

JOURNALS  
of the  
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
of the  
Province of Saskatchewan

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From the 28th day of July, 1971, to the 24th day of February, 1972,

In the Twentieth Year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lady,  
Queen Elizabeth II,

BEING THE FIRST SESSION OF THE SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE OF  
OF THE PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

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**Second Session, 1971**

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REGINA:

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1972



MEETING OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

STEPHEN WOROBETZ,  
*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 P R O C L A M A T I O N**

ROY S. MELDRUM,  
*Deputy*  
*Attorney General*

**W**HEREAS, it is expedient for causes  
and considerations to convene the  
Legislative Assembly of Our Prov-  
ince of Saskatchewan, **WE DO WILL** that you and each of you and all others  
in this behalf interested on **THURSDAY**, the **TWENTY-FOURTH** day of **FEBRUARY**,  
1972, at Our City of Regina, personally be and appear for the despatch of  
Business, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of Our said  
Province of Saskatchewan 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 STEPHEN**  
**WOROBETZ, M.C., M.D., C.R.C.S.(C)**, Lieutenant Governor of Our  
Province of Saskatchewan.

**AT OUR CAPITAL CITY OF REGINA**, in Our said Province, this **TWENTY-FIFTH**  
day of **JANUARY**, in the year of Our Lord **ONE THOUSAND AND NINE**  
**HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-TWO**, and in the **TWENTIETH** year of Our  
Reign.

By Command,

**L. J. BEAUDRY,**  
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

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## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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**Regina, Wednesday, July 28, 1971**

*9:00 o'clock a.m.*

This being the first day of the meeting of the First Session of the Seventeenth Legislature of the Province of Saskatchewan for the despatch of business, pursuant to a Proclamation of His Honour the Honourable Stephen Worobetz, Lieutenant Governor of the Province, dated the Nineteenth day of July, 1971, Gordon Leslie Barnhart, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, Commissioner designated by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor for administering the Oath to the Members of the Legislative Assembly, attending according to his duty, John Curry Harrington, Chief Electoral Officer, delivered to the said Gordon Leslie Barnhart a Roll containing a list of names of such Members as had been returned to serve in this Legislative, as follows, viz.:

REGINA, Saskatchewan,  
July 19, 1971.

To: G. L. Barnhart,

*Clerk of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan.*

This is to certify that by reason of the dissolution of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, and by virtue of Writs of Election dated the twenty-fifth day of May last, and addressed to the hereinafter mentioned persons as Returning Officers for the Constituencies in the Province set opposite their respective names, for the election of Members to represent the said Constituencies in the Legislative Assembly, the following persons are being gazetted as duly elected to represent the Constituencies set forth below, as appears by the Returns to the said Writs deposited in my office, viz:

CONSTITUENCY	MEMBER ELECTED	RETURNING OFFICER
Arm River	Don Faris	Stanley W. Sloan
Assiniboia-Bengough	David Lange	Harold Brodin
Biggar	Elwood Cowley	Mrs. Irene Ewen
Cannington	Tom Weatherald	Mrs. Patricia Roesslein
Canora	Adolph Matsalla	W. G. Morken
Cut Knife	Miro Kwasnica	Mrs. Edna Silvester

CONSTITUENCY	MEMBER ELECTED	RETURNING OFFICER
Elrose	Hayden Owens	Marshall Scott
Hanley	Paul Mostoway	Frank Boechler
Humboldt	Edwin L. Tchorzewski	August Faul
Kelvington	Neil Erland Byers	A. B. Ferrie
Kerrobot-Kindersley	Alex Taylor	Don Thompson
Last Mountain	G. MacMurchy	Frank T. Gibney
Lumsden	Gary Lane	Fredrick W. Lane
Maple Creek	Eugene F. Flasch	Peter J. Fenrich
Melfort-Kinistino	Arthur Thibault	Edgar Cook
Melville	John Kowalchuk	Joseph Banick
Milestone	Cy MacDonald	William Treleaven
Moose Jaw North	Donald F. MacDonald	Mrs. Dorothy Staseson
Moose Jaw South	Gordon T. Snyder	Gene Chura
Moosomin	John Gardner	Quintis S. Sundstrom
Morse	W. Ross Thatcher	Thomas C. Ripley
Nipawin	John Comer	Frank Hastings
Notukeu-Willow Bunch	Allen Engel	Larry Bissonette
Pelly	L. M. Larson	Michael Zeibin
Prince Albert East	Mike Feschuk	Raymond Frith
Qu'Appelle-Wolseley	Terry Hanson	Donald O. Ford
Redberry	Dick Michayluk	Leo J. Pollard
Regina Albert Park	Ken MacLeod	Weldon Orr
Regina Centre	Allan Blakeney	Felix Kraft
Regina Lakeview	Don McPherson	T. K. MacKenzie
Regina North East	Walter E. Smishek	Arnetta Livingstone
Regina North West	Ed Whelan	Mrs. Elizabeth Sinclair
Regina Wascana	Henry H. P. Baker	Mrs. Margaret Klassen
Regina Whitmore Park	Gordon Grant	David Rink
Rosetown	Geo. F. Loken	James E. Sansom
Rosthern	David Boldt	Isidore Skakun
Saltcoats	Edgar E. Kaeding	William S. Torrie
Saskatoon City Park	Bev Dyck	Mrs. Louise Sirois
Saskatoon Nutana Centre	W. Robbins	William A. Reid
Saskatoon Nutana South	Herman Rolfes	Mrs. Ellen Manton
Saskatoon Riversdale	Roy Romanow	Mrs. Charlotte Brand
Saskatoon University	John Richards	Doreen Millar
Shaunavon	Allen R. Oliver	Mrs. Margaret Audette
Souris-Estevan	Russ Brown	Mrs. Ruby DeBacker
Tisdale-Kelsey	John R. Messer	Keith Cressman
Touchwood	Frank Meakes	Mrs. M. Buchko
Turtleford	Michael Feduniak	Norman A. Wooff
Wadena	Fred Dewhurst	Harold Krienke
Watrous	Don W. Cody	Charles J. Sollosy
Weyburn	J. Auburn Pepper	Mrs. Engsie Van Dusen
Wilkie	Cliff McIssac	Leo J. Mitchell
Yorkton	Irving Carlson	Joseph E. Lenius

J. C. HARRINGTON,  
*Chief Electoral Officer.*

REGINA, Saskatchewan,  
 July 23, 1971

To: G. L. Barnhart,  
*Clerk of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan.*

This is to certify that by reason of the dissolution of the Sixteenth Legislative Assembly of the Province of Saskatchewan, and by virtue of Writs of Election dated the twenty-fifth day of May last, and addressed to the hereinafter mentioned persons as Returning Officers for the Constituencies in the Province set opposite their respective names, for the election of Members to represent the said Constituencies in the Legislative Assembly, the following persons are being gazetted as duly elected to

represent the Constituencies set forth below, as appears by the Returns to the said Writs deposited in my office, viz:

CONSTITUENCY	MEMBER ELECTED	RETURNING OFFICER
Meadow Lake	Hal Coupland	George D. Maloney
Saskatoon Mayfair	John E. Brockelbank	Mrs. Alice E. Coflin
Shellbrook	G. R. Bowerman	Oscar S. Larsen
Swift Current	E. I. Wood	Mrs. Elaine McIntyre
The Battlefords	Eiling Kramer	Mrs. Margaret L. Reid

J. C. HARRINGTON,  
*Chief Electoral Officer.*

The said commissioner having previously administered the Oath to the Members who appeared, and the Members having subscribed the Roll containing the Oath, they took their seats in the Assembly at 10:09 o'clock a.m.

*10:09 o'clock a.m.*

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly 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 10:00 o'clock a.m. today, Wednesday, the Twenty-eighth day of July, 1971.

*10:12 o'clock a.m.*

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor entered the Chamber and took his seat on the Throne.

The Hon. Mr. Romanow, Provincial Secretary, then said:

"I am commanded by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to inform you that he does not see fit to declare the causes of the summoning of the present Legislature until later today, when the Legislative Assembly shall have elected a Speaker according to law."

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the Chamber.

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The Hon. Mr. Blakeney, addressing himself to the Clerk, moved, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow, that Frederick Arthur Dewhurst, Esquire, Member for the Constituency of Wadena, do take the Chair of this Assembly as Speaker.

