

Thursday, March 9, 1967

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *D. Metzger*.

On the motion of the Hon. *W. D. Black*, 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. 40) intituled *An Act to Amend the Royal Inland Hospital Act, 1896*.

Bill (No. 39) intituled *An Act to Amend the Registered Nurses Act*.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKE,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 6, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 37) intituled *An Act to Amend the Department of Commercial Transport Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of the Hon. *R. W. Bonner*, Bill (No. 32) intituled *An Act Respecting Consumer Protection* was introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

147. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$655,508 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Health Services and Hospital Insurance, Mental Health Services, General Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

148. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,076,044 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Health Services and Hospital Insurance, Mental Health Services, Division of Nursing Education, to 31st March, 1968.

149. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,847,200 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Health Services and Hospital Insurance, Mental Health Services, Community Services, to 31st March, 1968.

150. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$22,579,942 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Health Services and Hospital Insurance, Mental Health Services, In-patient Care, to 31st March, 1968.

151. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$107,937,061 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Health Services and Hospital Insurance, Hospital Insurance Services, Hospital Insurance Service, to 31st March, 1968.

The Committee reported the Resolutions.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

By leave, the House proceeded to the Order "Public Bills in the Hands of Private Members."

On the motion of Mr. *Harley* it was *Ordered* that Bill (No. 42) intituled *An Act Respecting Agreements for Sale of Farm Machinery and Parts* be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *F. X. Richter* (Minister of Agriculture) presented the Department of Agriculture Sixty-first Annual Report for the year ended December 31, 1966.

The Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett* (Premier) presented the Twenty-eighth Annual Report of the Public Utilities Commission under the *Public Utilities Act* for the year ended December 31, 1966, and a report of activities pursuant to the *Cemeteries Act* and the *Prearranged Funeral Services Act*.

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

With reference to Columbia River power development:—

1. What is the total amount expended to December 31, 1966?
2. Was this expenditure made direct from the moneys obtained from the United States of America under the Columbia River Treaty?
3. If the answer to No. 2 is in the negative, was the expended money borrowed and, if so, where from and at what rate of interest?
4. If the answer to No. 3 is in the negative, where was the expended money obtained?
5. What is the estimated expenditure for the year 1967?
6. What are the latest estimates as to the total capital cost of (a) Duncan storage, (b) Arrow storage, (c) Mica storage, (d) Mica at-site generation, and (e) general costs?

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

"1. \$172,232,563.

"2. Yes.

“ 3. Not applicable.

“ 4. Not applicable.

“ 5. See page 11, 1967 Budget Speech.

“ 6. Due to uncertain labour and money costs, estimate not practical.”

In answer to the following question standing on the Order Paper in the name of Mr. *Strachan*:—

6 Mr. *Strachan* asked the Hon. the Attorney-General the following questions:—
With reference to the granting of licences under the *Private Detectives' Licensing Act* and “employees” as defined in the said Act:—

1. How many private detectives have licences to operate and what are their names?

2. How many persons are defined as “employees” under the relevant Act and what are their names?

3. Were any of the private detectives or “employees” named former members of any police force?

4. If the answer to No. 3 is yes, what are the names of the persons concerned and the relevant police forces?

5. Were any of the private detectives or “employees” named dishonourably discharged from any police force?

6. If the answer to No. 5 is yes, (a) what are the names of the persons concerned, (b) when were they discharged, and (c) when did they commence operation under the *Private Detectives' Licensing Act*?

The Hon. the Attorney-General 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.

16 Mr. *Perrault* asked the Hon. the Premier the following questions:—

With respect to British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority:—

1. During the year ended December 31, 1966, were any requests directed to the Federal Government for financial aid to construct Peace power project transmission-lines?

2. If the answer to the above is yes, (a) how much money was requested, and (b) what was the date(s) of the request?

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

“ 1. Not specifically. An over-all Federal unconditional loan for the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority at Government of Canada long-term interest rates has been requested with repayment of principal and interest guaranteed by the Province.

“ 2. Not applicable.”

106 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Premier the following questions:—

With respect to the Edgewood townsite:—

1. What is the total expenditure by the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority to December 31, 1966, on the setting-up of the Edgewood townsite?

2. How many housing units were completed in the townsite to December 31, 1966?

3. How many of these housing units were (a) built by B.C. Hydro, (b) moved in by B.C. Hydro, (c) built by individuals, and (d) moved in by individuals?

4. How many of the following housing units have been purchased as of December 31, 1966: (a) Those new housing units built by B.C. Hydro, and (b) those housing units moved into the townsite by B.C. Hydro?

5. Has the installation of the water systems been completed?

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

“ 1. \$31,980.

“ 2. Three.

“ 3. (a) *Nil*, (b) three, (c) *nil*, and (d) *nil*.

“ 4. (a) *Nil* and (b) two.

“ 5. No, but the system is operable.”

107 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Premier the following questions:—

With respect to the Burton townsite:—

1. What is the total expenditure by the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority to December 31, 1966, on the setting-up of the Burton townsite?

2. How many housing units were completed in the townsite to December 31, 1966?

3. How many of these housing units were (a) built by B.C. Hydro, (b) moved in by B.C. Hydro, (c) built by individuals, and (d) moved in by individuals?

4. How many of the following housing units have been purchased as of December 31, 1966: (a) Those new housing units built by B.C. Hydro, and (b) those housing units moved into the townsite by B.C. Hydro?

5. Has the installation of the water systems been completed?

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

“ 1. \$54,556.

“ 2. Four.

“ 3. (a) *Nil*, (b) two, (c) *nil*, and (d) two.

“ 4. (a) *Nil* and (b) two.

“ 5. No, but the system is operable.”

108 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Premier the following questions:—

With respect to the Fauquier townsite:—

1. What is the total expenditure by the British Columbia Hydro and Power Authority to December 31, 1966, on the setting-up of the townsite?

