedings or deliberations; to examine witnesses under oath or affirmation, and to report the results of its inquiry to the Assembly within the first ten sitting days of the next ensuing Session;

the said Select Committee to be composed of such Members of the Assembly as may be named later.

The debate continuing, in amendment thereto, it was moved by Mr. Loptson, seconded by Mr. Danielson:

That all the words after "Assembly" be deleted and the following words substituted therefor:

"request the Government of Saskatchewan to urge the Government of Canada to appoint an appropriate commission to investigate Trade Union activities and administrations as they effect the economy of Canada.

That such commission should have power to extend their investigation into provincial jurisdictions of such provinces that request them to do so."

Mr. Speaker having deferred his ruling as to the admissibility of the proposed amendment, and the debate continuing on the motion, Mr. Speaker later informed the Assembly that he would be prepared to propose Mr. Loptson's amendment, if the Assembly agreed to admit it.

The Assembly having agreed, and the debate continuing on the proposed amendment, and the question being put thereon, it was negatived by the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Danielson

Loptson

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NAYS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)

Brown (Bengough)

Bentley

McIntosh

Brockelbank

Fines

Walker

Lloyd

Cooper (Mrs.)

Gibson

Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)

Brown (Last Mountain)

Howe

Kuziak

Williams

Heming

Johnson

Thurston

Dewhurst

Stone

Willis (Elrose)

Berezowsky

Neibrandt

Davies

Meakes

Wood

Thorson

Thiessen

McDonald

Batten (Mrs.)

McCarthy

Horsman

Cameron

Coderre

Barrie

Gardiner

McFarlane

Klein

Weber

Elias

Nicholson

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The debate continuing on the main motion, and the question being put, it was negatived on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Weber	Elias	Nicholson	—3
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NAYS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Williams	Thiessen	
Brown (Bengough)	Heming	McDonald	
Bentley	Johnson	Batten (Mrs.)	
McIntosh	Thurston	McCarthy	
Brockelbank	Dewhurst	Horsman	
Fines	Stone	Cameron	
Walker	Willis (Elrose)	Danielson	
Lloyd	Berezowsky	Loptson	
Cooper (Mrs.)	Neibrandt	Coderre	
Gibson	Davies	Barrie	
Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)	Meakes	Gardiner	
Brown (Last Mountain)	Wood	McFarlane	
Howe	Thorson	Klein	
Kuziak			—40

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Thorson:

That this Assembly, requests the Government of Saskatchewan to again urge the Government of Canada to convene a Dominion-Provincial Conference at which special attention will be given to establishing a policy whereby the Provinces receive a larger share and a more equitable distribution of funds from the Government of Canada within the framework of the Tax-Rental Agreements.

and the proposed amendment thereto by Mr. McCarthy, as amended:

“and we commend the Government of Saskatchewan for giving a reasonable share of money received from the Federal Government under the Tax-Rental Agreements to the payment of unconditional grants to the municipalities.”

and the proposed amendment to the amendment as amended, by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

That the proposed amendment as amended be further amended by striking out all the words after “Tax-Rental Agreements” in the third line and substituting therefor the following:

“in the form of additional financial assistance to local governments, and urge that representatives of the latter be invited to attend the proposed Dominion-Provincial Conference.”

The question being put on the proposed amendment to the amendment as amended, it was agreed to, on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)	Stone
Brown (Bengough)	Brown (Last Mountain)	Willis (Elrose)
Bentley	Howe	Berezowsky
McIntosh	Kuziak	Neibrandt
Brockelbank	Williams	Davies
Fines	Heming	Meakes
Walker	Johnson	Wood
Lloyd	Thurston	Thorson
Cooper (Mrs.)	Dewhurst	Thiessen
Gibson		

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NAYS

Messieurs

McDonald	Danielson	McFarlane
Batten (Mrs.)	Loptson	Klein
McCarthy	Coderre	Weber
Horsman	Barrie	Elias
Cameron	Gardiner	Nicholson

—15

The debate continuing on the amendment as further amended, in amendment thereto, it was moved by Mr. Cameron, seconded by Mr. McDonald:

(1) That the following words be inserted after the word "giving" in the first line of the amendment as further amended:

"support to the request to convene a Dominion-Provincial Conference, and urge the said Government to consider"

(2) That the following words be inserted after the word "assistance" in the fourth line:

"and unconditional grants".

A Point of Order being raised by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, that the proposed amendment to the amendment as further amended was inadmissible, under Citation 413 of Beauchesne's Parliamentary Rules and Forms, 2nd Edition, in that it asked the Assembly to reverse a decision already made,

Mr. Speaker held that the point was well taken, and that the proposed amendment was also out of order in that it violated the principle set forth in Citation 361, of Beauchesne's 3rd Edition.

Mr. Danielson having appealed from the ruling of the Chair, Mr. Speaker put the question: Shall the ruling of the Chair be sustained?—which was resolved in the affirmative on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)	Stone
Brown (Bengough)	Brown (Last Mountain)	Willis (Elrose)
Bentley	Howe	Berezowsky
McIntosh	Kuziak	Neibrandt
Brockelbank	Williams	Davies
Fines	Heming	Meakes
Walker	Johnson	Wood
Lloyd	Thurston	Thorson
Gibson	Dewhurst	Thiessen

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NAYS

Messieurs

McDonald	Danielson	McFarlane
Batten (Mrs.)	Loptson	Klein
McCarthy	Coderre	Weber
Horsman	Barrie	Elias
Cameron	Gardiner	Nicholson

—15

The debate continuing on the amendment as further amended, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Gibson	Stone
Brown (Bengough)	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)	Willis (Elrose)
Bentley	Brown (Last Mountain)	Berezowsky
McIntosh	Howe	Neibrandt
Brockelbank	Kuziak	Davies
Fines	Heming	Meakes
Walker	Johnson	Wood
Lloyd	Thurston	Thorson
Cooper (Mrs.)	Dewhurst	Thiessen

—27

NAYS

Messieurs

McDonald	Danielson	McFarlane
Batten (Mrs.)	Loptson	Klein
McCarthy	Coderre	Weber
Horsman	Barrie	Elias
Cameron	Gardiner	Nicholson

—15

The debate continuing on the motion as amended, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded division:

YEAS

Messieurs

Douglas (Weyburn)	Gibson	Stone
Brown (Bengough)	Willis (Melfort-Tisdale)	Willis (Elrose)
Bentley	Brown (Last Mountain)	Berezowsky
McIntosh	Howe	Neibrandt
Brockelbank	Kuziak	Davies
Fines	Heming	Meakes
Walker	Johnson	Wood
Lloyd	Thurston	Thorson
Cooper (Mrs.)	Dewhurst	Thiessen

—27

NAYS

Messieurs

McDonald	Danielson	McFarlane
Batten (Mrs.)	Lopton	Klein
McCarthy	Coderre	Weber
Horsman	Barrie	Elias
Cameron	Gardiner	Nicholson

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The Order of the Day being called for "Consideration of the Reports of the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers,"

Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the Order of the Assembly, requested that the recommendations contained in the Report of the said Committee presented on Wednesday, April 8, 1959, be presented in two separate Reports. Thereupon,

Mr. Willis (Elrose), from the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers, presented the Third Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

According to an Order of the Assembly dated February 24, 1959, your Committee has considered and reviewed a draft of proposed Regulations made pursuant to The Liquor Licensing Act, 1959, and finds that the same embody the spirit and intent of the recommendations and postulates contained in the Report of the Liquor Sales Outlets Inquiry Committee, 1958.

Your Committee has duly examined new and amending Bylaws, Rules and Regulations of professional associations or societies incorporated under Acts of this Province, as referred to it by the Assembly, and comprising Sessional Paper No. 16 of the present Session.

Your Committee recommends that the Bylaws, Rules or Regulations of the undermentioned professional bodies, as submitted, be ratified and approved:

Of Saskatchewan Dietetic Association
Of The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Saskatchewan
Of The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan
Of The College of Dental Surgeons of Saskatchewan
Of Saskatchewan Registered Nurses' Association
Of Saskatchewan Pharmaceutical Association
Of Saskatchewan Land Surveyors Association

On motion of Mr. Willis (Elrose), seconded by Mr. Dewhurst:

Ordered, That the Third Report of the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers be now concurred in.

Mr. Willis (Elrose), from the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers, presented the Fourth Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee has had under consideration Bill No. 90—An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan.

During its consideration of the said Bill, the Committee heard representations from The College of Dental Surgeons of Saskatchewan, proponent of the Bill, through its Counsel and officers, from representatives of the Association of Dental Technicians of Saskatchewan in support of the Bill, and from representatives of a group of Public Denturists operating in Saskatchewan in opposition to the Bill.

The dental technicians, in a brief presented to the Committee, stated that a draft Dental Technicians Act had been submitted by their Association to the Department of Public Health for consideration and suggestions, too late for introduction during the present Session of the Assembly. The public denturists agreed, for their part, that a Saskatchewan Dental Technicians Act was desirable and necessary to preserve high standards in the industry. The dental technicians further stated in their brief that the Bill for their Act was "complementary to the Dental Bill under consideration."

In view of these circumstances, the Committee is of the opinion that the two Bills, being complementary, might better be considered together at the next Session of the Assembly, and since no apparent hardship would be imposed on any of the parties concerned by deferment of the Dental Bill,

Your Committee recommends that Bill No. 90—An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan—be not further proceeded with at this Session.

Moved by Mr. Willis (Elrose), seconded by Mr. Dewhurst:

That the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers be now concurred in.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by Mr. Cameron, seconded by Mr. McDonald:

That all the words after "That" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"the Fourth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers be not now concurred in, but that it be referred back to the said Committee with instructions that it have power to reconsider Bill No. 90—An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan—and to amend its Report thereon."

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment, and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion as amended, it was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That tomorrow (Friday), the Assembly shall meet at 10 o'clock in the morning, and that, in addition to the usual intermission at 5:30 o'clock p.m., there shall also be an intermission from 12:30 o'clock p.m. to 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following paper was laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 56) to an Order of the Assembly dated March 20, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

The total number of teachers teaching in Saskatchewan at the commencement of the September term 1958 by classification, in each Larger Unit and Superintendency.

(Sessional Paper No. 138)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

Regina, Friday, April 10, 1959

10:00 o'clock a.m.

PRAYERS:

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bills:—

The following Bills were reported without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 67—An Act respecting Hours of Work.

Bill No. 65—An Act to amend The Local Government Board Act.

Bill No. 108—An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

Bill No. 110—An Act to amend The Companies Winding Up Act.

Bill No. 109—An Act to amend The Attachment of Debts Act.

The following Bill was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read a third time and passed:

Bill No. 2—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again, later today.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the name of Mr. Brown (Bengough) be substituted for that of Mr. Harrop on the list of Members composing the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the following Bill, on which progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again later today.

Bill No. 92—An Act to facilitate the Re-negotiation of Certain Contracts respecting Mineral Rights.

The Assembly, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 61) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 26, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

A copy of all tests used at the Teachers' Colleges in Moose Jaw and Saskatoon to determine student adaptability, during 1958.
(*Sessional Paper No. 139*)

Return (No. 69) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 3, 1959, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

Names and addresses of farmer permittees, and quantity of spruce lumber received by each of said permittees from the Bronson Forest Reserve during each of the years 1953-54 to date.
(*Sessional Paper No. 140*)

Return (No. 76) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 7, 1959, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

- (1) In the 1957-58 fiscal year, the number of game licenses sold by vendors in Game Management Zones 47, 46, 42, 44 for (a) deer, (b) moose, and (c) elk.
- (2) The total fees received for the licences issued as in (1) (a), (1) (b), and (1) (c).
- (3) On licences returned to the Department from all areas in the province, the recorded kill for (a) deer, (b) moose, (c) elk in Zones 42, 44, 46, 47, for the fiscal year 1957-58.
- (4) The percentages of deer, moose and elk licences returned to the Department for the above fiscal year.
(*Sessional Paper No. 141*)

Return (No. 53) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 19, 1959, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

In the following Rural Municipalities Nos. 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 486, 487, 488, 490, 491, 493, 494, 496, 497, 498, 499, 501, 502, 529, during each of the years 1947-48 and 1957-58:

- (a) the number of farming units being operated;
- (b) the total number of Rural Telephone companies operating in the said municipalities, and the total number of subscribers.
(*Sessional Paper No. 142*)

Return (No. 75) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 2, 1959, on motion of Mr. Foley, showing:

- (1) The Aerial Photographic Surveys which have been undertaken by the Government during each year since 1944-45.
- (2) The cost of each survey and who conducted it.
- (3) For what areas of the Province are Aerial Photographs available to the public.

(*Sessional Paper No. 143*)

The Answer to the undernoted Question was tabled, and referred to the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations:

By the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank: Answer to Question No. 189, asked by Mr. Weber.

At 10:05 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until Monday at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Monday, April 13, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Brown (Bengough), from the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations, presented the First Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee met for organization and appointed Mr. Brown (Bengough) as its Chairman, and Mr. Thurston as its Vice-Chairman.

Your Committee has held ten meetings, and has concluded its examination of the Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the last completed fiscal years of the various Crown Corporations and related Agencies, as referred to it, from time to time, by the Assembly.

Having duly examined the said Reports and Statements, your Committee has satisfied itself that they reflect the true state of the Corporations and Agencies to which they severally relate, as operated in accordance with Government policy.

In conducting its examination, the Committee interrogated the responsible Ministers, who attended with the Chief Officers of the respective Corporations and Agencies, no restriction being placed upon questions asked within the Order of Reference, save and except questions, the answers to which, in the opinion of the responsible Ministers, might disclose information contrary to the public interest or prejudicial to the commercial positions of the Corporation or Agency concerned.

Of the 35 Questions referred to the Committee by the Assembly, 30 have been answered to date. The following eleven Questions and Answers have been selected for recommendation to the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Printing for inclusion in the journals:

Questions Nos.: 121 and 153 (Mr. Coderre); 123 and 154 (Mr. Gardiner); 151 (Mr. Nicholson); 155 (Mr. Foley); 189 (Mr. Weber); 164, 165, 182 and 190 (Mr. McFarlane).

The Questions (Nos. 284 and 286) on the Orders of the Day were passed by the Assembly as Orders for Returns, under subsection (3) of Standing Order (31), and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers, accordingly, viz:—

By Mr. Cameron, for a Return (No. 90) showing:

- (1) Whether or not a company called Churchill Forest Holdings Ltd., is registered in Saskatchewan.
- (2) If so, (a) the date the company was formed; (b) the names of the original shareholders; (c) the names of the shareholders at December 31, 1958; and (d) the timber rights or leases the company holds in Saskatchewan.

By Mr. McCarthy, for a Return (No. 91) showing:

- (1) The number of miles designated as secondary highways which have been incorporated in the Provincial Highway system, and the location of this mileage;
- (2) The number of miles of road designated as secondary highways which have been incorporated in the Grid system, and the location of this mileage.

The following Question on the Orders of the Day was, by leave of the Assembly, withdrawn:—

By Mr. Gardiner, No. 285.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bill, on which progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again, later today:

Bill No. 92—An Act to facilitate the Re-negotiation of Certain Contracts respecting Mineral Rights.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Ordered, That the Assembly do now revert to ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS: Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees.

Mr. Dewhurst, from the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Printing, presented the First Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Your Committee met for organization, and appointed Mr. Dewhurst as its Chairman, and Mr. Wood as its Vice-Chairman.

