

Monday, June 1, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Mr. Speaker.

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)

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. tomorrow.

And then the House adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

Tuesday, June 2, 1981

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

On the motion of the Hon. *H. A. Curtis* it was *Resolved*—

That from and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund there may be paid and applied in such manner and at such times as the Lieutenant Governor in Council may determine a sum not exceeding in the whole \$1 billion 184 million towards defraying the several charges and expenses of the Public Service of the Province for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1982, not otherwise provided for, and being substantially one-sixth of the total amount of the votes of the main estimates for the the fiscal year ending March 31, 1982, as laid before the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at the present session.

The Committee reported the Resolution.

Report to be considered forthwith.

On the motion of the Hon. *H. A. Curtis*, the report of Resolution from the Committee of Supply was taken as read and received, read a second time, and agreed to.

Committee to sit again later today.

Order for Committee of Ways and Means called.

On the motion of the Hon. *H. A. Curtis*, it was *Ordered*, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair for the House to go into Committee of Ways and Means."

(IN THE COMMITTEE OF WAYS AND MEANS)

On the motion of the Hon. *H. A. Curtis*, it was *Resolved*—

That from and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund there may be paid and applied in such manner and at such times as the Lieutenant Governor in Council may determine a sum not exceeding in the whole \$1 billion 184 million towards defraying the several charges and expenses of the Public Service of the Province for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1982, not otherwise provided for, and being substantially one-sixth of the total amount of the votes of the main estimates for the the fiscal year ending March 31, 1982, as laid before the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at the present session.

The Committee rose and reported the Resolution.

Resolution considered forthwith and adopted.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

The Hon. *H. A. Curtis* presented Bill (No. 25) intituled *Supply Act, No. 2, 1981*.

Ordered, That the Bill 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 the Bill.

Resolution reported.

Report considered forthwith and adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 25) intituled *Supply Act, No. 2, 1981*, a debate arose.

Bill read a second time.

On the motion of the Hon. *H. A. Curtis* the Bill was referred to a Committee of the Whole House to be considered forthwith.

Bill committed, reported complete without amendment, and by leave, read a third time and passed.

By leave, on the motion of the Hon. *G. B. Gardom* the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 17) intituled *Power Engineers and Boiler and Pressure Vessel Safety Act*, a debate arose.

The House divided.

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

YEAS—48

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Davidson</i> |
| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Ree</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Davis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> |
| | | <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> |
| <i>Wallace</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Jordan</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lauk</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>D'Arcy</i> | | | <i>Rogers</i> |
| | <i>King</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Howard</i> | <i>Williams</i> | |
| <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Barrett</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Levi</i> | | <i>Wolfe</i> | <i>Waterland</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.

Bill (No. 13) intituled *Finance Statutes Amendment Act, 1981*, was reported.

Bill read a third time and passed on the following division:

YEAS—28

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | <i>Davidson</i> | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | |
| | | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| <i>Wallace</i> | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | | |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 18) intituled *Electrical Energy Inspection Amendment Act, 1981*, a debate arose.

The House divided.

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

YEAS—45

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Davidson</i> |
| <i>Passarell</i> | | <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Ree</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Davis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> |
| | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> |
| <i>Wallace</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> |
| | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Jordan</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Lockstead</i> | | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>D'Arcy</i> | | | <i>Rogers</i> |
| | <i>King</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Howard</i> | <i>Williams</i> | |
| <i>Sanford</i> | | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Levi</i> | | <i>Wolfe</i> | <i>Waterland</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 2 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 12.08 p.m.

Tuesday, June 2, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Mr. Speaker.

By leave, on the motion of the Hon. *G. B. Gardom*, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for second reading of Bill (No. 19) intituled *Gas Amendment Act, 1981*, a debate arose.

The House divided.

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

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| <i>Brummer</i> | <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Davidson</i> |
| <i>Passarell</i> | | <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Ree</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Davis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> |
| | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> |
| <i>Wallace</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Jordan</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lauk</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>D'Arcy</i> | | | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Skelly</i> | <i>King</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Howard</i> | <i>Williams</i> | |
| <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Barrett</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| | | <i>Wolfe</i> | <i>Waterland</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.