The question being put by the Clerk, it was

Resolved, that Frederick Arthur Dewhurst, Esquire, do take the Chair of this Assembly as Speaker.

The Clerk having declared Frederick Arthur Dewhurst, Esquire, duly elected, he was conducted to the Chair, where, standing on the upper step, he returned his humble acknowledgements to the Assembly for the great honour they had been pleased to confer upon him by choosing him to be their Speaker.

Thereupon he took the Chair, and the Mace was laid on the Table.

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10:20 o'clock a.m.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor re-entered the Chamber and took his seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker then addressed His Honour to the following effect:—

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

The Legislative Assembly have elected me as their Speaker, although I am but little able to fulfil the important duties thus assigned to me.

If, in the performance of those duties, I should at any time fall into error I pray that the fault may be imputed to me and not to the Assembly, whose servant I am, and who, through me, the better to enable them to discharge their duty to their Queen and Country, hereby humbly claim all their undoubted rights and privileges, especially that they may have freedom of speech in their debates, access to your person at all reasonable times, and that their proceedings may receive from you the most favourable consideration.

The Hon. Mr. Romanow, Provincial Secretary, then said:—

MR. SPEAKER:

I am commanded by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to declare to you that he freely confides in the duty and attachment of the Assembly to Her Majesty's person and Government, and not doubting their proceedings will be conducted with wisdom, temper and prudence, he grants and upon all occasions will recognize and allow, their constitutional privileges.

I am commanded also to assure you that the Assembly shall have ready access to His Honour upon all reasonable occasions and that their proceedings, as well as your words and actions, will constantly receive from him the most favourable construction.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor was then pleased to open the Session with the following Speech:—

MR. SPEAKER,

MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

IT IS MY PRIVILEGE to welcome you to the First Session of the Seventeenth Legislature of Saskatchewan.

You come together saddened by the recent untimely death of the Leader of the Opposition and former Premier, the Hon. W. Ross Thatcher, P.C. I ask you to carry on the work of the Government in the same tradition that was pursued with vigorous dedication by the Hon. Mr. Thatcher during his more than 25 years of public life.

Free access to health care is given high priority by my Government. The imposition of deterrent fees on persons requiring treatment in or out of hospital has proved to be a hindrance to health and an onerous burden on our citizens. You will therefore be asked to approve legislation abolishing all deterrent fees in the field of health care.

Free access to medical and hospital care is particularly important to our older citizens. Therefore, legislation to abolish medical and hospital premiums for every resident 65 years of age or older will be placed before you.

You will also be asked to approve changes in The Mental Health Act which will have the effect of removing provisions enacted April 15, 1968. These provisions place on the families of the mentally ill serious financial burdens not placed on the families of those suffering from physical illness.

The continuing farm income crisis is a matter of deep concern to my Government. My Ministers have taken certain steps to assist farmers, notably by extending retroactively to January 1, 1971, the payment of hog premiums.

As a further step, legislation will be introduced to protect farmers unable to pay their debts from seizure of their farm land and machinery.

My Government has observed with serious misgivings the stagnation of the national and provincial economies, accompanied by a drastic increase in unemployment. In Saskatchewan, the lack of jobs, combined with the oppressive effects of legislation which is harshly discriminatory against working people, has resulted in an unprecedented exodus of our work force. Thousands of workers and their families have left the province.

My Ministers have already moved to increase the number of jobs by setting up a task force on job creation which is undertaking a crash review of government projects to identify those which can be accelerated or set in motion before winter.

As additional steps, you will be asked to restore free collective bargaining in Saskatchewan by the quick repeal of The Essential Services Emergency Act, and to reduce the hours of work.

Certain other matters, including an enquiry into the sale and distribution of alcoholic beverages, will be placed before you for consideration.

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 this Legislature in all its deliberations.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the Chamber.

Leave of the Assembly having been granted to open the sitting at a time earlier than that stated in Rule 3(1), Mr. Speaker read:—

PRAYERS:

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly had received from the Chief Electoral Officer lists of the names of such Members as had been returned to serve in the Legislature, as hereinbefore set forth.

*(Sessional Paper No. 1)*

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney that a Bill respecting the Administration of Oaths of Office be now introduced and read the first time.

Question being put, it was agreed to and the said Bill was, accordingly, 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.

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that Michael Arthur de Rosenroll, Esquire, had been appointed Clerk Assistant during the present Session.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Messer:

Ordered, That the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Assembly.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

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. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Smishek, by leave of the Assembly:

Ordered, That the following Rules be suspended for the duration of this Session:

- (1) Rule 98 respecting lists of reports required to be tabled; and
- (2) Rule 105 respecting the report of the Legislative Librarian.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Snyder:

Ordered, That John Edward Brockelbank, Esquire, Member for the Constituency of Saskatoon Mayfair, be Deputy Speaker of this Assembly.

Leave of the Assembly having been granted, and the Minister 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 Bill was received, read the first time, and, by leave of the Assembly and under Rule 48, ordered to be read a second time immediately.

Bill No. 1—An Act respecting a Certain Election in the Constituency of Prince Albert West.

*(Hon. Mr. Blakeney)*

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney that Bill No. 1—An Act respecting a Certain Election in the Constituency of Prince Albert West—be now read a second time.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to and the said Bill was, accordingly, read a second time and, by leave of the Assembly and under Rule 48, referred to a Committee of the Whole immediately.

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

The following Bill was reported without amendment, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 1—An Act respecting a Certain Election in the Constituency of Prince Albert West.

*10:50 o'clock a.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 at its present Session has passed a Bill, which, in the name of the Assembly I present to Your Honour, and to which Bill I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the title of the Bill that had been passed as follows:

No.

- 1 An Act respecting a Certain Election in the Constituency of Prince Albert West.

The Royal Assent to this Bill was announced by the Clerk:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to this Bill."

His Honour then retired from the Chamber.

*10:52 o'clock a.m.*

The said commissioner having administered the Oath to Mr. Steuart, and the Member having subscribed the Roll containing the Oath, he took his seat in the Assembly at 10:54 o'clock a.m.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by Mr. Steuart:

That this Assembly records with sorrow and regret the passing of three former Members of this Assembly, and expresses its grateful appreciation of the contributions each made to his community, his constituency, and to this Province:

**WILLIAM JAMES ARTHURS**, who died on July 14, 1971, was a Member of this Legislature for Melville from 1944 to 1948. He was born in Janetville, Ontario, in 1888 and came to Balcarres in 1905. He was a railway conductor and worked for the railway for over forty years. He was Secretary of the Provincial Legislative Board of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen; Chairman of the Grievance Committee of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and executive Member of the Canadian National Railway Pensioner's Club. He was Past Master of the Royal Black Loyal Orange Lodge in Melville.

**GUSTAF HERMAN DANIELSON**, who died on July 8, 1971, was a Member of this Legislature for Arm River from 1934 to 1964. He was born in Sweden in 1883. He was educated there before immigrating to the United States in 1901. In 1903, when he came to Canada, he homesteaded near Elbow and later moved to the Davidson district. He was a director of the Davidson Co-operative Association for forty years; Saskatchewan Wheat Pool delegate for three years; Councillor of the Rural Municipality of Arm River for seven years and Reeve of that municipality for eight years; school trustee for eight years and a member of the Davidson Hospital Board for thirty-eight years. In June, 1971, a Provincial park near the Gardiner Dam was named Danielson Park in his honour.

**HON. WILBERT ROSS THATCHER, P.C.**, who died on July 23, 1971, was a Member of this Legislature for Morse from 1960 to 1971. He was born in Neville, Saskatchewan in 1917. He received his public and high school education in Limerick and Moose Jaw. He graduated from Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario with a Bachelor of Commerce degree. He was an alderman on the Moose Jaw City Council from 1942 to 1944 and sat as a Member of the House of Commons for Moose Jaw-Lake Centre from 1945 to 1957. He was sworn in as a Member of the Queen's Privy Council for the Dominion of Canada in 1967. He was Leader of the Opposition from 1960 to 1964; Premier of Saskatchewan and President of the Executive Council from May, 1964 to June, 1971; Provincial Treasurer from May, 1964 to December, 1967 and Minister of Industry and Commerce from December, 1967 to September, 1970. He was a former president of the Moose Jaw Canucks Hockey Club; a member of the executive of the Saskatchewan Branch of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association; and a member of the Lions Club, Masonic Lodge and Wa-Wa Shrine.