Your Committee, having duly examined the Public Accounts for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958, finds the same in order, no let or hindrance having been placed upon interrogation of Ministers of the different Departments and Agencies of Government, the accounts of which came under review.

Your Committee also has considered the matter of Sessional printing, and recommends to the Assembly:

1. That 350 copies of the Journals be printed, including therewith the the "Questions and Answers" as an appendix;
2. that 100 copies of the Debates and Proceedings be multigraphed with all possible speed, one copy each to be supplied to Members of the Assembly;
3. that no Sessional Papers be printed;

4. that, of the Questions referred to, and answered in, the Select Standing Committee on Crown Corporations, eleven Questions and Answers, as selected by the said Committee, be printed, and included in the Journals.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of Mr. Dewhurst, seconded by Mr. Wood:

Ordered, That the First Report of the Select Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Printing be now concurred in.

The Assembly, according to Order, again resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bill, which was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 92—An Act to facilitate the Re-negotiation of Certain Contracts respecting Mineral Rights.

The following Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers:—

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 86) showing:

Copies of all correspondence between the Department of Public Health and the Town of Ogema with regard to the approving of their hospital for construction grants.

By Mr. Gardiner, for a Return (No. 88) showing:

The number of economists of all classifications hired by all Government Departments, Boards and agencies and by each of the Crown Corporations as at December 31, 1958.

Moved by Mr. Coderre, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 85) showing:

A list of all employees of the Government of Saskatchewan and its Crown Corporations who got leave of absence in May and June of 1956, with (a) the time and dates they were absent from their position, and (b) the amount of pay received during such absences from the Government and/or its Crown Corporations.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

That the following words be inserted after the word "absence" in the second line:

"other than vacation, education or sick leave"

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 85) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. McFarlane, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 87) showing:

The total amount of arrears of taxes on Crown Lands in L.I.D.'s as of December 31, 1958.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

That the words "Crown Lands" be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

"(a) Crown Lands, (b) privately-owned lands".

The question being put on the proposed amendment, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 87) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Moved by Mr. Gardiner, That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return (No. 89) showing:

The amount spent in each of the years 1945 to 1958 inclusive, by all Departments, Boards, agencies of the Government and all Crown Corporations for advertising and publicity through each of the following media, (a) Daily Newspapers; (b) Weekly and other periodicals; (c) Radio; (d) Television; (e) Printing of all pamphlets, periodicals, etc., by the Government for advertising and publicity purposes.

A debate arising, in amendment thereto, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Fines, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

(1) That the figures "1945" in the first line be deleted, and the figures "1950" substituted therefor;

(2) that all the words after the word "through" in the third line be deleted, and the following substituted therefor:

"all media"

The debate continuing on the proposed amendment, and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the motion for Return (No. 89) as amended, it was agreed to, and an Order of the Assembly issued, accordingly, to the proper officer.

Returns, Reports and Papers Tabled

The following papers were laid upon the Table:—

By the Hon. Mr. Walker, a member of the Executive Council:

Return (No. 18) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated February 26, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

- (1) The total amount of money paid to Phil South from 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (2) The amount paid to Phil South in each of the years 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (3) The total amount of money which has been paid to South Construction from 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (4) The amount paid to South Construction in each of the years 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (5) The total amount of money paid to South Brothers from 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (6) The amount paid to South Brothers in each of the years 1946 to 1958 inclusive.
- (7) The gravel contracts let in the three years when the weight clause was deleted and rates for hauling clause was deleted.
- (8) The amount paid to each of these contractors in each year.
- (9) The rate at which hired trucks were paid for hauling this material.

(Sessional Paper No. 144)

Return (No. 41) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated March 12, 1959, on motion of Mr. Gardiner, showing:

For each fiscal year since 1947-48, the total amount spent in construction, surfacing, purchase of land and for other purposes,

in connection with Highway No. 39 from Corinne to North Portal.

(Sessional Paper No. 145)

Return (No. 82) to an Order of the Legislative Assembly dated April 8, 1959, on motion of Mr. Coderre, showing:

- (1) As at December 31, 1958, the number of railway highway intersections at grade in Saskatchewan on (a) the Trans-Canada Highway, including its route through towns and cities, (b) other bituminous surfaced provincial highways and bituminous surfaced routes of provincial highways through towns and cities.
- (2) During the period October 1, 1953, to December 31, 1958, the number of motor accidents that occurred on those crossings listed under (1) (a) and (1) (b).

(Sessional Paper No. 146)

At 10:00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Standing Order 5 (3), until tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

Regina, Tuesday, April 14, 1959

2:30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Dewhurst, from the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers, presented the Fifth Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:—

Pursuant to the Order of the Assembly, dated April 9th, referring the undermentioned Bill back to the Committee with instructions that it have power to reconsider the said Bill, Your Committee has exercised the power conferred and, having considered the Bill clause by clause, has agreed to report the same with amendment:

Bill No. 90—An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan.

The said Bill was, under Standing Order 58, referred to a Committee of the Whole later today.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by Mr. McDonald:

Resolved, That this Assembly desires to express its warm congratulations to the Diocese of Qu'Appelle on the celebration of its 75th Anniversary, records its sincere commendation and appreciation of the inestimable contribution made, through its agency, to the spiritual, social and cultural life, not only of the community it has served so faithfully and well over the years, but also of the Province of Saskatchewan, and extends its best wishes for the continued success of the Diocese in all its endeavours.

Further, this Assembly desires to pay tribute to the qualities of leadership and of devout service of those, its titular heads, who have, since the days of Bishop Anson, so ably directed the affairs of the Diocese and inspired its good works.

By leave of the Assembly, on motion of the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn), seconded by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

Resolved, That this Assembly recommend to the Government that the necessary steps be taken, under Section 52 of The Legislative Assembly Act, to provide that the full indemnity and allowances which would, in happier circumstances, have been payable to the late Mr. Henry Begrand at the close of the present session, be made payable to the widow of the late Member for the Constituency of Kinistino, Mrs. Henry Begrand, of Hoey, Saskatchewan, or to such other person

as may be designated by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bill, which was reported without amendment, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 04—An Act to confirm a Certain Agreement between
The City of Regina and McCallum Hill & Co. Limited.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

The following Resolutions were adopted:—

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 1958-59

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31st, 1959, the following sums:

BUDGETARY EXPENDITURES

Vote No.			
1.	For Legislation	\$	7,250.00
2.	For Executive Council		41,000.00
3.	For Treasury		360,000.00
4.	For Municipal Affairs	\$	320,980.00
	Including:		
	“To provide for a Municipal Winter Works Program under agreement with the Federal Government, upon such terms and conditions and under such orders and regulations as may be made by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council . . . \$300,000.00”		
	Less: Estimated Reimbursement	<u>200,000.00</u>	120,980.00
5.	For Travel and Information	\$	27,000.00
6.	For Public Service Commission		124,500.00
7.	For Public Service Superannuation Board		15,000.00
8.	For Attorney General		101,300.00
9.	For Labour	\$	34,360.00
	Less: Estimated Reimbursement	<u>1,000.00</u>	33,360.00
10.	For Municipal Road Assistance Authority		1,200,000.00
11.	For Provincial Library		31,550.00
12.	For Public Health	\$3,694,600.00	
	Less: Estimated Reimbursement	<u>2,100,000.00</u>	1,594,600.00
13.	For Social Welfare and Rehabilitation	\$	736,000.00
	Less: Estimated Reimbursements	<u>237,000.00</u>	499,000.00

Vote No.		
14.	For Agriculture—Ordinary Expenditure	\$ 325,000.00
15.	For Natural Resources—Ordinary Expenditure	304,350.00
16.	For Natural Resources—Capital Expenditure	431,375.00
17.	For Co-operation and Co-operative Development	19,500.00

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18.	For Education	\$ 175,000.00
19.	For Treasury	2,000.00
	“To provide for loans and advances authorized by any Act, upon such terms and conditions as may be made by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council”	

MAIN ESTIMATES 1959-60

(Less amounts voted in Interim Supply)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:

BUDGETARY EXPENDITURES

Vote No.		
1.	For Administrator of Estates	\$ 122,770.00
2.	For Agriculture—Ordinary Expenditure	3,772,860.00
3.	For Agriculture—Capital Expenditure	1,550,000.00
4.	For Attorney General	2,802,900.00
5.	For Centre for Community Studies: “To provide assistance towards the administration of the Centre for Community Studies by way of a grant towards carrying out the program of such Centre, upon such terms and conditions and under such orders and regulations as may be made by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council”	119,430.00
6.	For Co-operation and Co-operative Development	472,290.00
7.	For Education	\$31,356,910.00
	Less: Estimated Reimbursements	283,900.00
		31,073,010.00
8.	For Executive Council	479,170.00
	Including: “Economic Advisory and Planning Board—To provide for payment of remuneration and expenses of professional, technical and other advisers to the Executive Council, and assistants to such advisers . . . \$95,010.00”	

Vote No.		
9.	For Highways and Transportation—Ordinary Expenditure	9,060,060.00
10.	For Highways and Transportation—Capital Expenditure	\$15,639,940.00
	Less: Estimated Reimbursement	<u>700,000.00</u>
		14,939,940.00
11.	For Labour	1,250,610.00
12.	For Legislation	162,790.00
13.	For Local Government Board	72,630.00
14.	For Local Government Continuing Committee— "To provide for payment of remuneration and expenses of professional, technical and other staff, and other administrative expenses of the Local Government Continuing Committee, upon such terms and conditions and under such orders and regulations as may be made by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council"	87,790.00
15.	For Mineral Resources	1,366,730.00
16.	For Municipal Affairs	957,030.00
17.	For Municipal Road Assistance Authority— "To provide: (a) Assistance for Market Road Grid; (b) Assistance for Bridges on Market Road Grid; (c) Assistance for Municipal Bridges; (d) Market Roads in Local Improvement Districts; (e) Municipal Assistance—Equalization Grants; (f) Municipal Ferry Accommodation; upon such terms and conditions and under such orders and regulations as may be made by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council."	6,166,350.00
18.	For Natural Resources—Ordinary Expenditure	3,446,720.00
19.	For Natural Resources—Capital Expenditure	\$ 2,664,000.00
	Less: Estimated Reimbursement	<u>1,164,000.00</u>
		1,500,000.00
20.	For Provincial Library	189,870.00
21.	For Provincial Secretary	\$ 85,800.00
22.	For Public Health	\$40,452,300.00
	Less: Estimated Reimbursements	<u>13,963,660.00</u>
		26,488,640.00
23.	For Public Service Commission	278,990.00
24.	For Public Service Superannuation Board	143,000.00
25.	For Public Works—Ordinary Expenditure	2,417,880.00
26.	For Public Works—Capital Expenditure	\$ 6,432,000.00
	Less: Estimated Reimbursements	<u>682,000.00</u>
		5,750,000.00
27.	For Purchasing Agency	100,260.00
28.	For Queen's Printer	40,310.00

Vote No.			
29.	For The Saskatchewan Research Council	\$	395,000.00
30.	For Social Welfare and Rehabilitation	\$18,142,940.00	
	Less: Estimated Reimbursements	5,427,510.00	12,715,430.00
31.	For The South Saskatchewan River Development Commission		25,000.00
32.	For Travel and Information		686,920.00
33.	For Treasury		2,349,900.00

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34.	For Education School Building Loans: "To provide for loans to school district boards and to school unit boards for the purpose of capital expenditure on school buildings and equipment upon such terms and conditions and under such regulations as may be made by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council and, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board, the said boards are hereby authorized to contract such loans by resolution"	\$	130,000.00
35.	For Government Finance Office— "To provide for an advance to the Government Finance Office for the Industrial Development Fund"		100,000.00
36.	For Treasury— "To provide for loans and advances authorized by any Act, upon such terms and conditions as may be made by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council"		60,000.00

The said Resolutions were reported, and, by leave of the Assembly, read twice and agreed to, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee)

The following resolutions were adopted:—

No. 1. Resolved, That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1959, the sum of Five Million, Four Hundred and Twelve Thousand, Seven Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars be granted out of Consolidated Fund.

No. 2. Resolved, That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty on account of certain expenses of the Public Service for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the sum of One Hundred and Eighteen Million, Five Hundred and Sixty-one Thousand, Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars and Eighty-seven Cents be granted out of the Consolidated Fund.

The said Resolutions were reported, and, by leave of the Assembly, read twice and agreed to, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

Leave having been granted, the Hon. Mr. Fines presented Bill No. 112—An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of Money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Years ending respectively the Thirty-first day of March, 1959, and the Thirty-first day of March, 1960.

The said Bill was received, and read the first time.

By leave of the Assembly, and under Standing Order 58, the said Bill No. 112 was then read the second and third time, and passed.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the undermentioned Bill, which was reported without amendment, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 90—An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan.

5:40 o'clock p.m.

His Honour the Administrator, having entered the Chamber, took his seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour:—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly at its present Session passed several Bills, which, in the name of the Assembly, I present to Your Honour, and to which Bills I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed severally as follows:

No.

- 2 An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Election Act.
- 35 An Act to amend The Queen's Bench Act.
- 59 An Act to amend The Chiropractic Act.
- 61 An Act respecting Mineral Resources 1959.
- 63 An Act respecting Crown Timber and Conservation and Preservation of Forest Lands.
- 65 An Act to amend The Local Government Board Act.
- 67 An Act respecting Hours of Work.

- 73 An Act respecting the Drilling of Water Wells and the Conservation and Utilization of Ground Water.
- 83 An Act respecting South Saskatchewan River Development Commission.
- 89 An Act respecting the Disposal of Certain Funds of Saskatchewan Co-operative Abattoirs Limited.
- 91 An Act respecting Co-operative Fisheries Limited.
- 92 An Act to facilitate the Re-negotiation of Certain Contracts respecting Mineral Rights.
- 94 An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation (Accident Fund) Act, 1955.
- 98 An Act to amend The Child Welfare Act.
- 101 An Act to amend The Mineral Taxation Act.
- 104 An Act to amend The Power Corporation Act.
- 105 An Act to amend The Annual Holidays Act.
- 106 An Act respecting The Summer Resort Village of Carlyle Lake Resort.
- 108 An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.
- 109 An Act to amend The Attachment of Debts Act.
- 110 An Act to amend The Companies Winding up Act.
- 111 An Act to amend The Community Planning Act, 1957.
- 90 An Act respecting the Dental Profession of Saskatchewan.
- 01 An Act respecting Guaranty Trust Company of Canada and The Western Trust Company.
- 02 An Act to amend and consolidate An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Co-operative Credit Society Limited.
- 03 An Act to amend Chapter 92 of the Statutes of 1955.
- 05 An Act to confirm a Certain Bylaw of the City of Saskatoon.
- 07 An Act to incorporate Western Turf and Driving Club Limited.
- 08 An Act to incorporate Saskatchewan Hospital Association.
- 09 An Act to incorporate Weyburn Agricultural Society.
- 010 An Act to incorporate The Seventh Ave. and Pasqua St. Church of Christ.
- 011 An Act to incorporate Regina Grey Nun's Hospital.
- 012 An Act to incorporate St. Paul's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Saskatoon.
- 013 An Act to incorporate St. Joseph's Hospital (Grey Nuns) of Gravelbourg.
- 014 An Act to incorporate Moose Jaw Bible College.
- 04 An Act to confirm a Certain Agreement between The City of Regina and McCallum Hill & Co. Limited.

The Royal Assent to these Bills was announced by the Clerk:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Administrator doth assent to these Bills."

