

Tuesday, June 8, 1976

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Father *Willard O'Brien*.

On the motion of the Hon. *G. B. Gardom*, 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. 44) intituled *Judicial Review Procedure Act*.

Bill (No. 60) intituled *Credit Unions Amendment Act, 1976*.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 56) intituled *Sheriffs Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 3, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of the Hon. *K. R. Mair*, Bill (No. 65) intituled *Consumers Protection 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.

By leave, Mr. *King* made a statement relating to unemployment statistics.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave, the Hon. *J. A. Nielsen* (Minister of Environment) made a statement relating to the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority Revelstoke Project public hearing.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

113. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$124,264 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1977.

114. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$5,365,281 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Departmental Administration and Support Services, to 31st March 1977.

115. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$17,171,241 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Community Services, to 31st March 1977.

116. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$65,791,568 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Services for Families and Children, to 31st March 1977.

117. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$187,389,883 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Services for Senior Citizens and Handicapped Persons, to 31st March 1977.

118. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$33,605,590 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Health Care Services, to 31st March 1977.

119. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$30,592,423 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Community Programs, to 31st March 1977.

120. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$218,800,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Income Assistance Program, to 31st March 1977.

121. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$33,606,573 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Special Programs for the Retarded, to 31st March 1977.

122. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$188,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Human Resources, Burns Lake Community Development Association, to 31st March 1977.

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

The House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 28) intituled *Guaranteed Available Income for Need Act* a debate arose, which was, on the motion of Mr. Wallace, adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

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

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 59) intituled *Government Reorganization Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 3, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

And then the House adjourned at 6.03 p.m.

Tuesday, June 8, 1976

EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 69) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes (Court Rules) Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

*Government House,
June 8, 1976*

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

By leave of the House, the Hon. *W. N. Vander Zalm* (Minister of Human Resources) tabled the second annual report of the Burns Lake Community Development Association.

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the third reading of Bill (No. 16) intituled *Anti-Inflation Measures Act* the House divided.

Motion agreed to on the following division:

YEAS—29

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Jordan</i>			

NAYS—14

<i>Wallace, B.</i>	<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Lauk</i>	<i>Dailly</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>Stupich</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Cocke</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>		

Bill read a third time and passed.

The following Bills were read a third time and passed:

Bill (No. 17) intituled *Provincial Home-owner Grant Amendment Act, 1976*.

Bill (No. 20) intituled *Interpretation Amendment Act, 1976*.

Bill (No. 45) intituled *Auditor General Act*.

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 28) intituled *Guaranteed Available Income for Need Act*.

The debate continued.

On the motion of Ms. *Brown* the debate was adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

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

By leave of the House, the Hon. *L. A. Williams* (Minister of Labour) tabled the report of Judge D. E. McTaggart, Special Mediator in the dispute between Health Labour Relations Association of British Columbia and the Hospital Employees' Union Local No. 180.

The Hon. *L. A. Williams* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 75) intituled *Hospital Services Collective Agreement Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

By leave of the House, the Hon. *L. A. Williams* (Minister of Labour) tabled a Statement of Accreditation of the Labour Relations Board relating to the Health Labour Relations Association of British Columbia.

And then the House adjourned at 11.04 p.m.

Wednesday, June 9, 1976

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *R. D. Holmes*.

The Hon. *P. L. McGeer* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 46) intituled *British Columbia Educational Institutions Capital Financing Authority Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
May 25, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of the Hon. *P. L. McGeer* 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. 55) intituled *Public Schools Amendment Act, 1976*.

Bill (No. 61) intituled *Automobile Insurance Amendment Act, 1976*.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 76) intituled *Companies Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 9, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of the Hon. *G. B. Gardom*, Bill (No. 62) intituled *Legal Professions Amendment Act, 1976* 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.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 70) intituled *Dentistry Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 71) intituled *Pharmacy Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *H. A. Curtis* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 63) intituled *Municipalities Enabling and Validating Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Gibson*, the Order for second reading of Bill (No. 40) intituled *Mineral Royalties Repeal Act* was discharged.