Bill (No. 24) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act (No. 1), 1981* was read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal 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 later today.

The Speaker declared a short recess.

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

Ian D. Izard, Esq., Law Clerk and Clerk Assistant, read the titles to the following Bills:

- (No. 2) *Estate Administration Amendment Act, 1981.*
- (No. 3) *Company Amendment Act, 1981.*
- (No. 4) *Credit Union Amendment Act, 1981.*
- (No. 9) *Senior Citizen Automobile Insurance Grant Act.*
- (No. 10) *Income Tax Amendment Act, 1981.*
- (No. 12) *Social Service Tax Amendment Act, 1981.*
- (No. 13) *Finance Statutes Amendment Act, 1981.*

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."

Ian D. Izard, Esq., Law Clerk and Clerk Assistant, read the title to the following Bill:

(No. 25) *Supply Act, No. 2, 1981.*

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 thank Her Majesty's loyal subjects, accept their benevolence, and doth assent to this Bill."

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor was then pleased to retire.

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.

51 Mr. *Stupich* asked the Hon. the Minister of Finance the following question:
For the fiscal year ended March 31, 1980, what was the breakdown of social services tax revenue between that paid by consumers and that paid by industry?

The Hon. *H. A. Curtis* replied as follows:

"For 1979-80, the social services tax revenue was \$630 million, of which \$339 million was estimated to be from individuals and \$291 million from industry."

And then the House adjourned at 5.56 p.m.

Wednesday, June 3, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Rabbi *Markowitz*.

Mr. *Barnes* asked leave to make a statement.

Leave was not granted.

Mr. *Barnes* asked leave to move a motion.

Leave was not granted.

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)

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. tomorrow.

Mr. Speaker delivered his reserved decision as follows:

Honourable Members:

On Friday last two matters of privilege were raised, one by the Hon. *J. R. Chabot*, and the other by the Member for Atlin.

The Hon. *J. R. Chabot*, according to Hansard, said, "I suggest, Mr. Speaker, that he (the Honourable Member for Atlin) misled the House when presenting a petition", and further, "I think the Member should apologize for having misled this House."

The Chair ruled that in the absence of an indication from the Member of an attendant motion, the matter of privilege could not be entertained.

The Member for Nelson-Creston, on a point of order, then suggested that the accusation of misleading the House ought to be withdrawn.

After stating that the Member for Atlin "did mislead", those words were withdrawn by the Honourable Minister, with the caveat that, "my words stand on the point of privilege."

The Honourable Member for Atlin then rose on a matter of privilege and himself stated that the Honourable Minister of Lands, Parks and Housing had

“misled this House”, which were the same words earlier objected to by the Member for Nelson-Creston in raising his point of order.

The motion presented by the Member for Atlin reads: “That the Minister of Lands, (Mr. *Chabot*), has misled this House by imputing that the Member for Atlin presented an erroneous petition. This is totally false since the Canadian Wilderness Society is a provincial organization.”

The question thus arising was whether or not, *in the course of raising a matter of privilege*, a charge or accusation against another member may be made, without intervention from the Chair, pending determination of the issue of privilege.

Upon consideration of the matter, it seems to the Chair that both the Honourable Minister of Lands, Parks and Housing, and the Member for Atlin, in this instance, might more properly have stated their respective matters of privilege by first stating the circumstances, followed by a request for determination of the question, *whether or not* the House had been misled in a manner contravening its privileges.

Had this been done, the objection of the Member for Nelson-Creston would seem not to arise.

I would therefore commend to honourable members to so frame similar matters which they may wish to raise. The Chair is not prepared, at this time, to say *absolutely*, that in raising a matter of privilege, a charge or accusation, which under other circumstances would be ordered withdrawn, may never be made against a member (May, 12th edition, page 244). The House itself looks to all honourable members to accept responsibility for allegations made by one member against another, if such allegations are later proven untrue.