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

A debate arising, it was on motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now recess until 2:30 o'clock p.m. this day.

Mr. Speaker, according to Order, reconvened the Assembly at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

The Assembly resumed the interrupted debate on the Condolence Motion, and the question being put, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by Mr. Steuart:

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

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

Ordered, That *Messieurs* Brockelbank, Michayluk, Pepper, Lane and McIsaac 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 Rule 86;

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 Minister 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 Bill was received, read the first time, and, by leave of the Assembly, ordered to be read a second time on Thursday:

Bill No. 3—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Hospitalization Act.  
(*Hon. Mr. Smishek*)

The following Bill was received, read the first time, and, by leave of the Assembly, ordered to be read a second time on Thursday:

Bill No. 2—An Act to provide for the Postponement of the Tabling of Certain Documents.  
(*Hon. Mr. Blakeney*)

The Minister, in each case, having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bills, recommends them to the consideration of the Assembly, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time on Friday:

Bill No. 4—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Medical Care Insurance Act.  
(*Hon. Mr. Smishek*)

Bill No. 5—An Act to amend The Cancer Control Act.  
(*Hon. Mr. Smishek*)

Bill No. 7—An Act to amend The Labour Standards Act, 1969.  
(*Hon. Mr. Snyder*)

Bill No. 8—An Act to amend The Mental Health Act.  
(*Hon. Mr. Smishek*)

The following Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time on Friday:

Bill No. 6—An Act to repeal The Essential Services Emergency Act, 1966.  
(*Hon. Mr. Snyder*)

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The Assembly adjourned, at 3:45 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, until Thursday at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

## Regina, Thursday, July 29, 1971

2:30 o'clock p.m.

**PRAYERS:**

The Order of the Day having been called for consideration of the Speech of His Honour at the opening of the Session, Mr. Dyck, seconded by Mr. Carlson, moved:

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

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE STEPHEN WOROBETZ,  
*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. Steuart, adjourned.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Smishek: That Bill No. 3—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Hospitalization Act—be now read a second time.

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

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

Bill No. 2—An Act to provide for the Postponement of the Tabling of Certain Documents.

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The Assembly adjourned, at 8:20 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, until Friday at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

## Regina, Friday, July 30, 1971

2:30 o'clock p.m.

### PRAYERS:

Leave of the Assembly having been granted, and the Minister 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 Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time on Tuesday:

Bill No. 9—An Act respecting the Protection of Farm Property.  
(Hon. Mr. Romanow)

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Dyck, seconded by Mr. Carlson:

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

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE STEPHEN WOROBETZ  
*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, it was moved by Mr. Steuart, seconded by Mr. Boldt, in amendment thereto:

That the following words be added to the motion:

"but this Assembly regrets that the Government of Saskatchewan has failed to provide practical alternatives for employment for our jobless citizens; that the Government has failed to recognize in any meaningful way the financial plight of our farmers; and that the present Government has failed in its Throne Speech to outline concrete proposals for resource development or to maintain the high priority of the Liberal Government in the field of pollution control."

The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, it was on motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, adjourned.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

That notwithstanding Rule 3, this Assembly shall, commencing Monday, August 2, 1971, meet at 10:00 o'clock a.m. each sitting day, and that there shall be a recess from 12:30 o'clock p.m. until 2:30 o'clock p.m.; and

That on Wednesday, August 4, 1971, and on each Wednesday until

the end of the Session, Rule 3(2) be suspended so that the sitting of the Assembly may be continued from 7:00 o'clock p.m. until 9:30 o'clock p.m.; and

That on Friday, August 6, 1971, and on each Friday until the end of the Session, Rule 3(3) be suspended so that the sitting of the Assembly may be continued from 7:00 o'clock p.m. until 9:30 o'clock p.m.

Notwithstanding Rule 3(4), on Saturday, August 7, 1971, and on each Saturday until the end of the Session, the Assembly shall meet at 10:00 o'clock a.m. until 5:30 o'clock p.m.; that there shall be a recess of two hours at 12:30 o'clock p.m.; and that the Order of Business shall be the same as on Thursday.

A debate arising, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following Recorded Division:

## YEAS

*Messieurs*

Blakeney  
Brockelbank  
Byers  
Wood  
Smishek  
Romanow  
Messer  
Snyder  
Bowerman  
MacMurchy  
Kowalchuk  
Baker  
Thibault  
Matsalla

Robbins  
Pepper  
Michayluk  
Meakes  
Whelan  
Brown  
Kwasnica  
Carlson  
Engel  
Tchorzewski  
Richards  
Owens  
Larson  
Taylor

Faris  
Dyck  
Cowley  
Cody  
Mostoway  
Comer  
Rolfes  
Lange  
Hanson  
Oliver  
Feschuk  
Kaeding  
Flasch

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## NAYS

*Messieurs*

Steuart  
Coupland  
Gardner  
Grant  
Boldt

MacDonald  
(Milestone)  
McIsaac  
Loken  
Weatherald

MacLeod  
McPherson  
Lane  
MacDonald  
(Moose Jaw North)

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The Assembly adjourned, at 4:27 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, until Monday at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

## Regina, Monday, August 2, 1971

10:00 o'clock a.m.

PRAYERS:

On the Orders of the Day, Mr. Steuart asked leave of the Assembly to introduce and move first reading of a Bill respecting Certain Elections in the Constituencies of Athabasca and Gravelbourg. Leave of the Assembly was not granted.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Dyck, seconded by Mr. Carlson:

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

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE STEPHEN WOROBETZ

*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. Steuart:

That the following words be added to the motion:

"but this Assembly regrets that the Government of Saskatchewan has failed to provide practical alternatives for employment for our jobless citizens; that the Government has failed to recognize in any meaningful way the financial plight of our farmers; and that the present Government has failed in its Throne Speech to outline concrete proposals for resource development or to maintain the high priority of the Liberal Government in the field of pollution control."

The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment and a point of order having been raised, Mr. Speaker deferred his ruling.

The Assembly resumed the interrupted debate on the motion and the amendment. It was on motion of Mr. Grant, adjourned.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Smishek: That Bill No. 3—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Hospitalization Act—be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following Recorded Division:

## YEAS

*Messieurs*

Brockelbank	Carlson	Feschuk
Byers	Engel	Kaeding
Wood	Tchorzewski	Flasch
Smishek	Richards	Steuart
Romanow	Owens	Coupland
Snyder	Larson	Gardner
MacMurchy	Taylor	Grant
Kramer	Paris	Boldt
Kowalchuk	Dyck	MacDonald (Milestone)
Baker	Cowley	McIsaac
Thibault	Cody	Loken
Robbins	Feduniak	Weatherald
Pepper	Mostoway	MacLeod
Meakes	Comer	McPherson
Whelan	Rolfes	Lane
Brown	Hanson	MacDonald
Kwasnica	Oliver	(Moose Jaw North)

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## NAYS

*Messieurs*

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The said Bill was, accordingly, read a second time and referred to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Snyder: That Bill No. 6—An Act to repeal The Essential Services Emergency Act, 1966—be now read a second time.

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

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Smishek: That Bill No. 4—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Medical Care Insurance Act—be now read a second time.

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

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The Assembly adjourned, at 9:25 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Romanow, until Tuesday at 10:00 o'clock a.m.



## Regina, Tuesday, August 3, 1971

10:00 o'clock a.m.