Bill *Ordered* dropped from the Order Paper.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

On leave being requested by the Hon. *Grace McCarthy* that the House proceed to "Public Bills and Orders," leave was not granted.

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.

The House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 75) intituled *Hospital Services Collective Agreement Act* a debate arose.

During the debate, by leave of the House, the Hon. *G. B. Gardom* (Attorney-General) made a statement relating to the preservation of law and order in the community of Kitimat.

The debate continued.

The House divided.

Motion agreed to *nemine contradicente* on the following division:

YEAS—41

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Gibson</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Lauk</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Haddad</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Davidson</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>
<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Levi</i>	<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Jordan</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>			

Bill read a second time and, by leave of the House, on the motion of the Hon. *L. A. Williams*, Bill *Ordered* committed forthwith.

Bill (No. 75) was committed, reported complete without amendment, and, by leave, read a third time and passed.

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 30) intituled *Mineral Amendment Act, 1976* a debate arose.

The House divided.

Motion agreed to *nemine contradicente* on the following division:

YEAS—40

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Gibson</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Lauk</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Haddad</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Davidson</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>
<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Levi</i>	<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Jordan</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Fraser</i>

Bill read a second time.

On the motion that the Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today, the House divided.

Motion agreed to *nemine contradicente* on the following division:

YEAS—40

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Gibson</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Lauk</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Haddad</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Davidson</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>
<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Levi</i>	<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Jordan</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Fraser</i>

Bill (No. 30) *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *L. A. Williams* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 58) intituled *Railway and Ferries Bargaining Assistance Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 9, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 57) intituled *Mineral Resource Tax Act* a debate arose, which was, on the motion of Mr. *Barnes*, adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 64) intituled *Public Service Benefit Plans Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 81) intituled *Public Service Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 82) intituled *Public Service Labour Relations Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 66) intituled *Motor-vehicle Amendment Act, 1976 (No. 2)*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 68) intituled *Motor-vehicle Amendment Act, 1976 (No. 1)*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 9, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 80) intituled *Motor-vehicle Amendment Act, 1976 (No. 3)*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

*Government House,
June 9, 1976*

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor having entered the House, and being seated in the chair—

Ian M. Horne, Q.C., Clerk of the House, read the titles to the following Bills:

- (No. 5) *British Columbia Railway Company Construction Loan Amendment Act, 1976.*
- (No. 8) *Revenue Amendment Act, 1976.*
- (No. 13) *Supreme Court Amendment Act, 1976.*
- (No. 15) *Constitution Amendment Act, 1976.*
- (No. 16) *Anti-Inflation Measures Act.*
- (No. 17) *Provincial Home-owner Grant Amendment Act, 1976.*
- (No. 18) *Extra-Provincial Custody Orders Enforcement Act.*
- (No. 19) *Interprovincial Subpœna Act.*
- (No. 20) *Interpretation Amendment Act, 1976.*
- (No. 21) *Prospectors Assistance Amendment Act, 1976.*
- (No. 45) *Auditor General Act.*
- (No. 75) *Hospital Services Collective Agreement Act.*

His Honour was pleased in Her Majesty's name to give assent to the said Bills.

The said assent was announced by *Ian M. Horne, Q.C.*, Clerk of the House, in the following words:

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

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to retire.

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

And then the House adjourned at 6 p.m.

Thursday, June 10, 1976

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Father *R. C. Crawley*.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 72) intituled *Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *H. A. Curtis* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 73) intituled *Strata Titles Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *Grace McCarthy* (Provincial Secretary) made a statement that there would be no sitting of the House on Friday, June 11, owing to the New Democratic Party Convention at Penticton.