The Chair has already ruled that the matter of privilege raised by the Honourable Minister was not in order. With respect to the motion offered by the Member for Atlin, it contains argument which is not permissible. It also does not meet the requirement put forth in the 5th edition of *Beauchesne*, page 25, that a complaint of a breach of privilege *must* conclude with a motion providing the House with an opportunity to take some action. Further, from *Campion* (Introduction to the Procedure of the House of Commons) page 72, it is clear that the motion should be in a form enabling the House to resolve that the matter complained of is a breach of privilege, or order that it be referred to the Committee of Privileges, and I so rule.

H. W. SCHROEDER, *Speaker*

The ruling of the Speaker was challenged.

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

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | <i>Davidson</i> | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | | <i>Lea</i> |
| | | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| <i>Wallace</i> | | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | | |

And then the House adjourned at 5.56 p.m.

Thursday, June 4, 1981

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

117. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$233,936 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Human Resources, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1982.

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

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 117 be reduced by \$166,968, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | |
| <i>Wallace</i> | | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| | <i>Sanford</i> | | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | | |

NAYS—27

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| <i>Brunnet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

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

And then the House adjourned at 12.03 p.m.

Thursday, June 4, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Pastor *Paul Unger*.

On the motion of Mr. *Hanson*, Bill (No. M 204) intituled *An Act to Establish an Institute of Native Indian Languages for British Columbia* 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.

Mr. *Passarell* rose on a matter of privilege relating to a statement made by the Minister of Lands, Parks and Housing on the 29 of May last, relating to the Member for Atlin.

Mr. Speaker stated he would take the matter under advisement.

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)

118. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$85,100,643 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Human Resources, Direct Community Services and Administrative Support, to 31st March 1982.

119. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$103,554,638 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Human Resources, Services for Families and Children, to 31st March 1982.

120. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$72,947,243 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Human Resources, Health Services, to 31st March 1982.

121. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$26,409,217 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Human Resources, Community Projects, to 31st March 1982.

122. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$467,150,397 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Human Resources, G.A.I.N. Programs, to 31st March 1982.

123. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$60,615,917 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Human Resources, Special Programs for the Retarded, to 31st March 1982.

124. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$21,601,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Human Resources, Building Occupancy Charges, to 31st March 1982.

125. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$6,458,500 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Human Resources, Computer and Consulting Charges, to 31st March 1982.

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

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 124 be reduced by \$4,032,000 the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

YEAS—21

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| <i>Wallace</i> | | | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | | |
| <i>Barnes</i> | | | |

NAYS—27

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 125 be reduced by \$1,094,500 the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| <i>Wallace</i> | | | <i>Howard</i> |
| | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | | |
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NAYS—25

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| <i>Brummet</i> | | | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

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

By leave, the Hon. *C. S. Rogers* tabled the Agreement between British Columbia Place Ltd., Canadian Pacific Limited and Marathon Realty Company Limited.

The Hon. Minister of Lands, Parks and Housing made a statement relating to a matter of privilege which arose on May 29 last.

The Hon. Member for Atlin made a statement relating to the same matter.

By leave, the matter of privilege raised earlier today by the Member for Atlin was withdrawn.

By leave, Motion 18 standing in the name of the Member for Skeena on Votes and Proceedings was withdrawn.

And then the House adjourned at 5.58 p.m.

Friday, June 5, 1981

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by Mr. Speaker.

The Hon. Minister of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources made a statement relating to an increase in the number of directors of B.C. Hydro and Power Authority.

Mr. *D'Arcy* made a statement relating to the same matter.

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. on Monday next.

And then the House adjourned at 12.45 p.m.

Monday, June 8, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *Bert Forsythe*.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave, Mr. *Cocke* tabled a letter relating to home care services.

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. tomorrow.

The Hon. *R. H. McClelland* tabled the Annual Report of the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources, 1979.

The Hon. *R. H. McClelland* tabled the Annual Report, B.C. Hydro and Power Authority, 1980-81.

48 Mr. *Stupich* asked the Hon. the Minister of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources the following questions:

With reference to Columbia River power development financing—

1. What is the total expenditure on construction of storage projects to date?
2. What are the total expenditures on generation, transformation and transmission facilities to date?
3. What is the total estimate of the total amount required to complete the project?
4. What was the total amount, including interest, received under the Columbia River Treaty?

