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TUESDAY, JANUARY 27TH, 1959

PROCLAMATION

DANA PORTER

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories QUEEN, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

To Our Faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Ontario and to every of you—GREETING:

PROCLAMATION

LESLIE M. FROST,
Acting Attorney-General. } **W**HEREAS it is expedient for certain causes and considerations to convene the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Ontario, WE DO WILL that you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested, on Tuesday, the twenty-seventh day of January now next, at Our City of Toronto, personally be and appear for the actual Despatch of Business, to treat, act, do and conclude upon those things which, in Our Legislature for the Province of Ontario, by the Common Council of Our said Province, may by the favour of God be ordained.

HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the GREAT SEAL of Our Province of Ontario to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS:

THE HONOURABLE DANA HARRIS PORTER, Chief Justice of Ontario,
Administrator of Our Government of Our Province of Ontario,

at Our City of Toronto in Our said Province this eighth day of January in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine and in the seventh year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

M. PHILLIPS,
Provincial Secretary.

Tuesday, the twenty-seventh day of January, 1959, being the first day of the Fifth Session of the Twenty-fifth Parliament of the Province of Ontario for the Despatch of Business pursuant to a Proclamation of the Honourable Dana Harris Porter, Chief Justice of Ontario, Administrator of the Province.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

And the House having met,

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor then entered the House and, being seated on the Throne, was pleased to open the Session by the following gracious speech:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario:

It is a pleasure for me to welcome you to the Fifth Session of this Twenty-fifth Legislature.

Each year, with the growth of our population—which is now approaching six million—and the development and expansion of our resources, industries and communities, your duties and responsibilities assume increasing importance.

Since the last Session, many events and developments have occurred which have enriched and strengthened the economic and social fabric of Ontario.

The year 1958 was notable for many reasons. Economically, it commenced in recession—a downward trend in evidence throughout America. When it closed, our position had become considerably stronger. Unemployment has caused us great concern and we have taken many steps to ameliorate it. In the past year, furthermore, there emerged major areas of strength and quickening activity, which will lessen its incidence. Agriculture enjoyed a larger gain in production and cash income last year than in any year since 1951. Mining

output was also generally higher. Personal incomes and consumer sales increased, while capital investment was well maintained. As the new year proceeds, we can look forward to increasing employment and production and a continuation of the growth and development of our great Province.

We were highly gratified by the visit last summer of Her Royal Highness, The Princess Margaret. This year we look forward with loyal anticipation to the visit to this country of Her Gracious Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, the Queen of Canada, and her Consort, Prince Philip. It is particularly fitting that Her Majesty should come to Canada to open the St. Lawrence Seaway which makes possible the wider utilization of the vast inland seas which bound the southern portions of our Province. The year 1959 will see our lake ports from Cornwall on the east to the Lakehead on the west become in fact ocean ports. 1959 will also see important steps taken at our tidewater port of Moosonee, the development of which will not only open up the resource-rich northern parts of this Province, but also link up with the interior of this Province those great territories contiguous to Hudson and James Bays. Plans for an airport at Moosonee are also being considered.

The Government has in operation an immense employment and capital investment program, providing for schools, highways, hospitals and a variety of essential works. This program, together with that of the municipalities and government boards and subsidiaries, provides employment to about 235,000 workers. Additionally, last December 1st, in co-operation with the federal and municipal governments, a special winter works program was initiated, to provide winter employment and to create useful public facilities. Full details will be laid before you.

In 1959, the Government and the municipalities propose to undertake a record volume of school, highway, hospital and other construction. You will be asked to vote funds to underwrite Provincial and municipal building activity in all parts of Ontario. In addition to the foregoing, a number of special projects, such as skyways over the Welland Canal at St. Catharines, Welland and Port Colborne, together with the causeway at Fort Frances, all based upon toll financing, will be pressed forward. Particulars of the negotiations and agreements relating to international bridges at Queenston, Sault Ste. Marie, Fort Frances and Rainy River will be presented. The Province's vast highway program is being carried out vigorously. Our trans-provincial highway, 401, will be completed in 1963—four years ahead of schedule. All of these great undertakings are aimed at stimulating business and employment and facilitating commerce originating both within and beyond our Province.

Outstanding events have occurred in the field of power and energy. During the past year, the completion of the Trans-Canada pipeline has made available to our people for the first time the rich natural gas resources of Western Canada. Not only has this altered the economic outlook and opportunities for Northern Ontario, but it has also given the whole of Ontario a valuable new fuel which renders us less dependent upon sources outside of Canada. Developments of the utmost importance have occurred in the realm of electric power. More than half the potential of the St. Lawrence project has been brought into operation and additional power has become available at Niagara and elsewhere. Accordingly, since we last met, our electric power resources have increased by the impressive total of a million and a quarter horsepower.

With our rapidly expanding economy, growing population, greater production and higher standards of living, we must have an adequate supply of power and energy. Our research program to hasten the time when we may generate electric power from our almost inexhaustible sources of uranium is being accelerated. The energy problem is so vital to the future of our fast-growing Province that a Department will be set up through which the Government will deal comprehensively with energy and power—whether they be derived from hydro developments, uranium, natural gas, oil, coal or any other source. It will also facilitate dealing with the vast financial problems involved in such developments, the most economic use of power sources, and, as well, the development of safety factors in the use of gas, electricity and other power resources.

The Ontario Water Resources Commission has been making rapid progress. Its plans will be laid before you, and, as well, those of our many conservation projects which are a necessary part of our program to conserve water and eliminate and prevent pollution.

Plans will be presented relative to the improvement and expansion of the Province's parks system which is growing very rapidly. Full details of the progress made together with a comprehensive parks plan, which will be a chart for the future, will be presented. Large new areas, particularly of Crown lands, will be set aside for forest propagation and the conservation of fish and wildlife. Camping facilities and picnic sites will be very greatly augmented and all necessary amenities provided. This program is aimed not only at preserving for all time very large areas of our beautiful countryside for the people of this Province, but also at attracting here the vast number of visitors who will come from elsewhere.

In natural resources, important matters will be submitted for your approval, involving development and conservation. Far-reaching legislation will be recommended. The policy of sustained forest yield will be broadened and strengthened. Measures will be submitted providing for the designation of wilderness areas to be maintained in their original state in perpetuity for the benefit of the people and to assure the continuation of their forest production. A three-fold expansion of access road construction will be undertaken in the north and an air-borne geophysical survey will be conducted in the Patricia District. Amendments having to do with safety in mining will be presented to you.

The Ontario Hospital Insurance Plan, a milepost in the history of health and welfare legislation, not only in this Province but in Canada, came into operation on January 1st. So acceptable are its provisions that more than 5,300,000 or over 90 per cent of our people have become insured beneficiaries under its broad coverage. Not only does this hospital insurance program relieve individuals from the fear of heavy financial burdens associated with hospital treatment, but it also frees municipalities of large expenditures, averaging about \$12 million a year, for hospital indigents and deficits.

To compensate municipalities which are obliged to make statutory payments on behalf of insured indigents, the Province this year will pay to each municipality an unconditional grant based upon its hospital indigency experience over the last three years.

Notable progress has been made in the extent and quality of mental health services, but newly developed treatment methods are bringing us to the threshold of a new era of great promise for those suffering from the consequences of mental illness. A comprehensive plan very greatly altering traditional methods and designed to bring diagnostic and treatment services closer to those who require them will be put into effect. This plan will progressively reduce the social segregation and isolation of the mentally ill, and will assure their earliest possible return to normal life. Custodial elements of care will be reduced to a minimum. Patients who are permanently mentally handicapped or infirm will be cared for in more suitable social surroundings.

Ontario, which in 1949-50 was the first province to embark on a systematic approach to the prevention and treatment of alcoholism and has won world acclaim for its progress, will again undertake major advances in this field. New facilities for research, treatment and rehabilitation are to be provided and the educational services are to be greatly extended.

This year the Province is entering the third stage in the development of its new educational grants formula. It marks another great forward step in our fifteen-year effort to evolve an equitable basis of financial assistance to our municipalities. Over that period, grants for education increased from \$8 million to nearly \$135 million. You will be asked to provide for a revision and adjustment of the grants formula which will give substantial additional relief to our municipal taxpayers.

The magnitude of the problem of education is demonstrated by the fact that last year alone it was necessary to provide additional school teachers and facilities for 78,000 more pupils. Since the end of World War II, we have created new and additional accommodation for over 650,000 pupils. Striking progress has been made in the building of teachers' colleges, where there is now an unprecedented enrolment. The pressure on school facilities is a continuing problem which our Province is in the lead in solving. On all educational fronts, betterments are being made. More emphasis is being placed on science and mathematics in our curriculum. In special phases of education, such as in schools for retarded children, rapid progress is being made and plans for the future will be submitted to you.

Recognizing the invaluable role of our universities, a program of assistance in meeting their expanding requirements will be submitted to you. Very marked advances have been made in creating university facilities in Ontario. A dozen years ago, the Province contributed to only three universities. This year, with still more universities in the making, you will be asked to provide grants to ten of them. The whole system of scholarships, bursaries and student loans will come before you for consideration and review.

You will be asked to approve legislation which will enable the Government further to remove difficulties in marketing arrangements and to ensure more effective disposal of Ontario's farm crops. Amendments to The Milk Industry Act will be proposed, to strengthen the position of producer marketing plans in the dairy industries. An accelerated safety program will be undertaken to diminish the hazards associated with farming. This year, the final phase of the Brucellosis Control Program will be carried out. The Department of Agriculture and the Department of Lands and Forests are initiating a new policy whose

objective is to assure a more systematic and permanent development of Northern Ontario's agricultural lands. To help prevent loss from rabies in livestock, the Government will provide free vaccine and will share equally with the municipalities in the cost of vaccination.

Notable progress has been made in farm marketing, but we are continually looking for means of improvement. It is proposed to set up an enquiry which will make a thorough and comprehensive examination of Ontario's agricultural industry with reference to processing, handling, storing, transporting and marketing farm produce. The enquiry will be aimed at facilitating the marketing and processing of Ontario farm products to meet the requirements of consumers whose purchasing habits are being altered by new merchandising facilities and methods.