The Hon. *W. R. Bennett* (Premier) made a statement relating to the export price of natural gas.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave of the House, during oral question period, the Hon. *P. L. McGeer* (Minister of Education) tabled the following:

Correspondence relating to the Insurance Corporation of British Columbia Reinsurance Program Renewal 1976-77, and his recent visit to London.

Insurance Corporation of British Columbia memorandum dated June 9, 1976, relating to lie-detector tests.

By leave of the House, the Hon. *W. N. Vander Zalm* (Minister of Human Resources) made a statement relating to the activities of the Vancouver Resources Board.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 74) intituled *Attorney-General Statutes Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 8, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *G. B. Gardom* (Attorney-General) made a further statement relating to law and order in the community of Kitimat.

On leave being requested by the Hon. *Grace McCarthy* that the House proceed to second reading of Bill (No. 58) intituled *Railway and Ferries Bargaining Assistance Act*, leave was not granted.

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.

The Committee further reported that on the motion that the Committee rise and report progress, the House divided.

Motion agreed to on the following division:

YEAS—30

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Jordan</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Shelford</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>		

NAYS—11

<i>Barber</i>	<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Lea</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Gibson</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	

The House proceeded to "Orders of the Day."

On leave being requested by the Hon. *Grace McCarthy* that the House proceed to Committee on Bills, leave was not granted.

The House proceeded to "Public Bills in the Hands of Private Members."

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 32) intituled *An Act to Amend the Motor-vehicle Act*.

On the motion of the Hon. *G. B. Gardom* the debate was adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

The House resumed the adjourned debate on Bill (No. 33) intituled *Freedom of Information Act*.

On the motion of the Hon. *G. B. Gardom* that the debate be adjourned to the next sitting of the House, the House divided.

Motion agreed to on the following division:

YEAS—30

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Jordan</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Gardom</i>		

NAYS—11

<i>Barber</i>	<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Lea</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Gibson</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	

The House resumed the adjourned debate on Bill (No. 34) intituled *An Act to Amend the Change of Name Act*.

On the motion of the Hon. *R. H. McClelland* that the debate be adjourned to the next sitting of the House, the House divided.

Motion agreed to on the following division:

YEAS—31

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Jordan</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>	

NAYS—11

<i>Barber</i>	<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Lea</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Gibson</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 36) intituled *Bikeways Development Act* a debate arose.

Mr. Speaker ruled the Bill out of order in the hands of a private member as it contemplates, in section 5, the expenditure of public funds.

The ruling of the Speaker was challenged.

The ruling of the Speaker was sustained on the following division:

YEAS—33

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Gibson</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Jordan</i>			

NAYS—9

<i>Barber</i>	<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Lea</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Barnes</i>			

Bill *Ordered* dropped from the Order Paper.

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 37) intituled *Land Registry Amendment Act, 1975* a debate arose, which was, on the motion of Mr. *Barber*, adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 38) intituled *An Act to Amend the Public Officials and Employees Disclosure Act* a debate arose, which was, on the motion of Mr. *Barber*, adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 39) intituled *Community of Property Act* a debate arose, which was, on the motion of Ms. *Brown*, adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

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

24 Mr. *Stupich* asked the Hon. the Minister of Finance the following question: What amounts did the Government have in cash and temporary investments on (a) December 23, 1975, (b) January 31, 1976, and (c) February 29, 1976?

The Hon. *E. M. Wolfe* replied as follows:

“The general account of the Government held in cash and temporary investments on (a) December 23, 1975, \$69,965,292; (b) January 31, 1976, \$72,745,745; and (c) February 29, 1976, \$71,344,754.”

And then the House adjourned at 6 p.m.

Thursday, June 10, 1976

EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

By leave, the Hon. *W. R. Bennett* (Premier) made a statement relating to the proposed transfer of Pacific Western Airlines facilities and services from British Columbia to Alberta.

Mr. Speaker made a statement relating to ministerial statements and statements by party leaders in reply, and quoted *Beauchesne*, 4th edition, at page 84.