PRAYERS:

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 Rule 86—

### AGRICULTURE

#### *Messieurs*

Faris	Kaeding	MacMurchy
Boldt	Kowalchuk	McIsaac
Carlson	Kwasnica	Messer
Cowley	Lange	Oliver
Engel	Larson	Owens
Feschuk	Loken	Taylor
Gardner	MacDonald	Tchorzewski
Hanson	(Moose Jaw North)	Thibault
		Weatherald

Quorum to be a majority

### CROWN CORPORATIONS

#### *Messieurs*

Brown	Kramer	Michayluk
Baker	Lane	Mostoway
Blakeney	MacDonald	Richards
Bowerman	(Milestone)	Robbins
Byers	MacLeod	Rolfes
Cody	Matsalla	Steuart
Feduniak	McPherson	Whelan

Thirteen to be a quorum

### EDUCATION

#### *Messieurs*

Tchorzewski	Kwasnica	Michayluk
Baker	Lane	Mostoway
Brown	Lange	Oliver
Carlson	MacDonald	Owens
Comer	(Milestone)	Richards
Cowley	MacDonald	Rolfes
Dyck	(Moose Jaw North)	Taylor
Flasch	MacMurchy	Weatherald
Gardner	McIsaac	

Quorum to be a majority

### LAW AMENDMENTS AND DELEGATED POWERS

#### *Messieurs*

Kowalchuk	Flasch	Meakes
Baker	Kramer	Michayluk
Byers	Lane	Mostoway
Carlson	Lange	Romanow
Cody	MacDonald	Smishek
Cowley	(Milestone)	Steuart

Dyck	MacLeod	Thibault
Engel	McIsaac	Weatherald
Faris	McPherson	Whelan
Feduniak		

Quorum to be a majority

## LIBRARY

Mr. Speaker and *Messieurs*

Brown	Kaeding	Meakes
Comer	Kwasnica	Michayluk
Coupland	Lane	Mostoway
Feschuk	Lange	Owens
Flasch	Loken	Taylor
Grant	MacDonald	
	(Milestone)	

Quorum to be a majority

## MUNICIPAL LAW

*Messieurs*

Baker	Feschuk	Matsalla
Boldt	Gardner	Messer
Brown	Kaeding	Rolfes
Cody	Kramer	Snyder
Comer	Lane	Tchorzewski
Coupland	Lange	Thibault
Dyck	Loken	Whelan
Engel	MacLeod	Wood

Quorum to be a majority

## PRIVATE BILLS

*Messieurs*

Oliver	Kowalchuk	Matsalla
Baker	Lane	Meakes
Brown	Lange	Robbins
Byers	MacDonald	Rolfes
Comer	(Milestone)	Romanow
Dyck	MacDonald	Snyder
Faris	(Moose Jaw North)	Steuart
Feduniak	McIsaac	Thibault
Grant	McPherson	Whelan
Hanson		

Quorum to be a majority

## PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS

*Messieurs*

Meakes	Grant	Oliver
Baker	Hanson	Owens
Boldt	Larson	Richards
Carlson	MacDonald	Robbins
Comer	(Milestone)	Steuart
Engel	MacLeod	Taylor
Feduniak	MacMurchy	Tchorzewski
Feschuk	McPherson	

Quorum to be a majority

## PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND PRINTING

*Messieurs*

McPherson	Faris	MacLeod
Brockelbank	Hanson	Meakes
Carlson	Kaeding	Messer
Cowley	MacDonald	
	(Moose Jaw North)	

Quorum to be a majority

RADIO BROADCASTING OF SELECTED PROCEEDINGS  
Mr. Speaker and *Messieurs*

Dyck	Kwasnica	McPherson
Gardner	Larson	Snyder
Kowalchuk		

Quorum to be a majority

RULES AND PROCEDURES

*Messieurs*

Whelan	McIsaac	Thibault
Flasch	Meakes	Weatherald
Larson	Michayluk	Wood
MacDonald	Richards	

(Moose Jaw North)  
Quorum to be a majority

NON-CONTROVERSIAL BILLS

*Messieurs*

MacDonald	Bowerman	Rolfes
(Milestone)	Grant	Weatherald
Boldt	Loken	Wood

Quorum to be a majority

On motion of Mr. Brockelbank, seconded by Mr. McIsaac:

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

STATEMENT BY MR. SPEAKER

During the Address-in-Reply Debate of August 2, 1971, the Minister of Natural Resources raised a point of personal privilege that his personal character and conduct had been attacked in a speech made by the Member for Rosthern.

The transcript of the speech given by the Member for Rosthern on August 2, 1971, shows his words to be as follows: "We removed the drunks from our highways, they were charged and found guilty. This applied to everyone including the Member from North Battleford (Mr. Kramer). But I understand he has been at it again and the Hon. Cabinet Minister will now be riding a bicycle for another eighteen months."

I would draw to the attention of honourable Members the following Rules and Citations:

Rule No. 26 of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan states as follows:

"No Member shall speak disrespectfully of Her Majesty, nor any of the Royal Family, nor of His Excellency the Governor General or person administering the Government of Canada, nor of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province, nor shall he use offensive words against the Assembly or against any Member thereof. No Member may reflect upon any vote of the Assembly, except for the purpose of moving that such a vote be rescinded."

*Beauchesne's Parliamentary Rules & Forms*, Fourth Edition, cit. 149, p. 127, states that "... a member, while speaking, must not: ... (f) make a personal charge against a member. ..."

Beauchesne further states in cit. 128, p. 115, that "A personal attack, by one member upon another, is an offence against the House. ..."

During the remarks of the Minister of Natural Resources in raising the point of

personal privilege, he stated that the remarks on his character were not true.

I wish to further quote from cit. 145, p. 126 of *Beauchesne's Parliamentary Rules & Forms*, which states: "It has been formally ruled by Speakers in the Canadian Commons that a statement by an honourable member respecting himself and peculiarly within his own knowledge must be accepted, but it is not unparliamentary to temperately criticize statements made by a member as being contrary to the facts; but no imputation of intentional falsehood is permissible. A statement made by a member in his place, is considered as made upon honour and cannot be questioned in the House or out of it."

I wish to inform all honourable Members that it is not the duty of the Chair to determine the correctness or validity of a statement but it is the duty of the Chair to ensure proper debate in the Assembly in accordance with the rules.

I would submit that the remarks of the Member for Rosthern pertained to the personal character and conduct of the Minister of Natural Resources and I would ask him to withdraw his remarks and apologize to the Assembly.

Mr. Boldt thereupon withdrew the said remarks.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Dyck, seconded by Mr. Carlson:

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

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE STEPHEN WOROBETZ

*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. Steuart:

That the following words be added to the motion:

"but this Assembly regrets that the Government of Saskatchewan has failed to provide practical alternatives for employment for our jobless citizens; that the Government has failed to recognize in any meaningful way the financial plight of our farmers; and that the present Government has failed in its Throne Speech to outline concrete proposals for resource development or to maintain the high priority of the Liberal Government in the field of pollution control."

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

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Smishek. That Bill No. 4—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Medical Care Insurance Act—be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following Recorded Division:

## YEAS

*Messieurs*

Blakeney	Brown	Hanson
Brockelbank	Kwasnica	Oliver
Byers	Carlson	Feschuk
Wood	Engel	Kaeding
Smishek	Tchorzewski	Flasch
Romanow	Richards	Gardner
Messer	Owens	Grant
Snyder	Larson	MacDonald
MacMurchy	Taylor	(Milestone)
Kowalchuk	Faris	McIsaac
Baker	Dyck	Loken
Thibault	Cowley	Weatherald
Matsalla	Cody	MacLeod
Robbins	Feduniak	McPherson
Pepper	Mostoway	Lane
Michayluk	Comer	MacDonald
Meakes	Rolfes	(Moose Jaw North)
Whelan	Lange	

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## NAYS

*Messieurs*

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The said Bill was, accordingly, read a second time and 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. Snyder: That Bill No. 6—An Act to repeal The Essential Services Emergency Act, 1966—be now read a second time.

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

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

Bill No. 5—An Act to amend The Cancer Control Act.

*Returns and Papers Ordered*

The following Question (No. 5) on the Orders of the Day, was passed by the Assembly as an Order for Return, under Rule 35(3), and an Order of the Assembly was issued to the proper officer, accordingly, viz.:—

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

The names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Highways and Transportation have been terminated since June 28, 1971.

At 9:30 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Rule 3(3), until Wednesday at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

## Regina, Wednesday, August 4, 1971

10:00 o'clock a.m.

PRAYERS:

The Minister 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 Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time on Tuesday:

Bill No. 11—An Act respecting Allowances to Members of the Legislative Assembly, and to Certain other Persons, for the Second Session of 1971.

(Hon. Mr. Blakeney)

The following Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time on Tuesday:

Bill No. 10—An Act respecting Certain Elections in the Constituencies of Athabasca and Gravelbourg.