Details of a new program to improve the educational and employment opportunities of our Indian population and their general standard of living will be laid before you. Continued efforts are being made to integrate Indian children into our regular school system. New measures will be adopted to help our Indian population fit more readily into the main stream of life and progress in Ontario. Accordingly, increased opportunities will be provided Indians in positions with such Departments as Lands and Forests. Indian youths will be brought into its Junior Ranger program. Bursaries and other forms of student aid will be earmarked specifically for deserving young Indians who demonstrate both a desire and an aptitude for further schooling.

Your approval will be sought for the initiation of an educational program by the Anti-Discrimination Commission. You will be asked to reinforce our present far-reaching legislation to prevent discrimination and assure equal rights to our people.

The work of the Department of the Provincial Secretary will be extended to deal with the broad question of citizenship and to facilitate the integration of new Canadians into our Ontario way of life.

Ontario is leading the way in the implementation of the forward-looking recommendations of the Fauteux Report, which will usher in a new era. The Province will be responsible only for lawbreakers sentenced to six months or less, as the program develops. Thus, for the first time, we will be able to devote our entire reform institution facilities to their true function and objective, namely, the rehabilitation of reformable persons who can subsequently take their place in society and lead normal, useful and law-abiding lives. The program of the Department of Reform Institutions will be revised to meet these fundamental and far-reaching changes. To complement and support this program, the Province will further extend its probationary services which have already achieved an outstanding record of success in the treatment of certain offenders. Thus, 1959 will witness the commencement of the elimination of many of the penal aspects of reform institutions and their devotion to the true provincial work of reformation.

You will have placed before you the report of the Select Committee appointed to examine into the operation of The Labour Relations Act. The Department of Labour is doing outstanding work in labour relations and in furthering understanding between management and labour.

Assistance to municipalities, school boards and other local agencies will again be increased across a broad front. A number of amendments to municipal statutes will be introduced.

Appropriations required to carry out the Province's many-sided and expanding welfare program will be substantially increased. Greater recognition will be given to the social welfare needs of our older citizens and our Indian population. A new factor will be introduced to facilitate the erection of Homes for the Aged in communities servicing unorganized territory.

The new Department of Transport has made outstanding progress in the past year. As a result of close co-operation between the Departments of the Attorney-General, Highways and Transport, the rate of traffic accidents and fatalities has been reduced. A new points system will shortly become operative. A number of measures aimed at strengthening the administration of safety programs will be recommended. The higher standards recently adopted for licensing drivers will be extended and encouragement will be given for extra-curricular driver education in our high schools. There will be a re-adjustment of speed limits which are no longer consonant with the best interests of traffic management and safety. Within the next year, improved machinery for the issuance of driver and motor vehicle licences will be set into motion.

The Attorney-General will submit measures to facilitate the administration of justice throughout Ontario in county and district courts and in juvenile and family courts in the larger centres. Municipalities will be relieved of the cost of coroners' investigations in Provincial institutions. Compensation for those chosen for jury duty will be increased. Important legislation will be introduced to unify and simplify expropriation procedures while fully protecting individual rights. A complete revision of The Bulk Sales Act will be proposed. In order to permit greater flexibility in the administration of trust funds, while at the same time assuring their security and soundness, the courts will be given authority to extend the powers of trustees to make investments in certain securities.

An amendment to The Succession Duty Act will be introduced which will increase the exemption for widows and their dependent children.

The Committee appointed to examine and report upon the organization of Government and Commissions in Ontario is continuing its very thorough investigations, which are aimed both at preserving and strengthening the parliamentary system and at the same time assuring that the Government and its agencies practise the most efficient business methods.

A major review and revision of our fiscal arrangements with the Federal Government are matters of transcending importance. Ottawa has proposed that the entire subject of financial relations between the Dominion and the provinces will receive active, co-operative study and to that end the existing machinery of the Federal-Provincial Continuing Committee will be used. My Government has concurred in this, and in the meantime last year's increase from 10 to 13 per cent in the Province's share of income tax will be continued. This study, which will involve the whole of Canada's tax structure, will provide a firm basis upon which to make a just and equitable settlement.

To enhance the efficacy of a wide range of Government services and enactments, amendments will be made to the following Acts: The Charitable Gifts Act, The Judicature Act, The Jurors Act, The Agricultural Societies Act, The Trade Schools Act, The Public Schools Act, The Schools Administration Act, The Secondary Schools and Boards of Education Act, The Archives Act, The Air Pollution Control Act, The Public Health Act, The Children's Boarding Homes Act, The Highway Improvement Act, The Provincial Land Tax Act, The Forest Fires Prevention Act, The Department of Municipal Affairs Act, The Municipal Board Act, The Local Improvement Act, The Conservation Authorities Act, The Housing Development Act, The Planning Act, The Public Vehicles Act, The Corporations Tax Act and as well to a number of other Statutes.

The welfare of the Province's Civil Service is receiving continued attention. A complete review of The Public Service Act is being made by the Civil Service Commission and steps are being taken to provide for an extensive man-power survey, a program of in-service training and development, and improved methods of selection and recruitment. Studies to improve procedures for promotion and transfer are also being undertaken.

You will receive for examination and study the Public Accounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1958. The Treasurer will present his annual Budget Statement, reviewing the financial operations of the Province in this fiscal year and forecasting the program for the fiscal year 1959-60. You will be requested to vote funds for the carrying on of the Government of the Province in the months ahead.

I wish to thank you for the diligent and conscientious efforts you have always put forward on behalf of the people of Ontario. Such faithful attention to the affairs of the Province contributes materially to its sound development.

I pray that Divine Providence will guide your deliberations.

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

PRAYERS

3.40 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker then reported,

That, to prevent mistakes, he had obtained a copy of His Honour's Speech, which he read.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 1, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Statutes. *Mr. Roberts.*

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor to this House be taken into consideration to-morrow.

Mr. Speaker informed the House,

That he had received during the recess of the House notification of vacancies which had occurred in the Membership of the House by reason of the death of John Arthur McCue, Member for the Electoral District of Lanark, and the resignation of Lewis Roscoe Robson, Member for the Electoral District of Hastings East.

The House then adjourned at 3.50 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1. *Mr. Wintermeyer*—Resolution—That it is the opinion of this House that the protection of life and property is one of the prime responsibilities of the provincial government and that in matters relating to the distribution of natural gas and the installation of natural gas burning appliances the government of Ontario has been derelict in its duty to the people of Ontario and that to overcome this dereliction it is necessary that a safety code be drafted by this Legislature and enforced by a provincial agency.

2. *Mr. Whicher*—Resolution—That in the opinion of this House the government of Ontario should establish a mandatory automobile insurance program.

SECOND DAY

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Clerk read the following communications relative to the vacancies announced by Mr. Speaker yesterday, Tuesday, January 27th:

Parliament Buildings,
Toronto, Ontario,
July 29th, 1958.

The Honourable the Speaker of the
Legislative Assembly of Ontario,
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Speaker:

I hereby submit my resignation as the Member of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario for the Electoral District of Hastings East, and request that it be effective to-day.

May I express to you, Sir, my appreciation for your kindness and many services to me during my membership in the House.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) ROSCOE ROBSON.

Witnessed:

(Signed) RODERICK LEWIS
MARY COOMBS.

Toronto, August 2nd, 1958.

To the Honourable the Speaker of the
Legislative Assembly of the
Province of Ontario:

We, the undersigned, Leslie M. Frost, Member for the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Victoria, and George H. Dunbar, Member for the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Ottawa South, do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Lanark by reason of the death of John Arthur McCue, Esquire, Member for the said Electoral District of Lanark.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this Second day of August in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight.

(Signed) LESLIE M. FROST
G. H. DUNBAR.

Signed and sealed in the
presence of:

(Signed) W. M. MCINTYRE.

Mr. Speaker informed the House,

That the Clerk had received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table the following certificate of a by-election held since the last Session of the House:

Electoral District of Cochrane North — Rene Brunelle.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that, in view of a Writ of Election dated the Third day of April, 1958, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Gordon Kydd, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Cochrane North, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Cochrane North in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Philip T. Kelly, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Cochrane North, duly resigned his seat in the said Legislative Assembly, Rene Brunelle, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Nineteenth day of May, which is now lodged of record in my office.

RODERICK LEWIS,
Chief Election Officer.

Toronto, January 28th, 1959.

Rene Brunelle, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Cochrane North, having taken the Oaths and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

Mr. Speaker informed the House,

That the Clerk had received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table the following certificate of a by-election held since the last Session of the House:

Electoral District of Renfrew North—Maurice Hamilton.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that, in view of a Writ of Election dated the Third day of April, 1958, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to William J. Labow, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Renfrew North, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Renfrew North in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Stanley J. Hunt, Esquire, who, since his election as

representative of the said Electoral District of Renfrew North, duly resigned his seat in the said Legislative Assembly, Maurice Hamilton, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Nineteenth day of May, 1958, which is now lodged of record in my office.

RODERICK LEWIS,
Chief Election Officer.

Toronto, January 28th, 1959.

Maurice Hamilton, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Renfrew North, having taken the Oaths and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

Mr. Speaker informed the House,

That the Clerk had received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table the following certificate of a by-election held since the last Session of the House:

Electoral District of St. George—Allan F. Lawrence.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that, in view of a Writ of Election dated the Third day of April, 1958, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Miss Edna Carson, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of St. George, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of St. George in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Dana Porter, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of St. George, duly resigned his seat in the said Legislative Assembly, Allan F. Lawrence, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Nineteenth day of May, 1958, which is now lodged of record in my office.

RODERICK LEWIS,
Chief Election Officer.

Toronto, January 28th, 1959.

Allan F. Lawrence, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of St. George, having taken the Oaths and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

Mr. Speaker informed the House,

That the Clerk had received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table the following certificate of a by-election held since the last Session of the House:

Electoral District of Huron—Charles S. MacNaughton.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that, in view of a Writ of Election dated the Third day of April, 1958, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Russell Bolton, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Huron, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Huron in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Thomas Pryde, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Huron, hath departed this life, Charles S. MacNaughton, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Nineteenth day of May, 1958, which is now lodged of record in my office.

RODERICK LEWIS,
Chief Election Officer.

Toronto, January 28th, 1959.