Mr. Speaker then said:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly has voted the Supplies required to enable the Government to defray the expenses of the Public Service. In the name of the Assembly, I present to Your Honour the following Bill:

“An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of Money for the Public Service of the Fiscal Years ending respectively the Thirty-first day of March, 1959, and the Thirty-first day of March, 1960.”

The Royal Assent to this Bill was announced by the Clerk:

“In Her Majesty’s name, His Honour the Administrator doth thank the Legislative Assembly, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill.”

His Honour the Administrator was then pleased to deliver the following Speech:

MR. SPEAKER, MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

It is my duty to relieve you of further attendance at the Legislative Assembly. In doing so, I wish to thank you and congratulate you upon the work you have done. I wish also to express my confidence that the approval of the programs and plans presented to you will continue to provide the services necessary to the growth and development of our province.

You have made provision for schools in the province to receive additional grants. The scholarship program which you have approved will assist many students to obtain further education.

The legislation you have passed establishing a system of farm credits will afford additional assistance to young farmers to become established in agriculture.

The legislation you have passed to establish a South Saskatchewan River Development Commission will enable the Province to provide for the orderly development of this great irrigation and power project.

It is gratifying to observe the further development of the industrial potential of our province. Your decision to enact The Interprovincial Steel Corporation Limited Assistance Act 1959 has contributed to the establishment of a steel mill in Saskatchewan. It is anticipated that this important basic industry will encourage other related industries to come to our province.

You have provided for the transfer of provincially owned fish marketing and trading services to the people in Northern Saskatchewan to operate as co-operatives.

Your decision to authorize the Government to institute a new system of providing social aid will assist municipalities by providing for a more equitable distribution of the share of the costs involved.

You have approved legislation which will relieve the cities of the cost of housing surveys and will reduce the cities' contribution for low-rental housing.

Your decision to abolish *ex parte* interim injunctions in labour dispute cases, to amend The Fair Employment Practices Act and to amend The Workmen's Compensation (Accident Fund) Act will provide further protection to workers.

The legislation you have passed embodying recommendations of the Liquor Sales Outlets Inquiry Committee provides communities in our province with the opportunity of deciding, on the basis of local option, whether additional liquor outlets are desired.

You have enacted legislation which will implement certain of the recommendations contained in the Report of the Royal Commission on Certain Mineral Transactions.

No reference to the work of this Session would be complete without mention being made of the work of the Legislative Committees. The members of these Committees have applied themselves diligently to the matters referred to them by the Legislative Assembly.

I am pleased to note that you took time during this Session to extend suitable honours to the Richardson Rink, 1959 Dominion Curling Champions.

I thank you for the provision you have made to meet the further requirements of the Public Service and assure you that the sum of money voted will be used economically, prudently and in the public interest.

We look forward with much pleasure and anticipation to the forthcoming Royal Visit to Saskatchewan. Plans are being made which will enable the citizens of our province to greet Her Gracious Majesty The Queen and His Royal Highness The Prince Philip in various communities.

In taking leave of you, I desire to thank you for the manner in which you have devoted your energies to the activities of the Session and wish you the full blessing of Providence as you return again to your respective homes.

The Hon. Mr. Willis (Melfort-Tisdale), Acting Provincial Secretary, then said:

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

It is the will and pleasure of His Honour the Administrator that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued until it pleases His Honour to summon the same for the dispatch of business, and the Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

J. A. DARLING,
Speaker.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1959

1.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

- (1) What was the traffic count in 1958 on the grid road running north from Stoughton to the Trans-Canada Highway?

Answer: Maximum, 350 vehicles per day; Minimum, 42 vehicles per day; Average, 93 vehicles per day.

- (2) What was the traffic count in 1958 on the grid road running north from Francis to the Trans-Canada Highway?

Answer: No count made in 1958. 1957 count: Maximum, 123 vehicles per day; Minimum, 46 vehicles per day; Average, 92 vehicles per day.

2.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

- (1) What is the width of top of No. 56 Highway from the Trans-Canada Highway to the Katepwa bridge?

Answer: 22-foot top at time of construction, except for 4000 feet on the hill on the south side of the Qu'Appelle Valley, which was built 26-feet wide.

- (2) What was the total maintenance cost for the above-mentioned highway for the year 1957-58?

Answer: The maintenance control section on which costs are recorded extends from the junction with No. 1 to the junction with No. 10 Highway, and maintenance costs in the section designated must be pro-rated on a mileage basis. Calculated by this method, the maintenance cost for the fiscal year 1957-58 was \$11,040.68.

- (3) What was the road count on the said road during 1958?

Answer: A traffic count was taken on No. 56 Highway at a point approximately 1 mile north of No. 1 Highway for a period of 48 hours, from 4:30 p.m., April 21 to 4:30 p.m., April 23. The total traffic volume measured for this period was 488 vehicles. The derived average annual daily traffic volume based on this count is 300 vehicles per day.

3.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown:

- (1) What is the total cost of all buildings constructed in Katepwa Provincial Park during 1958?

Answer: \$15,540.73.

- (2) For what uses is the largest building intended?

Answer: Multiple purpose building which can provide checking facilities, showers, toilets, confectionery and light lunches, if required.

4.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

- (1) What was the highest percentage of cost on any project of the Grid Road System Grants paid by the Government up to December 31, 1958?

Answer: Including ferry approach roads, 100%.

- (2) What was the lowest percentage of cost up to December 31, 1958?

Answer: 40%. Provincial Government assistance is increased in all cases by 15% on expenditures in excess of \$4,000 per mile.

5.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

- (1) How many miles have been constructed under the Grid Road System Grant up to December 31, 1957?

Answer: Equivalent mileage, 1,970.49.

- (2) What was the total amount paid by the Government on the above up to December 31, 1957?

Answer: \$3,907,814.71.

7.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Erb:

How much was collected in Saskatchewan Hospital Card Tax collections from January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958?

Answer: \$9,933,723.81.

9.—Mr. McCarthy asked the Government the following Questions, answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

(1) What permits were issued during 1958 for hay cutting on Section 28-9-4-2?

Answer: Two.

(2) To whom were the permits issued and on what dates?

Answer: James Lees, Arcola, June 27, 1958; J. C. Fuesi, Arcola, August 11, 1958.

(3) What quantity of hay was cut under the said permits?

Answer: The permits have not been returned, and it is not possible to advise as to the amount of hay cut under these permits; however, each individual was permitted a specific amount as follows: J. C. Lees, 60 tons; J. C. Fuesi, 30 tons.

(4) How much was received by the Government in payment of the leases and from whom were the moneys received, on Section 28-9-4-2?

Answer: \$31.00, J. Lees; \$16.00, J. C. Fuesi.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1959

10.—Mr. Klein asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

Who is at present teaching the "Social Foundations" course in the Teachers' College at Saskatoon?

Answer: Dr. D. E. Mahood.

11.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What is the total amount of money spent for surveys on that portion of No. 16 Highway from Peebles to Kendal in the years 1955-56 to date?

Answer: The total cost of preliminary engineering and design (on a pro-rated basis) between Peebles and Kendal from April 1, 1956, to January 30, 1959, is \$16,173.27. No work done April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

14.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

What is the cost distribution as between the Province and the Municipalities on all the Grid Road Plan in each of the following municipalities: (a) Hillsborough, No. 132; (b) Glen Bain, No. 105; (c) Rodgers, No. 133; (d) Gravelbourg, No. 104; (e) Whiska Creek, No. 106; (f) Lawtonia, No. 135; (g) Sutton, No. 103; (h) Shamrock, No. 134; (i) Coulee, No. 136?

Answer:

	<u>Province</u>	<u>Municipality</u>
(a) Hillsborough, No. 132	60%	40%
(b) Glen Bain, No. 105	40%	60%
(c) Rodgers, No. 133	60%	40%
(d) Gravelbourg, No. 104	50%	50%
(e) Whiska Creek, No. 106	40%	60%
(f) Lawtonia, No. 135	50%	50%
(g) Sutton, No. 103	50%	50%
(h) Shamrock, No. 134	60%	40%
(i) Coulee, No. 136	60%	40%

Provincial assistance is increased in all cases by 15% on expenditures in excess of \$4,000.00 per mile.

Rural Municipalities of Lawtonia No. 135 and Coulee No. 136 receive special assistance for construction of former secondary highway from junction with Provincial Highway No. 19 near Neidpath to junction with Provincial Highway No. 4 near Swift Current.

Government's share of cost: Lawtonia, No. 135 — 60%; Coulee, No. 136 — 72%.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1959

16.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

- (1) Has the Government instituted a "Before and After" statistical and research program recommended by the Liquor Sales Outlets Inquiry Committee?

Answer: No.

- (2) If so, when was the program set up, and who comprise the personnel undertaking the program?

Answer: See answer to part (1) above.

17.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

What was the total consumption in gallons in Saskatchewan for the year 1957-58 of (a) beer; (b) spirits; (c) wine?

Answer: (a) Beer, 9,253,233 gallons; (b) spirits, 577,362 gallons; (c) wine, 339,778 gallons.

18.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

What is the present mark-up by the Government for resale of (a) beer; (b) spirits; (c) wine?

Answer: (a) beer: To the licensee, cases 35%, ½ kegs 30%; through Board stores, cases 41%; (b) spirits, 86.9%; (c) wine, 92.75%.

19.—Mr. McCarthy asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

- (1) How many rural municipalities had a deficit on operations in 1957?

Answer: 125.

- (2) How many rural municipalities had a deficit on operations in 1958?

Answer: Information not available at this date.

- (3) How much was the deficit in each case in 1958?

Answer: See answer to question (2).

(4) How many rural municipalities operated on a surplus in 1958?

Answer: See answer to question (2).

21.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

How many separations were there in 1957-58 from the Public Service in Saskatchewan by classifications, such as deaths, resignations, dismissals, superannuation?

Answer: Deaths, 18; resignations, 1167; dismissals, 13; retirements (including employees superannuated with pension), 68.

22.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

How many oil drilling rigs were in operation in Saskatchewan as at: (a) February 1, 1957, (b) February 1, 1958, (c) February 1, 1959?

Answer: February 1, 1957, 69; February 1, 1958, 29; February 1, 1959, 34.

24.—Mr. Nicholson asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

(1) What is the total amount of financial assistance that has been received from the Saskatchewan Government by veteran who holds lease Number V.L. 1880, respecting E $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 18-49-9-W2nd and fraction of Section 17-49-9-W2nd?

Answer: \$800.00 was expended by the Government for clearing 100 acres and \$3,660.61 cash was paid to the lessee on account of clearing and breaking. He was permitted to retain lessor's crop share to the value of \$1,132.39 on account of clearing and breaking, plus costs of providing roads and drainage which averaged about \$15.00 per arable acre for the entire Smoky Burn - Connell Creek Project.

(2) How much in dollars has been received by the Government from Government's share of crops during tenure of above-mentioned lessee?

Answer: \$943.16.

(3) At what price has this land been offered to the veteran, and on what basis?

Answer: \$8,820.00. By cash, as settlement in full or a minimum of one-tenth in cash at the time of sale and the remainder in 20 successive annual instalments which includes interest at 3½% on the principal.

(4) Who was responsible for determining the selling price?

Answer: The Lands Branch of the Department of Agriculture as authorized by Regulations under Order-in-Council No. 816/56.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1959

23.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

(1) In each of the years 1956-57 and 1957-58 where operators' licences have been suspended, cancelled or revoked by the Highway Traffic Board, how many cases have been dealt with by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council?

Answer: 1956-57, nil; 1957-58, 1.

(2) In the above-mentioned cases how many operators' licences have been re-instated by decision of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council?

Answer: 1956-57, nil; 1957-58, 1.

(3) In the above-mentioned years where registration certificates of vehicles have been suspended, revoked or cancelled by the Highway Traffic Board, how many cases have been dealt with by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council?

Answer: 1956-57, nil; 1957-58, nil.

(4) In the cases mentioned in (3), how many registration certificates of vehicles have been re-instated by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council?

Answer: 1956-57, nil; 1957-58, nil.

26.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

How many (a) blue, (b) red, (c) white, automobile operators' licences were issued in the year 1957-58?

Answer: (a) 2,010, (b) 1,872, (c) 347,437 (includes chauffeurs', learners', etc.)

27.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

How many Banquet Permits were issued to individuals in the year 1957-58?

Answer: Individual Banquet Permits issued during fiscal year ended March 31, 1958, totalled 2,332.

28.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

How many special permits were issued during the year 1958 by The Liquor Board to the Petroleum Club in the city of Regina?

Answer: Organization type banquet permits issued in the name of the Regina Petroleum Club, during the calendar year 1958, totalled 116.

30.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What was the total amount spent by the Department of Highways on Highway No. 22 from the junction with No. 10 Highway north of Abernethy to the junction with No. 9 Highway on the east during the calendar year, 1958?

Answer: \$38,674.91 approximately (pro-rated in part) between West junction with Highway No. 9 and junction with Highway No. 10.

32.—Mr. Barrie asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

What are the timber dues being currently received by the Department of Natural Resources for the following forest products: Spruce Saw Logs, Spruce pulpwood, Jack Pine poles, Jack Pine pulpwood, Jack Pine Saw Logs, Poplar Saw Logs, Birch Saw Logs, Balsam Saw Logs, Balsam pulpwood?

Answer:

Spruce Saw Logs, \$6.00 per M, f.b.m.

Spruce pulpwood: (a) rough, \$1.40 per cord; (b) peeled, \$1.60 per cord.

Jack Pine poles (Telegraph, Telephone and Power):

<u>Class</u>	<u>Length (ft.)</u>	<u>Dues (per pole)</u>
9	20	\$.11
7	20	.14
6	20	.15
9	25	.16
7	25	.19
6	25	.23
5	25	.27
4	25	.52
9	30	.20
7	30	.25
6	30	.30
5	30	.36
4	30	.57
3	30	.67
8	35	.38
7	35	.35
6	35	.40
5	35	.47
4	35	.91
3	35	1.05
6	40	.67
5	40	.77
4	40	1.10
3	40	1.27
2	40	1.47
1	40	1.71
6	45	.81
5	45	.92
4	45	1.31
3	45	1.51
2	45	1.73
1	45	2.02
6	50	.96
5	50	1.08
4	50	1.52
3	50	1.75
2	50	2.01
1	50	2.35

Jack Pine Pulpwood: (a) rough green, \$1.10 per cord; (b) sap-peeled, \$1.20 per cord.

Jack Pine Saw Logs, \$4.00 per M, f.b.m.

Poplar Saw Logs, \$2.00 per M, f.b.m.

Birch Saw Logs, \$6.00 per M, f.b.m.

Balsam Saw Logs, \$2.00 per M, f.b.m.

Balsam Pulpwood: (a) rough, \$1.00 per cord; (b) peeled, \$1.10 per cord.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1959

36.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

What was the total cost of Operation Close-Up—the trip of the Members of the Legislature and others to Uranium City and northern points?

Answer: \$3,989.06.

37.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What was the total amount expended on No. 10 Highway from Fort Qu'Appelle to Melville for (a) repairs, (b) maintenance, (c) new construction, (d) snow removal, from January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958?

Answer: (a) \$25,669.11; (b) \$24,915.23—(This does not include amount entered in item (d)); (c) \$92,276.10; (d) \$2,856.04 —(Winter maintenance expenditure records include ice control and snow-drift prevention in addition to snow removal).

40.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

(1) What was the total amount paid out from January 1 to December 31, 1958, for snow removal by the Department of Highways?

Answer: \$527,568.22 for "winter maintenance", which includes snow removal, ice control and snow-drift prevention.

