

Wednesday, March 17, 1971

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Pastor *G. L. Braun*.

The Hon. *R. G. Williston* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

JOHN R. NICHOLSON
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *Environment and Land Use Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 17, 1971

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 82) intituled *Environment and Land Use Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *R. G. Williston* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

JOHN R. NICHOLSON
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *Ecological Reserves Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 17, 1971

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 80) intituled *Ecological Reserves Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *F. X. Richter* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

JOHN R. NICHOLSON
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *An Act to Amend the Department of Commercial Transport Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 17, 1971

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 76) intituled *An Act to Amend the Department of Commercial Transport Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The following Bills were introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today:

On the motion of Mr. *Hall*, Bill (No. 90) intituled *The Commonwealth Parliamentary Conferences (Delegates) Act*.

On the motion of Mr. *Hall*, Bill (No. 91) intituled *An Act to Amend the Municipal Act*.

On the motion of Mr. *Clark*, Bill (No. 92) intituled *An Act Respecting the Broadcasting of Debates and Proceedings of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia*.

On the motion of Mr. *Clark*, Bill (No. 81) intituled *Credit Information Protection Act*.

On the motion of Mr. *Hartley*, Bill (No. 93) intituled *An Act to Amend the Taxation Act*.

By leave of the House, Mr. *Calder* made a statement with respect to the book *The Land of Maquinna* by Ian S. Mahood.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

Pursuant to Order, the House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

152 Mr. *Barrett* asked the Hon. the Attorney-General the following questions:

1. Were any suicides committed in Provincial prisons between 1962 and 1970?
2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, how many suicides were committed in each prison in each year?

The Hon. *L. R. Peterson* replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2. 1962/63, *nil*; 1963/64, *nil*; 1964/65, five at the Lower Mainland Regional Correctional Centre; 1965/66, three at the Lower Mainland Regional Correctional Centre; 1966/67, six at the Lower Mainland Regional Correctional Centre; 1967/68, three at the Lower Mainland Regional Correctional Centre; 1968/69, three, one at the Lower Mainland Regional Correctional Centre, one at Prince George Regional Correctional Centre, one at Kamloops Regional Correctional Centre; 1969/70, five at the Lower Mainland Regional Correctional Centre; and 1970/71, *nil** (11 months only).

"* One death at Vancouver Island Regional Correctional Centre at first thought to be suicide was ruled by Coroner's inquest to 'died as the result of the balance of his mind being disturbed'."

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. tomorrow.

And then the House adjourned at 5.36 p.m.

Thursday, March 18, 1971

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Dr. *J. B. Rowell*.

The Hon. *R. G. Williston* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

JOHN R. NICHOLSON
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *Water Resources Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 18, 1971

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 79) intituled *Water Resources Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *R. G. Williston* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

JOHN R. NICHOLSON

Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *An Act to Amend the Water Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 18, 1971

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 83) intituled *An Act to Amend the Water Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of Mr. *Cocke*, Bill (No. 96) intituled *An Act to Amend the Insurance Act* was introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

Pursuant to Order, the House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

53 Mr. *McGeer* asked the Hon. the Minister of Finance the following questions:

1. Since the proclamation of March 6, 1968 establishing the British Columbia Harbours Board, (a) how many persons have been appointed to said Board, (b) what are their names, (c) what amounts, if any, have they been paid either in salary or for expenses, (d) what staff positions have been filled, (e) on what dates, (f) what have the costs of the Board been during the fiscal years ended March 31, 1968, 1969, and 1970, and (g) what have the costs of the Board been since March 31, 1970 to December 31, 1970?

2. What amounts have been borrowed by the British Columbia Harbours Board under sections 29 and 30 of the Act which granted authority for the Board to borrow up to \$25,000,000?

3. If funds have been borrowed, to what purposes have such borrowed amounts been applied or for what purpose have they been designated?

The Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett* replied as follows:

"1. (a) Eight.