Charles S. MacNaughton, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Huron, having taken the Oaths and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

Mr. Speaker informed the House,

That the Clerk had received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table the following certificate of a by-election held since the last Session of the House:

Electoral District of Lanark—George E. Gomme.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that, in view of a Writ of Election dated the Second day of August, 1958, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Edwin M. James, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Lanark, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Lanark in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of

John Arthur McCue, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Lanark, hath departed this life, George E. Gomme, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected, unopposed, as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Twenty-eighth of August, 1958, which is now lodged of record in my office.

RODERICK LEWIS,
Chief Election Officer.

Toronto, January 28th, 1959.

George E. Gomme, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Lanark, having taken the Oaths and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

Mr. Speaker informed the House,

That the Clerk had received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table the following certificate of a by-election held since the last Session of the House:

Electoral District of Hastings East—Lloyd H. Price.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that, in view of a Writ of Election dated the Second day of August, 1958, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Kenneth Vivian, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Hastings East, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Hastings East in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Roscoe Robson, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Hastings East, duly resigned his seat in the said Legislative Assembly, Lloyd H. Price, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected, unopposed, as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Twenty-eighth day of August, 1958, which is now lodged of record in my office.

RODERICK LEWIS,
Chief Election Officer.

Toronto, January 28th, 1959.

Lloyd H. Price, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Hastings East, having taken the Oaths and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

The Prime Minister expressed the welcome of his Party to Mr. Wintermeyer as Leader of Her Majesty's Loyal Opposition. In so doing he paid tribute to Opposition Leaders of the past, with particular reference to Mr. Oliver, Member for Grey South. Mr. Wintermeyer replied, and Mr. MacDonald added his congratulations.

The following Petitions were brought up, laid on the Table, read and received:

By Mr. Rankin, the Petition of The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of the Anglican Church of Canada praying that an Act may pass enabling it to sell and convey lands and personalty; also, the Petition of Royal Military College of Canada praying that an Act may pass granting it power to confer degrees.

By Mr. Parry, the Petition of The Ontario Threshermen's Mutual Fire Insurance Company praying that an Act may pass permitting it to insure agricultural property and to insure against supplementary perils.

By Mr. Lyons, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie praying that an Act may pass permitting any deficit of The Sault Ste. Marie Transportation Commission to be included in the City's budget; also, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Michipicoten praying that an Act may pass authorizing the erection of residential accommodation for police personnel.

By Mr. Wintermeyer, the Petition of the Corporation of St. Jerome's College praying that an Act may pass erecting the said College into a University with the usual powers; also, the Petition of the Corporation of The Evangelical Lutheran Seminary of Canada praying that an Act may pass erecting it into a University with the name "Waterloo Lutheran University"; also, the Petition of the Corporation of Waterloo College Associate Faculties praying that an Act may pass erecting it into a University with the name "University of Waterloo".

By Mr. Kennedy, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Toronto praying that an Act may pass providing that capital cost of sewage plants and cost of maintenance thereof shall be levied on the rateable property in the Township.

By Mr. Auld, the Petition of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford Estate praying that an Act may pass empowering it to invest in securities in which insurance companies may invest.

By Mr. Murdoch, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Pelee praying that an Act may pass authorizing an agreement with Her Majesty in the Right of Canada for the operation by the Corporation of a ferry service between the island, the mainland of Ontario and the State of Ohio.

By Mr. Herbert, the Petition of The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Timmins praying that an Act may pass clarifying the powers of the Corporation, particularly with respect to the holding of real estate.

By Mr. Lavergne, the Petition of The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Ottawa praying that an Act may pass exempting the lands from taxation.

By Mr. Guindon, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Alfred praying that an Act may pass confirming its assessments, assessment by-laws, tax levies, etc.; also, the Petition of the Corporation of The Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Quebec praying that an Act may pass empowering it to hold lands in Ontario.

By Mr. Sandercock, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Belleville praying that an Act may pass enlarging the City Council.

By Mr. Hall, the Petition of Royal Botanical Gardens altering the composition of the Board.

By Mr. Scott, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Peterborough praying that an Act may pass authorizing a five-year franchise to Border Transit Limited for the operation of a municipal bus service.

By Mr. Dunbar, the Petition of the University of Ottawa praying that an Act may pass empowering it to expropriate certain lands; also, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Ottawa praying that an Act may pass enabling the City to borrow money on debentures to pay the deficit of the Ottawa Transportation Commission; and for other purposes.

By Mr. Jackson, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of London praying that an Act may pass empowering it to close certain streets; and for other purposes.

By Mr. Cowling, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Owen Sound praying that an Act may pass authorizing the fluoridation of the municipal water supply.

By Mr. Mackenzie, the Petition of the Corporation of the Synod of Hamilton and London of The Presbyterian Church of Canada Limited praying that an Act may pass enlarging the powers of the Corporation and deleting the word "Limited" from its corporate name.

By Mr. Whicher, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Chesley praying that an Act may pass confirming the purchase of an industrial site.

By Mr. Johnston (Simcoe Centre), the Petition of The Royal Victoria Hospital of Barrie praying that an Act may pass authorizing municipal grants in aid of the hospital; also, the Petition of the Corporation of the Village of Wasaga Beach praying that an Act may pass enabling the municipal election to be held in summer months.

By Mr. Foote, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Bowmanville praying that an Act may pass confirming a debenture by-law for sidewalks, watermains and sanitary sewers.

By Mr. Grossman, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Toronto praying that an Act may pass validating a by-law respecting the Toronto Police Benefit Fund; and for other purposes.

By Mr. Griesinger, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Windsor praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Corporation to refund certain taxes collected in error; and for other purposes.

By Mr. Worton, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Guleph praying that an Act may pass authorizing it to increase the membership of the Guelph Memorial Gardens Commission; and for other purposes.

By Mr. Jolley, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Stamford praying that an Act may pass confirming an Agreement with the Optimist Club of Niagara Falls for lease of lands for the erection of a Youth Centre.

By Mr. Edwards, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Mount Forest praying that an Act may pass validating a by-law for sewer rates.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That during the present Session of the Legislative Assembly provision be made for the taking and printing of reports of debates and speeches and to that end that Mr. Speaker be authorized to employ an editor of debates and speeches and the necessary stenographers at such rates of compensation as may be agreed to by him; also, that Mr. Speaker be authorized to arrange for the printing of the reports in the amount of twelve hundred copies daily, copies of such printed reports to be supplied to the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, to Mr. Speaker, to the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, to the Legislative Library, to each Member of the Assembly, to the Reference Libraries of the Province, to the Press Gallery, to the newspapers of the Province as approved by Mr. Speaker, and the balance to be distributed by the Clerk of the Assembly as directed by Mr. Speaker.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That Standing Committees of this House for the present Session be appointed for the following purposes: 1. On Agriculture; 2. On Conservation; 3. On Education; 4. On Game and Fish; 5. On Government Commissions; 6. On Health; 7. On Highway Safety; 8. On Labour; 9. On Lands and Forests; 10. On Legal Bills; 11. On Mining; 12. On Municipal Law; 13. On Printing; 14. On Private Bills; 15. On Privileges and Elections; 16. On Public Accounts; 17. On Standing Orders; 18. On Travel and Publicity.

Which said Committees shall severally be empowered to examine and enquire into all such matters and things as shall be referred to them by the House, and to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon, with power to send for persons, papers and records.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That a Select Committee of thirteen Members be appointed to prepare and report with all convenient despatch lists of the members to compose the Standing Committees ordered by the House, such Committee to be composed as follows:

Messrs. Chaput, Child, Elliott, Fishleigh, Gordon, Johnston (Carleton), Jolley, Mackenzie, Morrow, Price (St. David), Stewart (Parkdale), Sutton and Thomas.

The quorum of the said Committee to consist of four members.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Wintermeyer,

Ordered, That Mr. Murdoch, the Member for the Electoral District of Essex South, be appointed as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House for the present Session.

On motion by Mr. Frost, the House resolved itself into a committee to enable Mr. Murdoch to express his thanks to the House for his election as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House for the present Session.

The Prime Minister paid tribute to the late Dr. John Arthur McCue, late Member for Lanark. He also expressed the sorrow of the House on the tragic death of the daughter and son-in-law of Mr. Kennedy, Member for Peel.

Mr. Wintermeyer gave notice of intention to move the adjournment of the House to discuss Unemployment as a definite matter of urgent public importance. Mr. Speaker stated he would take it under advisement, and deliver his ruling in due course.

The House then adjourned at 4.40 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

3. *Mr. Wintermeyer*—Resolution—It is the opinion of this House that, because the health of the people of Ontario is one of the prime responsibilities of the Government of Ontario, and because hospital insurance makes provision for only one phase of health care, this Legislature approve the expansion of hospitalization insurance to include medical services.

1. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—For each of the years 1956, 1957 and 1958: (a) How many motor vehicles were purchased by all Government Departments, Commissions and Boards; (b) How many vehicles of each make were purchased by each Department, each Commission and each Board; (c) How many of these vehicles were of foreign manufacture; (d) In view of unemployment in the automobile industry in Ontario will it now be the policy of the Ministry to purchase Canadian-made cars exclusively.

2. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the 1958 revenue and expenditure for each of the following departments of the Toronto Stock Yards: (1) cattle; (2) small stock (sheep, lambs and calves); (3) hogs.

3. *Mr. Thomas*—Enquiry of the Ministry—(a) What is the rental paid for the motor vehicle licensing bureau opened in the new shopping centre in Oshawa last December; (b) How many employees have been hired on a full-time basis; (c) What is their remuneration; (d) How many employees have been hired on a part-time basis; (e) What is their remuneration; (f) What is the expiry date of the lease.

4. *Mr. Thomas*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the cost of advertising by the H.E.P.C. for the year 1958 for: (a) CBC radio; (b) CBC television; (c) Other television networks; (d) Other radio networks; (e) Newspapers, magazines and other publications.

5. *Mr. Thomas*—Enquiry of the Ministry—(a) How much did the Liquor Control Board pay for the parcel of land, located on the corner of Richmond Street West, Oshawa; (b) What is the size of the lot; (c) Who were the previous owners; (d) When is construction to begin.