(2) How much was received in payment from municipalities and individuals for snow-removal services in the same period?

Answer: \$2,849.87.

41.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Williams:

In 1957-58, how many prosecutions were there under (a) The Minimum Wage Act, (b) Hours of Work Act, (c) and/or any other Act under Labour Standards Branch?

Answer: (a) The Minimum Wage Act, 11; (b) The Hours of Work Act, 6; (c) other Acts under Labour Standards Branch, 9.

43.—Mr. Elias asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What was the total expenditure on Highway No. 11 between the junction of No. 11 and No. 5 and the junction of No. 11 and No. 2, during each of the fiscal years 1957-58 and 1958-59, for (a) maintenance, (b) regravelling, (c) new grade construction, (d) hard-top surfacing, (e) preliminary survey work?

Answer:

	<u>1957-58</u>	<u>1958-59 (to Dec. 31, 1958)</u>
(a)	\$45,600.31	\$27,595.60
(b)	Nil	Nil
(c)	Nil	Nil
(d)	16,645.96	15,394.77
(e)	Nil	7,588.23

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1959

45.—Mrs. Batten asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

- (1) How many (a) traffic accidents, (b) traffic fatalities, occurred in Saskatchewan in each of the years 1956, 1957, and 1958?

Answer: (a) 1956—10,437; 1957—11,079; 1958—11,237 (subject to revision). Traffic accident statistics do not include accidents in which the total damage failed to exceed \$100.
 (b) 1956—134; 1957—143; 1958—134.

- (2) In how many of these was alcohol a contributing factor?

Answer: Not available. Drivers are not tested at the time of accidents to determine whether or not they have been drinking.

47.—Mr. Loptson asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

- (1) How many barrels of crude oil were produced in the province of Saskatchewan during the years 1945-46-47-48-49-50?

Answer: 1945—16,508; 1946—136,887; 1947—521,100; 1948—842,902; 1949—780,170; 1950—1,039,523.

- (2) How much money was received by the Government for royalties on oil produced for each of the years 1945-46-47-48-49-50?

Answer: 1945—\$646.10; 1946—\$2,960.58; 1947—\$14,015.88; 1948—\$30,933.74; 1949—\$21,091.67; 1950—\$30,962.60.

48.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Williams:

- (1) How many Certificates of Status have been issued to the various trades in 1957-58?

Answer:

Trade	New Certificates		Renewals	
	Journeyman status	Beginner to second class	Journeyman status	Beginner to second class
Barbering	24	30	368	66
Beauty Culture	16	57	305	43
Bricklaying	—	—	1	—
Carpentry	70	179	391	372
Electrical	49	194	19	3
Motor vehicle body repair	5	2	40	2
Motor vehicle mechanics repair	75	625	1,141	611
Painting	10	—	13	3
Pipefitting	30	131	17	19
Plastering	3	—	3	—
Plumbing	86	151	135	110
Sheet Metal	10	39	85	13
Welding (electric arc and gas)	14	80	65	20
Total	392	1,488	2,583	1,262

- (2) How many have been withdrawn?

Answer: Two.

49.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

Who are the directors of the R. and M. Oil and Gas Limited?

Answer: C. W. Ross, D. A. MacKay, C. H. Ross, W. L. McDonald, S. H. Pirot, all of 10123 - 112 St., Edmonton, Alberta.

NOTE: This information taken from a Summary of Capital and Shares made up to December 31, 1958, and filed under The Companies Act on January 29, 1959.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1959

50.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

How many applications have been made for fodder from the Government Feed Bank for 1957-58 to date from, (a) municipalities, (b) farmers, (c) others?

Answer: (a) Municipalities—1 application, 3 enquiries; (b) Farmers—12 applications, 11 enquiries; (c) Others—1 enquiry.

52.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

How many schools in the province are making use of the Student Problem Checking List provided by the Guidance Branch of the Department of Education?

Answer: In 1953, 1954, and 1955 approximately 1,000 copies of the Student Problem Check Lists were distributed to a number of high schools for survey and guidance purposes. The procedure recommended by the Department for introducing the check lists into a school involved obtaining the prior approval and support of the local superintendent of schools, the local home and school association, and the school board. Since that time the Student Problem Check Lists have been made available to a few teachers at their request.

The Department has no detailed knowledge of the purposes for which lists on hand in schools are now being used. It is most probable that if the lists are in use at all they are being used by teachers of guidance as references.

53.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What portion of the cost of the bridge now being built on Highways Nos. 39 and 13 in the city of Weyburn is being charged to the city?

Answer: Nil—bridge located outside the built up area of the city.

54.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

How much was expended by the Government for control of predatory animals during 1957-58?

Answer: \$52,251.01.

55.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

What amount of revenue has been received by the Government during 1957-58 for (a) big game licences, (b) upland bird and waterfowl licences, (c) trapping licences, (d) sports fishing licences, and (e) commercial fishing licences?

Answer: (a) Big Game Licences, \$294,079.64; (b) Upland Game and Waterfowl Licences, \$246,408.80; (c) Trapping Licences, \$23,210.04; (d) Sports Fishing Licences, \$139,238.26; (e) Commercial Fishing Licences, \$11,986.00.

NOTE: Items (a) and (b) include \$1.00 per licence for Wildlife Crop Insurance.

56.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

In the years 1947-48, 1957-58, what was the number of children admitted into care of the Department of Social Welfare: (a) children of unmarried mothers, (b) apprehended (neglect)?

<i>Answer:</i>	<u>1947-48</u>	<u>1957-58</u>
(a) Children of unmarried mothers	302	325
(b) Children from neglect	217	273

NOTE: The above figures show total number of children committed as wards of the Minister during each of the fiscal years in question. This is the only basis of comparison we can provide since records were not maintained to provide information of the numbers of children admitted into care prior to 1956-57. In 1957-58, 724 children were admitted into care, of which 394 were children of unmarried mothers, and 330 were children of families.

57.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

What was the average cost for full maintenance per child, per month for children committed as wards of the Government in the years 1944-45, 1954-55, 1957-58?

<i>Answer:</i>	<u>1944-45</u>	<u>1954-55</u>	<u>1957-58</u>
Gross average cost per child per month	\$5.88	\$35.02	\$41.70
Net average cost per child per month	\$5.27	\$30.46	\$38.31

NOTE: (1) Costs exclude medical services. (2) Net cost was arrived at by subtracting total revenues received from the total gross expenditure. (3) The Department did not maintain records showing the total number of days' care given in any fiscal year prior to 1956-57. In order to obtain the average cost per child, calculation was based on the number of children in care of the Department, as at March 31 of the fiscal year in question. The number of children in adoption homes for which no expenses are incurred was excluded.

Children in care excluding adoption homes were: March 31, 1945—1,160; March 31, 1955—1,564; March 31, 1958—1,591.

59.—Mr. Loptson asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

- (1) How many prospectors have been flown into the mineral area of Saskatchewan since the Government adopted that policy?

Answer: 130.

- (2) How many mines have been brought into production, or are in the development stage, as a result of this program?

Answer: The number of claims that have been staked either directly or indirectly as a result of this program in the past ten years runs into thousands. Great numbers of these claims are still in good standing and are being developed by trenching, diamond drilling or adit.

- (3) What was the total cost of this venture?

Answer: \$44,085.65.

- (4) Is this service still available to prospectors?

Answer: Yes.

60.—Mr. Loptson asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

How many new mines producing gold, copper, zinc and lead have been brought into production in the province of Saskatchewan since 1944?

Answer: Two.

63.—Mr. Harrop asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

How many mines producing uranium have been brought into production in Saskatchewan since 1944?

Answer: Thirteen.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1959

64.—Mr. Barrie asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Erb.

- (1) What was the total amount paid, during the fiscal year 1957-58, by the Department of Public Health in lieu of registration fees for department employees to (a) College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, (b) College of Dental Surgeons?

Answer: Registration fees for full time employees of the Department of Public Health were paid as follows in 1957-58: (a) College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, \$5,400; (b) College of Dental Surgeons, \$400.

- (2) What number of professional employees are covered by amounts paid out under (a) and (b) above?

Answer: (a) 108 Doctors; (b) 4 Dentists.

67.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

- (1) What was the amount in pounds of (a) copper, (b) zinc, mined in the years 1944-45, to 1957-58 inclusive?

Answer:

	(a) copper	(b) zinc
1944-45	70,215,381	81,078,300
1945-46	65,952,481	74,550,024
1946-47	63,825,037	71,006,183
1947-48	66,891,369	59,024,328
1948-49	61,333,557	64,718,644
1949-50	69,855,823	62,359,022
1950-51	57,349,120	59,100,046
1951-52	64,553,722	83,694,034
1952-53	58,615,720	96,932,852
1953-54	64,153,036	96,687,961
1954-55	71,253,059	105,298,916
1955-56	65,376,959	94,466,816
1956-57	65,013,230	90,156,636
1957-58	62,436,648	93,652,897

- (2) What was the value in dollars of the above minerals in the above years?

Answer:

	<u>(a) copper</u>	<u>(b) zinc</u>
1944-45	\$ 8,172,723	\$ 3,979,048
1945-46	8,104,795	5,323,657
1946-47	9,505,062	5,922,987
1947-48	\$13,692,215	\$ 6,351,505
1948-49	13,380,921	8,966,008
1949-50	13,636,773	6,292,365
1950-51	13,840,400	9,824,606
1951-52	17,322,637	16,594,100
1952-53	17,930,201	13,379,886
1953-54	17,324,619	9,411,069
1954-55	21,706,684	10,819,492
1955-56	27,381,904	11,614,018
1956-57	21,321,500	11,360,068
1957-58	13,112,538	8,237,753

- 68.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

“How many men were employed in mining of metals (excluding uranium) in the years 1944-45, 1954-55, 1957-58?”

Answer: Information not available.

- 69.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

- (1) Who are presently employed in the Adult Education Branch?
- (2) What are their positions?
- (3) What salaries are being paid?

Answers:

<u>(1) Name</u>	<u>(2) Position</u>	<u>(3) Salary (Monthly)</u>
Black, Mrs. N.	Adult Education Representative (Part-time)	\$230.50
Bobowski, Mrs. S.	Clerk-Steno II	\$222.00
Campbell, G.	Director, Adult Education	\$736.00
*Cowburn, T. H.	Teacher (Temporary)	\$379.00
Hallsworth, Miss E.	Clerk-Typist II	\$264.00
Harvey, D.	Executive Secretary, Saskatchewan Arts Board	\$461.00
Heath, M.	Adult Education Representative	\$443.00

<u>(1)</u> <u>Name</u>	<u>(2)</u> <u>Position</u>	<u>(3)</u> <u>Salary (Monthly)</u>
Huxtable, C. S.	Adult Education Representative	\$518.00
Morrison, A. A. O.	Supervisor, Adult Education (Saskatchewan House)	\$561.00
MacKenzie, M. G.	Adult Education Representative	\$443.00
McMath, Mrs. M.	Adult Education Representative (Part-time)	\$221.50
Nurse, Mrs. V. A.	Clerk-Steno III	\$276.00
Pearce, Miss V.	Clerk-Steno II	\$222.00
Thomas, Mrs. J. F.	Clerk-Steno II	\$222.00

*NOTE: Mr. Cowburn is presently employed on a temporary basis to provide academic instruction to students enrolled in special classes for unemployed workers at Saskatchewan House.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1959

74.—Mr. Barrie asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

- (1) How many prosecutions under sport angling regulations were made in 1958?

Answer: 57.

- (2) How many convictions resulted therefrom?

Answer: 57.

75.—Mr. Barrie asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

- (1) How many prosecutions under The Game Act were made in 1958?

Answer: 417.

- (2) How many convictions resulted therefrom?

Answer: 409.

76.—Mr. Klein asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What steps were taken by the Department of Agriculture to establish a Community Pasture in the area south of Fir Mountain?

Answer: Because of the need for additional grazing by several small farmers in the area south of Fir Mountain, when a small ranch was offered for sale in the area, the Department considered that the possibility of establishing community grazing should be investigated. Accordingly, preliminary discussions on community grazing were held at a meeting of the Agricultural Committee and with lessees of other provincial grazing lands and owners of deeded land in the area during June of 1958. During the investigations, and at a further meeting with resident ratepayers, it was apparent that it would not be possible to establish a co-operative community pasture. The Department has now given consent to the lessee of the land investigated, to assign the lease.

77.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Williams:

- (1) How many Labour and Trade Unions were registered or on record with the Department of Labour as of December 31, 1958?

Answer: 362.

- (2) What was the total membership?

Answer: 46,171.

82.—Mr. Thorson asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

In Saskatchewan in each of the years 1944, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1958:

- (1) What was the production of crude oil in barrels?
 (2) What was the total royalty payments on crude oil production received by the Government of Saskatchewan?
 (3) What was the total of other payments for oil drilling reservations leases on Crown-owned oil lands, received by the Government of Saskatchewan?

Answer:

	Production in barrels	Royalties Received	Other Payments
1944		\$ 140.81	\$ 6,448.38
1950	1,039,523	30,962.60	82,788.71
1951	1,247,395	58,383.69	433,996.27
1952	1,696,946	78,905.78	1,460,769.34
1953	2,791,472	146,051.00	1,739,844.44
1954	5,422,899	298,555.29	6,555,796.72
1955	11,317,168	807,778.49	4,308,925.02
1956	21,077,371	1,546,354.07	13,502,513.03
1957	36,861,089	4,666,408.06	18,112,004.94
1958	44,640,324	6,599,298.14	10,849,013.94

MONDAY, MARCH 2, 1959

83.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Broeckelbank:

What is the total amount owing on current billings and arrears of the 3-cent per acre Mineral Tax as at December 31, 1958?

Answer: \$766,637.66.

84.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Williams:

How many strikes occurred, how many employees were involved, and how many days time were lost through such strikes in Saskatchewan in 1958?

Answer:

UNDER PROVINCIAL JURISDICTION		
No. of Strikes	Employees involved	Man-days lost
6	190	2,410

(Railways, Transport, Communications)

UNDER FEDERAL JURISDICTION		
No. of Strikes	Employees involved	Man-days lost
4	333	1,528

85.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

(1) How many convictions were there under The Liquor Act in 1958?

Answer: 5,885.

(2) How many under each section?

Answer:

Section 32	2	Section 97	54
Section 72	27	Section 108	40
Section 75	40	Section 160	52
Section 79	195	Section 255	97
Section 87	9	Section 257	2
Section 88	7	Clause (h) of Regulation No. 10 under The Liquor Act	2
Section 89	9		

Section 91	1	Clause (a) of Regulation No. 15 under The Liquor Act	1
Section 94	5347		

86.—Mr. Barrie asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

- (1) How many spruce saw log permits were issued in 1958 to farmers for repair and construction of farm buildings, from the Porcupine Forest Reserve?

Answer: 126.

- (2) What quantity of spruce logs were covered by the said permits?

Answer: 888,000 f.b.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1959

89.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

What was the total cost to the Government for the campaign and taking of the vote in the Egg Marketing Plebiscite in 1958?

Answer: \$24,708.87.

90.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

- (1) How many guarantees of loans to Co-operatives were made in the fiscal year 1957-58 under The Co-operative Guarantee Act?

Answer: Nil.

- (2) What was the total amount of money loaned under the above?

Answer: See answer to (1).

- (3) Who were the recipients, and what was the amount of each loan?

Answer: See answer to (1).

91.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

- (1) How many tons of fodder were there in the feed bank as of December 31, 1958?

Answer: Approximately 11,545 tons, less natural spoilage.