2. How many housing units were completed in the townsite to December 31, 1966?

3. How many of these housing units were (a) built by B.C. Hydro, (b) moved in by B.C. Hydro, (c) built by individuals, and (d) moved in by individuals?

4. How many of the following B.C. Hydro housing units were purchased as of December 31, 1966: (a) Housing units built by B.C. Hydro, and (b) housing units moved in by B.C. Hydro?

5. Has the installation of the water systems been completed?

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

“ 1. \$378,534.

“ 2. Four.

“ 3. (a) *Nil*, (b) four, (c) *nil*, and (d) *nil*.

“ 4. (a) One, purchased before completion, and (b) *nil*.

“ 5. Yes.”

111 Mr. *Berger* asked the Hon. the Premier the following questions:—

1. What were the original completion schedules on the Portage Mountain development as regards (a) the dam, (b) the power-house, and (c) the transmission-lines?

2. What percentage of the above works should have been completed to date according to the original completion schedules in each case?

3. What percentage of the above works have been completed in each case to date?

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

“ 1. (a) Dam, October, 1967, except clean-up by August, 1968; (b) power-house, three units in 1968, two more in 1969; and (c) transmission-lines, one to Vancouver in 1968, a second sectionally to Kelly Lake in 1969, and to Vancouver in 1970.

“ 2. To January 31, 1967: (a) Dam, 81 per cent; (b) power-house, 60 per cent; and (c) transmission-lines, No. 1, 74 per cent, and No. 2, 8 per cent.

“ 3. (a) Dam, to January 31, 1967, 80 per cent; (b) power-house, to January 16, 1967, 48 per cent; and (c) transmission-lines, to January 31, 1967, No. 1, 66 per cent, and No. 2, 12 per cent.”

112 Mr. *Berger* asked the Hon. the Attorney-General the following questions:—

With reference to Magistrates in British Columbia:—

1. How many are there who were members of the Law Society of British Columbia at the time of their appointment?

2. How many of these carry on the practice of law apart from judicial duties?

3. How many Magistrates are there who were not members of the Law Society of British Columbia at the time of their appointments?

4. How many of these are engaged in some business or employment apart from judicial duties?

The Hon. *R. W. Bonner* replied as follows:—

“ 1. 62 hold law degrees; all but two or three were members of the Law Society of British Columbia at the time of their appointment. A lawyer or Magistrate from outside the Province is occasionally appointed.

“ 2. 23.

“ 3. 139.

“ 4. Exact total not known.”

113 Mr. *Berger* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

With respect to the Department of Highways' Lear jet:—

1. When the aircraft was acquired, was insurance coverage obtained?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what was the rate of premium?

3. From what insurance firm was coverage obtained?

4. Were bids sought when insurance coverage was being obtained for the aircraft?

5. If the answer to No. 4 is yes, how many bids were obtained, and what was the rate of premium in each case?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. Yes.
- “ 2. Hull insurance premium rate first placed at 3 per cent. Cancelled after 76 days and rewritten at 1.5556 per cent.
- “ 3. First insurance placed with William Evans & Company, cancelled and replaced with Marsh & McLennan Limited.
- “ 4. Not on an advertised basis because of the time element, but the market was canvassed.
- “ 5. Answered by No. 4.”

116 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

Regarding the proposed bridge to cross the Columbia River near Fauquier and Needles:—

- 1. Has the site for the proposed bridge been selected?
- 2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, when will the first contracts for construction be let?
- 3. What is the estimated cost of the bridge?
- 4. Is it expected to complete construction prior to flooding of the Arrow Lakes in the spring of 1969?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. Yes.
- “ 2. Date not set.
- “ 3. \$8,750,000.
- “ 4. No.”

118 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

Regarding the Revelstoke–Shelter Bay Road:—

- 1. Have the surveys for the road been completed?
- 2. Will the road be located entirely west of the Columbia River?
- 3. If the answer to No. 2 is no, what route is it expected to take?
- 4. Have any contracts for construction been let to date?
- 5. If the answer to No. 4 is no, when will construction commence?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. Yes.
- “ 2. Yes.
- “ 3. Answered by No. 2.
- “ 4. No.
- “ 5. Date not set.”

132 Mr. *Hall* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following question:—

How much money was spent on (a) construction and (b) maintenance on the King George Highway between Pattullo Bridge and 72nd Avenue, Newton, in 1965/66 and to date in the fiscal year 1966/67?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

“(a) Construction, *nil*, and (b) maintenance, including snow removal, not available for the section referred to. However, the following expenditures are

recorded: 1965/66—King George Highway (Pattullo Bridge to United States Border), maintenance, \$32,961.82; snow removal, \$15,316.23. 1966/67—King George Highway (Surrey District), maintenance, \$33,343.40; snow removal, \$1,825.19; (Delta District), maintenance, \$12,643.04; snow removal, \$1,203.32.”

135 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

Regarding that portion of Highway No. 6 from Fauquier to Nakusp in the Revelstoke-Slocan riding:—

1. Have contracts for clearing the right-of-way been let?
2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what companies are involved?
3. What mileage has been allocated to each?
4. On what cost basis is the clearing being done?
5. Will contracts be called for actual construction of the highway?
6. If the answer to No. 5 is no, on what basis will construction take place?
7. When will actual construction of the highway commence?
8. What is the estimated cost of the completed highway?
9. Will a standard black-topped two-lane highway be constructed?
10. Will the highway be completed prior to the filling of the Arrow Lakes reservoir in 1969?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. No.
- “ 2. Answered by No. 1.
- “ 3. Answered by No. 1.
- “ 4. Day-labour basis using rented equipment.
- “ 5. Yes.
- “ 6. Answered by No. 5.
- “ 7. Tenders to be called shortly.
- “ 8. \$7,500,000.
- “ 9. Yes; pulvimixed surface as part of contract, hot-mix paving at a later date.
- “ 10. Yes.”