"(b) Order in Council 727/68 appointed Robert William Bonner as chairman, appointed Ralph Raymond Loffmark, appointed William Clark Mearns; Order in Council 932/68 appointed Philip Arthur Gaglardi; Order in Council 1201/68 appointed John James Southworth as executive secretary; Order in Council 2667/68 resigned Robert William Bonner as chairman, appointed Francis Xavier Richter, appointed William Clark Mearns as chairman; Order in Council 370/69 resigned John James Southworth as executive secretary, appointed James David King as executive secretary; Order in Council 1168/70, Board reconstituted (appointments made prior Orders in Council cancelled other than Order in Council 370/69), appointed Francis Xavier Richter as chairman, appointed Joseph Sowden Broadbent as member, appointed James David King as member (continues as executive secretary).

"(c) March 6, 1968 to December 31, 1970:

Name	Salary ¹	Expenses
Bonner.....	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
Loffmark.....	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
Mearns.....	<i>Nil</i>	\$7,415.95
Gaglardi.....	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
Southworth (salary paid by British Columbia Energy Board).....		303.78
Richter.....	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
Broadbent.....	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
King ² , fiscal year 1968/69.....	\$6,138	<i>Nil</i>
King ² , fiscal year 1969/70.....	11,833	1,069.57
King ² , April 1, 1970 to December 31, 1970.....	14,271	721.60

¹ Salary paid by British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority and reimbursed by the Harbours Board.

² Paid as executive secretary.

"(d) Executive secretary and comptroller.

"(e) Executive secretary: John James Southworth, April 1, 1968 to December 1, 1968; James David King, January 23, 1969 to date. Comptroller: Douglas Talbot Thomson, April 1, 1970 to date.

"(f) Costs to the British Columbia Harbours Board interpreted as all expenditures other than capital expenditures. Fiscal year 1967/68, *nil*; fiscal year 1968/69, \$33,831; fiscal year 1969/70, \$506,863.

"2. *Nil*. (NOTE—Advances of \$17,146,604.12 have been made under section 18.)

"3. All funds advanced have been expended on (a) the construction of the British Columbia Harbours Board Railway and (b) the acquisition of land associated with the Roberts Bank Superport."

118 Mr. *McGeer* asked the Hon. the Premier the following question:

With respect to O'Brien Advertising Limited, what was the total amount spent between January 1, 1968 and July 1, 1969 and between July 1, 1969 and December 31, 1970 on behalf of any British Columbia Government departments, boards, commissions, agencies, or Crown corporations with this advertising agency?

The Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett* replied as follows:

"Between January 1, 1968 and July 1, 1969, *nil*. Between July 1, 1969 and December 31, 1970, \$202,095, spent for advertising."

146 Mr. *Strachan* asked the Hon. the Premier and President of the Council the following questions:

With reference to the sum of \$27,500 paid to E. M. Gunderson by British Columbia Hydro for the year ended March 31, 1970—

1. Was this salary paid for his services as a director and member of the Executive Management Committee?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, does E. M. Gunderson give his full time to this job and, if the answer is no, how many hours per week does he devote to British Columbia Hydro work?

3. Please give date, place, reason, and contents for each itemized expenditure involved in the total sum of \$4,132.87 paid to E. M. Gunderson for expenses as listed by British Columbia Hydro for year ended March 31, 1970?

The Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett* replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2. Practically full time.

"3. Travel expenses to outside Province: October 4 to 9, 1969, attending American Transit Association Meeting in Montreal, \$782.24; December 7 to 10, 1969, attending Federal-Provincial Conference at Ottawa, \$504.32; February 14 to 18, attending Federal-Provincial Conference at Ottawa, \$465.69; total, \$1,752.25.

"Expenses inside Province on British Columbia Hydro business for year ended March 31, 1970: Automobile expenses, \$467.42; hotels and subsistence, \$489.07; club dues to December 31, 1969 (discontinued at December 31, 1969 for all British Columbia Hydro officials and staff), \$704.50; miscellaneous, \$719.63; total, \$4,132.87."

147 Mr. *Strachan* asked the Hon. the Premier and President of the Council the following questions:

With reference to the sum of \$20,716,278.85 paid to Westcoast Transmission Company as shown in the return made under the *Public Bodies Information Act* by British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority for the year ended March 31, 1970—

1. Was the sum paid in the purchase of natural gas to be used and sold by the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority?