On leave being requested by the Hon. *Grace McCarthy* that the House proceed to second reading of Bill (No. 58) intituled *Railway and Ferries Bargaining Assistance Act*, leave was not granted.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Without the Committee rising, the Chairman reported that, during debate on Vote 74, the Chairman had ruled that matters pertaining to the administrative responsibility of the Minister were debatable under Vote 74.

The Chairman's ruling was challenged.

The Chairman's ruling was sustained on the following division:

YEAS—32

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Gibson</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Jordan</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Fraser</i>

NAYS—9

<i>Barber</i>	<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Lea</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Barnes</i>			

The Committee rose and reported progress.

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. on Monday next.

And then the House adjourned at 10.58 p.m.

Monday, June 14, 1976

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *David A. Smith*.

The letter of the Deputy Provincial Secretary and the certificate of the Chief Electoral Officer of the result of the election of a member were read by the Clerk of the House, as follows:

“OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY PROVINCIAL SECRETARY,
“VICTORIA, B.C., June 14, 1976

“*Ian M. Horne, Q.C.*,
“*Clerk of the Legislative Assembly*,
“*Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.*

Re *By-election, Vancouver East Electoral District, June 3, 1976*

“Sir,—I enclose herewith certified copy of the certificate of K. L. Morton, Chief Electoral Officer, respecting the election of David Barrett, to represent the Vancouver East Electoral District in the Legislative Assembly.

“Yours very truly,
“L. J. WALLACE
“*Deputy Provincial Secretary*”

(ENCLOSURE)

“CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER, REGISTRAR-GENERAL OF VOTERS,
“VANCOUVER, B.C., June 14, 1976

“*L. J. Wallace*,
“*Deputy Provincial Secretary*,
“*Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.*

“*Re By-election, June 3, 1976, Vancouver East Electoral District*

“Sir,—The resignation, effective February 27, 1976, of *Robert Arthur Williams*, the Second Member for the Vancouver East Electoral District, caused a vacancy to occur in the Legislative Assembly.

“A Writ, calling for a By-election to fill that vacancy, was issued on April 29, 1976, Polling Day being June 3, 1976.

“From the Writ now returned to me, I hereby certify the election of *David Barrett* as the Second Member to represent the Vancouver East Electoral District in the Legislative Assembly.

“Yours very truly,
“K. L. MORTON,
“*Chief Electoral Officer*
“*and Registrar-General of Voters*”

On the motion of the Hon. *Grace McCarthy* it was *Ordered*—

That the letter of the Deputy Provincial Secretary and the certificate of the Chief Electoral Officer of the result of the election of a member be entered upon the Journals of the House.

Mr. *David Barrett*, having taken the oath and signed the Parliamentary Roll, was introduced by Mr. *Macdonald* and Mr. *King*, and took his seat.

The Hon. *Grace McCarthy* (Provincial Secretary) tabled the Opening Statement of the Province of British Columbia to the Federal-Provincial Conference of First Ministers, held in Ottawa on June 14 and 15, 1976.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 58) intituled *Railway and Ferries Bargaining Assistance Act* a debate arose.

The House divided.

Motion agreed to on the following division:

YEAS—29

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Davidson</i>
<i>Strongman</i>	<i>Jordan</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Gibson</i>	<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>			

NAYS—17

<i>Wallace, B.</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	<i>Lauk</i>	<i>Stupich</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Sanford</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>Barrett</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Dailly</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>
<i>Lockstead</i>			

Bill read a second time and by leave, *Ordered* referred to a Committee of the Whole House to be considered forthwith.

Bill (No. 58) intituled *Railway and Ferries Bargaining Assistance Act* was committed, reported complete with amendments.

By leave of the House, Bill as reported was considered forthwith.