- (2) How many tons were put in the feed bank in each of the years 1957 and 1958?

Answer: 1957, Nil; 1958, Nil.

- 93.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

How many security issuers were registered under The Securities Act in each fiscal year 1952-53 to 1957-58, or calendar years 1952-58 inclusive, as the case may be?

Answer: 1952—34; 1953—35; 1954—36; 1955—24; 1956—25; 1957—19; 1958—25.

- 94.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

How many new companies were registered under The Companies Act in 1957-58, or 1958 as the case may be?

Answer: 530 companies were incorporated, and 187 companies were registered, under The Companies Act, in 1958.

- 95.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

How many new brokers were registered under The Securities Act in each fiscal year 1952-53 to 1957-58, or each calendar year 1952 to 58 inclusive, as the case may be?

Answer: The following brokers were registered: 1952—67; 1953—82; 1954—70; 1955—68; 1956—80; 1957—90; 1958—82. Our records do not readily disclose the number of new brokers.

- 96.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Walker:

How many new salesmen were registered under The Securities Act in each fiscal year 1952-53 to 1957-58 or each calendar year 1952 to 58 inclusive, as the case may be?

Answer: The following salesmen were registered: 1952—258; 1953—298; 1954—288; 1955—298; 1956—412; 1957—485; 1958—541. Our records do not readily disclose the number of new salesmen.

97.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What was the total amount of money expended on Highway No. 47 from the Qu'Appelle Valley to the town of Melville during 1958?

Answer: \$22,111.10 approximately (Pro-rated in part).

98.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

What were the names of organizations granted liquor special permits by the Liquor Board during the year 1958, and how many permits were issued to each organization?

Answer: No liquor "special permits" were issued under Section 35(b) of The Liquor Act by the Liquor Board, during the year 1958.

99.—Mr. McCarthy asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

(1) Is John McKillop employed by the Department of Natural Resources?

Answer: No, not at present.

(2) If so, how long has he been employed, what is his salary and what are his qualifications?

Answer: Mr. McKillop has been employed periodically, as a game patrolman, over the past three years. His last employment terminated on December 18, 1958. Salary \$240 per month. Mr. McKillop has been a deputy game guardian appointed under Section 53 of The Game Act, for the last five years.

101.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

(1) What was the total weight of fish taken from Katepwa Lake for mink ranchers during 1957-58?

Answer: 180,062 lbs. of tullibee.

(2) What price per pound was received?

Answer: 3c per lb.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1959

103.—Mr. McCarthy asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

- (1) What was the total number of farm trucks registered in Saskatchewan in the year 1957-58?

Answer: 84,126.

- (2) What was the total revenue from the above trucks for licences in the year 1957-58?

Answer: \$1,219,131.21.

- (3) What was the total revenue from the above trucks from Gasoline Tax in the year 1957-58?

Answer: No information.

- (4) What was the total registration of all cars and trucks in Saskatchewan in the year 1957-58?

Answer: 296,319.

104.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

What was the total number of rural classrooms in operation in Saskatchewan in the years 1943-44, 1953-54, 1957-58?

Answer: 1943-44—4,262; 1953-54—3,476; 1957-58—3,009.

105.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

In how many cases have Mineral Rights been forfeited under provisions of The Mineral Tax Act from 1952 to date?

Answer: 449 titles.

106.—Mr. Lopton asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

- (1) How many heads of families are on Social Aid or Relief (including Unemployment Insurance) in the province of Saskatchewan at date of last record?

Answer: The month of November is the latest month that case counts are complete in the Department. In November there were 2,735 heads of families receiving Social Aid.

- (2) How many able-bodied persons without dependants are on Relief, Social Aid (or Unemployment Insurance) in the province of Saskatchewan at last date of record?

Answer: In November, there were 2,933 single persons receiving Social Aid.

NOTE: 1. As eligibility for Social Aid is based on need, no distinction is made in departmental records as between able-bodied and those unable to work.

2. Unemployment Insurance is administered by the Federal Government thus no information is available as to the number of persons who receive these benefits. In situations where the Unemployment Insurance benefits do not meet a family's need, some municipalities do supplement this insurance by Social Aid. They do not, however, report these cases separately.

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1959

- 107.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What is the total amount of money expended to date on the Deveron-Glenavou drainage project?

Answer: \$42,295.62.

- 108.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What is the total amount of money expended to date on the Kipling Marsh drainage project?

Answer: \$256,496.68.

- 109.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

In regard to mineral claims, how many certificates of work on leases were brought into production in the year 1958?

Answer: There are no certificates of work on leases.

- 111.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

- (1) What was the total amount collected in premiums by the Saskatchewan Government Insurance Office for Wild Life Insurance in 1957-58?

Answer: \$11,622.30.

- (2) What was the total amount paid out for claims in the same period?

Answer: Claims \$59,348.22; Claims Adjustment Expenses \$4,690.35.

FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1959

112.—Mr. Thorson asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

Since 1955, under The Co-operative Guarantee Act: (a) What co-operatives in northern Saskatchewan have received guaranteed loans? (b) What was the amount of the guaranteed loan in each case?

Answer:

	<u>CONSUMER CO-OPERATIVES</u>	<u>Amount of Loan</u>
1955	Fort Black Co-operative Association Limited (Ile a la Crosse)	\$ 1,000
1957	Buffalo Narrows Co-operative Association Limited	3,000
1957	Green Lake Settlers Co-operative Association Limited	1,000
1958	Buffalo Narrows Co-operative Association Limited	10,000
1958	Fort Black Co-operative Association Limited (Ile a la Crosse)	2,000
1958	Churchill Co-operative Association Limited	1,500
1959	La Loche Co-operative Association Limited	15,000
	<u>DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRIC POWER</u>	
1957	Ile a la Crosse Power Co-operative Limited	1,500
1958	Cumberland House Power Co-operative Limited	1,500
1958	Sandy Bay Power Co-operative Limited	3,000
1958	Pelican Narrows Power Co-operative Limited	600

113.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

- (1) How many votes have been taken for the annexation of certain properties along the lake road, into the Village of B-Say-Tah?

Answer: One.

- (2) On what dates were the votes taken?

Answer: July 5, 1958.

- (3) What was the result of each vote for and against?

Answer: For annexation, 37; Against annexation, 40.

NOTE: On August 2, 1958, a petition was circulated amongst the residents of the area and a very substantial majority signed same, requesting annexation of the area that has been annexed.

- 114.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

How many applications have been received by the Government from R.M.'s and L.I.D.'s for assistance for (a) seed grain, (b) feed grain, since January 1, 1959?

Answer: No applications have been received by this Department for approval of seed grain bylaws by rural municipalities for (a) seed grain, (b) feed grain, since January 1, 1959, and no applications have been received from Local Improvement Districts for assistance for (a) seed grain, (b) feed grain, since January 1, 1959.

- 115.—Mr. Klein asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What is the total amount of money spent on new highway construction, in each of the fiscal years 1951-52 to 1957-58, within the boundaries of the Notukeu-Willowbunch Constituency?

Answer: For new construction and bridges on Provincial and Secondary Highways: 1951-52, \$100,740.41; 1952-53, \$339,000.77; 1953-54, \$168,919.44; 1954-55, \$50,778.41; 1955-56, \$13,195.88; 1956-57, \$183,805.96 approx. (pro-rated in part); 1957-58, \$12,594.91.

- 116.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

- (1) What was the total amount paid for the construction of the Crooked Lake Road in the Grayson Municipality by (a) the

Provincial Government (b) the Government of Canada (c) the Grayson municipality?

Answer: (a) 100% of grading and gravelling costs, \$54,332.79; (b) 50% of cost of road within Indian Reserve billed to Government of Canada. No payment received to date; (c) no knowledge of amounts paid by Rural Municipality of Grayson No. 184.

(2) Who has the responsibility for maintaining this road?

Answer: Rural Municipality of Grayson No. 184.

117.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

(1) What is the total amount paid out to date under the Municipal Grid Road Plan to each of the following Municipalities: Cana (214), Stanley (215), Tullymet (216), McLeod (185), Grayson (184), Abernethy (186)?

Answer: Cana (214), \$10,294.59; Stanley (215), \$700.00; Tullymet (216), \$86,506.86; McLeod (185), \$57,878.35; Grayson (184), \$2,834.84; Abernethy (186), \$22,655.00.

(2) What mileage has been constructed in each of the above municipalities?

<i>Answer:</i>	Mileage		
	100%	Partial	Equivalent
Cana (214)	3.7	—	3.7
Stanley (215)	0.3	—	0.3
Tullymet (216)	18.4	1.9	19.8
McLeod (185)	19.1	3.0	21.5
Grayson (184)	—	4.0	1.0
Abernethy (186)	9.3	—	9.3

118.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

What were the operating receipts for all schools under the jurisdiction of the Department of Education in 1957, under (a) proceeds of taxes, (b) provincial grants, (c) fees, (d) other receipts?

Answer: (a) \$32,269,715.30; (b) \$18,636,686.83; (c) \$558,814.36;

(d) \$989,739.36. The amount in (d) does not include receipts from sale of assets and supplies, donations and special projects, insurance and damages, all of which total \$1,370,045.88.

119.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Willis:

What were the total costs of the Administration Building in Regina, together with its addition, including (a) construction, (b) furniture and equipment, (c) landscaping, driveways, grounds, etc.?

Answer: (a) \$3,369,326.99; (b) \$116,140.91—Much of the furniture and furnishings in use at the present time were transferred from the previous locations in which the various departments had been housed; (c) \$58,878.67.

120.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

(1) In the year 1957-58 how many pounds of fish for mink feed were taken from (a) Echo Lake, (b) Mission Lake?

Answer: (a) None, (b) 63,012 lbs.

(2) What price per pound was received by the Government?

Answer: Nil. The Saskatchewan Fish Marketing Service handled collection, warehousing, and distribution of the fish for the fishermen. Price paid to fishermen, 3c per lb.; price paid by mink ranchers, 3½c per lb.

MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1959

124.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

What was the volume production and the value of each mineral produced in Saskatchewan in 1958?

Answer: The year end returns on minerals are still being received at this date. Where necessary, estimates have been made, based on the best information available. All totals given here may be subject to adjustment before the final figures for the year are struck.

<u>Metallics</u>		<u>Volume</u>	<u>Value</u>
Cadmium	Lbs.	302,593	\$ 361,923.00
Copper	Lbs.	75,020,217	17,454,032.00
Gold	Ozs.	86,590	2,918,624.00
Selenium & Tellerium	Lbs.	31,941	214,494.00
Silver	Ozs.	1,299,077	1,120,985.00
Uranium			58,000,000.00
Zinc	Lbs.	96,655,609	8,130,702.00
<u>Non Metallics</u>			
Pyrite			191,000.00*
Salt	Tons	45,000	1,100,000.00*
Sodium Sulphate	Tons	155,000	2,500,000.00*
Potash	Tons	8,736	35,772.00
<u>Fuels</u>			
Coal	Tons	2,254,048	4,437,572.00
Natural Gas	MCF	28,774,225	1,582,480.00
Petroleum	Bbls.	44,626,701	95,677,896.00
<u>Structural Materials</u>			
Clay Products			5,000,000.00*
Sand and Gravel			3,830,000.00*
TOTAL VALUE			\$202,555,480.00

*Estimated.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1959

132.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What is the total expenditure to date for the obstacle course for testing farm machinery?

Answer: Track proper, \$22,567.96; steel obstacles, \$5,804.00.

133.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

In the years 1947-48 and 1957-58 what was the total cost of operating the Petrofka Ferry?

Answer: 1947-48, \$2,462.06; 1957-58, \$9,669.06. In addition, an expenditure was made for a dwelling and a storage shed.

135.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

What was the number of superintendents who acted as official trustee of local school boards in each year, 1948 to 1958 inclusive?

Answer: 1948—39; 1949—34; 1950—30; 1951—31; 1952—30; 1953—30; 1954—28; 1955—28; 1956—24; 1957—22; 1958—13.

The figures shown are approximate, as the Department is not always aware of when a board is elected following the appointment of an official trustee.

FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 1959

137.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

What were the sales of (a) spirits, (b) beer and (c) wines at La Ronge, Saskatchewan store for years 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959?

Answer: Liquor Store opened at La Ronge February 8, 1958.

Feb. 8, 1958 to Dec. 31, 1958: (a) Spirits, \$41,153.65; (b) Beer, \$10,449.69; (c) Wine, \$13,307.40.

Jan. 1, 1959 to Feb. 28, 1959: (a) Spirits, \$4,229.45; (b) Beer, \$890.05; (c) Wine, \$1,958.57.

138.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

In the years 1947-48 and 1957-58:

(1) What was the number of individuals committed under sentence in (a) Regina Gaol for men, (b) Prince Albert Gaol for men, (c) Prince Albert Gaol for women?

<i>Answer:</i>	<u>1947-48</u>	<u>1957-58</u>
(a) Regina Gaol	894	1,173
(b) Prince Albert Gaol for men	492	952
(c) Prince Albert Gaol for women	120	174

(2) What was the average under custody in each of these institutions?

<i>Answer:</i>	<u>1947-48</u>	<u>1957-58</u>
Regina Gaol	123	163
Prince Albert Gaol for men	83	148
Prince Albert Gaol for women	14	18

(3) How many individuals under sentence escaped (and had to be recaptured) from each of these institutions?

<i>Answer:</i>	<u>1947-48</u>	<u>1957-58</u>
Regina Gaol	3	nil
Prince Albert Gaol for men	nil	nil
Prince Albert Gaol for women	4	nil

139.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

How many leases of Crown lands held by veterans, with option to purchase, have been cancelled by this Government since April 1, 1946?

Answer: 126 cancelled for cause.

140.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

How many veterans were established on Crown lands as of December 31, 1958?

<i>Answer:</i> Veteran Leases in effect as of December 31, 1958	1,089
Instalment Sales in effect as of December 31, 1958	416
Instalment Sales completed as of December 31, 1958	24
Cash Sales as of December 31, 1958	85
Total of leases and sales	<u>1,614</u>

141.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What was the total amount paid breeders under the Graded Bull Purchase Policy during 1957-1958?

Answer: \$74,350.00.

MONDAY, MARCH 16, 1959

144.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Erb:

How many (a) medical doctors, (b) dentists were practising in Saskatchewan in the year 1938 and 1958 respectively?

Answer: Records are not available on the number of medical doctors and dentists practising in Saskatchewan. The following number were registered with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan and the College of Dental Surgeons of Saskatchewan.

	<u>1938</u>	<u>1958</u>
(a) Medical Doctors	610	882
(b) Dentists	210	210

145.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

- (1) From whom was the gravel purchased which was used in 1958 for construction and for blacktopping the western part of Highway No. 13?

Answer: No blacktopping done on the western part of Highway No. 13 in 1958.

- (2) How much of such gravel was purchased?

Answer: See answer to Question (1).

- (3) What was paid for such gravel?

Answer: See answer to Question (1).

- (4) What complaints, if any, were made respecting the quality of this gravel for blacktopping purposes?

Answer: See answer to Question (1).

146.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown:

What was the total expended during the year 1958 on safety precaution work on Katepwa Lake?

Answer: Life-guard's Wages, \$647.25; Signs, \$25.00. Total \$672.25.

NOTE: Safety precaution items such as buoys, boat, life-guard's chair, resuscitator, were provided prior to 1958.

147.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What was the total expenditure on maintenance of the Katepwa dam in the years 1956-57 and 1957-58?