The Hon. *R. H. McClelland* replied as follows:

“1. Total expenditure on construction of storage projects to April 30, 1981, is \$600,156,521.

“2. Total expenditures on generation, transformation and transmission facilities to April 30, 1981, are \$670,514,973.

“3. Total estimate of the total amount required to complete the project is \$1,577,000.

“4. Total amount, including interest, received under the Columbia River Treaty was \$479,107,523.”

And then the House adjourned at 5.52 p.m.

Tuesday, June 9, 1981

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

76. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$218,076 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1982.

77. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$5,516,921 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, General Administration, to 31st March 1982.

78. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$50,679,915 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, Resource and Environment Management, to 31st March 1982.

79. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,864,580 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, Environmental Laboratory Program, to 31st March 1982.

80. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$6,589,952 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, Surveys and Mapping Program, to 31st March 1982.

81. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,702,820 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, Provincial Emergency Program, to 31st March 1982.

82. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$6,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, Provincial Disaster, to 31st March 1982.

83. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, Fish and Wildlife Conservation Fund, to 31st March 1982.

84. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$7,792,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, Building Occupancy Charges, to 31st March 1982.

85. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,271,800 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Environment, Computer and Consulting Charges, to 31st March 1982.

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

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 76 be reduced by \$20,000, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| <i>Wallace</i> | | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | <i>Davidson</i> | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 78 be reduced by \$4,000,000, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | <i>Davidson</i> | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

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

And then the House adjourned at 11.48 a.m.

Tuesday, June 9, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *James Barton*.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave, the Hon. *C. S. Rogers* tabled a list of IBT Pesticides used in British Columbia.

By leave, on the motion of the Hon. *L. A. Williams*, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

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. 20) intituled *Building Safety Standards Act*.

Bill (No. 8) intituled *Provincial Court Amendment Act, 1981*.

Bill (No. 22) intituled *Environment Management Act*.

Bill (No. 21) intituled *Petroleum and Natural Gas Amendment Act, 1981*.

Bill (No. 5) intituled *Mineral Land Tax Amendment Act, 1981*.

Bill (No. 11) intituled *Assessment Amendment Act, 1981*.

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.

And then the House adjourned at 6 p.m.

Wednesday, June 10, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Brigadier *Victor Underhill*.

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)

86. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$176,348 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1982.

87. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,429,563 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Economics and Policy Division, to 31st March 1982.

88. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,891,402 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Treasury Board Staff, to 31st March 1982.

89. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$18,718,431 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Revenue Division, to 31st March 1982.

90. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$6,014,700 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Office of the Comptroller General, to 31st March 1982.

91. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$19,355,921 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Treasury and Administration Division, to 31st March 1982.

92. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10,315,580 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Government Agencies, to 31st March 1982.

93. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,243,696 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Purchasing Commission, to 31st March 1982.

94. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$803,546 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Provincial Capital Commission, to 31st March 1982.

95. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$16,924,299 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Interest on the Public Debt, to 31st March 1982.

96. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$12,600,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Contingencies (All Ministries), to 31st March 1982.

97. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$4,257,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Finance, Building Occupancy Charges, to 31st March 1982.

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

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 86 be reduced by \$10,000, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
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| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 87 be reduced by \$53,887, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
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| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 88 be reduced by \$9,850, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dally</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 89 be reduced by \$275,700, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Mitchell</i> | | | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dally</i> | |
| | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 90 be reduced by \$292,360, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | |
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| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 91 be reduced by \$3,470,912, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Mitchell</i> | | | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | |
| | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 93 be reduced by \$49,500, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | | | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | |
| | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 95 be reduced by \$16,924,289, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | | | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | |
| | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 97 be reduced by \$1,429,000, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | | | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | <i>Skelly</i> | <i>Nicolson</i> | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | |
| | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

NAYS—27

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | <i>Heinrich</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

Order called for "Private Bills."

Bill (No. Pr. 401) intituled *An Act Respecting Montreal Trust Company and Montreal Trust Company of Canada* was 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. Pr. 402) intituled *West Kootenay Power and Light Company, Limited, Act, 1897, Amendment Act, 1981*, 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 of the Hon. *G. B. Gardom*, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

Bill (No. 7) intituled *Motor Vehicle (All Terrain) Amendment Act, 1981* was read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *D. M. Phillips* tabled British Columbia Development Corporation Consolidated Financial Statements, March 31, 1981.