136 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

Regarding the new access from Highway No. 6 to the Needles-Fauquier Ferry or the proposed Needles-Fauquier Bridge in the Revelstoke-Slocan riding:—

1. Have surveys for the relocation of this new access been completed?
2. When will construction of this section commence?
3. What is the estimated cost?
4. Will this access be completed prior to the initial flooding of the Arrow reservoir in 1969?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. Yes.
- “ 2. Date not set.
- “ 3. \$1,050,000.
- “ 4. Yes.”

137 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

Regarding the Nakusp–Galena Bay Highway in the Revelstoke-Slocan riding:—

1. Have all surveys for the reconstruction of this highway been made?
2. If the answer to No. 1 is no, when are the surveys expected to be completed?
3. What sum of money was spent on this highway in the fiscal year 1966/67?
4. Have surveys for the new ferry approaches at Galena Bay and that portion of the road to be flooded by the Arrow Dam project been completed?
5. When will construction of the new ferry approaches commence?
6. Will the Nakusp–Galena Bay road link be completed by the spring of 1969?
7. Will contracts for reconstruction of the road be let by the Department?
8. If the answer to No. 7 is no, on what basis will construction take place?
9. Will this road link be a standard black-topped two-lane highway?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. No.
- “ 2. Not known.
- “ 3. \$115,923.90 spent up to February 28, 1967.
- “ 4. Yes.
- “ 5. Date not set.
- “ 6. Portions to be affected by flooding will be completed by spring of 1969.
- “ 7. No.
- “ 8. District forces will reconstruct road progressively.
- “ 9. No paving contemplated in the immediate future.”

142 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

Regarding the Balfour–Kaslo Road in the Revelstoke-Slocan riding:—

1. Will the Coffee Creek section of this highway be completed in 1967?
2. How much work remains to be done in the Coffee Creek area?
3. What is the estimated cost of completing the project at Coffee Creek?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. It is programmed.
- “ 2. Approximately a 300-foot section of very high shear rock bluff.
- “ 3. Approximately \$50,000.”

143 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

Regarding the Balfour–Kaslo Road in the Revelstoke-Slocan riding:—

1. Will the Fletcher Creek section of this highway be completed in 1967?
2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what is the estimated cost?
3. How much has been spent on this project to date?
4. What is the total estimated cost of this project?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. It is programmed.
- “ 2. Approximately \$135,000.
- “ 3. \$146,874.91.
- “ 4. Approximately \$282,000.”

162 Mr. *L. A. Williams* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

With respect to highway maintenance in the Pemberton Valley:—

1. What was the total expenditure during the year ended December 31, 1966?
2. Of this amount, what amount was expended in snow clearing and removal?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. \$44,123.90.
- “ 2. \$9,888.13.”

163 Mr. *L. A. Williams* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

With respect to Provincial highways constructed on Bowen Island:—

1. Between January 1, 1953, and December 31, 1966, inclusive, by years, how many miles were (a) constructed and (b) reconstructed?
2. During the year ended December 31, 1966, what was the total expenditure for the maintenance of Provincial highways on Bowen Island?
3. Were any road surveys or location works undertaken on Bowen Island during the year 1966?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. 1952/53, 1953/54, 1954/55, (a) and (b), no records available.

	Constructed	Miles Reconstructed
1955/56	<i>Nil</i>	2.00
1956/57	<i>Nil</i>	2.00
1957/58	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
1958/59	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
1959/60	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
1960/61	<i>Nil</i>	2.40
1961/62	<i>Nil</i>	2.83
1962/63	<i>Nil</i>	0.17
1963/64	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
1964/65	<i>Nil</i>	0.25
1965/66	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
April 1 to December 31, 1966	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>

- “ 2. \$19,098.36.
- “ 3. No.”

167 Mr. *Hall* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following question:—

With reference to the electoral district of Surrey, what is the total mileage of (a) Provincial, (b) classified, and (c) B.C. Hydro roads?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

- “ (a) and (b) 26.88 miles (arterial) and (c) no information available.”

169 Mr. *Hall* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

With reference to the Municipality of Surrey:—

1. Has the Minister received any submissions, written or oral, from the municipality suggesting the need for a better liaison between the municipality and the Department of Highways?

2. Has the Minister received any submissions as outlined in No. 1 with regard to the construction of (a) left-turn slots, (b) centre median, and (c) return routes on the King George VI Highway?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

“1. The Department has received no submissions suggesting the need for a better liaison.

“2. (a) Yes, (b) yes, and (c) yes.”

178 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

Regarding the B.C. Hydro access road on the east side of Duncan Lake in the Revelstoke-Slocan riding:—

1. Have surveys been made to link this access road to the Trans-Canada Highway?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is no, will surveys be made, and, if so, when will they commence?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

“1. Air-photo examination only.

“2. Reconnaissance will be conducted in 1967.”

179 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Highways the following questions:—

Regarding the eastern access to Revelstoke from the Trans-Canada Highway:—

1. Have the surveys for the above access been made?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, when were these surveys commenced, and when were they completed?

3. Has all the property for this access been acquired by the Department?

4. If the answer to No. 3 is no, when will the full acquisition be completed?

5. What is the estimated cost of construction?

6. When will this construction commence?

The Hon. *P. A. Gaglardi* replied as follows:—

“1. Yes.

“2. 1960.

“3. No.

“4. Not known.

“5. \$600,000.

“6. Not known.”

181 Mr. *Nimsick* asked the Hon. the Minister of Recreation and Conservation the following question:—

What was the take of each of the following animals in Game Management Area No. 11 during each of the years 1958 to 1966 respectively: Moose, bull elk, antlerless elk, whitetail buck deer, antlerless whitetail deer, blacktail buck deer, antlerless blacktail deer, caribou, goat, and sheep?