(Mr. Steuart)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Romanow, seconded by Mr. Steuart, by leave of the Assembly:

Ordered, That Messrs. Lane, Baker, Brockelbank, Cody, Coupland, Faris, MacDonald (Milestone), Meakes and Romanow be constituted a Special Committee to consider every Regulation filed with the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly pursuant to the provisions of *The Regulations Act*, with a view to determining whether the special attention of the Assembly should be drawn to any of the said Regulations on any of the following grounds:

- (a) That it imposes a charge on the public revenues or prescribes a payment to be made to any public authority not specifically provided for by statute;
- (b) That it is excluded from challenge in the courts;
- (c) That it makes unusual or unexpected use of powers conferred by statute;
- (d) That it purports to have retrospective effect where the parent statute confers no express authority so to provide;
- (e) That it has been insufficiently promulgated;
- (f) That it is not clear in meaning;

and if they so determine, to report to that effect;

That the Committee have the assistance of legal counsel in reviewing the said Regulations; that it be given the power to sit after prorogation of the Assembly; and that it be required prior to reporting that the

special attention of the Assembly be drawn to any Regulation, to inform the Government department or authority concerned of its intention so to report; and

That the Committee be empowered to invite any regulation-making authority to submit a memorandum explaining any Regulation which may be under consideration by the Committee or to invite any regulation-making authority to appear before the Committee as a witness for the purpose of explaining any such Regulation.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Romanow, seconded by Mr. Steuart, by leave of the Assembly:

Ordered, That the Bylaws of the professional societies and amendments thereto tabled as Sessional Paper No. 5, 1971, be referred to the Special Committee on Regulations.

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Dyck, seconded by Mr. Carlson:

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

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE STEPHEN WOROBETZ

*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. Steuart:

That the following words be added to the motion:

"but this Assembly regrets that the Government of Saskatchewan has failed to provide practical alternatives for employment for our jobless citizens; that the Government has failed to recognize in any meaningful way the financial plight of our farmers; and that the present Government has failed in its Throne Speech to outline concrete proposals for resource development or to maintain the high priority of the Liberal Government in the field of pollution control."

The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, and the question being put on the amendment, it was negatived on the following Recorded Division:

YEAS

*Messieurs*

Steuart  
Coupland  
Gardner  
Grant  
Boldt

MacDonald  
(Milestone)  
McIsaac  
Loken  
Weatherald

MacLeod  
McPherson  
Lane  
MacDonald  
(Moose Jaw North)

NAYS  
*Messieurs*

Blakeney	Matsalla	Faris
Brockelbank	Robbins	Dyck
Byers	Pepper	Cody
Wood	Michayluk	Feduniak
Smishek	Whelan	Mostoway
Romanow	Brown	Comer
Messer	Kwasnica	Rolfes
Snyder	Carlson	Lange
Bowerman	Tchorzewski	Hanson
Kramer	Richards	Oliver
Kowalchuk	Owens	Feschuk
Baker	Larson	Kaeding
Thibault	Taylor	Flasch

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

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly had received from the Chief Electoral Officer:—

A certificate of the following election and return, viz.:

Of Reginald Gross, Esquire, as Member for the Constituency of Gravelbourg.

*(Sessional Paper No. 2)*

Reginald Gross, Esquire, Member for the Constituency of Gravelbourg, having previously taken the Oath, according to law, and subscribed the Roll containing the same, took his seat in the Assembly.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

That when this Assembly adjourns on Wednesday, August 4, 1971, it do stand adjourned until Monday, August 9, 1971, at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

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

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Snyder: That Bill No. 7—An Act to amend The Labour Standards Act, 1969—be now read a second time.

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

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Romanow: That Bill No. 9—An Act respecting the Protection of Farm Property—be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was moved by Mr. MacDonald (Milestone), seconded by Mr. McIsaac, in amendment thereto:

That all the words after the word "That" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"this Bill be not now read a second time, but that the subject matter thereof be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers."

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

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney: That Bill No. 8—An Act to amend The Mental Health Act—be now read a second time.



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

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The Assembly adjourned, at 5:35 o'clock p.m., on motion of the Hon. Mr. Smishek, until Monday at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

## Regina, Monday, August 9, 1971

10:00 o'clock a.m.

PRAYERS:

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly had received from the Chief Electoral Officer:—

A certificate of the following election and return, viz.:

Of Dave Steuart, Esquire, as Member for the Constituency of Prince Albert West. (*Sessional Paper No. 3*)

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Dyck, seconded by Mr. Carlson:

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

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE STEPHEN WOROBETZ

*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 on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following Recorded Division:

### YEAS

#### *Messieurs*

Blakeney  
Brockelbank  
Byers  
Wood  
Smishek  
Romanow  
Snyder  
Bowerman  
Kowalchuk  
Baker  
Thibault  
Matsalla  
Robbins

Pepper  
Michayluk  
Meakes  
Whelan  
Brown  
Carlson  
Engel  
Tchorzewski  
Richards  
Owens  
Larson  
Taylor  
Faris

Dyck  
Cowley  
Cody  
Gross  
Feduniak  
Mostoway  
Comer  
Rolfes  
Lange  
Oliver  
Feschuk  
Kaeding  
Flasch

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### NAYS

#### *Messieurs*

Steuart  
Gardner  
Grant  
Boldt

MacDonald  
(Milestone)  
McIsaac  
Loken  
Weatherald

MacLeod  
McPherson  
Lane  
MacDonald  
(Moose Jaw North)

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On motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

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.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

That a Special Committee consisting of 12 members, to be named at a later date, be appointed to conduct an enquiry into all aspects relating to the sale, advertising and distribution of alcoholic beverages in Saskatchewan;

And that such Committee will have power to sit during the inter-Sessional period and during any Legislative Session, except when the Assembly is sitting;

And that such Committee will have power to send for persons, papers and records, and to examine witnesses under oath; to receive representations from interested parties and from members of the general public, and for this purpose to hold meetings away from the seat of Government in order that the fullest representations may be received without unduly inconveniencing those desiring to be heard;

And that this Special Committee be further instructed to submit its final report to the Assembly with all convenient speed.

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

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Snyder: That Bill No. 7 — An Act to amend The Labour Standards Act, 1969 — be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, and the question being put, it was agreed to, and the said Bill was, accordingly, read a second time and 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. Romanow: That Bill No. 9 — An Act respecting the Protection of Farm Property — be now read a second time.

and the proposed amendment thereto, moved by Mr. MacDonald (Milestone):

That all the words after the word "That" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"this Bill be not now read a second time, but that the subject matter thereof be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers."

The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, it was moved by Mr. Boldt: "That this debate be now adjourned."

The question being put, it was negatived on the following Recorded Division:

## YEAS

*Messieurs*

Gardner  
Grant  
Boldt  
MacDonald  
(Milestone)

McIsaac  
Loken  
Weatherald  
MacLeod  
McPherson

Lane  
MacDonald  
(Moose Jaw North)

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## NAYS

*Messieurs*

Blakeney  
Brockelbank  
Byers  
Wood  
Smishek  
Romanow  
Messer  
Snyder  
Bowerman  
MacMurchy  
Kowalchuk  
Baker  
Thibault  
Matsalla

Robbins  
Pepper  
Michayluk  
Meakes  
Whelan  
Brown  
Kwasnica  
Carlson  
Engel  
Tchorzewski  
Richards  
Owens  
Taylor  
Faris

Dyck  
Cowley  
Cody  
Gross  
Feduniak  
Mostoway  
Comer  
Rolfes  
Lange  
Hanson  
Oliver  
Feschuk  
Kaeding  
Flasch

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The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, it was moved by Mr. Lane: "That this debate be now adjourned."

The question being put, it was negated on the following Recorded Division:

## YEAS

*Messieurs*

Gardner  
Grant  
Boldt  
MacDonald  
(Milestone)

McIsaac  
Loken  
Weatherald  
MacLeod  
McPherson

Lane  
MacDonald  
(Moose Jaw North)

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## NAYS

*Messieurs*

Blakeney  
Brockelbank  
Byers  
Wood  
Smishek  
Romanow  
Messer  
Snyder  
Bowerman  
MacMurchy  
Kowalchuk  
Baker  
Thibault  
Matsalla

Robbins  
Pepper  
Michayluk  
Meakes  
Whelan  
Brown  
Kwasnica  
Carlson  
Engel  
Tchorzewski  
Richards  
Owens  
Taylor  
Faris

Dyck  
Cowley  
Cody  
Gross  
Feduniak  
Mostoway  
Comer  
Rolfes  
Lange  
Hanson  
Oliver  
Feschuk  
Kaeding  
Flasch

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The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, it was moved by Mr. Gardner: "That this debate be now adjourned."