The Hon. *J. A. Nielsen* made a statement relating to Home Care Services.

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

And then the House adjourned at 6.02 p.m.

Thursday, June 11, 1981

TEN O'CLOCK A.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.

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

And then the House adjourned at 11.57 a.m.

Thursday, June 11, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *William Dobson*.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

Mr. *Howard* sought to move adjournment of the House under Standing Order 35 to discuss a definite matter of urgent public importance relating to "an impending closure of schools in School District 88."

Mr. Speaker stated he would reserve his opinion.

45 Mr. *Stupich* asked the Hon. the Minister of Finance the following questions:

1. For each of the special funds, what was the total of cash and temporary investments at March 31, 1981?
2. For each amount listed in reply to No. 1, what were the specific investments and what rate of interest was payable on the investment?

The Hon. *H. A. Curtis* stated that, in his opinion, the reply should be in the form of a Return and that he had no objection to laying such Return upon the Table of the House, and thereupon presented such Return.

46 Mr. *Stupich* asked the Hon. the Minister of Finance the following questions:

1. What was the total of cash and temporary investments held by the General Fund at March 31, 1981?
2. What specific investments comprised the total in No. 1, and for each, what was the rate of interest payable to the General Fund?

The Hon. *H. A. Curtis* stated that, in his opinion, the reply should be in the form of a Return and that he had no objection to laying such Return upon the Table of the House, and thereupon presented such Return.

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. tomorrow.

Mr. Speaker delivered his reserved opinion as follows:

Honourable Members:

Earlier today the Honourable Member for Skeena sought to move adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, the impending closure of certain schools in School District 88 arising from dissatisfaction of the Terrace District Teachers' Association with certain actions of the Board of Trustees of said District.

The special restrictions on adjournment motions are set forth in the 16th edition of *Sir Erskine May*, at pages 369 to 374. At page 373 it is noted that the motion has been disallowed on the grounds that the administrative responsibility of the Government is not involved. It is also noted that the motion has been disallowed because the matter raised was one for which another authority was *immediately* responsible, which, in the present case, would be the Board of Trustees of School District 88.

In the face of these restrictions, I am unable to conclude that the matter raised qualifies under Standing Order 35 so as to permit all other business of the House to be set aside, to debate without notice, the matter raised by the Honourable Member.

H. W. SCHROEDER, *Speaker*

And then the House adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

Friday, June 12, 1981

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by Captain *Harry Hickson*.

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 that on the motion that the Committee rise and report progress, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

YEAS—15

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| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | | | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | |
| <i>Barber</i> | | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | |
| | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

NAYS—24

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| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

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

23 Mr. *Skelly* asked the Hon. the Minister of Environment the following questions:

1. What was the total amount of flood compensation paid by the Provincial Government during the calendar year 1980?

2. Of the \$13,000,000 allocated under Order in Council 2861/80 how much was spent and for what specific purposes?

3. What additional funds were allocated by the Provincial Government to compensate for flood damage in the calendar year 1980 and under what statutory authority?

4. What are the names and addresses of individuals, corporations, and government agencies which received flood relief funds for flood damage in 1980, and what was the dollar amount of relief paid in each case?

The Hon. *C. S. Rogers* replied as follows:

"1. \$6,181,004.33.

"2. No funds were expended from the allocation in 1980. Between January 1, 1981 and March 15, 1981, \$1,543,362.21 was spent for the following purposes: Journals with other ministries, \$8,830.52; individuals, \$1,486,199.81; Indian bands, \$20,505.38; small businesses, \$15,367.39; municipalities, \$6,387.99; helicopter, \$6,071.12; total, \$1,543,362.21.

"3. During 1980 an additional amount of \$500,000 was allocated for flood damages which occurred in Southwest British Columbia in December 1979, and \$2,000,000 was allocated for damages in the Bella Coola Valley in early December 1980."