By leave of the House, Bill (No. 58) was read a third time and passed.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor having entered the House, and being seated in the chair—

Ian M. Horne, Q.C., Clerk of the House, read the title to the following Bill: (No. 58) *Railway and Ferries Bargaining Assistance Act*.

His Honour was pleased in Her Majesty's name to give assent to the said Bill.

The said assent was announced by *Ian M. Horne*, Q.C., Clerk of the House, in the following words:

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

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to retire.

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

29 Ms. *Brown* asked the Hon. the Provincial Secretary the following questions:

1. Have any Executive or Administrative Assistants been appointed in any Cabinet Minister's office since December 23, 1975?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what are the names, previous occupations, qualifications, and remuneration of those appointed?

The Hon. *Grace McCarthy* replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2. Names of appointees have been published in the Order in Council Resumé, Volume 2, No. 50 to Volume 3, No. 25, and continuing issues. Remuneration of appointees have been promulgated in the Orders in Council referenced and precised in the Order in Council Resumé. Records of previous occupations and qualifications are not maintained in the Department of the Provincial Secretary."

30 Ms. *Brown* asked the Hon. the Provincial Secretary the following questions:

With reference to Government appointments to Boards, Commissions, Councils, authorities, Courts of Revision, Crown agencies, Crown corporations, and businesses in which the Government has direct or indirect control—

1. Have any appointments been rescinded since December 23, 1975?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what are the names of the persons involved?

3. Have any appointments been made since December 23, 1975?

4. If the answer to No. 3 is yes, (a) what are the names, previous occupations, qualifications, and remuneration, if any, of the persons appointed and (b) are any of the persons appointed related to any member of the Legislature?

The Hon. *Grace McCarthy* replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2. Names of appointees rescinded have been published in the Order in Council Resumé, Volume 2, No. 50 to Volume 3, No. 25, and continuing issues.

"3. Yes.

"4. (a) Names of persons appointed by Order in Council have been published in the Order in Council Resumé, Volume 2, No. 50 to Volume 3, No. 25, and continuing issues. Unless specifically stated by Order in Council, records of remuneration to appointees are not maintained in the Department of the Provincial Secretary. Records of qualifications are not maintained in the Department of the Provincial Secretary. (b) Records of relationship to any member of the Legislature are not maintained by the Department of the Provincial Secretary."

66 Ms. *Brown* asked the Hon. the Provincial Secretary the following questions:

With reference to the 1975 Provincial General Election—

1. What election expenses were declared by the Social Credit Party, the New Democratic Party, the Liberal Party, the Progressive Conservative Party, and the Communist Party of Canada pursuant to the *Elections Act*?

2. What election expenses were declared by the candidates representing the relevant parties pursuant to the *Elections Act*?

The Hon. *Grace McCarthy* (Provincial Secretary) stated that in her opinion the reply should be in the form of a Return and that she had no objection to laying such Return upon the table of the House, and thereupon presented such Return.

And then the House adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

Tuesday, June 15, 1976

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Father *John Lancaster*.

On the motion of Mr. *Gibson*, Bill (No. 79) intituled *Access to Information 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 called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave, Order called for "Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees."

Mr. *Mussallem* presented the Second, Third, and Fourth Reports of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, as follows:

REPORT NO. 2

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

June 8, 1976

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills begs leave to report as follows:

That the preamble to Bill (No. 50) intituled *The Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of New Westminster Incorporation Act* has been proved and the Bill *Ordered* to be reported with amendments.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE MUSSALLEM, *Chairman*

REPORT NO. 3

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

June 15, 1976

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills begs leave to report as follows:

That the preamble of Bill (No. 51) intituled *British Columbia Association of Colleges Incorporation Act* has been proved and the Bill *Ordered* to be reported without amendments.