Answer: 1956-57, nil; 1957-58, nil. The control structure at the outlet of Katepwa Lake was replaced by the Canada Department of Agriculture (P.F.R.A.) during the fiscal year of 1957-58.

148.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

During 1957-58, for the L.I.D.'s partly or wholly within the Turtleford Constituency: (1) How much was spent by the Government for, (a) road construction, (b) road maintenance, (c) gravelling, (d) bridge construction? (2) Where were the projects for sections (a), (b), and (d) of (1) located?

Answer:

- (1) (a) \$5,968.94 on Market roads, \$6,169.32 on Grid Market roads;
 (b) \$689; (c) Nil; (d) \$2,770.95.
- (2) (a) West 10, 3, -57-20 W3, S. 10, 11, -57-20 W3.
 West 18,19, -57-20 W3, S. 4,5,6, -57-20 W3.
 West 25,36, -56-20 W3, S. 14-57-20 W3.
 West 20,29,32-57-21 W3, W. 21,28-57-20 W3.
 Thru 21-57-20 W3, West 18, thru 7-57-19 W3.
 West 15,22,27,34-57-20 W3.
- (b) Various locations in Twp. 57, Rges. 19,20,21 W3
 also in Twp. 56-21 W3.
- (d) S. 2-57-21 W3. West 36-56-21 W3.
 W. 36-57-21 W3, NW 25 & S. 1-57-21 W3.
 S. 28,30-56-21 W3 Thru 36-57-20 W3.

TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 1959

157.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What is the total expenditure to date by the Government for farm implements for testing under the Agricultural Implement Board?

Answer: Nil.

158.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

What is the total amount received by the municipalities from tax revenues from the Trans-Canada Pipeline during 1957-58?

Answer: The Government has no information.

159.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

What is the width of top of the grid road from Stoughton north to Trans-Canada Highway?

Answer: Road constructed to 22-feet top width.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 1959

156.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

In regard to Mineral claims, how many certificates of work or leases were brought into production in the year 1958?

Answer: During 1958 four new mines produced all on land held under certificate of work. These are small high-grading operations.

161.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

What were the mill rates of taxes, (a) rural, (b) urban, for each Larger School Unit in 1957?

Answer:

Name	Rural	Urban
1 Oxbow	30	36, 39, 41
2 Estevan	32	41
3 Radville	26	29, 31, 33
4 Willow Bunch	33	38
5 Assiniboia	29	32
6 Wood River	23	29
7 Shaunavon	19	25
8 Eastend	22	24, 29
9 Moosomin	26	31, 34
10 Arcola	25	30, 35
11 Weyburn	27	31
12 Milestone	19	23, 26
15 Swift Current	27	31
16 Gull Lake	22	30
17 Maple Creek	35	38, 46
18 Broadview	26	34

Name	Rural	Urban
20 Regina (East)	28	33
22 Moose Jaw	21	25
23 Herbert	24	27, 30
24 Leader	24	28, 32
26 Melville (North)	31	36
28 Cupar	32	35
29 Govan	33	36
30 Watrous	28	34
31 Davidson	20	23½, 27
32 Outlook	25	30, 31½, 35
33 Eston-Elrose	21	22, 27
34 Kindersley	30	38
35 Kamsack	27	30, 32
36 Yorkton	31	34
37 Canora	29	34
38 Foam Lake - Wynyard	30	34, 37
40 Lanigan	30	34
41 Saskatoon (East)	26	31
42 Saskatoon (West)	28	33
43 Rosetown	23	32
44 Kerrobert	26	31, 36
45 Sturgis	35	38, 39, 41
46 Wadena	31	34, 37
47 Humboldt	25	28, 37
48 Wakaw	27	32
50 Biggar	24	27, 36
52 Hudson Bay	27	30, 33
53 Tisdale	24	27, 30, 40
54 Melfort	25	30, 34
55 Kinistino	29	32
56 Prince Albert	26	36
57 Blaine Lake	26	30
58 North Battleford	25	30
59 Wilkie	25	29, 35
60 Lloydminster	28	34, 35, 36
61 Nipawin	31	39, 42
63 Shell Lake	25	33, 40
64 Medstead	22	28
65 Turtleford	28	32
66 Meadow Lake	35	40

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1959

166.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Williams:

In each year 1948 and 1958, how much was charged for licences under (a) The Electrical Inspection and Licensing Act; (b) under The Gas Inspection and Licensing Act?

Answer: (a)

Licence	1948 Fee	1958 Fee
Journeyman (Full)	\$ 2.00	\$ 2.00 per year
Journeyman (Restricted)	2.00	2.00 " "
Contractor—Full	20.00	20.00 " "
—Limited "A"	20.00	20.00 " "
—Limited "B"	10.00	10.00 " "
—Restricted	20.00	20.00 " "

Employer	*	10.00	"	"
Supply House	25.00	25.00	"	"

*Employer licences came into existence in 1949.

(b)

	<u>1948 Fee</u>	<u>1958 Fee</u>		
General Gas Fitter's Licence	Nil*	\$ 3.00	per	year
Domestic Gas Fitter's Licence	"	2.00	"	"
General Contractor's Licence	"	30.00	"	"
Domestic Contractor's Licence	"	20.00	"	"
Limited Contractor's Licence	"	15.00	"	"
Employer's Licence	"	10.00	"	"
Supply House Licence	"	25.00	"	"

*The Gas Inspection and Licensing Act came into force January 1, 1954.

167.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What amount was spent on the construction of Highway No. 40, within the Redberry Constituency, in 1957-58?

Answer: \$156.93.

168.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

(1) What amount was spent on construction of Highway No. 26, within the Redberry Constituency, in 1957-58?

Answer: \$51,089.16 approximately (pro-rated)

(2) To whom was this amount paid?

Answer: Major payees were: Ferguson Construction Co.; McMillan Bros.; Northern Wood Preservers Ltd.; Evelyn R. Edwards; Saskatchewan Government Telephones.

169.—Mr. Korchinski, asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

In the fiscal year 1957-58, what amount was spent by the Government on the provincial community pasture in Hatherleigh-Sandwith area?

Answer: \$24,780.

171.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown:

- (1) How much was paid in grants for park improvements within the Melville Constituency during 1958?

Answer: Nil.

- (2) What centres received grants, and the amounts received?

Answer: Nil.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1959

- 173.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

What is the length of shoreline of Madge Lake?

Answer: 20.9 miles. (Source: Advance Compilation Sheet No. 62N/12, drawn from aerial photographs taken in 1949)

- 174.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

- (1) From whom was the gravel purchased which was used in 1958 for construction and for blacktopping of that part of Highway No. 13 from west of Griffin to Weyburn?

Answer: Gravel was obtained from properties owned by the Department of Highways, with exception of the filler sand purchased from Ira Horsman of Halbrite and E. G. Cugnet of Weyburn.

- (2) How much of such gravel was purchased?

Answer: Nil. (See answer to Question (1)). Filler sand, 4,886.10 tons.

- (3) What was paid for such gravel?

Answer: Nil. (See answer to Question (1)). Filler sand, \$332.09.

- (4) What complaints, if any, were made respecting the quality of this gravel for blacktopping purposes?

Answer: No complaints. Gravel in this area is not high quality.

- 176.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

How many Park Land Leases has the Department of Natural Resources granted to individuals in the Duck Mountain Provincial Park as of December 31, 1958?

Answer: 195.

177.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

In the fiscal year 1957-58, what amounts were spent on Highway No. 40 from Blaine Lake to Hafford on: (a) smoothing surface, (b) surface repair, (c) right of way, (d) culverts, (e) traffic control, (f) winter maintenance, (g) bridges?

Answer: (a) Smoothing surface, \$5,932.66; (b) Surface repair, \$10,569.78; (c) Right of way, \$786.84; (d) Culverts, \$283.44; (e) Traffic control, \$1,385.61; (f) Winter maintenance, \$5,941.67; (g) Bridges, \$44.56. These are expenditures by Maintenance Branch.

MONDAY, MARCH 23, 1959

180.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

(1) What are the names and locations of the four mines brought into production on land held under Certificate of Work?

Answer: (1) Uranium Ridge Mines Ltd.; (2) Beaverlodge Uranium Mines Ltd.; (3) Black Bay Uranium Mines Ltd.; (4) Jesko Uranium Mines Ltd. These mines are all located in the Beaverlodge area of the Athabasca Mining District.

(2) What minerals are mined from each?

Answer: Uranium.

(3) What royalties collected from each?

Answer: Nil. Production statements and royalty returns on 1958 production are not due until April 1, 1959.

181.—Mr. Barrie asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

(1) How many recipients of Old Age Security pensions are receiving Supplementary Allowances of (a) \$20, (b) \$15, (c) \$10, (d) \$5, (e) \$2.50, within the area bounded by the Rural Municipalities Numbers 271, 273, 301, 303, 331, 333?

Answer: As at February 28, 1959: (a) 1; (b) 1; (c) 72; (d) 32; (e) 255.

- (2) How many recipients are in receipt of Disabled Persons' Allowances within the area bounded by the same municipalities?

Answer: As at February 28, 1959, 34.

- (3) How many recipients of Mothers' Allowances are there within the area bounded by these same municipalities?

Answer: As at February 28, 1959, 74.

TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1959

- 183.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Williams:

For licences issued under (1) The Electrical Inspection and Licensing Act and (2) The Gas Inspection and Licensing Act, (a) what is the amount of Bond required, and (b) from whom, if purchase of Bond is necessary is it required to be purchased?

Answer: (1) (a) \$2,000; (b) Saskatchewan Government Insurance Office. (2) (a) \$2,000; (b) Saskatchewan Government Insurance Office.

- 184.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What is the total cost to the Government, as of January 1, 1959, of the Egg Lake drainage project?

Answer: \$654.25.

- 185.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Willis:

What was the cost to the Government for the purchase of the land for the obstacle course used by the Agricultural Machinery Administrative Branch?

Answer: \$900.

- 186.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What was the total cost of electronic and testing equipment purchased for use of the Agricultural Machinery Administration Branch?

Answer: \$16,904.26. \$6,037.38 for a traction dynamometer to be installed at the University of Saskatchewan to be jointly used by the University and the Agricultural Machinery Administration.

187.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

- (1) In the year 1958, what seed cleaning plants received government grants?

Answer: Cabri Co-operative Association Limited; Lashburn Seed Cleaning Co-operative Limited; Rural Municipality of St. Andrews No. 287; Weyburn Co-operative Seed Cleaning Plant.

- (2) What was the amount of grant to each plant?

Answer: \$5,000 to each.

188.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

What were the mill rates of taxes (a) rural, (b) urban, for each Larger School Unit in 1958?

Answer:

No.	Name	Rural	Urban
1	Oxbow	30	36, 39, 41
2	Estevan	32	41
3	Radville	26	29, 31, 33
4	Willow Bunch	33	38
5	Assiniboia	29	32
6	Wood River	23	29
7	Shaunavon	20	26
8	Eastend	23	25, 30
9	Moosomin	26	31, 34
10	Arcola	25	30, 35
11	Weyburn	27	31
12	Milestone	19	23, 25
15	Swift Current	29	33
16	Gull Lake	23	31
17	Maple Creek	35	38, 44
18	Broadview	26	34
20	Regina (East)	30	37
22	Moose Jaw	21	25, 26
23	Herbert	24	27, 30
24	Leader	25	29, 33
26	Melville (North)	31	36
28	Cupar	34	37

No.	Name	Rural	Urban
29	Govan	33	36
30	Watrous	28	34
31	Davidson	21	24.5, 28
32	Outlook	25	30, 31.5, 35
33	Eston-Elrose	24	31
34	Kindersley	30	34, 38
35	Kamsack	27	32
36	Yorkton	31	34
37	Canora	29	34
38	Foam Lake-Wynyard	30	34
40	Lanigan	30	34
41	Saskatoon (East)	27	32
42	Saskatoon (West)	29	34
43	Rosetown	24	33
44	Kerrobert	28	33, 38
45	Sturgis	35	38, 39, 41
46	Wadena	31	34, 37
47	Humboldt	25	28, 37
48	Wakaw	27	32
50	Biggar	26	29, 36
52	Hudson Bay	27	30, 33
53	Tisdale	24	27, 30, 40
54	Melfort	25	30, 34
55	Kinistino	29	32
56	Prince Albert	26	36
57	Blaine Lake	26	30
58	North Battleford	25	30, 25
59	Wilkie	25	29, 31
60	Lloydminster	28	34, 36
61	Nipawin	31	39, 42
63	Shell Lake	25	33, 40
64	Medstead	24	30
65	Turtleford	31	35
66	Meadow Lake	35	40

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1959

191.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What (if any) surveys have been undertaken in connection with Highway No. 22 from the junction of No. 10 north of Abernethy to the junction with No. 9 Highway on the east, during the year 1958, and what was the cost of same?

Answer: Approximately five days on drainage investigations between junction with No. 9 and junction with No. 47. Approximately one week on location surveys in the vicinity of Pearl Creek. The cost of preliminary engineering between the junction with No. 9 Highway and the junction with No. 10 Highway between January 1, 1958 and December 31, 1958 was \$2,924.94. Preliminary engineering includes preliminary surveys and design, and records do not show what part of this expenditure is directly attributable to the above two field surveys.

192.—Mr. Barrie asked the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

- (1) How many sawmills operated, or are operating, in the Porcupine Forest Reserve during the 1958-59 season?

Answer: Forty-five.

- (2) What is the name and address of operator in each instance?

Answer: N. W. Anaka, Hyas; N. Bozak, Hudson Bay; T. Binkley, Hudson Bay; L. Bymack, Stenen; Steve Balysky, Glen Elder; Metro Buchinski, Endeavour; S. Czoronoboy, Endeavour; A. Czoronoboy, Endeavour; F. Dolton, Endeavour; Mike Delawski, Rockford, Jack Fialkowski, Rockford; Ralph Flowers, Lintlaw; Dave Fittes, Porcupine Plain; Adam Greba, Endeavour; D. S. Grendal & Patients, Hudson Bay; H. Gradberg, Hudson Bay; Tony Hartl, Rockford; Carl Jensen, Stenen; J. M. Johnson, Sturgis; Wm. Jakubowski, Endeavour; Wm. Kotyk, Swan River, Man.; E. Kachkowski, Erwood; Felix Konchakowski, Porcupine Plain; Paul Krywy, Danbury; Kozmenuik & Sunduk, Danbury; Knute Listol, Weekes; Wilf Leason, Hudson Bay; Edwin Messenger, Reserve; D. Miller, Nobleville; Joe Mathiew, Perigord; R. T. Olson, Sturgis; Steve Omelchuk, Stenen; Rudachyk Bros., Arabella; Arthur Rupchan, Reserve; J. Rudinski, Bertwell; Wm. Shawaga, Dillabough; Paul Strelezki, Usherville; Mike Stadnik, Swan River, Man.; Mike Sokolowski, White Beach; Joe Stadnek, Weekes; Julius Szeles, Rockford; Peter Suknasky, Stenen; Nick Shostal, Hyas; Joe Tropeau, Reserve; W. G. Winters, Clemenceau.

195.—Mr. Klein asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

- (1) What was the cost of stockpiling the gravel pile at Dunkirk?

Answer: Stockpile location N.E.¼ 36-12-28-W.2. 3002 cu. yds. in Stockpile. Cost \$2,101.40. Gravel was stockpiled in 1956 to carry out repairs to oil treated surface of old No. 2 Highway from junction of No. 36 to Ardill.

- (2) What use has been made of the said stockpile?