THIRD DAY

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were brought up, laid on the Table, read and received:

By Mr. Mapledoram, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Port Arthur praying that an Act may pass confirming a debenture by-law.

By Mr. Graham, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of North York praying that an Act may pass authorizing it to pass by-laws to provide for the addition of lands to presently existing street lighting areas; and for other purposes.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That commencing on Friday next, January 30th, and thereafter on each Friday of the present Session of the Assembly, this House shall meet at two of the clock in the afternoon, and that the provisions of Rule Number 2 of the Assembly be suspended so far as they might apply to this motion.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 2, An Act to amend The Public Schools Act. *Mr. Dunlop.*

Bill No. 3, An Act to amend The Schools Administration Act, 1954. *Mr. Dunlop.*

Bill No. 4, An Act to amend The Secondary Schools and Boards of Education Act, 1954. *Mr. Dunlop.*

Bill No. 5, An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act. *Mr. Dunlop.*

Bill No. 6, An Act to amend The Air Pollution Control Act, 1958. *Mr. Dymond.*

Before the Orders of the Day Mr. Yaremko made a statement with respect to the demerit point system to be instituted in Ontario in connection with motor vehicle driving offences. In the course of his statement he made reference to the decision of a Judge of the Supreme Court of Ontario declaring the careless driving section of The Highway Traffic Act ultra vires, and stated that as this decision is being appealed the registration of convictions would be postponed to the 31st March, 1959, but that it would be conducted on a trial basis from the 1st February to the 31st March.

The Order of the Day for the Consideration of the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session having been read,

Mr. Jackson moved, seconded by Mr. Brunelle,

That an humble Address be presented to the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

*To the Honourable J. Keiller Mackay, D.S.O., V.D., LL.D.,
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.*

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

And a debate having ensued, it was, on motion by Mr. Wintermeyer,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Public Accounts of the Province of Ontario for the Fiscal Year ended 31st March, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 1.*)

Report of the Provincial Auditor, Ontario, 1957-58. (*Sessional Paper No. 3.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

6. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names of the members of the Metro Licensing Commission. By whom are they appointed. 2. How many Metro Taxi Owner Licenses have been transferred from one owner to another. In each case at what price were they transferred and to whom. 3. Did the Commission investigate sales agreements or transfer agreements made at prices which it considered exorbitant. 4. Were any agreements re-written on the instruction of the Commission for the above, or for any other reason. 5. In the case of each such agreement thus changed or re-written on the direction of the Commission, what was the original price and what was the adjusted price finally approved by the Commission. 6. What are the names of the solicitors who acted for clients in either the sale or the purchase of taxi owner licenses and in how many sales or transfers did each solicitor act. 7. Has the Commission taken any steps to make sure that used taxis are not sold to the public as ordinary used cars. 8. Were all taxi owners notified and given a chance to appear before the Commission in connection with the recent 10c. increase.

7. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What private technical firm has been hired as advisor to the Fuel Board. 2. What retainer is it paid.

FOURTH DAY

FRIDAY, JANUARY 30TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was brought up, laid on the Table, read and received:

By Mr. Herbert, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Teck praying that an Act may pass authorizing it to fluoridate its water supply.

Mr. Chaput, from the Select Committee appointed to prepare the lists of Members to compose the Standing Committees of the House, presented the Committee's report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee recommends that the Standing Committees ordered by the House be composed as follows:—

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

Messrs. Allen (Middlesex South), Auld, Belisle, Boyer, Brunelle, Child, Connell, Edwards, Fullerton, Gomme, Guindon, Hall, Hamilton, Hanna, Herbert, Innes, Janes, Johnston (Parry Sound), Johnston (Simcoe Centre), Johnston (Carleton), Kennedy, Lavergne, Letherby, Lyons, MacDonald, Mackenzie, MacNaughton, Manley, Morningstar, Murdoch, Myers, McNeil, Nixon, Oliver, Parry, Price (Hastings East), Rankin, Root, Sandercock, Scott, Spence, Stewart (Middlesex North), Sutton, Whicher, Whitney, Wintermeyer—46.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON CONSERVATION

Messrs. Allen (Middlesex South), Belisle, Brunelle, Cowling, Elliott, Gisborn, Gordon, Griesinger, Guindon, Hamilton, Hall, Innes, Jackson, Janes, Johnston (Carleton), Kennedy, Lavergne, Letherby, Lewis, MacDonald, Mackenzie, MacNaughton, Manley, Mapledoram, Monaghan, Murdoch, Myers, McNeil, Oliver, Price (Hastings East), Root, Rowntree, Sandercock, Spence, Stewart (Middlesex North), Stewart (Parkdale), Sutton, Wintermeyer—38.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five members.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Messrs. Auld, Beckett, Boyer, Brunelle, Chaput, Child, Collings, Cowling, Davies, Edwards, Fishleigh, Graham, Griesinger, Guindon, Jackson, Innes, Janes, Johnston (Simcoe Centre), Johnston (Carleton), Jolley, Kerr, Lavergne, Lawrence, Letherby, MacDonald, MacNaughton, Maloney, Monaghan, Mapledoram, Morin,

Morrow, Murdoch, Myers, McNeil, Oliver, Parry, Price (Hastings East), Price (St. David), Rankin, Reaume, Spence, Stewart (Middlesex North), Thomas, Whicher, Wintermeyer, Worton, Wren—47.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON GAME AND FISH

Messrs. Allen (Middlesex South), Belisle, Boyer, Brunelle, Chaput, Child, Connell, Cowling, Elliott, Fullerton, Gisborn, Gordon, Guindon, Hall, Hamilton, Herbert, Innes, Jackson, Johnston (Parry Sound), Johnston (Simcoe Centre), Johnston (Carleton), Jolley, Kerr, Lavergne, Lawrence, Letherby, Lewis, Lyons, MacDonald, Mackenzie, Manley, Mapledoram, Morningstar, Morrow, Murdoch, Myers, McNeil, Nixon, Noden, Rankin, Price (Hastings East), Sandercock, Scott, Spence, Stewart (Middlesex North), Sutton, Thomas, Whicher, Whitney, Wintermeyer, Wren—51.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT COMMISSIONS

Messrs. Auld, Beckett, Chaput, Child, Cowling, Fishleigh, Frost (Bracondale), Graham, Grossman, Griesinger, Guindon, Hall, Jackson, Janes, Johnston (Carleton), Johnston (Parry Sound), Jolley, Kerr, Lewis, Macaulay, MacDonald, Morrow, Murdoch, McNeil, Nixon, Noden, Oliver, Price (St. David), Reaume, Rowntree, Sandercock, Sutton, Whicher, Whitney, Wintermeyer—35.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five members.

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

Messrs. Auld, Boyer, Brunelle, Child, Cowling, Davies, Edwards, Elliott, Fishleigh, Foote, Frost (Bracondale), Fullerton, Graham, Grossman, Griesinger, Guindon, Hanna, Johnston (Parry Sound), Johnston (Simcoe Centre), Johnston (Carleton), Jolley, Kerr, Letherby, Lewis, MacDonald, Mackenzie, MacNaughton, Mapledoram, Monaghan, Morin, Morningstar, Morrow, Murdoch, McNeil, Oliver, Parry, Price (St. David), Reaume, Root, Rowntree, Spence, Stewart (Middlesex North), Stewart (Parkdale), Sutton, Thomas, Whicher, Wintermeyer, Worton—48.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON HIGHWAY SAFETY

Messrs. Auld, Beckett, Belisle, Boyer, Brunelle, Cass, Child, Cowling, Davies, Edwards, Elliott, Fishleigh, Fullerton, Gordon, Graham, Griesinger, Grossman, Guindon, Hall, Hanna, Innes, Jackson, Janes, Johnston (Parry Sound), Johnston (Carleton), Kerr, Lavergne, Letherby, Lewis, MacDonald, Mackenzie, Manley, Monaghan, Morrow, Murdoch, Noden, Parry, Price (Hastings East), Price (St. David), Reaume, Robarts, Rowntree, Sandercock, Scott, Stewart (Parkdale), Sutton, Thomas, Whitney, Wintermeyer, Worton, Wren, Yaremko—52.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON LABOUR

Messrs. Belisle, Brunelle, Cass, Child, Collings, Elliott, Fishleigh, Fullerton, Gisborn, Gomme, Gordon, Griesinger, Grossman, Herbert, Jackson, Jolley, Lavergne, Lawrence, Lewis, Macaulay, MacDonald, Maloney, Mapledoram, Monaghan, Morningstar, Murdoch, Noden, Oliver, Price (St. David), Reaume, Robarts, Wardrope, Wintermeyer, Worton, Wren, Yaremko—36

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five members.

COMMITTEE ON LANDS AND FORESTS

Messrs. Allen (Middlesex South), Belisle, Boyer, Brunelle, Chaput, Elliott, Frost (Bracondale), Fullerton, Gomme, Gordon, Graham, Griesinger, Guindon, Hamilton, Herbert, Innes, Jackson, Johnston (Carleton), Johnston (Parry Sound), Johnston (Simcoe Centre), Lavergne, Letherby, Lyons, MacDonald, Mackenzie, Monaghan, Mapledoram, Morrow, Murdoch, Myers, McNeil, Noden, Price (St. David), Sandercock, Scott, Spence, Stewart (Middlesex North), Sutton, Thomas, Wardrope, Wintermeyer, Worton, Wren—43.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON LEGAL BILLS

Messrs. Beckett, Cass, Hall, Herbert, Lawrence, Macaulay, MacDonald, Maloney, Myers, Nixon, Noden, Oliver, Parry, Price (St. David), Rankin, Robarts, Rowntree, Thomas, Wintermeyer, Worton, Yaremko—21.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five members.

COMMITTEE ON MINING

Messrs. Beckett, Belisle, Boyer, Brunelle, Elliott, Fishleigh, Fullerton, Gisborn, Gordon, Hanna, Herbert, Janes, Johnston (Parry Sound), Jolley, Lavergne, Lyons, MacDonald, Mackenzie, Manley, Mapledoram, Monaghan, Morin, Morrow, Murdoch, Nixon, Noden, Price (Hastings East), Price (St. David), Rowntree, Sandercock, Sutton, Wardrope, Wintermeyer, Worton, Wren—35.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five members.

COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL LAW

Messrs. Allen (Middlesex South), Auld, Beckett, Boyer, Cass, Child, Collings, Cowling, Edwards, Fishleigh, Frost (Bracondale), Gomme, Graham, Grossman, Guindon, Hamilton, Jackson, Janes, Johnston (Carleton), Kennedy, Kerr, Lavergne, Lawrence, Lewis, Macaulay, MacDonald, Mackenzie, Maloney, Manley, Monaghan, Morin, Murdoch, Myers, McNeil, Oliver, Price (St. David), Rankin, Reaume, Robarts, Rowntree, Scott, Spence, Stewart (Middlesex North), Stewart (Parkdale), Sutton, Thomas, Whicher, Whitney, Wintermeyer, Worton, Yaremko—51.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON PRINTING

Messrs. Auld, Allen (Middlesex South), Boyer, Child, Davies, Fishleigh, Frost (Bracondale), Fullerton, Gisborn, Gomme, Gordon, Graham, Grossman, Hamilton, Johnston (Carleton), Johnston (Simcoe Centre), MacDonald, Manley, Monaghan, Morin, Murdoch, Parry, Sutton, Whitney, Wintermeyer—25.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five members.

COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE BILLS

Messrs. Allen (Middlesex South), Auld, Beckett, Boyer, Child, Chaput, Collings, Cowling, Edwards, Elliott, Fishleigh, Frost (Bracondale), Gomme, Gordon, Graham, Griesinger, Grossman, Guindon, Hall, Hamilton, Hanna, Innes, Jackson, Janes, Johnston (Carleton), Johnston (Simcoe Centre), Jolley, Kennedy, Kerr, Lyons, Lavergne, Lawrence, MacDonald, Mackenzie, MacNaughton, Manley, Mapledoram, Monaghan, Morin, Morningstar, Morrow, Murdoch, Myers, McNeil, Nixon, Oliver, Parry, Price (Hastings East), Price (St. David), Rankin, Reaume, Rowntree, Sandercock, Scott, Stewart (Middlesex North), Stewart (Parkdale), Sutton, Thomas, Whitney, Wintermeyer, Wren—61.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS

Messrs. Child, Davies, Edwards, Fishleigh, Grossman, Johnston (Carleton), Kerr, Lavergne, MacDonald, Morningstar, Morrow, Murdoch, Nixon, Stewart (Parkdale), Thomas, Wintermeyer—16.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five members.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Messrs. Auld, Beckett, Collings, Cowling, Davies, Edwards, Elliott, Fishleigh, Frost (Bracondale), Graham, Grossman, Guindon, Hall, Hanna, Janes, Johnston (Parry Sound), Kerr, Lawrence, Lavergne, Letherby, Lyons, MacDonald, MacNaughton, Monaghan, Murdoch, Myers, Nixon, Noden, Oliver, Parry, Sandercock, Stewart (Parkdale), Scott, Sutton, Thomas, Whicher, Whitney, Wintermeyer, Worton, Wren—40.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven members.

COMMITTEE ON STANDING ORDERS

Messrs. Allen (Middlesex South), Auld, Belisle, Davies, Edwards, Elliott, Fishleigh, Frost (Bracondale), Fullerton, Gisborn, Gordon, Graham, Hall, Hanna, Kerr, Lavergne, Lyons, MacDonald, MacNaughton, Manley, Murdoch, Oliver, Rankin, Sutton, Wintermeyer, Worton—26.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five members.

COMMITTEE ON TRAVEL AND PUBLICITY

Messrs. Auld, Beckett, Belisle, Boyer, Chaput, Child, Cowling, Edwards, Elliott, Fishleigh, Frost (Bracondale), Fullerton, Gordon, Graham, Griesinger, Grossman, Guindon, Hanna, Johnston (Parry Sound), Jolley, Lawrence, Letherby, Lewis, Lyons, MacDonald, Mackenzie, MacNaughton, Mapledoram, Morin, Murdoch, Noden, Price (Hastings East), Reaume, Sandercock, Stewart (Parkdale), Thomas, Wardrope, Whitney, Wintermeyer, Worton, Wren—41.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five members.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next:—

Bill No. 7, An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 8, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 9, An Act to amend The Bills of Sale and Chattel Mortgages Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 10, An Act to amend The Coroners Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 11, An Act to amend The Crown Witnesses Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 12, An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 13, An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 14, An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 15, An Act to amend The Lightning Rods Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 16, An Act to amend The Loan and Trust Corporations Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 17, An Act to amend The Magistrates Act, 1952. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 18, An Act to amend The Mental Incompetency Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 19, An Act to amend The Private Investigators Act, 1958. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 20, An Act to amend The Training Schools Act. *Mr. Wardrope.*

Bill No. 21, An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act. *Mr. Spooner.*

Bill No. 22, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Wilderness Areas. *Mr. Spooner.*

Bill No. 23, An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act, 1957. *Mr. Cass.*

Before the Orders of the Day, Mr. Daley made a statement to the House with respect to a statement he gave to the Press on Thursday last. In it he announced that the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission had purchased the Whirlpool Rapids and Queenston-Lewiston Bridges.

An item appearing in the Globe and Mail this morning made it appear that these Bridges had been purchased by the Province out of public moneys. Mr. Daley expressed the wish to make it clear that this was not the case, but that the Bridges were purchased by the Commission financed by revenue bonds issued for the purpose which will be retired entirely from the revenue from users of the Bridges.

He reviewed the formation of the Commission, explaining that it is a joint Commission appointed by the Province of Ontario and the State of New York, and the cost of these and other Bridges owned by the Commission is in no way charged to taxpayers of Ontario or of New York.

The Prime Minister amplified Mr. Daley's statement.

Before the Orders of the Day, Mr. Speaker delivered the following Ruling:—

On Wednesday last, Mr. Wintermeyer moved, seconded by Mr. Oliver, that the House be adjourned to discuss a matter of urgent public importance, viz., the unemployment situation in Ontario.

At that time I advised the House that I would take the matter under consideration and give my decision in due course.

I have looked thoroughly into this matter and, in my opinion, I must refuse this motion on two grounds.

According to the rules as approved by this House such a motion is only in order if the subject matter is definite, urgent and of public importance. I refer you to Rule 38, and to Lewis' Parliamentary Procedure in Ontario, pages 39 and 40. On page 40, you will see that the Speaker may decline to receive such a motion if the subject is one which should be discussed at an early date in the Debate on the motion for an Address in reply to the Speech of His Honour, the Lieutenant-Governor, the Debate on the Budget, or some other business now before the House.

I find that while the general question of unemployment is urgent and of public importance, it is general and not definite. Some specific instance would, of necessity, be the subject matter of such a motion.

Moreover, as the question of unemployment was referred to very fully in the Speech from the Throne, ample opportunity will be afforded at a very early date for a full debate on this subject.

On Mr. Wintermeyer appealing, Mr. Speaker's Ruling was sustained on the following Division:—

YEAS

Allan (Haldimand-Norfolk)	Grossman	Parry
Beckett	Guindon	Phillips
Boyer	Hall	Price (Hastings East)
Brunelle	Hamilton	Price (St. David)
Cass	Herbert	Robarts
Chaput	Janes	Root
Collings	Johnston (Parry Sound)	Rowntree
Connell	Johnston (Carleton)	Sandercock
Cowling	Kerr	Scott
Daley	Lawrence	Spooner
Davies	Lewis	Stewart (Middlesex North)
Dunlop	Lyons	Stewart (Parkdale)
Edwards	Macaulay	Sutton
Fishleigh	Mackenzie	Wardrope
Foote	Murdoch	Whitney
Frost (Bracondale)	McNeil	Yaremko—52.
Fullerton	Nickle	
Graham	Noden	

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Gordon	Nixon	Worton
Innes	Spence	Wren—10.
MacDonald	Thomas	
Manley	Wintermeyer	

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Thirteenth Annual Report of the Department of Travel and Publicity, Ontario, for the calendar year 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 38.*)

The House then adjourned at 3.15 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

8. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—During 1957 and 1958 what electric energy was disposed of by the H. E. P. C. of Ontario to the following groups, and what was the total revenue derived from each: (a) Municipal systems for resale; (b) Industrial customers (direct); (c) Rural areas.

FIFTH DAY

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was brought up, laid on the Table, read and received:—

By Mr. Innes, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Woodstock praying that an Act may pass authorizing a reduction in the number of aldermen from ten to eight.

Mr. Monaghan, from the Standing Committee on Printing, presented the Committee's First Report, which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has been advised that approximately 300 additional copies of the Stenographic Reports of Debates and Speeches will be required to make full distribution to Ontario Weekly Newspapers.

In addition your Committee has been advised that the public subscription to these Reports appears to be increasing for this present Session.

Your Committee therefore recommends that Mr. Speaker be authorized to arrange for the printing of an additional 400 copies daily of these Reports.

Mr. Maloney, from the Select Committee appointed on March 26th, 1958, to examine into and report regarding the operation and administration of The Labour Relations Act in all of its aspects, presented the Committee's Report. (*Sessional Paper No. 55.*)

And a debate arising, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Rowntree,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Before the adjournment of the House, Mr. Wintermeyer, rising on a point of personal privilege, explained to the House his position with respect to the purchase and sale by him of stock in the Northern Ontario Natural Gas Company to which references had been made in several newspapers.

The House then adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

9. *Mr. Gisborn*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What method of selection and hiring was used to engage the personnel collecting tolls on the Burlington Skyway. 2. What are their names and addresses. 3. What are their scheduled hours of work. 4. What are their salaries.

SIXTH DAY

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3RD, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was brought up, laid on the Table, read and received:—

By Mr. Rowntree, the Petition for the incorporation of York University.

On Motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That the name of Mr. Root be added to the lists of the following Standing Committees:—On Education; On Government Commissions; On Highway Safety; On Municipal Law; On Private Bills; On Travel and Publicity.

Before the Orders of the Day the Prime Minister made a statement with respect to the Ontario portion of the Trans-Canada Pipe Line, in the course of which he informed the House that it had been unnecessary to use the authority granted to the Government by The Northern Ontario Pipe Line Act, 1956; that no part of the loan authorized had in fact been necessary, nor had any pledge on the credit of the Province.