Your Committee further recommends that the additional sum of \$300 paid by the petitioners pursuant to Standing Order 98 (3) be refunded.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE MUSSALLEM, *Chairman*

REPORT NO. 4

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

June 15, 1976

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills begs leave to report as follows:

That the preamble of Bill (No. 52) intituled *Vancouver Stock Exchange Act, Amendment Act, 1976* has been proved and the Bill *Ordered* to be reported without amendments.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE MUSSALLEM, *Chairman*

The reports were read and received.

By leave of the House, the Rules were suspended and the reports adopted.

The Hon. *G. B. Gardom* (Attorney-General) tabled the Sixty-fourth Annual Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for the year ended December 31, 1974.

The Hon. *G. B. Gardom* (Attorney-General) made a statement relating to police protection for the town of Hedley.

The Hon. *G. B. Gardom* (Attorney-General) made a statement relating to the transfer of Pacific Western Airlines to Alberta.

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 47) intituled *Societies Act* a debate arose, which was, on the motion of the Hon. *G. B. Gardom*, adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

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

Bill (No. 76) intituled *Companies Amendment Act, 1976*.

Bill (No. 69) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes (Court Rules) Amendment Act, 1976*.

Bill (No. 74) intituled *Attorney-General Statutes Amendment Act, 1976*.

Bill (No. 44) intituled *Judicial Review Procedure Act*.

Bill (No. 60) intituled *Credit Unions Amendment Act, 1976*.

Bill (No. 62) intituled *Legal Professions Amendment Act, 1976*.

Bill (No. 25) intituled *Petroleum and Natural Gas (1965) Amendment Act, 1976*.

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 53) intituled *Municipal Amendment Act, 1976*.

Bill read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

Bill (No. 63) intituled *Municipalities Enabling and Validating Amendment Act, 1976* was read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 73) intituled *Strata Titles Amendment Act, 1976* a debate arose.

The House divided.

Motion agreed to on the following division:

YEAS—24

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Strongman</i>	<i>Chabot</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Fraser</i>

NAYS—18

<i>Wallace, B.</i>	<i>D'Arcy</i>	<i>Gibson</i>	<i>Dailly</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>Stupich</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Sanford</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Cocke</i>	<i>Barrett</i>
<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>		

Bill read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 8.30 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 5.57 p.m.

Tuesday, June 15, 1976

HALF-PAST EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

The Hon. *H. A. Curtis* (Minister of Housing) made a statement relating to the Mount Stephen property in Victoria.

During his statement, the Hon. *H. A. Curtis* tabled a copy memorandum dated November 5, 1975, from Neil Jackson, architect, Department of Housing, to G. L. Chatterton, Associate Deputy Minister, Department of Housing.

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 49) intituled *Home Purchase Assistance Act* a debate arose, which was, on the motion of Mr. *Wallace*, adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

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

And then the House adjourned at 10.57 p.m.

Wednesday, June 16, 1976

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *W. B. Mundy*.

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

WALTER S. OWEN
Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 78) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1976*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
June 15, 1976

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave of the House, the Hon. *Jack Davis* (Minister of Transport and Communications) tabled answers to a question asked on June 3 by the Member for Oak Bay relating to food services on B.C. Ferries, and a question asked on June 14 by the First Member for Vancouver East relating to prices charged to senior citizens using buses travelling on B.C. Ferries.

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.

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

By leave of the House, Mr. *Lauk* tabled a copy memorandum from Peter D. Meyers, departmental solicitor, office of Attorney-General, dated May 12, 1976, to Messrs. G. H. Cross, Keith Prowse, W. W. Ross, and W. Wood *re* proposed *Mineral Resource Tax Act*.

By leave of the House, the Hon. *W. R. Bennett* (Premier) made a statement relating to the Federal-Provincial Conference of First Ministers, held in Ottawa on June 14 and 15, 1976.

And then the House adjourned at 6.30 p.m.

Thursday, June 17, 1976

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *R. H. Dobson*.