Answer: Part of the original stockpile was used for the intended purpose stated in (1) above, prior to the section of highway referred to being reverted to a gravel surfaced highway. The remaining gravel will be used as required for ice control on the new highway.

- (3) Has any of this gravel been used on new No. 2 Highway?

Answer: No.

196.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

- (1) How many Veterinarians were practising in Saskatchewan during 1958?

Answer: 59 Private practising veterinarians resident in Saskatchewan; 41 Veterinarians employed by various governmental agencies and doing varying amounts of field work.

- (2) How many veterinarians were engaged in the program of testing for Bang's disease during 1958?

Answer: 59 Private practising veterinarians; 2 retired veterinarians; 26 veterinarians employed by various governmental agencies and doing varying amounts of field work; 8 students from the Ontario Veterinary College, Guelph.

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1959

199.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

- (1) What was the total number of persons who voted on the Egg Marketing Plebiscite?

Answer: 6,158.

- (2) What was the total vote (a) for, (b) against?

Answer: (a) 3,802; (b) 2,037; Rejected, 319.

200.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

- (1) During 1958, how many individuals received compensation for cattle sold under the Bang's testing program?

Answer: Compensation is paid by the Government of Canada for reactors to Bang's disease in areas declared under the Brucellosis Control Area program. We do not have records regarding compensation paid.

- (2) On how many head of cattle was compensation paid?

Answer: See answer to (1) above.

- (3) What was the total expenditure by the Provincial Government for compensation for above?

Answer: Nil.

201.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Erb:

- (1) What was the total amount paid out under The Saskatchewan Hospital Services Act to hospitals to cover operating deficits during 1958?

Answer: \$615,863.29.

- (2) What amounts were paid to cover operating deficits to hospitals in the Melville Provincial Constituency during 1958?

Answer: St. Peter's Hospital, Melville, \$2,226.93; Balcarres Union Hospital, \$7,394.18; Neudorf Union Hospital, \$2,665.60; Total, \$12,286.71.

202.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

- (1) What is the charge made to old age pensioners for care and treatment in the Provincial Geriatric Centres?

Answer: For Old Age Assistance and Old Age Security recipients \$25.00 per month in the Regina, Saskatoon and Melfort Centres and \$55.00 per month in the Wolseley Centre.

- (2) How much was collected from patients in Geriatric Centres during the year 1958?

Answer: \$216,660.48. (Excluding amount paid by Department of Veterans Affairs, \$96,597).

203.—Mr. Klein asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

- (1) How many head of cattle were pastured in the provincial community pasture south of Meyronne during the pasturing season in 1958?

Answer: 754 head of cattle (includes 462 breeding cows) and 346 calves.

(2) How many acres are there in the said pasture?

Answer: 9,592 acres.

(3) Were these cattle tested for Bang's disease before being admitted to the pasture?

Answer: Yes.

(4) Can anyone holding a Crown lease pasture cattle in a community pasture?

Answer: Holding a Crown lease does not entitle nor bar an applicant from using a provincial community pasture. It is considered as a part of an applicant's grazing resources when need of the applicants are compared.

204.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

(1) How many recipients of Old Age Security Pensions are receiving Supplementary Allowance of (a) \$20, (b) \$15, (c) \$10.

(d) \$5, (e) \$2.50 within the area bounded by Rural Municipalities Nos. 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137?

Answer: (1) On March 1959 payroll: (a) 2; (b) nil; (c) 76; (d) 22; (e) 142.

(2) How many recipients of (a) Disabled Persons' Allowances, (b) Mothers' Allowance, are there within the area bounded by the above R.M.'s?

Answer: (2) On the March 1959 payroll: (a) 30; (b) 55.

206.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

(1) What was the total amount withheld in Disability Pensions, Blind Pensions, Old Age Assistance Pensions, and Mothers' Allowances from pensioners while patients in Government institutions or Hospitals during 1957-58?

Answer: Nil.

(2) What percentage withheld represented payment to the individual from the Federal Treasury during 1957-58?

Answer: See answer to (1) above.

MONDAY, MARCH 30, 1959

208.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Erb:

In how many cases has the Department of Public Health refused construction grants to hospitals since 1948, and where were these hospitals located?

Answer: In every case where hospital construction was approved and the project qualified for a grant, the province has made construction grants available.

209.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Erb:

How many hospital patients had their Hospital Services benefits cancelled during 1958, because hospitalization was no longer required?

Answer: Hospital Services benefits were not cancelled during 1958 for any patients who were beneficiaries of the Saskatchewan Hospital Services Plan; but 245 accounts were refused in part for hospital care, which was no longer considered necessary by the attending physician.

211.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

How much was paid by the Department of Highways for 2 acres of land purchased from Theatre Under the Stars Limited, on the South West Quarter of Section One (1), in Township Seventeen (17), in Range Twenty (20), West of the Second Meridian, and registered as Parcel D and registered as No. 165BQQ in the Regina Land Titles Office?

Answer: Nil.

213.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown:

(1) Who is the director of Historic Sites for Saskatchewan?

Answer: There is no such position in the present establishment of the Provincial Government. Duties formerly carried out by the Director of Historic Sites have been transferred to the Parks Branch, Department of Travel and Information.

(2) When was this appointment made?

Answer: See answer to (1) above.

(3) What Historic Sites will be officially marked during 1959?

Answer: Site of the Saskatchewan Herald Office, Battleford. The Petrofka Ferry on the Northern Saskatchewan River.

214.—Mr. Elias asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

What was the average supplementary allowance paid to Old Age Security recipients in the year 1957-1958?

Answer: \$5.57.

TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 1959

215.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

How many pounds of butter were produced in Saskatchewan in the year 1958?

Answer: Creamery Butter, 29,508,604 pounds; Dairy Butter, preliminary estimate by Dominion Bureau of Statistics, 3,279,000 pounds.

218.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What amount was spent in the year 1958 in the purchase of new road machinery by the Department of Highways?

Answer: \$1,416,916.69.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 1959

222.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

What progress has been made to date on the development of the Meadow Lake Provincial Park?

Answer:

Cottage Subdivisions established: Greig Lake, 2 subdivisions, 48 and 32 lots; Kimball Lake, 57 lots; Pierce Lake, 45 lots; Jeanotte Lake, (not registered); Flotten Lake, 13 lots.

Facilities Provided: 29 picnic tables; 19 picnic sites including fire-places; 5 camp kitchens; 26 toilets; 3 docks; 16 4x4 signs, 50 directional signs; 4 boat launching sites; 4 car parking areas.

Whole forest area photographed and inventoried and map sheets produced.

Kimball, Pierce and (proposed) Lac des Isles cottage subdivisions have been laid out according to planning principles to provide for various land uses, including: cottage areas; commercial area, public beaches, public parking areas, camp, tent and trailer sites, roads. This will assure orderly and efficient development of the land.

Fisheries research has been done on part of the Waterhen system for better management of the angling and commercial fishery resources.

A system of forest-fire control has been established for the whole park (area of 387,000 acres or 605 sq. miles).

Approximately 20 miles of access-road construction in various parts of the park (this does not include provincial highways).

A master plan for development of the whole park has been prepared. The plan will be the guide for development of recreational sites for the next 5 to 10 years.

223.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

During the year 1958, on how many premises was re-testing for Bang's disease carried out?

Answer: 347.

224.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Williams:

(1) What new trades now require certificates of status since 1956?

Answer: On May 1, 1958 regulations became effective requiring every tradesman engaged in the Motor Vehicle Body Repair Trade and the Sheet Metal Trade in any city or in the Town of Melville, or within a radius of five miles from any

city or from said town, to hold a valid certificate of his status in such trades.

- (2) How many have been issued to each?

Answer: Sheet Metal Trade, 561; Motor Vehicle Body Repair Trade, 360.

225.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

- (1) What was the licence fee for implement dealers in the years 1948 to date inclusive?

Answer: \$5.00.

- (2) What are the conditions of issuance and to what type of dealer?

Answer: As presented by The Saskatchewan Agricultural Machinery Act and its regulations, and are issued only to vendors of farm machinery as defined by Section 2 (6) of The Agricultural Machinery Act.

THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 1959

232.—Mr. Korchiński asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

- (1) What amount was spent on the new construction of Highway No. 40 within Redberry Constituency from April 1, 1958, to March 1, 1959?

Answer: Amount spent from April 1, 1958 to February 28, 1959—\$99,100.16.

- (2) To whom was this amount paid?

Answer: Major payees were:—South Brothers; Federated Co-operatives Limited; Richardson Road Machinery Co. Ltd.; Concrete Drainage Pipe, Saskatoon; Northern Wood Preservers Saskatchewan Limited; Westeel Products Limited; ArmcO Drainage and Metal Products of Canada, Limited; Bergan Construction Co.

234.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

How much was paid in each year 1948-49 to date by the Government to the Fish Marketing Services for subsidy under the fish floor price?

Answer: 1948-49, Nil; 1949-50, \$17,396.91; 1950-51, \$5,646.00; 1951-52, \$19,828.00; 1952-53, \$121,151.86; 1953-54, \$44,144.93; 1954-55, Nil; 1955-56, \$13,875.86; 1956-57, \$20,556.10; 1957-58, \$13,275.71; 1958-59, Nil.

236.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Erb:

- (1) In how many cases has the Department of Health refused to grant Hospital status to communities which have constructed hospitals since 1948 and thereby denied them construction grants?

Answer: None.

- (2) Where were these hospitals located?

Answer: See answer to (1) above.

n.b.—Grants have been refused toward the cost of a building at Ogema not approved as a hospital.

239.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What surveys have been undertaken by the Government since 1954-55, and what was the cost, in connection with (a) Highway No. 55 West from Frenchman Butte, (b) Highway No. 26 North from Mervin, (c) Highway No. 4 North from Cochin, (d) Highway No. 24 South from Spiritwood?

Answer: (a) There is no No. 55 Highway West of Frenchman Butte; (b) Mervin to Turtleford. Location study and survey, \$1,860.93; (c) Cochin to Glaslyn. Location study and preliminary survey, \$13,587.11; Meadow Lake South. Location study, \$1,832.04; (d) There is no No. 24 Highway South of Spiritwood.

241.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

- (1) How many sawmills operated, or are operating, in the Bronson Forest Reserve during the 1958-59 season?

Answer: Only one mill operated within the Bronson Forest Reserve,

but eight others operated just outside the reserve, using timber from it.

(2) What is the name and address of the operator in each instance?

Answer: Humphrey Bros., Bolney; Robert Craig, St. Walburg; John Hoffman, Red Cross; Hritzuk & Kupup, St. Walburg; Joseph Morton, Whelan; E. T. Prosser, Loon Lake; John Oberhaser, Red Cross; Archie Potter, Loon Lake; A. Morgens-
stern, Loon Lake.

FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1959

233.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

In the fiscal years 1944-45 and 1957-58 what were the mill rates (a) for school purposes, (b) municipal purposes, in the following Rural Municipalities: Nos. 434, 435, 436, 466, 468?

Answer: (a) See Page 44 of the 1944-45 Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs.

(b) See Pages 105 and 106 of the 1957-58 Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs.

242.—Mr. Weber asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Williams:

(1) Is the Dairy Employees, Truckers and Warehouse Union certified by the Labour Relations Board of the Province of Saskatchewan under The Trade Union Act of Saskatchewan as bargaining agent for any employers in the Province of Saskatchewan?

Answer: No.

(2) If so, what employers?

Answer: See answer to question (1).

(3) Is the Teamsters Union certified as the bargaining agent for the employees of any employers by the Labour Relations Board under The Trade Union Act of the Province of Saskatchewan?

Answer: Yes.

(4) If so, what employers?

Answer:

Name of Local Certified	Name of Employer	Location	Date Certified
Int'l. Bro. of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen and Helpers of America, Local 395	Canadian Bechtel Ltd.	Prov. of Sask.	Oct. 9/56
" " " "	Canadian-Parkhill Pipe Stringing, Ltd.	Prov. of Sask.	Oct. 9/56
Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers Union No. 395	Mel's Cartage	S'toon	Mar. 13/56
Int'l. Bro. of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen and Helpers of America, Local 395	Johnstone Dairies Limited	M.J.	Sept. 4/45
" " " "	Palm Dairies Limited	M.J.	Nov. 22/45
Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers Union No. 395	Saskatchewan Co-operative Creamery Association Limited	M.J.	Nov. 20/51
Dairy Employees, Truck Drivers and Warehousemen, Local 834	Canadian Propane (Sask.) Limited	(M.J. (Regina (Saskatoon	Aug. 2/56
	(above order amended to add	(Swift C. (Prince Albert	Sept. 11/57
	(above order amended to add	Estevan	Jan. 14/58
	(above order amended to add	Ass'boia	Oct. 16/58
Dairy Employees, Truck Drivers and Warehousemen, Local 834	Blackwoods Beverages Limited	Yorkton	Jan. 21/56
" " " "	Saskatchewan Co-operative Creamery Association Limited	Canora	April 14/54
" " " "	Palm Dairies Limited	Regina	Dec. 18/45
" " " "	Saskatchewan Co-operative Creamery Association Limited	Pr'ville	June 13/55
" " " "	Regina City Dairy Limited	Regina	May 27/47
" " " "	Saskatchewan Co-operative Creamery Association Limited	Regina	Feb. 12/52
" " " "	Silverwood Western Dairies Limited	Regina	Feb. 12/52
" " " "	Regina White Trucks Limited (by virtue of Sec. 28 original	Regina	Sept. 14/54

Name of Local Certified	Name of Employer	Location	Date Certified
	certification to The White Motor Company of Canada Ltd.)		
Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen and Helpers, Local 139	MacDonalds Consolidated Limited	S'toon	Nov. 18/46
" " " "	C. H. Wentz Lumber Company Limited	S'toon	June 13/50
" " " "	Saskatchewan Co-operative Creamery Limited	S'toon	July 7/47
" " " "	Canadian Bakeries Limited	S'toon	Feb. 14/46

- (5) If the Teamsters Union in the United States and Canada is not certified as bargaining agent by the Labour Relations Board under the name of "Teamsters Union" is it so certified under any other name and if so for the employees of what employers?

Answer: No. Proper name is The International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen and Helpers of America.

245.—Mr. Loptson asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Willis:

(1) When was the toilet located in the north-west corner of Wascana Park constructed? (2) What is the dimension of the building? (3) Has it a heating plant? (4) What was the total cost?

Answer: Since Wascana Park is under the control of the City of Regina we have no information.

246.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

How many Agricultural Marketing Boards have been established in Saskatchewan since 1944?

Answer: One.

249.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Willis:

What is the total expenditure to date for renovations to the Regina Physical Restoration Centre?

Answer: \$96,696.33.

250.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown:

In the fiscal year 1957-58, what amounts were spent by the Department of Travel and Information on recreational facilities at each of the following lakes: Jackfish, Murray, Redberry, Meeting, Iroquois, Mistawasis?

Answer: Nil. These lakes come under the jurisdiction of the Department of Natural Resources.

251.—Mr. Korchinski asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown:

What are (a) the names, (b) academic or professional training, (c) salaries, (d) expense accounts, of information writers and editors employed by the Information Branch of the Department of Travel and Information in 1957-58?