The question being put, it was negated on the following Recorded Division:

YEAS

*Messieurs*

Gardner	McIsaac	McPherson
Grant	Loken	Lane
MacDonald	Weatherald	MacDonald
(Milestone)	MacLeod	(Moose Jaw North)

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NAYS

*Messieurs*

Blakeney	Pepper	Dyck
Brockelbank	Michayluk	Cowley
Byers	Meakes	Cody
Wood	Whelan	Gross
Smishek	Brown	Feduniak
Romanow	Kwasnica	Mostoway
Messer	Carlson	Comer
Snyder	Engel	Rolfes
Bowerman	Tchorzewski	Lange
MacMurchy	Richards	Hanson
Kowalchuk	Owens	Oliver
Baker	Larson	Feschuk
Thibault	Taylor	Kaeding
Matsalla	Faris	Flasch
Robbins		

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The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, it was moved by Mr. McIsaac: "That this debate be now adjourned."

The question being put, it was negated on the following Recorded Division:

YEAS

*Messieurs*

Steuart	MacDonald	MacLeod
Gardner	(Milestone)	McPherson
Grant	McIsaac	Lane
Boldt	Loken	MacDonald
	Weatherald	(Moose Jaw North)

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NAYS

*Messieurs*

Blakeney	Pepper	Dyck
Brockelbank	Michayluk	Cowley
Byers	Meakes	Cody
Wood	Whelan	Gross
Smishek	Brown	Feduniak
Romanow	Kwasnica	Mostoway
Messer	Carlson	Comer
Snyder	Engel	Rolfes
Bowerman	Tchorzewski	Lange
MacMurchy	Richards	Hanson
Kowalchuk	Owens	Oliver
Baker	Larson	Feschuk
Thibault	Taylor	Kaeding
Matsalla	Faris	Flasch
Robbins		

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The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, at 9:30 o'clock p.m. Mr. Speaker interrupted proceedings.

*Returns and Papers Ordered*

The following Questions (Nos. 33, 34 and 35) on the Orders of the Day, were passed by the Assembly, as Orders for Returns, under Rule 35(3), and Orders of the Assembly were issued to the proper officers, accordingly, viz.:—

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

- (1) Whether Mr. Cam Cooper is employed by the Government of Saskatchewan, and if so, in what capacity and at what salary.
- (2) Whether Mr. Cooper was employed through the Public Service Commission or whether he was an Order-in-Council appointment.
- (3) If employed through the Public Service Commission, whether Mr. Cooper's application went through the regular process.

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

- (1) Whether Mr. Clare Powell is employed by the Government of Saskatchewan, and if so, in what capacity and at what salary.
- (2) Whether Mr. Powell was employed through the Public Service Commission or whether he was an Order-in-Council appointment.
- (3) If employed through the Public Service Commission, whether Mr. Powell's application went through the regular process.

By Mr. MacDonald (Milestone), for a Return (No. 4) showing:

- (1) Whether Mr. Martin Semchuk is employed by the Government of Saskatchewan, and if so, in what capacity and at what salary.
- (2) Whether Mr. Semchuk was employed through the Public Service Commission or whether he was an Order-in-Council appointment.
- (3) If employed through the Public Service Commission, whether Mr. Semchuk's application went through the regular process.

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At 9:30 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Rule 3(3), until Tuesday at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

## Regina, Tuesday, August 10, 1971

10:00 o'clock a.m.

### PRAYERS:

The Order of the Day being called for Resolution (No. 1) it was moved by Mr. Brockelbank, seconded by Mr. Thibault:

That this Assembly supports the stand taken by New Democratic members of this Assembly earlier this year fully endorsing the principle of an independent electoral boundaries commission and confirms, at this time, the grossly unfair nature of the last electoral redistribution which must be corrected as soon as possible by an independent commission.

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

The Order of the Day being called for Resolution (No. 2) it was moved by Mr. Meakes, seconded by Mr. Kaeding:

That this Assembly requests that the Government give immediate consideration to the establishment of a Land Bank Commission whose purpose it would be, among other things, to purchase land offered voluntarily on the market at competitive prices and lease this land, guaranteeing tenure, on the basis of need, with option to buy, with the objective of promoting the maximum number of viable family farms in Saskatchewan.

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

The Order of the Day having been called for consideration of Resolution (No. 3), Mr. Speaker ruled that the words "in light of the statements made by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney on June 5, 1971," formed a preamble to the Resolution and should be expressed during the debate rather than in the motion itself. He drew to the attention of the Assembly the fact that any irregularity in a Resolution renders the whole Resolution irregular. Mr. Speaker pointed out to the Members that since the irregularity of the Resolution could be corrected by means of a small amendment, he ruled that the words "in light of the statements made by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney on June 5, 1971," be deleted from the Resolution. (See previous rulings in *Journals of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan*, March 5, 1952, page 125 and March 17, 1970, page 97).

The said Resolution was amended accordingly.

For the above mentioned reasons, Mr. Speaker amended Resolutions (No. 4), (No. 5), (No. 6), and (No. 7) as follows:

Resolution (No. 4) — delete the words "in light of the election promise of the new government,"

Resolution (No. 5) — delete the words "in light of the election promise made to the people of the Cannington constituency,"

Resolution (No. 6) — delete the words "in light of the election promise made to the people of Saskatchewan by the New Democratic Party," and;

Resolution (No. 7) — delete the words “in light of the promise made by the new government during the election campaign,”.

The said Resolutions were amended accordingly.

The Order of the Day being called for Resolution (No.8) it was moved by Mr. Faris, seconded by Mr. Tchorzewski:

That this Assembly urgently requests the Government of Canada to separate the \$100 million payment mentioned in Bill C-244 (Prairie Grain Stabilization Act) and make payment to Prairie farmers immediately.

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

The Order of the Day being called for second reading of Bill No. 10 — An Act respecting Certain Elections in the Constituencies of Athabasca and Gravelbourg, Mr. Speaker made the following statement:

#### STATEMENT BY MR. SPEAKER

I have perused Bill No. 10 — An Act respecting Certain Elections in the Constituencies of Athabasca and Gravelbourg — which is standing on the Order Paper in the name of the Hon. Member from Prince Albert West and I wish to make the following ruling:

I would refer all Hon. Members to Rule 30 of the *Rules and Procedures of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, 1970*, which is as follows:

“Any vote, resolution, address or bill introduced in the Assembly for the appropriation of any part of the public revenue, or of any tax or impost to any purpose whatsoever, or to impose any new or additional charge upon the public revenue or upon the people, or to release or compound any sum of money due to the Crown, or to grant any property of the Crown, or to authorize any loan or any charge upon the credit of the Province, shall be recommended to the Assembly by Message of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor before it is considered by the Assembly.”

The Speaker's ruling in the *Journal of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan*, March 30, 1965, states that “. . . a principle of our constitution is that the purpose of the Bill must be recommended to this Assembly by message of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor. A corollary principle is that such a message can only be delivered to this Assembly by one of His Honour's advisers who is a Minister of the Crown.”

The question that arises at this point is as to whether Bill No. 10 — An Act respecting Certain Elections in the Constituencies of Athabasca and Gravelbourg — is a charge upon the consolidated fund. Section 2 of the said Bill has the effect, if passed, of seating a Member in the Legislative Assembly. Section 48 of the Legislative Assembly Act, Chapter 3, R.S.S. 1965, provides for the payment out of the consolidated fund, of indemnities to Members of the Legislative Assembly. Because of this charge on the consolidated fund, I rule that it is a money Bill and that it is out of order.