The Hon. *W. K. Kiernan* replied as follows:—

“Take of game in Game Management Area No. 11 was as follows:—

Year	Moose	Elk			Goat	Sheep	Deer	
		Bulls	Antlerless	Cariboo			Bucks	Antlerless
1958	562	1,852	1,238	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1959	642	1,703	575	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1960	484	1,385	1,284	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1961	582	1,683	1,831	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
1962	618	1,467	815	(1)	549	202	(1)	(1)
1963	665	1,759	1,859	(1)	662	183	(1)	(1)
1964	749	992	1,961	7	563	147	5,807	3,267
1965	508	778	878	8	471	70	3,367	2,152

¹ Not sampled.

“1966 figures will become available upon completion of the hunter sample analysis.

“Prior to 1964, Game Management Area No. 11 deer figures were incorporated in those of the Kootenay region given below.

“Take of deer in Kootenay Game Management Areas Nos. 10, 11, and 12 was as follows:—

Year	Bucks	Antlerless	Total
1958	10,134	4,766	14,900 ¹
1959	9,419	4,804	14,223
1960	6,873	2,910	9,783
1961	6,180	2,649	8,829
1962	4,241	2,118	6,359
1963	6,935	3,802	10,737
1964	7,508	4,419	11,927
1965	4,563	2,917	7,480

¹ Game Management Areas Nos. 8, 10, 11, and 12.
1966 figures are in preparation.

“Approximately 60 per cent of the deer taken in Game Management Area No. 11 are whitetail deer. The remainder are mule deer.”

182 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Recreation and Conservation the following questions:—

In regard to conservation work and studies being made on Kootenay Lake and on the Lardeau River:—

1. What is the total expenditure by B.C. Hydro on these projects to December 31, 1966?
2. Have the above projects and studies been completed?
3. If the answer to No. 2 is no, what work is projected for the current year?
4. What will be the estimated cost for the current year?
5. Are written reports of the completed studies available?

The Hon. *W. K. Kiernan* replied as follows:—

“1. \$399,000.

“2. No.

“3. Completion of spawning channel and continuation of Kootenay Lake fishery investigation.

“4. \$334,000.

“5. No.”

184 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Recreation and Conservation the following questions:—

In regard to that portion of the Columbia River which will be affected by the Arrow Dam:—

1. Did your Department carry out surveys in the reservoir area in 1966 to determine the effect of flooding on the fish and wildlife?
2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what was the extent of the surveys and who made them?
3. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, will a report be available?
4. What was the total cost of the surveys?

The Hon. *W. K. Kiernan* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. Yes.
- “ 2. Surveys of stream spawning area available after flooding. Creel census of the sport fishery conducted by the Regional Biologist, a Fisheries Engineer, and Conservation Officers. No wildlife studies were carried out in 1966.
- “ 3. Yes.
- “ 4. \$10,000.”

185 Mr. *Harding* asked the Hon. the Minister of Recreation and Conservation the following questions:—

Regarding the Mica Creek reservoir:—

1. When was the survey of the effects of flooding upon the fish and wildlife of the above reservoir basin carried out?
2. Who made the survey?
3. What was the maximum and minimum water elevation used in the above survey?
4. Since the survey, has there been any change in the expected maximum and minimum water elevations?
5. If the answer to No. 4 is yes, what are the new elevations?
6. If the answer to No. 4 is yes, will the conclusions and recommendations reached in the survey apply to the changed conditions?
7. If the answer to No. 6 is no, will a further survey be carried out?

The Hon. *W. K. Kiernan* replied as follows:—

- “ 1. Wildlife studies in 1954, 1962, and 1963. Fisheries studies in 1962 and 1963.
- “ 2. Wildlife studies by the Regional Biologist for the Kootenays. Fisheries surveys by the Fishery Biologist and assistants in 1962 and 1963.
- “ 3. Maximum elevations in the Mica reservoir area were believed to be approximately 2,450 feet at the time the 1962 and 1963 studies were done. Minimum elevations were not known.
- “ 4. Yes.
- “ 5. The new maximum elevation is 2,475 feet. The minimum is not precisely known.
- “ 6. Yes.”

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

And then the House adjourned at 6.25 p.m.

Thursday, March 9, 1967

HALF-PAST EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
February 28, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 31) intituled *An Act Respecting Collection Agents*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of the Hon. *R. W. Bonner*, 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. 25) intituled *An Act to Amend the Pipe-lines Act.*

Bill (No. 24) intituled *An Act to Amend the Industrial Transportation Act.*

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 9, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 44) intituled *An Act to Amend the Public Schools Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The House continued to sit after midnight.

FRIDAY, MARCH 10.

247. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$42,764 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Minister's Office, to 31st March, 1968.

248. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$68,924 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, General Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

249. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$98,708 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Central Microfilm Bureau, to 31st March, 1968.

250. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$674,334 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Postal Branch, to 31st March, 1968.

251. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$142,612 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Provincial Library, to 31st March, 1968.

252. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$101,736 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Provincial Archives, to 31st March, 1968.

253. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$274,968 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Public Library Commission, to 31st March, 1968.

254. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$325,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Library and Library Association Grants, to 31st March, 1968.

255. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Queen's Printer, to 31st March, 1968.

256. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$53,404 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Government House, to 31st March, 1968.

257. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$27,020 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Indian Advisory Act, to 31st March, 1968.

258. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$555,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Assessment on Class 13 (the Crown)—*Workmen's Compensation Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

259. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$57,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Incidentals and Contingencies, to 31st March, 1968.

260. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$16,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, B.C. Medical Plan, to 31st March, 1968.

261. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$700,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Grants, Etc., to 31st March, 1968.

262. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$225,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Grant *re* Narcotic Foundation, to 31st March, 1968.

263. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$225,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Grant *re* Alcoholic Foundation, to 31st March, 1968.

264. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$200,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, *Capital Improvement District Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

265. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,500,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Centennial Celebrations, to 31st March, 1968.

266. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$400,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Restoration of Historical Sites, Etc., to 31st March, 1968.

267. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$750,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Civil Defence, to 31st March, 1968.

268. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$85,284 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, *Provincial Elections Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

269. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, *Public Inquiries Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

270. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, *Archæological and Historic Sites Protection Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

The Committee reported the Resolutions.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

The Committee further reported that during the consideration of Resolutions Nos. 268 and 271 the Committee divided on motions to rise and report Resolutions.

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

The Committee asked leave to sit again.

The report was adopted.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Strachan*, the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the division in Committee on Resolution No. 268 be recorded in the Journals of the House as follows:—

YEAS—16

Messieurs

<i>Hall</i>	<i>Vulliamy</i>	<i>Dowding</i>	<i>Nimsick</i>
<i>Hartley</i>	<i>Stupich</i>	<i>Dailly, Mrs.</i>	<i>Harding</i>
<i>Berger</i>	<i>Parkinson</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Williams, R. A.</i>	<i>Barrett</i>	<i>Eddie</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>

NAYS—33

Messieurs

<i>Williams, L. A.</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Black</i>	<i>Vogel</i>
<i>Gardom</i>	<i>McCarthy, Mrs.</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>LeCours</i>
<i>Clark</i>	<i>Jordan, Mrs.</i>	<i>Wenman</i>	<i>Loffmark</i>
<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Dawson, Mrs.</i>	<i>Smith</i>	<i>Brothers</i>
<i>Perrault</i>	<i>Kiernan</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Campbell</i>
<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Williston</i>	<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Chant</i>
<i>Bate</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>McDiarmid</i>	<i>Peterson</i>
<i>Skillings</i>	<i>Bonner</i>	<i>Capozzi</i>	<i>Richter</i>
<i>Jefcoat</i>			

PAIR:

Messieurs

Macfarlane *Gaglardi*

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Strachan*, the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the division in Committee on Resolution No. 271 be recorded in the Journals of the House as follows:—

YEAS—21

Messieurs

<i>Williams, L. A.</i>	<i>Williams, R. A.</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Eddie</i>
<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Vulliamy</i>	<i>Perrault</i>	<i>Nimsick</i>
<i>Clark</i>	<i>Stupich</i>	<i>Dowding</i>	<i>Harding</i>
<i>Hall</i>	<i>Parkinson</i>	<i>Dailly, Mrs.</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Hartley</i>	<i>Barrett</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>
<i>Berger</i>			

NAYS—28

Messieurs

<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Dawson, Mrs.</i>	<i>Wenman</i>	<i>LeCours</i>
<i>Bate</i>	<i>Kiernan</i>	<i>Smith</i>	<i>Loffmark</i>
<i>Skillings</i>	<i>Williston</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Brothers</i>
<i>Jefcoat</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Campbell</i>
<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Bonner</i>	<i>McDiarmid</i>	<i>Chant</i>
<i>McCarthy, Mrs.</i>	<i>Black</i>	<i>Capozzi</i>	<i>Peterson</i>
<i>Jordan, Mrs.</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Vogel</i>	<i>Richter</i>

PAIR:

Messieurs

*Macfarlane**Gaglardi*

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

And then the House adjourned at 12.45 a.m.

Friday, March 10, 1967

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *A. King*.

The Hon. *W. D. Black* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 7, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 41) intituled *An Act to Amend the Constitution Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *W. D. Black* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 10, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 47) intituled *An Act to Amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 10, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 46) intituled *An Act to Amend the Supreme Court Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 9, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 45) intituled *An Act Respecting Securities*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of Mr. *Hartley*, Bill (No. 59) intituled *An Act to Amend the Fireworks Regulation Act* was introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

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

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

And then the House adjourned at 5.59 p.m.

FIVE MINUTES PAST SIX 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)

152. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$44,080 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Minister's Office, to 31st March, 1968.

153. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,517,674 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, General Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

154. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$28,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Roads, Bridges, Ferries, Wharves, and Tunnels—Maintenance and Operation, Repairs, Snow and Ice Removal, to 31st March, 1968.

155. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Trans-Canada Highway—Capital Construction, to 31st March, 1968.

156. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$54,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Roads, Bridges, and Ferries—Capital Construction, to 31st March, 1968.

157. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Hydro-development Highways—Capital Construction, to 31st March, 1968.

158. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$650,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Highways within Municipal Limits, to 31st March, 1968.

159. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$50,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Vehicle Damage Claims, to 31st March, 1968.

160. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$650,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Highway Signs, Signals, Traffic Control, Etc., to 31st March, 1968.

161. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$17,775 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Grants and Subsidies, to 31st March, 1968.

162. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$3,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Highways, Purchase of New Equipment, to 31st March, 1968.

The Committee reported the Resolutions.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

The Committee further reported that during the consideration of Resolution No. 152 the Committee divided on a motion to rise and report progress.

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

The Committee asked leave to sit again.