Answer:

Name	Classification	Academic or prof. training	Salary	Expense Acct.
E. G. Anderson	Editor	Grade 12, Graduate School of Agriculture, Univ. of Sask., 7 years experience.	\$3,964.08	\$389.85
S. Beadnell	Information Writer	Grade 12, exp. as reporter and photographer.	3,138.00	34.28
B. A. W. Cashman	Sr. Information Writer	Grade 12, typing course, 8 yrs. exp. as reporter, publisher, editor, technical writer.	4,042.69	263.28
M. R. Clements	Audio-Visual Writer	Grade 12, Univ. of Sask. degree in Associate Arts, exp. as drama adjudicator and script writer.	3,951.97	127.45
R. M. Fournier	Sr. Information Writer	Grade 12, course in Journalism — Newspaper Institute of America, exp. as reporter, women's editor and copywriter.	3,256.51	Nil
O. R. Green	Director	Grade 12, 15 yrs. exp. as reporter and feature writer.	5,562.00	88.95
J. Motyl	Editor	Grade 12, exp. as reporter and feature writer.	2,835.40	567.03

M. Neal	Sr. Information Writer	Grade 12, Univ. of Sask. Course in Journalism & Busi- ness Administration, 10 yrs. exp. as free lance writer.	3,950.71	4.50
R. Phillips	Editor	Grade 12, B.A. Uni- versity of Sask.	4,818.00	939.71
V. Simenson	Information Writer	Grade 12, 8 yrs. exp. as reporter and so- cial editor.	2,141.95	Nil
R. Swanson	Sr. Information Writer	Grade 12, Univ. of Sask. B.A., LL.B., 8 yrs. exp. as re- porter, feature writer, publicity and public relations.	759.65	15.30

252.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What has been the amount paid out since 1944 by the Govern-
ment in payments to farmers as direct subsidies on the price
of products sold?

Answer: The Provincial Government has never subsidized directly
the sale of farm products.

MONDAY, APRIL 6, 1959

255.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Question, which
was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

What areas other than the Regina area, have had industries
brought into them through the efforts of the Industrial Develop-
ment Office, what were these industries and where are they
located?

Answer:

Since the Industrial Development Office, in attempting to promote
industry in the province, is working closely with Municipal
Councils, Chambers of Commerce, Railways, Banks and Investment
Houses, other Government Agencies both Federal and Provincial,
and with many other groups and individuals, it would be pre-
sumptuous to suggest that any industry has established in an
area or community solely through the efforts of the Industrial
Development Office. In any case industry is not "brought" to a
community, as the decision of locating in a specific community
is made by the industry itself.

The Industrial Development Office has provided services to new
industries establishing, or to industries undertaking major expan-
sions, in the following communities: Annaheim, Assiniboia, Chaplin,

Bishopric, Dinsmore, Estevan, Esterhazy, Fort Qu'Appelle, Hudson Bay, Humboldt, Kamsack, Kerrobert, Lashburn, Lloydminster, Maple Creek, Moose Jaw, Nipawin, Percival, Prince Albert, Qu'Appelle, Regina, Rocanville, Saskatoon, Shellbrook, Steelman, Sturgis, Swift Current, Wartime, Watrous, Weyburn, Whitefox, Wynyard and Yorkton.

256.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Erb:

- (1) How many patients are at present in each of the T.B. Sanatoria in Saskatchewan?

Answer: Prince Albert, 233; Saskatoon, 92; Fort Qu'Appelle, 148. Patient population as at March 31, 1959.

- (2) What is the capacity number of patients that can be cared for in each of the T.B. Sanatoria in Saskatchewan?

Answer: The rated bed capacity of each of the T.B. Sanatoria in Saskatchewan is as follows: Prince Albert, 219; Saskatoon, 143; Fort Qu'Appelle, 300. (Includes 126 beds closed at the present time).

257.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Lloyd:

What was the result of the vote in the Yorkton Larger School Unit held in 1958 to determine whether the unit would be retained?

Answer: Number of ballots cast for continuing the Yorkton School Unit was 2,235; number of ballots cast for disorganizing the Yorkton School Unit was 1,535.

258.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

- (1) Where is the location of the proposed Provincial Park in the Qu'Appelle Valley?

Answer: On the south side of the Qu'Appelle Valley, centred between Echo Lake and Pasqua lakes.

- (2) How many acres are contained in the above park?

Answer: 260 acres of land have already been purchased, and negotiations are under way for additional land. The ultimate size of the park will depend on whether additional suitable land can be purchased at a reasonable price.

259.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

- (1) What is the total amount paid out to date under the Municipal Grid Road Plan in each of the following Municipalities: Nos. 496, 497, 498, 499, 501 and 529?
- (2) What mileage has been constructed in each of the above municipalities?

Answers:

<u>R.M.</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Equivalent Mileage Constructed</u>
496	\$84,638.04	20.0
497	\$22,743.45	6.1
498	—	—
499	—	—
501	—	—
529	\$28,662.99	4.8

260.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

Within the area bounded by Rural Municipalities Nos. 496, 497, 498, 499, 501, 529, as of March 31, 1959:

- (1) How many people are recipients of (a) Supplementary Allowances, (b) Mothers' Allowances, (c) Disabled Persons' Allowances?

Answer: (a) 210, (b) 39, (c) 26.

- (2) How many recipients of Old Age Security Pensions are receiving supplementary allowances of (a) \$20, (b) \$15, (c) \$10, (d) \$5, (e) \$2.50?

Answer: (a) Nil, (b) 3, (c) 42, (d) 35, (e) 130.

261—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

- (1) What is the total amount paid out to date under the Municipal Grid Road Plan to each of the following Municipalities: Nos. 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137?
- (2) What mileage has been constructed in each of the above Municipalities?

Answers:

<u>R.M.</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Equivalent Mileage Constructed</u>
103	\$48,805.60	20.0
104	\$41,839.89	17.5
105	\$13,768.83	6.0
106	\$ 1,661.00	—
107	\$71,908.84	20.0
131	\$17,727.77	8.3
132	\$23,004.25	3.5
133	\$64,323.04	16.0
134	\$49,060.24	14.2
135	\$37,662.31	18.0
136	\$46,730.62	23.5
137	—	—

262—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Bentley:

How many veterans reside in each of the Geriatric Centres in the Province?

Answer: On March 31, 1959, by agreement with the Department of Veterans Affairs, there were sixty War Veterans residing in the Geriatric Centre in Regina. No record is maintained of War Veterans residing in the other Centres.

263:—Mr. McCarthy asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

What part did the Industrial Development Office play in bringing the Dominion Bridge Company to the City of Regina?

Answer:

The role of the Industrial Development Office is to attract industry to the province, but not to attempt to direct an industry to locate in any particular community. However, in order to ensure that more than one community will be considered as a possible location, industrial data on several communities is usually supplied to each prospect. The decision to locate in any particular community is invariably made by the industry itself in accordance with its assessment of what is the best location for its operations.

Insofar as the Dominion Bridge Company is concerned, the Office first contacted this Company in 1951, urging them to establish a plant in the province. The decision of the company to locate in Regina was made solely by the company itself on the basis of its own investigations, and not as the result of any recommendations on the part of the Industrial Development Office.

264.—Mr. Barrie asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

- (1) What employees left their positions with the Industrial Development Office during the years 1957 and 1958?

Answer: 1957—(a) D. W. Ross; (b) Mrs. H. Holle. 1958—(a) B. E. A. Yeo; (b) C. W. Gonick; (c) Mrs. L. B. Moore.

(2) What reasons were given for leaving such employment?

Answer: 1957—(a) and (b) to accept employment elsewhere; 1958—(a) to accept employment elsewhere; (b) to continue post-graduate studies; (c) husband transferred out of province.

265.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

What Crown Corporations is D. H. F. Black a director of?

Answer: Saskatchewan Government Telephones, Saskatchewan Minerals.

TUESDAY, APRIL 7, 1959

271.—Mr. MacFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Nolle:

(1) How many veterans have been granted leases with a purchase privilege on Crown lands, as of December 31, 1958?

Answer: 1,614.

(2) In how many cases have veterans received title to land by virtue of full payment as of December 31, 1958?

Answer: 109.

272.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Nolle:

(1) How many notices of intent to cancel leases held by veterans were issued during 1958?

Answer: 87.

(2) How many of said notices have been sent from January 1, 1959, to date?

Answer: 49, of which 29 were for failure to pay taxes and 14 for failure to submit crop statements by January of 1959 after being requested to do so by letter followed by a registered letter.

274.—Mr. Stone asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McIntosh:

How many Rural Municipalities have had their "Grid Road" program (a) approved, (b) approved in part, (c) have not to date asked for finished approval of any of the mileage of Grid Road in their municipalities along with the numbers of these R.M.'s?

Answer: (a) 275, (b) 14, (c) 7 as of this date—R.M. Lone Tree No. 18; R.M. Pinto Creek No. 75; R.M. Gull Lake No. 139; R.M. Sherwood No. 159; R.M. Pittville No. 169; R.M. Turtle River No. 469; R.M. Parkdale No. 498.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 1959

275.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nollet:

What organization or organizations requested that Agricultural Implement Dealers' licences be increased from \$5 to \$25 per year?

Answer: The Saskatchewan Agricultural Machinery Board upon consideration of suggestions from time to time by the Retail Implement Dealers' Association, and directly from retail farm implement dealers. Any increase was to be in conjunction with higher standards and increased inspection services. During the summer of 1958, over 2,000 inspections were made.

276.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

What was the amount of contingent liabilities at December 31, 1958?

Answer: See Budget Address page 8.

278.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Weyburn):

- (1) What was the total cost of the banquets for the University Students visiting the Legislature in February, 1958?

Answer: The Dome Cafe, located in the Legislative Building, is operated by the Saskatchewan Civil Service Association. The Government has no knowledge of the total cost of banquets referred to in this question.

(2) What was the total paid by the Government?

Answer: \$333.75.

(3) What was the total paid by others?

Answer: The Government has no information.

280.—Mr. Loptson asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Willis:

(1) When was the toilet located in the north-west corner of the Legislative Building Grounds, a short distance east of Albert Street and south of Wascana Lake constructed?

Answer: During the calendar year 1957.

(2) What is the dimension of the building?

Answer: South wing: 13 feet, eight inches by 13 feet, one inch;
North wing: 13 feet, eight inches by 13 feet, one inch;
Access Area: 14 feet, eight inches long, triangular in shape, being seven feet, eight inches at the widest point.

(3) Has it a heating plant?

Answer: No.

(4) What was the total cost?

Answer: \$14,008.12.

NOTE: The nature and location of the building required quality construction to prevent deterioration from constant use, or possible defacement by vandals. During the summer months, particularly on weekends, crowds numbering several thousands visit the Legislative Grounds. The location near the water necessitated the use of pile foundations. Connection with the City water and electrical supply required tunnelling under Albert Street. The building is constructed of impervious materials with terrazzo floors, glazed paint, mechanical exhaust ventilation, and quality fixtures, all contributing to appearance and longevity. For further information see pages 24 and 25 of the Department of Public Works Annual Report, 1957-58.

FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 1959

283.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Douglas (Rosetown):

What were the rates paid by the Department of Highways for work done by 15-yard scrapers H.D. 20 Allis Chalmers Crawler Tractors with an experienced operator in the years 1955, 1956 and 1957?

Answer: The approved departmental rental and wages schedule would yield the following total rental rates: 1955, \$13.20 per hour; 1956, \$13.25 per hour; 1957, \$16.10 per hour.

QUESTIONS re CROWN CORPORATIONS

121.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain):

What was the profit of the Saskatchewan Power Corporation for the years 1957 and 1958?

Answer: The profit of the Saskatchewan Power Corporation for 1957 was \$1,817,848, and for 1958 was \$3,337,795.

128.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

What categories of persons are required to purchase insurance and/or bonds from the Saskatchewan Government Insurance Office under the provision of Section 15 (3) of The Saskatchewan Government Insurance Act?

Answer: (1) Owners of public service vehicles in respect of policies and bonds required under clauses (b) and (c) of subsection (1) of section 30, of The Vehicles Act, 1957, and corresponding regulations under The Vehicles Act.

(2) Persons who are required to furnish bonds under The Electrical Licensing and Inspection Act and regulations thereunder.

151.—Mr. Nicholson asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Kuziak:

(1) What was the salary paid to Mr. Mike Kalmikoff, for the year 1958?

Answer: \$12,500.

(2) What were his expenses?

Answer: \$2,164.12.

153.—Mr. Coderre asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain):

How many farms were electrified in each of the years 1950 to date?

Answer: 1950—2,400; 1951—3,400; 1952—4,300; 1953—6,000; 1954—6,555; 1955—7,700; 1956—7,800; 1957—6,600; 1958—5,191.

154.—Mr. Gardiner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Fines:

What was the total in premiums of insurance and/or bonds purchased by persons required to purchase insurance and/or bonds from the Government Insurance Office under the provisions of Section 15 (3) of The Saskatchewan Government Insurance Act?

Answer: Calendar Year 1958—(1) Motor Truck Cargo Insurance, \$99,391; (2) Motor Truck Cargo Fidelity Bonds, \$2,180; (3) Electrical Contractors Bonds, \$7,110; (4) Gas Installation Bonds, \$2,440; (5) Lightning Rod Installation Bonds, \$176. Total, \$111,297.

155.—Mr. Foley asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain):

What has been the total cost to date to the Saskatchewan Power Corporation for the construction of the Natural Gas System in the province?

Answer: \$52,709,887.

164.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain):

(1) How many loans were outstanding under the time payment plan for rural electrification to the Saskatchewan Power Corporation as of January 1, 1959?

Answer: 11,780 loans were outstanding under the time payment plan for rural electrification to the Saskatchewan Power Corporation as of January 1, 1959.

(2) What was the total amount of money involved in (1)?

Answer: \$3,563,853.40.

(3) What rate of interest is charged on above loans?

Answer: 5% simple interest is charged on the above loans.

165.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain):

What was the total amount owed by farmers to the Saskatchewan Power Corporation for electrical power hook-up as at January 1, 1959?

Answer: The total amount owed by farmers to Saskatchewan Power Corporation for electrical power hook-up as at January 1, 1959, was \$3,563,853.40. Of the foregoing amount, the amount due and payable to the Corporation as at January 1, 1959, was \$889,158.50 plus interest on this amount amounting to \$141,951.05.

182.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain):

(1) What was the total amount of electrical consumption billed to rural customers from January 1 to December 31, 1957, by the Saskatchewan Power Corporation?

Answer: 114,866,771 kilowatt hours.

(2) What was the total revenue to the Saskatchewan Power Corporation in the above period?

Answer: \$4,579,095.38.

189.—Mr. Weber asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank:

(1) What is the total acreage leased by the Saskatchewan Sodium Sulphate Division for the year ending December 31, 1958?

Answer: 1,817.02 acres held under Alkali Leases from The Department of Mineral Resources.

(2) Where are these leases located?

Answer: Cabri area (Snakehole Lake); Chaplin area; Bishopric area; Alsask area.

NOTE: The Sodium Sulphate Division has given certain farm leases on the surface rights of lands owned by the Division, but not presently required for its operations. The present acreage involved in such cases is approximately 200 acres in the Cabri area, and approximately 210 acres in the Alsask area.

190.—Mr. McFarlane asked the Government the following Questions, which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Brown (Last Mountain):

- (1) What was the total amount of electrical consumption billed to rural customers from January 1 to December 31, 1958, by the Saskatchewan Power Corporation?

Answer: 137,683,014 kilowatt hours.

- (2) What was the total revenue to the Saskatchewan Power Corporation in the above period?

Answer: \$5,473,539.26.

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2 R.—Second Reading	S.O.C.—Committee on Standing Orders.
3 R.—Third Reading.	S.P.—Sessional Papers.
P.—Passed.	
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