Mr. Speaker's ruling having been appealed by Mr. Steuart, Mr. Speaker put the question: “Shall the Ruling of the Chair be sustained?”—which was agreed to on the following Recorded Division:



## YEAS

*Messieurs*

Blakeney	Pepper	Cowley
Brockelbank	Meakes	Gross
Byers	Whelan	Feduniak
Wood	Brown	Mostoway
Smishek	Kwasnica	Comer
Romanow	Engel	Rolfes
Snyder	Tchorzewski	Lange
Bowerman	Richards	Hanson
MacMurchy	Owens	Oliver
Kowalchuk	Larson	Feschuk
Baker	Taylor	Kaeding
Thibault	Faris	Flasch
Robbins	Dyck	

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## NAYS

*Messieurs*

Steuart	MacDonald (Milestone)	MacLeod
Gardner	McIsaac	McPherson
Grant	Loken	Lane
Boldt	Weatherald	MacDonald
		(Moose Jaw North)

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The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Romanow: That Bill No. 9 — An Act respecting the Protection of Farm Property — be now read a second time.

and the proposed amendment thereto, moved by Mr. MacDonald (Milestone):

That all the words after the word "That" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"this Bill be not now read a second time, but that the subject matter thereof be referred to the Select Standing Committee on Law Amendments and Delegated Powers."

The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, and the question being put on the amendment, it was negatived on the following Recorded Division:

## YEAS

*Messieurs*

Steuart	MacDonald (Milestone)	MacLeod
Gardner	McIsaac	McPherson
Grant	Loken	Lane
Boldt	Weatherald	MacDonald
		(Moose Jaw North)

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## NAYS

*Messieurs*

Blakeney  
 Brockelbank  
 Byers  
 Wood  
 Smishek  
 Romanow  
 MacMurchy  
 Kowalchuk  
 Baker  
 Thibault  
 Robbins  
 Pepper  
 Michayluk

Meakes  
 Whelan  
 Brown  
 Kwasnica  
 Carlson  
 Engel  
 Tchorzewski  
 Richards  
 Owens  
 Larson  
 Taylor  
 Faris

Dyck  
 Cowley  
 Cody  
 Gross  
 Feduniak  
 Comer  
 Rolfes  
 Lange  
 Hanson  
 Oliver  
 Feschuk  
 Flasch

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The debate continuing on the motion, it was moved by Mr. Grant, seconded by Mr. Boldt, in amendment thereto:

That all the words after "That" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"this Bill be not now read a second time but that it be read six months hence."

A point of order having been raised that the amendment was out of order because the seconder to the amendment was ineligible in the fact that he had spoken to the motion and the previous amendment, Mr. Speaker noted that a Member cannot speak twice to a question and quoted Rule 28 (1).

Mr. Speaker quoted *Beauchesne's Parliamentary Rules and Forms*, 4th Edition, Citation 165 (6) and (7), page 138, which is as follows:

"(6) A member who has already spoken to a question has no right to propose an amendment, though he may speak to an amendment when moved by another member.

(7) A member who has already spoken to a question has no right to move an adjournment of the debate or of the House.

A member who has spoken on the main question cannot second a motion for the adjournment."

Mr. Speaker ruled that since the Hon. Member from Rosthern had already spoken to the question, he was ineligible to move an amendment to the question or to be the seconder to the said amendment. Mr. Speaker, accordingly, ruled the amendment out of order.

Mr. Speaker's ruling having been appealed by Mr. Boldt, Mr. Speaker put the question: "Shall the Ruling of the Chair be sustained?"—which was agreed to.

The debate continuing on the motion, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following Recorded Division:

## YEAS

*Messieurs*

Blakeney	Michayluk	Cowley
Brockelbank	Meakes	Cody
Byers	Whelan	Gross
Wood	Brown	Feduniak
Smishek	Kwasnica	Mostoway
Romanow	Carlson	Comer
Bowerman	Engel	Rolfes
MacMurchy	Tchorzewski	Lange
Kowalchuk	Richards	Hanson
Baker	Owens	Oliver
Thibault	Larson	Feschuk
Robbins	Taylor	Kaeding
Pepper	Faris	Flasch

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## NAYS

*Messieurs*

Steuart	MacDonald (Milestone)	MacLeod
Gardner	McIsaac	McPherson
Grant	Loken	Lane
Boldt	Weatherald	MacDonald

(Moose Jaw North)

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The said Bill was, accordingly, read a second time and 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 with amendment, considered as amended, and, by leave of the Assembly, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 3—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Hospitalization Act.

Bill No. 4—An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Medical Care Insurance Act.

Bill No. 5—An Act to amend The Cancer Control Act.

Bill No. 8—An Act to amend The Mental Health Act.

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

Bill No. 2—An Act to provide for the Postponement of the Tabling of Certain Documents.

Bill No. 6—An Act to repeal The Essential Services Emergency Act, 1966.

Bill No. 7—An Act to amend The Labour Standards Act, 1969.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney: That Bill No. 11 — An Act respecting Allowances to Members of the Legislative Assembly, and to Certain other Persons, for the Second Session of 1971 — be now read a second time.

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

At 9:35 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Rule 3(3), until Wednesday at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

## Regina, Wednesday, August 11, 1971

10:00 o'clock a.m.

### PRAYERS:

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time, and, by leave of the Assembly and under Rule 48, ordered to be read a second time later this day.

Bill No. 12—An Act to amend The Urban Municipality Act, 1970.  
(*Hon. Mr. Wood*)

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, by leave of the Assembly, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 11—An Act respecting Allowances to Members of the Legislative Assembly, and to Certain other Persons, for the Second Session of 1971.

The following Bill was reported with amendment, which was read twice and agreed to:

Bill No. 9—An Act respecting the Protection of Farm Property.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Romanow, by leave of the Assembly: That Bill No. 9—An Act respecting the Protection of Farm Property—be now read the third time and passed under its title.

The question being put, it was agreed to on the following Recorded Division:

### YEAS

#### *Messieurs*

Blakeney  
Brockelbank  
Byers  
Wood  
Smishek  
Romanow  
Snyder  
Kowalchuk  
Baker  
Thibault  
Robbins  
Pepper

Michayluk  
Meakes  
Whelan  
Brown  
Kwasnica  
Carlson  
Tchorzewski  
Richards  
Owens  
Taylor  
Faris  
Cowley

Cody  
Gross  
Feduniak  
Mostoway  
Comer  
Rolfes  
Lange  
Hanson  
Oliver  
Feschuk  
Kaeding  
Flasch

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### NAYS

#### *Messieurs*

Steuart  
Coupland  
Gardner  
Boldt  
MacDonald (Milestone)

McIsaac  
Loken  
Weatherald  
MacLeod

McPherson  
Lane  
MacDonald  
(Moose Jaw North)

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The said Bill was, accordingly, read the third time and passed.

The Assembly, by leave of the Assembly, reverted to Government Motions.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Wood:

That a Special Committee consisting of eight members, to be named at a later date, be appointed and directed to hear representations respecting the effectiveness of the Family Farm Protection Act and to make recommendations thereon;

And, to inquire into the needs of Saskatchewan farmers with respect to the extension of the Crop Insurance Program in view of the proposed discontinuation of the Prairie Farm Assistance Act and to make recommendations thereon;

And that such Committee will have power to sit during the inter-sessional period and during any Legislative Session, except when the Assembly is sitting;

And that such Committee will have power to send for persons, papers and records, and to examine witnesses under oath; to receive representations from interested parties and from members of the general public, and for this purpose to hold meetings away from the seat of Government in order that the fullest representations may be received without unduly inconveniencing those desiring to be heard;

And that this Special Committee be further instructed to submit its final report to the Assembly with all convenient speed.

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

That the words "eight members, to be named at a later date," be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"Messrs. Kowalchuk, Engel, Gardner, Kaeding, Lange, Owens, Weatherald and Whelan,"

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

Question on the motion as amended put and agreed to.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow, by leave of the Assembly:

Ordered, That the Special Committee on the Review of Liquor Regulations in Saskatchewan, appointed on August 9, 1971, be composed of the following Members: Messrs. Brockelbank, Brown, Faris, Feduniak, Feschuk, Gardner, Lange, Kwasnica, MacDonald (Milestone), McIsaac, McPherson and Whelan.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Snyder, by leave of the Assembly:

Ordered, That when this Assembly do adjourn at the end of the sitting of the day on which this motion is adopted it shall stand adjourned to a date set by Mr. Speaker upon the request of the Government and that

Mr. Speaker shall give each Member seven clear days notice by wire and registered mail of such date.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Wood: That Bill No. 12—An Act to amend The Urban Municipality Act, 1970—be now read a second time.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to and the said Bill was, accordingly, read a second time and, by leave of the Assembly and under Rule 48, referred to a Committee of the Whole immediately.