By leave of the House, Mr. *Kahl* made a statement relating to a telegram sent to various municipal officials in Northern British Columbia on which the signature of the Speaker was included in error.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Without the Committee rising, the Chairman reported to Mr. Speaker that the First Member for Vancouver Centre had refused to withdraw a statement made by him upon being ordered so to do by the Chairman.

Mr. Speaker, upon completion of the report of the Chairman, asked the First Member for Vancouver Centre if he was prepared to withdraw the statement in question. Upon the First Member for Vancouver Centre refusing to do so, Mr. Speaker thereupon ordered the member to withdraw from the precincts for the remainder of the day's sitting.

The Committee rose and reported progress.
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 8.30 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 6.03 p.m.

Thursday, June 17, 1976

HALF-PAST 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 Committee rose and reported progress.
Report to be considered at the next sitting.
Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

The Chairman further reported a division on an amendment moved by Mr. *Lauk* as follows:

“That the salary of the Hon. the Minister of Mines and Petroleum Resources, as provided for in Vote 130, be reduced by \$1.”

The Committee recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *King* the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the said division be recorded as follows:

YEAS—18

<i>Wallace, B.</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>Stupich</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Sanford</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Cocke</i>	<i>Barrett</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Dailly</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>
<i>D'Arcy</i>	<i>Gibson</i>		

NAYS—25

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Strongman</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>			

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

By leave of the House, the Hon. *J. A. Nielsen* (Minister of Environment) tabled copy correspondence between the former Minister of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Hon. *G. V. Lauk*, and Afton Mines Ltd., dated October 18, 1975.

And then the House adjourned at 11.03 p.m.

Friday, June 18, 1976

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *Peter W. R. Isles*.

By leave, the House proceeded to “Public Bills and Orders.”

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 59) intituled *Government Reorganization Act* a debate arose.

On the motion of Mr. *Barrett* that the debate be adjourned to the next sitting of the House, the House divided.

Motion negatived on the following division:

YEAS—19

<i>Wallace, B.</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Lauk</i>	<i>Stupich</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Sanford</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>Barrett</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Cocke</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>
<i>D'Arcy</i>	<i>Gibson</i>	<i>Dailly</i>	

NAYS—27

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Strongman</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Davidson</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>	

Mr. *Barrett* asked leave of the House to continue the debate. Leave was not granted.

The debate continued.

On the motion of Mrs. *Wallace* the debate was adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m. on Monday next.

And then the House adjourned at 1 p.m.

Monday, June 21, 1976

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by Mr. *Marion Lund*.

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 59) intituled *Government Reorganization Act* a debate arose.

On the motion of Mrs. *Wallace* that the debate be adjourned to the next sitting of the House, the House divided.

Motion negatived on the following division:

YEAS—14

<i>Wallace, B.</i>	<i>Sanford</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>Dailly</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>Stupich</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Cocke</i>	<i>Barrett</i>
<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Lauk</i>		

NAYS—27

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Strongman</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>	

The debate continued.

Mr. *Barber* moved that the debate be adjourned to the next sitting.

Mr. Speaker ruled the motion out of order.

On the motion of Mr. *Lauk* that the House do now adjourn, the House divided.

Motion negatived on the following division:

YEAS—14

<i>Wallace, B.</i>	<i>Sanford</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>Stupich</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Cocke</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Lauk</i>	<i>Dailly</i>	<i>Barrett</i>
<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>		

NAYS—28

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>
<i>Strongman</i>	<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Fraser</i>

Mr. *Barber* attempted to continue his remarks on the debate and Mr. Speaker ruled that the honourable member could not continue without unanimous leave of the House, and so ruled.

Mr. *Lea* rose on a point of order relating to the Speaker's ruling.

Mr. Speaker stated that no point of order could be raised at this time but that it was open to the member to challenge the Speaker's ruling.

The ruling of the Speaker was challenged.