Also before the Orders of the Day, the Honourable Mr. Wardrope, Minister of Reform Institutions, informed the House of representations made by his Department on behalf of Kenneth William Brymer, the youth against whom extradition proceedings by the State of Florida are pending.

Mr. Wardrope also informed the House that his Department had been advised that adequate supplies of Salk anti-polio vaccine are now available for the treatment of all inmates of Reform Institutions, and that arrangements are

being completed for a supply to be on hand at the Institutions within the next few days. He stated that this vaccine has been available in the Training Schools for some time.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed, and, after some time,

Mr. Wintermeyer moved, seconded by Mr. Oliver,

That the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor now before the House be amended by adding thereto the following words:—

“But this House regrets the government has failed to:

1. Take effective action to relieve unemployment in Ontario.
2. Recognize that a technological revolution is creating human and social dislocation by virtue of automation and new methods of marketing that require new forms of security for workmen and new means of working out labour-management problems.
3. Discharge its elementary responsibility to protect lives and property by its failure to take adequate precautions for the distribution of natural gas within the province.
4. Meet its primary obligation to assure an adequate supply of academically qualified, well-trained teachers for our schools, and to finance its proper share of the total cost of education.
5. Meet the challenge of increasing urbanization and the changing nature of provincial-municipal relations by not convening a provincial-municipal conference to redefine responsibilities and re-allocate revenues.
6. Assist adequately an agricultural industry in the greatest period of adjustment in its history in this province.
7. Provide the leadership required for a planned, co-ordinated development of Ontario's northland.”

And it was, on motion by Mr. Frost (Victoria),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

During the course of his remarks, Mr. Wintermeyer Tabled a collection of documents relative to the Toll of Deaths and Injuries from Natural Gas Explosions. (*Sessional Paper No. 57.*)

The Minister of Mines Tabled the Report of a Special Committee of experts appointed by the Department of Mines to investigate mining practices at Elliot Lake. (*Sessional Paper No. 56.*)

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Board of Governors of the University of Toronto for the year ending June 30th, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 10.*)

Report of the Minister of Public Works, Ontario, for the twelve months ending the 31st of March, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 14.*)

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

SEVENTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 24, An Act to amend The Public Libraries Act. *Mr. Dunlop.*

Bill No. 25, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act, 1952. *Mr. Spooner.*

Bill No. 26, An Act to amend The Forestry Act, 1952. *Mr. Spooner.*

Bill No. 27, An Act to amend The Provincial Parks Act, 1958. *Mr. Spooner.*

Bill No. 28, An Act to amend The Department of Travel and Publicity Act. *Mr. Cathcart.*

Bill No. 29, An Act to amend The Archaeological and Historic Sites Protection Act, 1953. *Mr. Cathcart.*

Before the Orders of the Day, the Honourable Mr. Maloney, Minister of Mines, announced the early opening of a new iron mining operation on the property of Lowphos Ore Limited at Moose Mountain near Milnet, which will produce about 550,000 tons of high grade iron concentrates annually, and employ about 170 men.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time,

During the course of his participation in the Debate, the Honourable Mr. Frost Tabled copies of Press Releases relating to the Northern Ontario Natural Gas Company investigation and correspondence relating to the resignations from his Cabinet of Mr. Griesinger and Mr. Mapledoram. (*Sessional Paper No. 58.*)

The Debate continued and, after some time, on motion by Mr. MacDonald,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Financial Statement of the Settlers' Loan Commissioner for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 39.*)

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

10. *Mr. Nixon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Re Auditor's statement page 24, Liquor Control Board Investment—\$22,860,754. 1. What amount is in "Fixed Assets". 2. How many L.C.B.O. stores in the province are the property of the Board. 3. How many are rented. 4. Where are the stores owned by the Board located and what was the total cost of land and construction of each. 5. Did the Department of Public Works build these stores or has the L.C.B.O. its own organization for this purpose. 6. How is the amount of profit retained by the L.C.B.O. each year determined and what is the statutory authority for this practice.

EIGHTH DAY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Belisle, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the Committee's First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the Notices, as published in each case, sufficient:—

Petition of The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of Canada praying that an Act may pass enabling it to sell and convey lands and personalty.

Petition of The Ontario Threshermen's Mutual Fire Insurance Company praying that an Act may pass permitting it to insure agricultural property and to insure against supplementary perils.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Sault Ste. Marie praying that an Act may pass permitting any deficit of The Sault Ste. Marie Transportation Commission to be included in the city's budget.

Petition of the Corporation of St. Jerome's College praying that an Act may pass erecting the said College into a University with the usual powers.

Petition of The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Timmins praying that an Act may pass clarifying the powers of the Corporation particularly with respect to the holding of real estate.

Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Alfred praying that an Act may pass confirming its assessments, assessment by-laws, tax levies, etc.

Petition of the Corporation of Waterloo College Associate Faculties praying that an Act may pass erecting it into a University with the name "The University of Waterloo".

Petition of the Corporation of The Evangelical Lutheran Seminary of Canada praying that an Act may pass erecting it into a University with the name "Waterloo Lutheran University".

Petition of Royal Botanical Gardens altering the composition of the Board.

Petition of the Corporation of the Synod of Hamilton and London of The Presbyterian Church in Canada Limited praying that an Act may pass enlarging the powers of the Corporation and deleting the word "Limited" from its Corporate name.

Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Chesley praying that an Act may pass confirming the purchase of an industrial site.

Petition of the Corporation of The Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Quebec praying that an Act may pass empowering it to hold lands in Ontario.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Guelph praying that an Act may pass authorizing it to increase the membership of the Guelph Memorial Gardens Commission; and for other purposes.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Port Arthur praying that an Act may pass confirming a debenture by-law.

Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Mount Forest praying that an Act may pass validating a by-law for sewer rates.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Goodfellow,

Ordered, That Mr. Brunelle be added to the Committee on Travel and Publicity, and Mr. MacNaughton to the Committee on Government Commissions.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Commissioners of Estate Bills:—

Bill No. Pr1, An Act respecting The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of Canada. *Mr. Rankin.*

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills:—

Bill No. Pr3, An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie. *Mr. Lyons.*

Bill No. Pr4, An Act respecting St. Jerome's College. *Mr. Wintermeyer.*

Bill No. Pr9, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Timmins. *Mr. Herbert.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time,

Mr. MacDonald moved, seconded by Mr. Thomas,

That the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor now before the House be amended by adding thereto the following:—

“And this House further regrets that the Government has failed:

To build a publicly-owned fully-integrated distribution system for natural gas so as to provide power at cost in accordance with the

time-honoured principle on which Hydro has been built, thereby reducing present consumer prices”.

Following the moving of the amendment to the amendment the Prime Minister rose to a Matter of Personal Privilege respecting allegations made by Mr. MacDonald in the course of his remarks.

And it was,

On motion by Mr. Foote,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Seventy-second Annual Report of The Niagara Parks Commission for the fiscal year ending October 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 45.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

11. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is Mr. C. V. Charters, of Charters Publishing Co. Ltd., a member of the Ontario Hospital Services Commission, and if so, what salary does he receive as Commissioner. 2. Has the Ontario Hospital Services Commission placed printing orders with the Charters Publishing Company Ltd., and if so, what is: (a) the total amount paid to the Charters Publishing Company Ltd. to date; (b) the total amount contracted for but not paid to date. 3. Will Charters Publishing Co. Ltd. be permitted to tender on future O.H.S.C. contracts. 4. Is the administration of the O.H.S.C. to be kept free of politics and patronage.

NINTH DAY

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were brought up, laid on the Table, read and received:

Mr. Johnston (Simcoe Centre), the Petition of the Corporation of the County of Simcoe and the Corporation of the City of Barrie praying that an

Act may pass confirming an agreement for the payment by the City to the County for services in the year 1959.

By Mr. Rankin, the Petition of the City of Kingston and Queen's University praying that an Act may pass authorizing them to subscribe for and hold shares in a company to be formed for the purpose of acquiring certain mining lands and mining rights in Kingston Harbour; and for other purposes.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next:—

Bill No. 30, An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act. *Mr. Dunlop.*

Bill No. 31, An Act to amend The Public Lands Act. *Mr. Spooner.*

Bill No. 32, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Regulations. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 33, The Bulk Sales Act, 1959. *Mr. Roberts.*

Before the Orders of the Day, the Honourable Mr. Roberts, Attorney-General, announced to the House that, in view of the decision of the Supreme Court of Canada with respect to the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, all charges pending against other corporations for similar alleged infractions of The Lord's Day Act would be dropped.

Also before the Orders of the Day, Mr. Wintermeyer, Mr. MacDonald and Mr. Oliver directed questions to the Prime Minister and the Attorney-General, relative to the Northern Ontario Natural Gas Company enquiry.

Also before the Orders of the Day, the Prime Minister made an announcement relating to the participation of the Princess Margaret Hospital with the Department of Medical Biophysics which has recently been established by the University of Toronto in its research into the effects of radiation on biological systems.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Grossman,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Commissioner of Agricultural Loans for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 23.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.20 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

12. *Mr. Oliver*—Enquiry of the Ministry—How much money has The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario spent in countries other than Canada for equipment in each of the years 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1958. 2. What portion of this outlay was for equipment that can be manufactured in Canada.

13. *Mr. Manley*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What members of the Legislature are in receipt of emoluments, commissions, fees and so forth from government boards, commissions or agencies beyond their sessional indemnities. 2. How much has each member receiving such emoluments, commissions, fees and so forth, received in each of the years 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1958; and 3. From what source or sources.

14. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lawyer members of the cabinet still carry on private law practice. 2. What are the names of the firms of which they are members. 3. How many estates did these firms handle with the Succession Duties Branch of the Treasury Department in each of the years 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958. 4. What was the original assessment of succession duty tax due on the estate of the late J. S. MacLean. 5. Was this assessment reduced. 6. How much was ultimately paid. 7. Who authorized the reduction.

15. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lawyers have represented clients before the Liquor Licence Board in each of the years 1956, 1957 and 1958. 2. How many clients did each represent in each year. 3. How many clients has Goodman and Goodman, or E. A. Goodman, Q.C., represented in 1956, 1957 and 1958.