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

The following Bill was reported with amendment, considered as amended, and by leave of the Assembly read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 12—An Act to amend The Urban Municipality Act, 1970.

*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 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 provide for the Postponement of the Tabling of Certain Documents.
- 3 An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Hospitalization Act.
- 4 An Act to amend The Saskatchewan Medical Care Insurance Act.
- 5 An Act to amend The Cancer Control Act.
- 6 An Act to Repeal The Essential Services Emergency Act, 1966.
- 7 An Act to amend The Labour Standards Act, 1969.
- 8 An Act to amend The Mental Health Act.
- 9 An Act respecting the Protection of Farm Property.
- 11 An Act respecting Allowances to Members of the Legislative Assembly, and to Certain other Persons, for the Second Session of 1971.
- 12 An Act to amend The Urban Municipality Act, 1970.

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 resumed the Chair.

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At 5:27 o'clock p.m. the Assembly adjourned on motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney to the call of the Chair, pursuant to Order made this day.

**Regina, Thursday, February 24, 1972**

*11:00 o'clock a.m.*

**PRAYERS:**

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly had received from the Chief Electoral Officer:—

A certificate of the following election and return, viz:

Of Allan R. Guy, Esquire, as Member for the Constituency of Athabasca.  
*(Sessional Paper No. 4)*

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly of the following vacancy in the Representation, viz:

In the Constituency of Souris-Estevan due to the death of R. Brown, Esquire.

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly had received from the Chief Electoral Officer:—

Certificates of the following elections and returns, viz:

Of K. Thorson, Esquire, as Member for the Constituency of Souris-Estevan.

Of J. Wiebe, Esquire, as Member for the Constituency of Morse.  
*(Sessional Paper No. 5)*

K. Thorson, Esquire, Member for the Constituency of Souris-Estevan, and J. Wiebe, Esquire, Member for the Constituency of Morse, having previously taken the Oath, according to law, and subscribed the Roll containing the same, took their seats in the Assembly.

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that he had received the following communication from the Hon. Mr. Brockelbank, Deputy Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

DEPUTY SPEAKER

Regina, Saskatchewan,

February 1, 1972

Hon. F. A. Dewhurst,  
Speaker of Legislative Assembly,  
Legislative Building,  
REGINA, Saskatchewan.

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Circumstances make it necessary that I ask the Legislative Assembly to allow me to retire from the post of Deputy Speaker, a position which I have felt greatly honoured to have occupied.

I have endeavoured to uphold the traditions connected with the office, and if any success has been achieved therein, it is because of the support and co-operation received from yourself, and the other Members of the Assembly.

Please convey my sincere thanks to them.

Yours very truly,  
JOHN E. BROCKELBANK

(*Sessional Paper No. 6*)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Blakeney, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

Ordered, That Beverly M. Dyck, Esquire, Member for the Constituency of Saskatoon City Park be Deputy Speaker of this Assembly.

*11:07 o'clock a.m.*

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor entered the Chamber and having taken his seat upon the Throne, was 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 on the work you have done.

You have taken important steps to restore free access to health care services by removing deterrent fees and by extending free medical and hospital care to persons 65 and over.

You have removed a discriminatory financial burden from families of the mentally ill.

I thank you for moving so expeditiously to restore free collective bargaining and to improve hours and conditions of work in the province.

You have provided greater security for farmers facing financial difficulty by enacting The Family Farm Protection Act.

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.

The Hon. Mr. Romanow, Provincial Secretary, then said:

MR. SPEAKER, AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

It is the will and pleasure of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued until the time set by His Honour for the Second Session of the Seventeenth Legislature for the dispatch of business and the Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

His Honour then retired from the Chamber.

F. A. DEWHURST,  
*Speaker.*



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Questions and Answers

# Appendix to Journals

## Second Session 1971

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### Questions and Answers

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1971

1.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Messer:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Agriculture have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Mr. G. C. Wensel.  
Mr. H. G. Colenutt.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

2.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of the Attorney General have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

4.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. MacMurchy:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Education have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

6.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by Hon. Mr. Blakeney:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Industry and Commerce have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* None.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

7.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Snyder:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Labour have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Miss Marilyn D. Ballantyne (temporary help for a 2-month period).

9.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Wood:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Municipal Affairs have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered to have resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

11.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Smishek:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Public Health have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Mr. Orville Griffin.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

12.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Wood:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Public Works have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered to have resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

15.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by Hon. Mr. Blakeney:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Provincial Treasury have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Mr. A. R. Garden.

Mr. Kenneth Beeson (Temporary Employee).

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

16.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Snyder:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Welfare have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

17.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by Hon. Mr. Blakeney:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Executive Council have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* None.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

18.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Highway Traffic Board have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

19.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Wood:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Municipal Road Assistance Authority have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Ivan G. Macklin, Riverhurst, Saskatchewan.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

20.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by Hon. Mr. Blakeney:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Office of the Provincial Auditor have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* None.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

21.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. MacMurchy:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Provincial Library have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

22.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Provincial Youth Agency have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

23.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Public and Private Rights Board have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

24.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Romanow:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Surface Rights Arbitration Board have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

26.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Smishek:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Public Service Commission have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Miss Darlene Bear  
Clerk Typist I (Supernumerary)  
Resigned July 9, 1971 of her own accord  
Mrs. Alice Atkinson  
Clerk Typist II (Temporary)  
Resigned July 9, 1971 of her own accord

28.—Mr. Gardner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney:

Is Mr. Gerry Wilson employed by the Government of Saskatchewan, and if so, in what capacity and at what salary?

*Answer:* Yes.

Temporary Admin. Officer VII  
\$1113.00 per month.

29.—Mr. Gardner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney:

What was the salary of Mr. M. de Rosenroll while he was employed as Clerk of the Executive Council?

*Answer:* \$8,904.00 per annum.

30.—Mr. Gardner asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Blakeney:

Is Mr. J. Kinzel employed by the Government of Saskatchewan, and if so, in what capacity and at what salary?

*Answer:* Yes.

Clerk of the Executive Council  
\$17,000.00 per annum.

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3.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Kramer:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Co-operation and Co-operative Development have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

10.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Kramer:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Natural Resources have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:*

John Edward Weymark—Dismissed, effective July 15, 1971.  
Robert Frank Beeson—Dismissed, effective July 15, 1971.  
George Isaac McIlwrath—Dismissed, effective July 14, 1971.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

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8.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Bowerman:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Mineral Resources have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

14.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Bowerman:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Saskatchewan Indian and Metis Department have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

25.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Bowerman:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Clean Environment Authority have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.

27.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Bowerman:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Water Resources Commission have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

Note: This answer does not include the names of employees who have (a) resigned their employment, (b) retired, (c) abandoned their positions and are therefore considered as having resigned, (d) ended their employment on completion of a temporary work assignment, or (e) were transferred to other agencies of the Provincial Government.



31.—Mr. MacDonald (Milestone), asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Messer:

How many licenses under the Agricultural Machinery Act were terminated due to bankruptcy during the calendar year 1971 to date?

*Answer:*

Licenses are customarily discontinued by a vendor not renewing his license, consequently, the reasons for not renewing are not known.

32.—Mr. MacDonald (Milestone), asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Messer:

How many licenses under the Agricultural Machinery Act were terminated due to bankruptcy during the calendar year 1970?

*Answer:*

See answer to No. 31 above.

**Note:**

Fiscal year 1968-69—1,703 licenses issued.

Fiscal year 1969-70—1,669 licenses issued.

During 1969-70 there were 140 new vendors licensed.

The number discontinued or dropped out in 1969-70—174.

Fiscal year 1970-71—1,529 licenses were issued.

During 1970-71 there were 74 new vendors licensed.

The number discontinued or dropped out in 1970-71—214.

To date, 1971, there were 146 vendors licensed in 1970-71 who have not applied for a 1971-72 license.

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1971**

13.—Mr. Lane asked the Government the following Question which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Byers:

What are the names of those persons whose employment and/or services within the Department of Telephones have been terminated since June 28, 1971?

*Answer:* Nil.

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