The report was adopted.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Strachan*, the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the division in Committee on Resolution No. 152 be recorded in the Journals of the House as follows:—

YEAS—14

Messieurs

<i>Hall</i>	<i>Vulliamy</i>	<i>Dailly, Mrs.</i>	<i>Harding</i>
<i>Hartley</i>	<i>Stupich</i>	<i>Calder</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Berger</i>	<i>Parkinson</i>	<i>Eddie</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>
<i>Williams, R. A.</i>	<i>Barrett</i>		

NAYS—37

Messieurs

<i>Williams, L. A.</i>	<i>Jefcoat</i>	<i>Bonner</i>	<i>Vogel</i>
<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Tisdalle</i>	<i>Black</i>	<i>LeCours</i>
<i>Clark</i>	<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Loffmark</i>
<i>McGeer</i>	<i>McCarthy, Mrs.</i>	<i>Wenman</i>	<i>Brothers</i>
<i>Macfarlane</i>	<i>Jordan, Mrs.</i>	<i>Smith</i>	<i>Campbell</i>
<i>Perrault</i>	<i>Dawson, Mrs.</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Chant</i>
<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Kiernan</i>	<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Peterson</i>
<i>Bate</i>	<i>Williston</i>	<i>McDiarmid</i>	<i>Gaglardi</i>
<i>Skillings</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>Capozzi</i>	<i>Richter</i>
<i>Little</i>			

176 Mr. *Hall* asked the Hon. the Minister of Agriculture the following question:—

In which districts have District Agriculturists been appointed, and what was the date this post was created in each district?

The Hon. *F. X. Richter* replied as follows:—

“Vancouver Island, four appointed on August, 1946, May, 1949, June, 1949, and May, 1952; Lower Mainland, 17 appointed on February, 1937, May, 1940, June, 1944, October, 1945, April, 1947, June, 1947, May, 1949, May, 1949, May, 1949, May, 1952, August, 1954, May, 1956, May, 1958, April, 1963, July, 1964, August, 1965, and December, 1966; Kootenay, four appointed on May, 1947, May, 1956, January, 1961, and May, 1963; South Okanagan-Boundary, 11 appointed on April, 1937, May, 1946, August, 1946, September, 1946, January, 1947, June, 1947, April, 1948, May, 1949, August, 1956, January, 1959, and May, 1964; North Okanagan, six appointed on May, 1949, May, 1952, March, 1957, July, 1962, October, 1966, and March, 1967; Kamloops-Cariboo, four appointed on February, 1951, February, 1963, August, 1965, and November 1965; Central British Columbia, five appointed on May, 1950, November, 1964, January, 1965, June, 1965, and January, 1966; and Peace River, three appointed on May, 1949, November, 1966, and February, 1967.”

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 8.17 p.m.

Monday, March 13, 1967

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. *R. Morris*.

The Hon. *W. D. Black* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 75) intituled *An Act Respecting Proscribed Substances*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *W. D. Black* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 72) intituled *An Act Respecting Medical Services*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *W. D. Black* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 63) intituled *An Act to Amend the Chiropractic Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *An Act to Establish the British Columbia Harbours Board*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 60) intituled *An Act to Establish the British Columbia Harbours Board*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 58) intituled *An Act to Amend the Land Registry Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 57) intituled *An Act to Amend the Small Debts Courts Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of the Hon. *R. W. Bonner*, 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. 64) intituled *An Act to Amend the Motor-vehicle Act.*

Bill (No. 61) intituled *An Act to Amend the Notaries Act.*

Bill (No. 67) intituled *An Act to Amend the Companies Act.*

Bill (No. 56) intituled *An Act to Amend the County Courts Act.*

Bill (No. 48) intituled *An Act to Amend the Execution Act.*

Bill (No. 49) intituled *An Act Respecting Accumulations.*

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 10, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 19) intituled *An Act to Amend the Forest Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

The Hon. *W. K. Kiernan* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 73) intituled *An Act Respecting the Provincial Museum*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *An Act to Amend the Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 65) intituled *An Act to Amend the Greater Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage District Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 66) intituled *An Act to Amend the Greater Vancouver Water District Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 70) intituled *An Act to Amend the Municipalities Enabling and Validating Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 68) intituled *An Act to Amend the Municipal Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

271. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$350,424 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

272. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Grants *re* Civil Service—Gratuities under sec. 77 of *Civil Service Act* and other Government employees, to 31st March, 1968.

273. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$50,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Retiring Allowances—*Civil Service Act*, sec. 70, and other Government employees, to 31st March, 1968.

274. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Civil Service Schedule Bond, to 31st March, 1968.

275. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$258,304 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

276. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$28,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Grants—Retiring Allowances, to 31st March, 1968.

277. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$5,300,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, *Civil Service Superannuation Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

278. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$53,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, *Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

279. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,110,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, *Public Services Medical Plan Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

280. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$126,258 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, *Public Services Group Insurance Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

281. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$37,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Death Benefits, to 31st March, 1968.

282. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$60,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, *Municipal Superannuation Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

283. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,600,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Canada Pension Plan, to 31st March, 1968.

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

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

And then the House adjourned at 6 p.m.

Monday, March 13, 1967

EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 62) intituled *An Act Respecting Pollution Control*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The House continued to sit after midnight.

TUESDAY, MARCH 14.

163. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$32,070 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Minister's Office, to 31st March, 1968.

164. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$81,666 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, General Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

165. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$163,730 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Agent-General's Office and British Columbia House, London, England, to 31st March, 1968.

166. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$267,644 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Bureau of Economics and Statistics, to 31st March, 1968.

167. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$983,802 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Data Processing Centre, to 31st March, 1968.

168. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$69,774 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Industrial and Trade Office, to 31st March, 1968.

169. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$50,437 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, British Columbia House, San Francisco, to 31st March, 1968.

170. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$7,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Temporary Assistance, to 31st March, 1968.

171. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$65,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Advertising and Publicity, to 31st March, 1968.

172. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$30,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Trade Promotion, to 31st March, 1968.

173. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Provincial Exhibits, British Columbia Building, to 31st March, 1968.

174. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$300,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Industrial Development, Trade, and Commerce, Grant to British Columbia Research Council, to 31st March, 1968.

183. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$29,850 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Minister's Office, to 31st March, 1968.

The Committee reported the Resolutions.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

The Committee further reported that during the consideration of Resolution No. 183 the Committee divided on a motion to rise and report Resolutions.