2. Was the \$41,000,000 shown on page 34 of the Annual Report of the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority for year ended March 31, 1970 as revenue from gas the amount received for the sale of the above-mentioned natural gas?

The Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett* replied as follows:

"1. Yes. Includes payments made during the year ended March 31, 1970 for natural gas purchased for sales to the public on the Mainland and for use in British

Columbia Hydro operations on the Mainland (principally at Burrard Thermal Generating Plant).

"2. No. Includes (a) revenue of \$40,200,059 from sales of natural gas to the public on the Mainland and (b) revenue of \$765,635 from sales of liquefied petroleum gas-air to the public on Vancouver Island (not purchased from West-coast Transmission Company Limited). The total of \$40,965,694 does not include any figure for gas used in British Columbia Hydro operations."

167 Mr. *Strachan* asked the Hon. the Premier and President of the Council the following questions:

With reference to the sum of \$3,840 shown as having been paid to The Buchanan Building as shown in the return made under the *Public Bodies Information Act* by British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority for the year ended March 31, 1970—

1. Was this amount paid for the supply of goods and services?
2. Please give date, place of use and purpose and, where applicable, unit cost of such goods and services?
3. In each case, please give name and position of the person who authorized these expenditures and name and position of the individual who verified that value was received for the said expenditures?
4. Where is The Buchanan Building referred to above?

The Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett* replied as follows:

- "1. Yes.
- "2. Monthly rental for one year at \$320 per month for Lot 26, Block 39, Plan 1054, Smithers, leased for district office.
- "3. Authorized by formal lease, executed under seal. Value verified by J. N. Olsen, Manager, Administration Division.
- "4. Smithers."

168 Mr. *Strachan* asked the Hon. the Premier and President of the Council the following questions:

With reference to the sum of \$3,819 shown as having been paid to The Brigade Fund as shown in the return made under the *Public Bodies Information Act* by British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority for the year ended March 31, 1970—

1. Was this amount paid for the supply of goods and services?
2. Please give date, place of use and purpose and, where applicable, unit cost of such goods and services?
3. In each case, please give name and position of the person who authorized these expenditures and name and position of the individual who verified that value was received for the said expenditures?
4. What is The Brigade Fund referred to above?

The Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett* replied as follows:

- "1. Yes.
- "2. Payments made monthly for fire protection at Mica Creek. Payment of \$5 per volunteer fireman per occasion for ambulance service, fire-fighting, and drills.
- "3. Authorized by J. P. Ottesen, Manager, Construction Division. Verified by R. B. Jackson, Construction Manager, Mica Project.
- "4. The Brigade Fund is the fund of the Mica Creek Volunteer Fire Department."

169 Mr. *Strachan* asked the Hon. the Premier and President of the Council the following questions:

With reference to the sum of \$42,446.04 shown as having been paid to the Board of School Trustees as shown in the return made under the *Public Bodies Information Act* by British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority for the year ended March 31, 1970—

1. Was this amount paid for the supply of goods and services?
2. Please give date, place of use and purpose and, where applicable, unit cost of such goods and services?
3. In each case, please give name and position of the person who authorized these expenditures and name and position of the individual who verified that value was received for the said expenditures?
4. Who are the Board of School Trustees referred to above and where do they have jurisdiction?

The Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett* replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2. (a) July 17, 1969 at Nakusp. Final payment of \$40,000, being balance of \$251,000 purchase price of school properties for Arrow Lake Reservoir.

"(b) December 1969 at New Westminster. Rental of auditorium for British Columbia Hydro employees' children's Christmas party, \$270.

"(c) January 1 to April 30, 1969 at Vancouver. Provision of instruction for numerical analysis (mathematics course), \$947.54.

"(d) December 1969 at Vancouver. Purchase of three 100-kva. transformers from Templeton School because of replacements, \$1,228.50.

"3. (a) Authorized by Executive Management Committee Minute. Value verified by R. W. Gross, Manager, Corporate Services Division.