With respect to Mr. *Skelly's* fourth question, the Hon. *C. S. Rogers* stated that he had no objection to tabling the information in the form of a Return.

49 Mr. *Stupich* asked the Hon. the Minister of Finance the following question:

Since the inception in 1966, what has been the total amount made available to the Province of British Columbia from Canada Pension Plan funds and how has this been allocated?

The Hon. *H. A. Curtis* replied as follows:

"\$2,679,986,000 to March 31, 1981 allocated as follows: B.C. Hydro, \$975,730,000; B.C. School Districts, \$832,062,000; B.C. Hospitals, \$492,259,000; B.C. Railway, \$185,327,000; B.C. Educational Institutions, \$117,222,000; B.C. Buildings Corporation, \$77,386,000; total, \$2,679,986,000."

The Hon. *C. S. Rogers* tabled a Memorandum relating to The Garibaldi Case: Ombudsman Special Report No. 1.

And then the House adjourned at 12.56 p.m.

Monday, June 15, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Mr. *J. W. Robertson*.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave, on the motion of the Hon. *G. B. Gardom*, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 14), intituled *Provincial Debt Repayment Act*, a debate arose, which was, on the motion of Mr. *Mussallem*, adjourned to the next sitting of the House.

The House proceeded to "Private Bills."

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

Bill (No. Pr. 401) intituled *An Act Respecting Montreal Trust Company and Montreal Trust Company of Canada*.

Bill (No. Pr. 402) intituled *West Kootenay Power and Light Company, Limited, Act, 1897, Amendment Act, 1981*.

The House reverted to "Public Bills and Orders."

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

Bill (No. 5) intituled *Mineral Land Tax Amendment Act, 1981*.

Bill (No. 21) intituled *Petroleum and Natural Gas Amendment Act, 1981*.

Bill (No. 18) intituled *Electrical Energy Inspection Amendment Act, 1981*.

Bill (No. 17) intituled *Power Engineers and Boiler and Pressure Vessel Safety Act* was committed, reported complete with amendments. Bill as reported to be considered at the next sitting after today.

Bill (No. 19) intituled *Gas Amendment Act, 1981* was committed. Committee rose and reported progress. Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

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. tomorrow.

The Hon. *E. M. Wolfe* tabled The Annual Report of the First Citizens' Fund Administration, January 1, 1980 to December 31, 1980.

And then the House adjourned at 5.59 p.m.

Tuesday, June 16, 1981

TEN O'CLOCK A.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.

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

And then the House adjourned at 11.57 a.m.

Tuesday, June 16, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Pastor *John N. Stone*.

Mr. *Howard* rose on a point of order, namely, that Standing Order 25 was not being adhered to by the fact that "Presenting Petitions" was not called by the Clerk at the Table.

Mr. Speaker ruled that the practice of the House had been followed.

The ruling of the Chair was challenged and sustained on the following division:

YEAS—28

Brummet
Mussallem
Segarty
Strachan
Davis
Kempf
Nielsen
Fraser

McGeer
Phillips
Curtis
Bennett
Gardom
McCarthy
Wolfe

Davidson
Ree
Richmond
Ritchie
Vander Zalm
Jordan
Hewitt

Smith
Rogers
McClelland
Chabot
Hyndman
Waterland

NAYS—22

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | | | |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

Mr. *Howard* sought to move adjournment of the House to discuss a definite matter of urgent public importance relating to duties of management and supervision of all Provincial schools by the Minister of Education and relating to certain schools in School District No. 88 not currently in operation.

Mr. Speaker stated that he would take the matter under advisement.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

106. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$205,728 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1982.

107. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$21,954,338 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Administration and Support Services, to 31st March 1982.

108. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$50,339,865 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Preventive Services, to 31st March 1982.

109. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$336,349,487 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Direct Community Care Services, to 31st March 1982.

110. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,043,175,935 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Hospital Programs, to 31st March 1982.

111. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$451,814,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Medical Services Commission, to 31st March 1982.

112. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$40,644,450 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Emergency Health Services Commission, to 31st March 1982.

113. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$6,235,795 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Forensic Psychiatric Services Commission, to 31st March 1982.

114. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Alcohol and Drug Commission, to 31st March 1982.

115. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding \$31,613,182 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Building Occupancy Charges, to 31st March 1982.

116. *Resolved*. That a sum not exceeding \$2,944,110 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Ministry of Health, Computer and Consulting Charges, to 31st March 1982.

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

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 106 be reduced by the sum of \$17,058, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | | | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| <i>Barber</i> | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 107 be reduced by the sum of \$634,534, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | | | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | <i>Barrett</i> |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | <i>McCarthy</i> | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 115 be reduced by the sum of \$694,182, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | | | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | <i>Howard</i> |
| | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | | <i>Hewitt</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

The Chairman further reported that on the motion that Vote 116 be reduced by the sum of \$627,110, the Committee had divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

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

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| <i>Passarell</i> | <i>Lockstead</i> | <i>Lorimer</i> | <i>Lauk</i> |
| <i>Mitchell</i> | <i>D'Arcy</i> | <i>Hall</i> | <i>Lea</i> |
| <i>Hanson</i> | | | <i>King</i> |
| | <i>Gabelmann</i> | <i>Cocke</i> | |
| | <i>Sanford</i> | <i>Dailly</i> | |
| <i>Brown</i> | <i>Levi</i> | <i>Stupich</i> | <i>Macdonald</i> |
| <i>Barnes</i> | <i>Leggatt</i> | | |

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| <i>Brummet</i> | <i>McGeer</i> | | <i>Smith</i> |
| <i>Mussallem</i> | <i>Phillips</i> | <i>Ree</i> | <i>Rogers</i> |
| <i>Segarty</i> | <i>Curtis</i> | <i>Richmond</i> | <i>McClelland</i> |
| <i>Strachan</i> | <i>Bennett</i> | <i>Ritchie</i> | <i>Chabot</i> |
| <i>Davis</i> | <i>Gardom</i> | <i>Vander Zalm</i> | <i>Hyndman</i> |
| <i>Kempf</i> | | <i>Jordan</i> | <i>Waterland</i> |
| <i>Nielsen</i> | | <i>Hewitt</i> | |
| <i>Fraser</i> | <i>Wolfe</i> | | |

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

Mr. Speaker tabled Special Report No. 2 of the Ombudsman to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia (The Lotteries Case).

The Hon. *E. M. Wolfe* tabled the Annual Report of the British Columbia Buildings Corporation for 1980-1981.

And then the House adjourned at 5.47 p.m.

Wednesday, June 17, 1981

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *Lawrence E. Moon*.

The Honourable Member for Skeena raised a point of order relating to the recording of a division in the Journals of the House.

Mr. Speaker stated that an examination of the appropriate Standing Order indicated three members were required to permit the recording of such a vote and observed that at the time the required number were standing and accordingly the division was ordered to be recorded in the Journals of the House.

The Hon. *J. H. Heinrich* tabled the 1979 Annual Report of the Ministry of Labour.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

Mr. *Barrett* raised a point of order relating to the tabling of a document which he alleged the Provincial Secretary and Minister of Government Services had quoted from in answer to a question.

Mr. Speaker, upon asking the Provincial Secretary and Minister of Government Services whether or not he had quoted from a document, received the reply that the Minister had "simply referred to a list."

Mr. Speaker observed that the Minister's statement ended the matter, but on a further point of order being raised by the Honourable Member for Skeena, undertook to discuss the point of order with the Member.

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. tomorrow.

Mr. Speaker delivered his reserved opinion as follows:

Honourable Members:

The Member for Skeena rose yesterday under Standing Order 35 to ask leave to move adjournment of the House for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, namely, the closure of certain Provincial schools. The Member then handed a written statement of the matter to Mr. Speaker, in accordance with the provisions of Standing Order 35 (3).

When the matter was first raised in the House, the Chair observed that the statement appeared to contain argument and an examination of the written statement confirms the Chair's earlier impression. May, 16th edition, at page 370, states that the matter raised under this motion must not import an argument and accordingly it is my opinion that the matter raised by the Member from Skeena does not qualify under the stringent guidelines relating to Standing Order 35.

And then the House adjourned at 5.55 p.m.