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

The Committee asked leave to sit again.

The report was adopted.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Strachan*, the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the division in Committee on Resolution No. 183 be recorded in the Journals of the House as follows:—

YEAS—19

Messieurs

<i>Gardom</i>	<i>Williams, R. A.</i>	<i>McGeer</i>	<i>Nimsick</i>
<i>Clark</i>	<i>Vulliamy</i>	<i>Perrault</i>	<i>Harding</i>
<i>Hall</i>	<i>Stupich</i>	<i>Dowding</i>	<i>Strachan</i>
<i>Hartley</i>	<i>Parkinson</i>	<i>Dailly, Mrs.</i>	<i>Macdonald</i>
<i>Berger</i>	<i>Barrett</i>	<i>Eddie</i>	

NAYS—28

Messieurs

<i>Chabot</i>	<i>Dawson, Mrs.</i>	<i>Smith</i>	<i>Loffmark</i>
<i>Skillings</i>	<i>Kiernan</i>	<i>Phillips</i>	<i>Brothers</i>
<i>Jefcoat</i>	<i>Williston</i>	<i>Mussallem</i>	<i>Campbell</i>
<i>Tisdalle</i>	<i>Bennett</i>	<i>McDiarmid</i>	<i>Chant</i>
<i>Shelford</i>	<i>Black</i>	<i>Capozzi</i>	<i>Peterson</i>
<i>McCarthy, Mrs.</i>	<i>Wolfe</i>	<i>Vogel</i>	<i>Gaglardi</i>
<i>Jordan, Mrs.</i>	<i>Wenman</i>	<i>LeCours</i>	<i>Richter</i>

PAIRS:

Messieurs

<i>Williams, L. A.</i>	<i>Bate</i>
<i>Macfarlane</i>	<i>Little</i>
<i>Calder</i>	<i>Bonner</i>

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

Mr. *Skillings* presented the Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, and Tenth Reports of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, as follows:—

REPORT NO. 7

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

March 6, 1967.

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 *An Act Relating to The Corporation of the City of Victoria* has been proved, and the Bill ordered to be reported without amendments.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. SKILLINGS, *Chairman.*

REPORT NO. 8

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

March 6, 1967.

MR. SPEAKER:

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

That the preamble of Bill (No. 54) intituled *An Act to Provide for the Conversion of Yorkshire Savings and Loan Association* has been proved, and the Bill ordered to be reported without amendments.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. SKILLINGS, *Chairman.*

REPORT NO. 9

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

March 6, 1967.

MR. SPEAKER:

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

That the preamble of Bill (No. 50) intituled *An Act to Incorporate the Western Pentecostal Bible College* has been proved, and the Bill ordered to be reported without amendments.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. SKILLINGS, *Chairman.*

REPORT NO. 10

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

March 6, 1967.

MR. SPEAKER:

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

That the preamble of Bill (No. 53) intituled *An Act to Amend the Vancouver Charter* has been proved, and the Bill ordered to be reported with amendments.

Pursuant to Standing Order 113, your Committee directs attention to section 6 of the Bill as amended, which was not contemplated in the notices of the Bill as published.

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.

W. M. SKILLINGS, *Chairman.*

The reports were read and received.

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

Mr. *Skillings* presented the Eleventh Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, as follows:—

REPORT NO. 11

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

March 6, 1967.

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 *An Act to Amend the Shaughnessy Heights Building Restriction Act, 1922*, has been proved, and the Bill ordered to be reported with amendment.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. SKILLINGS, *Chairman.*

The report was read and received.

Mr. *Skillings* moved that the Rules be suspended to permit the moving of a motion that the report be adopted.

Objection was taken.

Report not adopted.

Mr. *Skillings* presented the Twelfth Report of the Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, as follows:—

REPORT NO. 12

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

March 6, 1967.

MR. SPEAKER:

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

That the preamble of Bill (No. 55) intituled *An Act to Amend the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of British Columbia Act* has been proved, and the Bill ordered to be reported without amendment.

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.

W. M. SKILLINGS, *Chairman.*

The report was read and received.

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

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

And then the House adjourned at 1.15 a.m.

Tuesday, March 14, 1967

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by Father *C. B. Murphy.*

The Hon. *W. D. Black* presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *An Act Respecting Regional Hospital Districts*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 76) intituled *An Act Respecting Regional Hospital Districts*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *An Act Respecting Workmen's Compensation*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 69) intituled *An Act Respecting Workmen's Compensation*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 71) intituled *An Act to Amend the Workmen's Compensation Act*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

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

GEORGE R. PEARKES,
Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled *An Act to Provide for an Exchange of Certain Coal, Petroleum, and Natural Gas Rights*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,
March 13, 1967.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 77) intituled *An Act to Provide for an Exchange of Certain Coal, Petroleum, and Natural Gas Rights*, a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.
Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading at the next sitting after today.

On the motion of Mr. *Strachan*, Bill (No. 78) intituled *An Act to Empower the Government of British Columbia to Engage in the Business of Automobile Accident Insurance* was introduced, read a first time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

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

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

184. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$113,882 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, General Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

185. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$3,500 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Grant to British Columbia Natural Resources Conference, to 31st March, 1968.

186. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$79,206 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Accounting Division, to 31st March, 1968.

187. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$6,640 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Land Settlement Board, to 31st March, 1968.

188. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Investigation of Doukhobor Lands, to 31st March, 1968.

189. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$235,224 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Lands Branch, Land Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

190. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$200,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Lands Branch, Pre-servicing Crown Lands Proposed for Sale or Lease, to 31st March, 1968.

191. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$390,662 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Lands Branch, Land Inspection Division, to 31st March, 1968.

192. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$35,080 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Surveys and Mapping Branch, Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

193. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Surveys and Mapping Branch, Special Commitments, to 31st March, 1968.

194. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$563,287 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Surveys and Mapping Branch, Legal Surveys Division, to 31st March, 1968.

195. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$192,676 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Surveys and Mapping Branch, Geographic Division, to 31st March, 1968.

196. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$613,476 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Surveys and Mapping Branch, Topographic Division, to 31st March, 1968.

197. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$338,518 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, Surveys and Mapping Branch, Air Division, to 31st March, 1968.

198. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Lands Service, *University Endowment Lands Administration Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

199. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$14,132,052 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, General Administration, Protection, and Management of Forests, to 31st March, 1968.

200. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,071,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Reforestation and Forest Nursery, to 31st March, 1968.

201. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$13,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Forestry and Correction Camp Programme, to 31st March, 1968.

202. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$142,900 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Forest Research, to 31st March, 1968.

203. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$61,350 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Public Information and Education, to 31st March, 1968.

204. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$110,640 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Forest Service Training-school, to 31st March, 1968.

205. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$17,500 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Grant to Canadian Forestry Association, to 31st March, 1968.

206. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,959,250 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Engineering Services and Forest-development Roads, to 31st March, 1968.

207. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,950,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Fire Suppression, to 31st March, 1968.

208. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$801,318 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Forest Inventory, to 31st March, 1968.

209. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Scaling Fund, to 31st March, 1968.

210. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,303,050 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Silviculture, to 31st March, 1968.

211. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$76,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Grazing Range Improvement Fund, to 31st March, 1968.

212. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Peace River Community Pastures, to 31st March, 1968.

213. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Forest Service, Peace River Power Timber Salvage, to 31st March, 1968.

The Committee reported the Resolutions.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

The Committee further reported, recommending that the Final Report on the Effect of Log Driving on the Stellako River on Salmon, June, 1966, presented by the Hon. R. G. Williston (Minister of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources), be tabled in the House.

The report was adopted.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

44 Mrs. *Daily* asked the Hon. the Minister of Education the following questions:—

With respect to expenditure made in the Province for education in the year 1966:—

1. What was the total sum?
2. What portion of the total sum was expended on (a) ordinary expenditure and (b) capital expenditure?
3. What portion of the total sum was contributed by (a) the Provincial Government, (b) the city and district municipalities, and (c) by the Provincial Government on behalf of rural areas of any school district?

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

“ 1. \$309,087,454 (exclusive of by-law, trust, etc., funds—school districts for the calendar year 1966, other services for the fiscal year 1965/66).

“ 2. (a) \$239,137,991 and (b) \$69,949,463.

“ 3. Exclusive of the application of the home-owner grants: (a) \$134,696,933, (b) \$86,975,299 (inclusive of towns and villages), and (c) \$29,730,517.”

In answer to the following question standing on the Order Paper in the name of Mr. *Strachan*:—

81 Mr. *Strachan* asked the Hon. the Minister of Education the following question:—

What percentage of school operating costs were paid by the Provincial Government in each school district in the Province in the calendar year 1966?

The Hon. *L. R. Peterson* 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.

139 Mr. *Perrault* asked the Hon. the Minister of Education the following questions:—

With respect to District Superintendents of Schools:—

1. How many District Superintendents of Schools are presently receiving salaries less than one or more educational personnel within their respective school districts?
2. How many District Superintendents of Schools are presently employed by the Civil Service Commission?
3. How many District Superintendents of Schools are employed locally?

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

“ 1. The salaries of district-employed personnel are set by local boards and the release of this information is at the discretion of boards. The salaries of District Superintendents who are Civil Servants ranged in 1966 from \$9,900 to \$15,820 per annum. With the exception of the relieving District Superintendent of Schools, all 56 District Superintendents of Schools are in receipt of a basic Civil Service salary and an additional sum called the administrative allowance which may be granted to District Superintendents of Schools by the boards with whom they work.

" 2. Fifty-six and one relieving District Superintendent.

" 3. The Superintendent of Schools, two Assistant Superintendents, and three Inspectors of Schools, all employed by the Vancouver Board of School Trustees, for a total of six persons."

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

And then the House adjourned at 6 p.m.

Tuesday, March 14, 1967

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)

214. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$47,280 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, General Administration, to 31st March, 1968.

215. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$546,596 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Water Rights Branch, to 31st March, 1968.

216. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$39,300 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Inspector of Dykes, to 31st March, 1968.

217. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$122,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, River-bank Protection, to 31st March, 1968.

218. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$25,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Assistance to Improvement Districts, to 31st March, 1968.

219. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Canadian Council of Resources Ministers, to 31st March, 1968.

220. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$525,582 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Water Investigation Branch, to 31st March, 1968.

221. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$923,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Water Investigations, Hydraulic Surveys, and Projects, to 31st March, 1968.

222. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$94,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Okanagan Flood Control, to 31st March, 1968.

223. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, *Canada-British Columbia Joint Development Act*, to 31st March, 1968.

224. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$70,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, B.C. Hydrometric Stream-gauging, to 31st March, 1968.

225. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$192,984 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Southern Okanagan Lands Project, to 31st March, 1968.

226. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$172,564 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources, Water Resources Service, Pollution Control, to 31st March, 1968.

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

On the motion of the Hon. *W. A. C. Bennett*, the House proceeded to the Order "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. 37) intituled *An Act to Amend the Department of Commercial Transport Act*.

Bill (No. 38) intituled *An Act to Amend the Health Act*.

Bill (No. 39) intituled *An Act to Amend the Registered Nurses Act*.

Bill (No. 40) intituled *An Act to Amend the Royal Inland Hospital Act, 1896*.

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 41) intituled *An Act to Amend the Constitution Act* a debate arose, which was, on the motion of Mr. *Nimsick*, 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 11.17 p.m.