"(b) Authorized and value verified by R. B. Middleton, Special Assistant to Manager, Administration Division.

"(c) Authorized by A. R. Kluckner, Manager, Manpower Development. Value verified by J. N. Olsen, Manager, Administration Division.

"(d) Authorized and value verified by A. J. Duncan, Regional Distribution Engineer.

"4. (a) Arrow Lake School District No. 10, Nakusp, (b) School District No. 40, New Westminster, (c) School District No. 39, Vancouver, and (d) School District No. 39, Vancouver."

170 Mr. *Strachan* asked the Hon. the Premier and President of the Council the following questions:

With reference to the sum of \$7,045.17 shown as having been paid to the Board of Parks and Public Recreation as shown in the return made under the *Public Bodies Information Act* by British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority for the year ended March 31, 1970—

1. Was this amount paid for the supply of goods and services?
2. Please give date, place of use and purpose and, where applicable, unit cost of such goods and services?
3. In each case, please give name and position of the person who authorized these expenditures and name and position of the individual who verified that value was received for the said expenditures?
4. Who are the Board of Parks and Public Recreation referred to above and what is their jurisdiction?

The Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett* replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2. (a) Covers tree-trimming and tree-removals on boulevards as approved by British Columbia Hydro for fiscal year 1969/70 to provide clearance for British Columbia Hydro lines. Based on labour and equipment costs plus 10 per cent overhead, except for tree-removal, which is charged at \$35 per tree. Fifty per cent charged to British Columbia Hydro when cost is shared with British Columbia Telephone Company, \$6,830.54.

"(b) Maintenance of grounds adjacent to Dunbar Substation at Almond Park for year ended December 31, 1970, \$150.

"(c) Replacement of three trees because of gas construction in Vancouver, \$64.63.

"3. (a) Purchase order issued on authority of S. C. Burnell, Manager, Metropolitan Region, Distribution Division, value verified by W. H. Adrian, Superintendent of Electrical Department; (b) authorized by W. D. Gill, Superintendent of Substations (payment for year in advance); and (c) authorized and value verified by J. L. Gemmill, Manager, Metropolitan Gas Distribution.

"4. Board of Parks and Public Recreation, City of Vancouver."

188 Mr. *Lorimer* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:

1. Were moneys expended on the following highways, within the Municipality of Burnaby, for maintenance and snow clearance in the years 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, and 1970: Gaglardi Way, highways within the site of Simon Fraser University, Hastings-Barnet, Lougheed, Canada Way, Kingsway, and Marine Drive?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what amounts were spent in each year on each highway for maintenance and snow clearance?

3. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what amounts were spent in each year on each highway for snow clearance?

The Hon. *W. D. Black* replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2 and 3:

	Maintenance and Snow Removal	Snow Removal
<i>Fiscal Year 1965/66</i>		
293-R Barnet (Hastings).....	\$13,265.36	\$8,587.37
135-R Canada Way.....	19,102.32	9,632.28
1-R Kingsway.....	17,223.86	8,563.58
17-R Lougheed.....	32,469.42	8,126.51
22-B Riverway (Marine Drive).....	3,056.44	*
414-R Simon Fraser Access Roads.....	30,563.79	30,563.79
<i>Fiscal Year 1966/67</i>		
293-R Barnet (Hastings).....	9,717.89	5,469.64
135-R Canada Way.....	15,385.70	5,415.87
1-R Kingsway.....	9,128.85	3,422.61
17-R Lougheed.....	35,118.59	5,067.00
22-B Riverway (Marine Drive).....	5,147.57	*
414-R Simon Fraser Access (Gaglardi Way).....	26,259.92	641.37
<i>Fiscal Year 1967/68</i>		
293-R Barnet (Hastings).....	18,354.65	1,969.71
135-R Canada Way.....	37,668.90	1,276.32
1-R Kingsway.....	8,854.26	991.88
17-R Lougheed.....	20,653.89	2,891.12
22-B Riverway (Marine Drive).....	123.76	*
414-R Simon Fraser University Access.....	8,887.46	996.60