The ruling of the Speaker was sustained on the following division:

YEAS—28

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Strongman</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>Williams</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Vander Zalm</i>	<i>Fraser</i>

NAYS—16

<i>Wallace, B.</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Lauk</i>	<i>Dailly</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Sanford</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>Stupich</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Lockstead</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Cocke</i>	<i>Barrett</i>

By leave, Mr. *Barber* resumed his speech.

On the motion of Mr. *Barber* that the debate be adjourned to the next sitting, the House divided.

Motion negated on the following division:

YEAS—17

<i>Wallace, B.</i>	<i>Skelly</i>	<i>Lauk</i>	<i>Dailly</i>
<i>Barber</i>	<i>Sanford</i>	<i>Nicolson</i>	<i>Stupich</i>
<i>Brown</i>	<i>Levi</i>	<i>Lea</i>	<i>King</i>
<i>Barnes</i>	<i>Wallace, G. S.</i>	<i>Cocke</i>	<i>Barrett</i>
<i>Lockstead</i>			

NAYS—27

<i>Veitch</i>	<i>Schroeder</i>	<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>Nielsen</i>
<i>Strongman</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Kerster</i>	<i>Mair</i>
<i>Rogers</i>	<i>Curtis</i>	<i>Kempf</i>	<i>Waterland</i>
<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Kahl</i>	<i>McClelland</i>
<i>Loewen</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Hewitt</i>	<i>Davis</i>
<i>Bawtree</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Haddad</i>	<i>Fraser</i>
<i>Bawlf</i>	<i>McCarthy</i>	<i>Davidson</i>	

The debate continued.

By leave, Mr. *King* moved adjournment of the debate to the next sitting of the House.

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

And then the House adjourned at 12.59 p.m.

Monday, June 21, 1976

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 59) intituled *Government Reorganization Act*.

The debate continued.

Mr. *King* moved an amendment as follows: "That the motion be amended by deleting the word 'now' and substituting therefor the words 'in six months hence'."

The debate continued.

On a point of order being raised by the Honourable Member for Prince Rupert that the Bill offended Standing Order 67, Mr. Speaker ruled the Bill in order.

On a point of order being raised that the points of order were always in order, Mr. Speaker ruled that such was not the case and quoted the authority of Beauchesne, 4th edition at page 114.

Mr. Speaker reserved a further statement on the matter.

On the motion of the Hon. *Jack Davis* the debate was adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 8.30 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 5.59 p.m.

Monday, June 21, 1976

HALF-PAST EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

On leave being requested by the Hon. *Grace McCarthy* that the House proceed to the adjourned debate on second reading of Bill (No. 59) intituled *Government Reorganization Act* leave was not granted.

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.

The House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the amendment to the motion for second reading of Bill (No. 59) intituled *Government Reorganization Act*.

The debate continued.

The Speaker's attention was drawn to the clock.

On the motion of the Hon. *L. A. Williams* the debate was adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

On a point of order being made, Mr. Speaker ruled that the motion to adjourn the debate was in order and quoted the authority of the ruling of Mr. Speaker Dowding recorded in the 1973 Journals of the House March 22 at page 171.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 12.01 a.m. tomorrow.

And then the House adjourned at 11.25 p.m.

Tuesday, June 22, 1976

ONE MINUTE PAST MIDNIGHT

Mr. Speaker read to the House the ruling by Mr. Speaker Dowding to which he had earlier referred, which ruling appears on pages 171, 172, and 173 of the Journals of the House, March 22, 1973.

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.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m. today.

The Hon. *Jack Davis* (Minister of Transport and Communications) tabled the following:

British Columbia Ferries Lease Financing Presentation dated March 22, 1976 by McLeod, Young, Weir & Company Limited.

Letter from the Hon. Donald S. Macdonald, Minister of Finance of Canada to the Hon. *Jack Davis*, dated June 16, 1976, relating to refinancing of three new ferries.

And then the House adjourned at Twenty Minutes past Midnight.