<i>Fiscal Year 1968/69</i>	Maintenance and Snow Removal	Snow Removal
293-R Barnet (Hastings).....	18,777.01	5,046.69
135-R Canada Way.....	12,166.44	3,270.11
1-R Kingsway.....	9,455.77	2,541.41
17-R Lougheed.....	27,514.69	7,407.45
22-R Riverway (Marine Drive).....	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
414-R Simon Fraser University Access.....	9,500.63	2,553.46
<i>Fiscal Year 1969/70</i>		
293-R Barnet (Hastings).....	18,051.52	1,263.32
135-R Canada Way.....	11,696.88	818.60
1-R Kingsway.....	9,090.39	636.19
17-R Lougheed.....	26,495.68	1,854.28
22-R Riverway (Marine Drive).....	700.00	<i>Nil</i>
414-R Simon Fraser University Access.....	9,133.47	639.20

* No information.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 8 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 5.59 p.m.

Thursday, March 18, 1971

EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

Pursuant to Order, the House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The House continued to sit after midnight.

FRIDAY, MARCH 19

134. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$37,200 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1972.

135. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$255,632 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, General Administration, to 31st March 1972.

136. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$856,198 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Lands Branch, to 31st March 1972.

137. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$300,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Pre-servicing Crown Lands for Sale or Lease, to 31st March 1972.

138. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,253,491 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Surveys and Mapping Branch, to 31st March 1972.

139. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, *University Endowment Lands Administration Act*, to 31st March 1972.

140. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$21,802,190 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, General Administration, Protection, and Management of Forests, to 31st March 1972.

141. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$4,681,790 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Reforestation and Forest Nursery, to 31st March 1972.

142. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$27,800 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Forestry and Correction Camp Programme, to 31st March 1972.

143. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$223,086 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Forest Research, to 31st March 1972.

144. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$86,950 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Public Information and Education, to 31st March 1972.

145. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$173,550 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Forest Service Training-school, to 31st March 1972.

146. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$17,500 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Grant to Canadian Forestry Association, to 31st March 1972.

147. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,956,850 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Engineering Services and Forest-development Roads, to 31st March 1972.

148. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Fire Suppression, to 31st March 1972.

149. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,337,575 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Forest Inventory, to 31st March 1972.

150. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Scaling Fund, to 31st March 1972.

151. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,669,750 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Silviculture, to 31st March 1972.

152. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$225,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Grazing Range Improvement Fund, to 31st March 1972.

153. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Peace River Community Pastures, to 31st March 1972.

The Committee reported the Resolutions.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 12.45 a.m.

Friday, March 19, 1971

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *H. B. Illsey*.

On the motion of the Hon. *L. R. Peterson*, the following Bills were introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today:

Bill (No. 85) intituled *An Act to Amend the Sale of Goods Act*.

Bill (No. 89) intituled *An Act to Amend the Summary Convictions Act*.

On the motion of Mr. *Gardom*, Bill (No. 99) intituled *An Act to Amend the Insurance Act* was introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

Pursuant to Order, the House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

154. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,235,666 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Reservoir Waterway Improvements, to 31st March 1972.

155. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$143,916 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, General Administration, to 31st March 1972.

156. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$733,460 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Water Rights Branch, to 31st March 1972.

157. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$25,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Assistance to Improvement Districts, to 31st March 1972.

158. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$21,500 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Canadian Council of Resource Ministers, to 31st March 1972.

159. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$49,044 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Inspector of Dykes, to 31st March 1972.

160. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$779,390 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Water Investigations Branch, to 31st March 1972.

161. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,305,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Investigations, Hydraulic Surveys, and Projects, to 31st March 1972.

162. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$225,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Environmental Quality Studies, to 31st March 1972.

163. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$94,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Okanagan Flood Control, to 31st March 1972.

164. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$6,700,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, *Canada-British Columbia Joint Development Act*, to 31st March 1972.

165. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$105,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, British Columbia Hydrometric Stream-gauging, to 31st March 1972.

166. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$343,092 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Southern Okanagan Lands Project, to 31st March 1972.

The Committee reported the Resolutions.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 6.05 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 5.59 p.m.