16. *Mr. Innes*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On what date in 1958 did contract negotiations commence between The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario and the Ontario Hydro employees' union. 2. On what date was a settlement reached. 3. In the course of the negotiations did the Hydro employees' union request a meeting with Hydro Chairman James Duncan and, if so, on what date did they make their request. 4. On what date did Mr. Duncan meet with the employees' union representatives.

TENTH DAY

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were brought up, laid on the Table, read and received:

By Mr. Grossman, the Supplementary Petition of the Corporation of the City of Toronto praying for the addition to its Private Bill of a section exempting Rosary Hall, 264 Bloor Street East, Toronto, from taxes other than local improvement rates.

By Mr. Lawrence, the Petition of The Gairdner Foundation praying that an Act may pass enabling it to hold land in perpetuity whether mortgaged or not and to assume any such mortgage existing when land is acquired.

By Mr. McNeil, the Petition of the Corporation of the Village of Cayuga vesting certain lands in the Corporation in fee simple.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 34, An Act to amend The Alcoholism Research Foundation Act, 1949. *Mr. Phillips.*

Before the Orders of the Day, the Prime Minister made a statement with respect to the rules that he has laid down as Prime Minister for the conduct of Members in matters where conflict might exist between private interest and public duty, with special reference to Northern Ontario Natural Gas Company stock and an article in the Toronto Daily Star of Friday last arising out of an interview with former Mines Minister Philip T. Kelly.

The Attorney-General informed the House that the complete evidence resulting from the Enquiry ordered by him would be Tabled this week.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Macaulay,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Minister of Agriculture, Ontario, for the year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 21.*)

Report of the Statistics Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ontario, for the year 1957. (*Sessional Paper No. 22.*)

Report of the Ontario Stock Yards Board for the year ending June 30th, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 25.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

4. *Mr. MacDonald*—Resolution—That, in the interest of sound public administration, the Civil Service Commission of Ontario should be re-established on a basis independent of the Executive and responsible to the Legislature, so that it may be able to maintain the measure of central control necessary to ensure a career based on the merit principle and governed by uniform standards.

5. *Mr. Gisborn*—Resolution—It is the opinion of this House that there be established a sickness and accident benefit plan to give wage and salary earners security against loss of income when they are off work due to sickness or accident not covered by Workmen's Compensation.

17. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. When was work begun on the building for a proposed girls training centre at Brampton. 2. How much money has been spent to date on the building and installations of any kind. 3. For how many girls will the training centre provide facilities. 4. What is the estimated staff requirement for the institution. 5. What is the approximate date of its opening.

18. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. When did the Government acquire the property at Port Bolster, near Beaverton, for a new reform institution. 2. From whom was the purchase made, and what amount was paid for it. 3. How much money has been spent to date by the Department of Public Works and/or Reform Institutions for: (a) the provision of adequate water supply and sewage disposal system; and (b) other renovations. 4. What is the approximate date of its opening.

ELEVENTH DAY

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That the name of Mr. Dunbar be added to the lists of the following Standing Committees:—On Government Commissions; On Municipal Law; On Private Bills; On Public Accounts.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills:—

Bill No. Pr2, An Act respecting The Ontario Threshermen's Mutual Fire Insurance Company. *Mr. Parry*.

Bill No. Pr15, An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens. *Mr. Hall*.

Bill No. Pr20, An Act respecting the Synod of Hamilton and London of The Presbyterian Church in Canada. *Mr. Mackenzie*.

Bill No. Pr21, An Act respecting the Town of Chesley. *Mr. Whicher*.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 35, An Act to amend The Children's Boarding Homes Act, 1957. *Mr. Cecile*.

Bill No. 36, An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act. *Mr. Maloney*.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Dymond,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House:—

Bill No. 1, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Statutes.

Bill No. 23, An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act, 1957.

Bill No. 28, An Act to amend The Department of Travel and Publicity Act.

Bill No. 29, An Act to amend The Archaeological and Historic Sites Protection Act, 1953.

Bill No. 32, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Regulations.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Education:—

Bill No. 2, An Act to amend The Public Schools Act.

Bill No. 3, An Act to amend The Schools Administration Act, 1954.

Bill No. 4, An Act to amend The Secondary Schools and Boards of Education Act, 1954.

Bill No. 5, An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act.

Bill No. 24, An Act to amend The Public Libraries Act.

Bill No. 30, An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Health:—

Bill No. 6, An Act to amend The Air Pollution Control Act, 1958.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Legal Bills:—

Bill No. 7, An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act.

Bill No. 8, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act.

Bill No. 9, An Act to amend The Bills of Sale and Chattel Mortgages Act.

Bill No. 10, An Act to amend The Coroners Act.

Bill No. 11, An Act to amend The Crown Witnesses Act.

Bill No. 12, An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.

Bill No. 13, An Act to amend The Insurance Act.

Bill No. 14, An Act to amend The Jurors Act.

Bill No. 15, An Act to amend The Lightning Rods Act.

Bill No. 16, An Act to amend The Loan and Trust Corporations Act.

Bill No. 17, An Act to amend The Magistrates Act, 1952.

Bill No. 18, An Act to amend The Mental Incompetency Act.

Bill No. 19, An Act to amend The Private Investigators Act, 1958.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Lands and Forests:—

Bill No. 21, An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act.

Bill No. 22, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Wilderness Areas.

Bill No. 25, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act, 1952.

Bill No. 26, An Act to amend The Forestry Act, 1952.

Bill No. 27, An Act to amend The Provincial Parks Act, 1958.

Bill No. 31, An Act to amend The Public Lands Act.

The House then adjourned at 6.12 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

6. *Mr. Thomas*—Resolution—That this Legislature recommends that the Government give consideration to the establishment of a Consumers' Bureau that will co-operate with existing consumer organizations and research agencies; provide field and information services to assist in the development of consumer organizations; publish independent expert information on the quality of products placed on the market of Ontario; have authority to call attention to, and where necessary prohibit, misleading and fraudulent advertising; exert constant pressure for the enforcement of federal laws governing food and drugs; and conduct continuing research into price spreads and recommend appropriate action to reduce unreasonable spreads.

TWELFTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills:—

Bill No. Pr11, An Act respecting the Township of Alfred. *Mr. Guindon.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Noden,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 6.11 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

19. *Mr. Manley*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What properties were expropriated or otherwise acquired in connection with the new overpass on St. Andrew's Road, Cornwall, over the relocated Canadian National Railway tracks. 2. From whom were the properties acquired. 3. What price was paid for each property. 4. What damages or rentals are being paid in connection with this overpass. 5. To whom are these damages or rentals being paid or to whom will they be paid. 6. How much is being paid in damages or rentals in each case.

20. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. After erection of the J. Clark Keith steam generating plant for Ontario Hydro in Windsor, were contractors called to repair a crack which developed in the structure. 2. Was the contractor called to repair the crack the same contractor who erected the building. 3. What was determined as the underlying cause of the crack. 4. How much was paid to have the crack repaired.

21. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—On January 31, 1959, for each of the district high schools of Kenora-Keewatin, Red Lake, and Dryden, and for

the Queen Elizabeth high school at Sioux Lookout: 1. How many teachers were on staff. 2. How many of the staff teachers held Type A and Type B certificates. 3. How many were teaching on letters of permission.

22. *Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Department of Highways enter into arrangements with county councils whereby the Department relinquishes mileage responsibility for the maintenance of a provincial highway in exchange for the assumption of other mileages of county roads. 2. If so, in what ridings have such exchanges taken place in the past four years. 3. How many miles of provincial highway and county roads have been involved.

23. *Mr. Innes*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Women's Progressive Conservative Association of Woodstock cater for the official opening ceremonies of the new Ontario Hospital at Woodstock in October of 1958. 2. If so, who arranged to have this Association do the catering. 3. Who paid for the catering. 4. How much was the Association paid for its services. 5. Why was not a church or charitable organization approached to do the catering.

THIRTEENTH DAY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Belisle, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the Committee's Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the Notices, as published in each case, sufficient:—

Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Toronto praying that an Act may pass providing that capital cost of sewage plants and cost of maintenance thereof shall be levied on the rateable property in the Township.

Petition for the incorporation of York University.

Petition of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford Estate praying that an Act may pass empowering it to invest in securities in which insurance companies may invest.

Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Pelee praying that an Act may pass authorizing an agreement with Her Majesty in the Right of Canada for the operation by the Corporation of a ferry service between the Island, the mainland of Ontario and the State of Ohio.

Petition of The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Ottawa praying that an Act may pass exempting its lands from taxation.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Belleville praying that an Act may pass enlarging the City Council.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Peterborough praying that an Act may pass authorizing a five-year franchise to Border Transit Limited for the operation of a municipal bus service.

Petition of the University of Ottawa praying that an Act may pass empowering it to expropriate certain lands.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of London praying that an Act may pass empowering it to close certain streets; and for other purposes.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Owen Sound praying that an Act may pass authorizing the fluoridation of the municipal water supply.

Petition of The Royal Victoria Hospital of Barrie praying that an Act may pass authorizing municipal grants in aid of the hospital.

Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Michipicoten praying that an Act may pass authorizing the erection of residential accommodation for police personnel.

Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Bowmanville praying that an Act may pass confirming a debenture by-law for sidewalks, watermains and sanitary sewers.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Ottawa praying that an Act may pass enabling the City to borrow money on debentures to pay the deficit of the Ottawa Transportation Commission; and for other purposes.

Petition of the Corporation of the Village of Wasaga Beach praying that an Act may pass enabling the municipal election to be held in summer months.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Windsor praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Corporation to refund certain taxes collected in error; and for other purposes.

Petition of Royal Military College of Canada praying that an Act may pass granting it power to confer degrees.

Petition of The Gairdner Foundation praying that an Act may pass enabling it to hold land in perpetuity whether mortgaged or not and to assume any such mortgage existing when land is acquired.

Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Stamford praying that an Act may pass confirming an agreement with the Optimist Club of Niagara Falls for lease of lands for the erection of a Youth Centre.

Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Teck praying that an Act may pass authorizing it to fluoridate its water supply.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Commissioners of Estate Bills:—

Bill No. Pr7, An Act respecting the Estate of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford. *Mr. Auld.*

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills:—

Bill No. Pr10, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Ottawa. *Mr. Lavergne.*

Bill No. Pr12, An Act respecting the City of Belleville. *Mr. Sandercock.*

Bill No. Pr13, An Act to incorporate The University of Waterloo. *Mr. Wintermeyer.*

Bill No. Pr14, An Act to incorporate Waterloo Lutheran University. *Mr. Wintermeyer.*

Bill No. Pr17, An Act respecting University of Ottawa. *Mr. Dunbar.*

Bill No. Pr19, An Act respecting the City of Owen Sound. *Mr. Cowling.*

Bill No. Pr23, An Act respecting the Township of Michipicoten. *Mr. Lyons.*

Bill No. Pr24, An Act respecting the Town of Bowmanville. *Mr. Foote.*

Bill No. Pr32, An Act respecting the Royal Military College of Canada. *Mr. Rankin.*

Bill No. Pr33, An Act respecting the City of Guelph. *Mr. Worton.*

Bill No. Pr35, An Act respecting the Township of Stamford. *Mr. Jolley.*

The Attorney-General Tabled the evidence taken at the investigation into the issue of the shares of Northern Ontario Natural Gas Company Limited. (*Sessional Paper No. 60.*)

He also made a statement to the House in relation thereto.

And a debate arising,

On motion by Mr. Frost (Victoria),

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

FOURTEENTH DAY

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills:—

Bill No. Pr31, An Act respecting the City of Windsor. *Mr. Griesinger.*

Bill No. Pr39, An Act respecting the Township of Teck. *Mr. Herbert.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Whicher,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Eighty-second Annual Report of the Ontario Agricultural College and Experimental Farm for the year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 28.*)

Report of the Ontario Veterinary College for the year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 29.*)

Report of The Co-operative Loans Board of Ontario for the year ending December 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 26.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.00 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

7. *Mr. Wintermeyer*—Resolution—That, in the opinion of this House, a non-political public Judicial Inquiry should be instituted forthwith into the

granting of natural gas franchises, into safety measures respecting the distribution of natural gas, into the financing and stock trading of all gas distribution companies.

8. *Mr. MacDonald*—Resolution—That this Legislature requests the Government to call Philip T. Kelly before the bar of the House in order that he may be questioned about his involvement in Northern Ontario Gas Pipeline stock distribution, and related matters, notably the reconciling of statements made by Mr. Kelly in the Toronto newspapers of Friday, February 6, 1959, and Saturday, February 7, 1959, with his sworn testimony given to the Attorney-General's committee of investigation, and his observation that, "If I stood in that House today I could back a few of them off their chairs."

FIFTEENTH DAY

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker informed the House of the untimely death of Thomas Laird Kennedy, and conducted a short Memorial Service, including one minute's silence and ending with a special prayer.

On Motion by Mr. Dunlop,

Ordered, that the House do now adjourn out of respect for the memory of Thomas Laird Kennedy, late Member for the Electoral District of Peel, who departed this life on Friday, February 13th, last.

The House then adjourned at 3.15 p.m.

SIXTEENTH DAY

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Belisle, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the Committee's Third and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the Notices, as published in each case, sufficient:—

Petition of the Corporation of the Township of North York praying that an Act may pass authorizing it to pass by-laws to provide for the addition of lands to presently existing street lighting areas; and for other purposes.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Toronto praying that an Act may pass validating a by-law respecting the Toronto Police Benefit Fund; and for other purposes.

Petition of the Corporation of the County of Simcoe and the Corporation of the City of Barrie praying that an Act may pass confirming an agreement for the payment by the City to the County for services in the year 1959.

Petition of the City of Kingston and Queen's University praying that an Act may pass authorizing them to subscribe for and hold shares in a company to be formed for the purpose of acquiring certain mining lands and mining rights in Kingston Harbour; and for other purposes.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Woodstock praying that an Act may pass authorizing a reduction in the number of aldermen from ten to eight.

Petition of the Corporation of the Village of Cayuga vesting certain lands in the Corporation in fee simple.

Your Committee recommends that the following Petitions be received notwithstanding the provisions of rule No. 63 (1) restricting the time of presentation and the provisions of rule No. 66 restricting the time of publication of the Notices:—

Petition of the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Sault Ste. Marie praying that an Act may pass enabling the elections for the Board to be held every two years in conjunction with the City of Sault Ste. Marie Municipal Elections.

Petition of the Corporation of the City of Hamilton praying that an Act may pass vesting certain lands in the Corporation free of trusts and covenants; and for other purposes.

Mr. Rowntree from the Standing Committee on Private Bills presented the Committee's First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. Pr2, An Act respecting The Ontario Threshermen's Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Bill No. Pr3, An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill No. Pr4, An Act respecting St. Jerome's College.

Bill No. Pr15, An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens.

Bill No. Pr20, An Act respecting The Corporation of the Synod of Hamilton and London of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill No. Pr4, An Act respecting St. Jerome's College, Bill No. Pr15, An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens, and Bill No. Pr20, An Act respecting The Corporation of the Synod of Hamilton and London of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

The following Petitions were brought up, laid on the Table, read and received:—

By Mr. Lyons, the Petition of the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Sault Ste. Marie praying that an Act may pass enabling the elections for the Board to be held every two years in conjunction with the City of Sault Ste. Marie Municipal Elections.

By Mr. Elliott, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Hamilton praying that an Act may pass vesting certain lands in the Corporation free of trusts and covenants; and for other purposes.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Commissioners of Estate Bills:—

Bill No. Pr18, An Act respecting the City of London. *Mr. Jackson.*

Bill No. Pr43, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton. *Mr. Elliott.*

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills:—

Bill No. Pr5, An Act respecting the Township of Toronto. *Mr. Hall.*

Bill No. Pr6, An Act to incorporate York University. *Mr. Rowntree.*

Bill No. Pr8, An Act respecting the Township of Pelee. *Mr. Murdoch.*

Bill No. Pr16, An Act respecting the City of Peterborough. *Mr. Scott.*

Bill No. Pr22, An Act respecting The Royal Victoria Hospital of Barrie. *Mr. Johnston (Simcoe Centre).*

Bill No. Pr25, An Act respecting the Township of North York. *Mr. Graham.*

Bill No. Pr26, An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Mr. Grossman.*

Bill No. Pr27, An Act respecting The Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Quebec. *Mr. Guindon.*

Bill No. Pr28, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa. *Mr. Dunbar.*

Bill No. Pr29, An Act respecting the County of Simcoe and the City of Barrie. *Mr. Johnston* (Simcoe Centre).

Bill No. Pr30, An Act respecting the Village of Wasaga Beach. *Mr. Johnston* (Simcoe Centre).

Bill No. Pr34, An Act respecting The Gairdner Foundation. *Mr. Lawrence.*

Bill No. Pr36, An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur. *Mr. Mapledoram.*

Bill No. Pr37, An Act respecting the Town of Mount Forest. *Mr. Edwards.*

Bill No. Pr38, An Act respecting the City of Kingston and Queen's University. *Mr. Rankin.*

Bill No. Pr40, An Act respecting the City of Woodstock. *Mr. Innes.*

Bill No. Pr41, An Act respecting the Village of Cayuga. *Mr. McNeil.*

Bill No. Pr42, An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate School Board of the City of Sault Ste. Marie. *Mr. Lyons.*

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 37, An Act to amend The Rainbow Bridge Act, 1941. *Mr. Daley.*

Bill No. 38, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Mr. Daley.*

Bill No. 39, An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act. *Mr. Dymond.*

Bill No. 40, An Act to amend The Hours of Work and Vacations with Pay Act. *Mr. Gisborn.*

Bill No. 41, An Act to amend The Public Service Act. *Mr. Phillips.*

Bill No. 42, An Act to provide for the Implementation of the Recommendations of the Report of the Fauteux Committee. *Mr. Wardrope.*

Bill No. 43, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Mr. Thomas.*

Bill No. 44, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Mr. Gisborn.*

Bill No. 45, An Act to amend The Dog Tax and the Cattle, Sheep and Poultry Protection Act. *Mr. Goodfellow.*

Bill No. 46, An Act to amend The Agricultural Societies Act. *Mr. Goodfellow.*

Bill No. 47, An Act to amend The Community Centres Act. *Mr. Goodfellow.*

Bill No. 48, An Act to amend The Credit Unions Act, 1953. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 49, An Act to amend The Investment Contracts Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 50, An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 51, An Act to amend The Probation Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 52, The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1959.
Mr. Roberts.

Bill No. 53, An Act to amend The Wills Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Before the Orders of the Day the Prime Minister spoke in support of Brotherhood Week and in so doing introduced to the House Mr. Maurice Ruddick of Springhill, Nova Scotia, the winner of the Toronto Telegram Award as Citizen of the Year. Mr. Ruddick addressed the House briefly and Mr. Wintermeyer, the Leader of Her Majesty's Loyal Opposition, and Mr. MacDonald joined the Prime Minister in his welcome to Mr. Ruddick.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Roberts,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Forty-first Annual Report of the Civil Service Commission for Ontario for the year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 35.*)

Report of the Provincial Auditor on the Public Service Superannuation Fund for the year ended March 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 32.*)

Report of the Provincial Auditor on the Public Service Retirement Fund for the year ended March 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 33.*)

The House then adjourned at 10.00 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

24. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who has been given the contract for putting a mulch surface on the Caland Ore Road from Highway No. 120 to the edge of the Caland Ore property. 2. How much has been spent to date on this contract. 3. What is the estimated total cost for completing the job. 4. What is the approximate mileage involved. 5. What is the average cost per mile for mulch surfacing elsewhere throughout the province. 6. Are these costs being shared by the company.

25. *Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—How much money has Hydro spent in each of the last four years: (a) On transportation of all kinds for visitors and guests to Hydro installations in any part of the province; (b) for accommodation; (c) for meals and entertainment.

26. *Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In connection with the official opening of the Robert H. Saunders generating station on the St. Lawrence power and seaway project September 8, 1958: (a) How much money was spent by Hydro for special trains, special buses and other types of transportation for guests, press and others to and from the ceremonies; (b) How much did Hydro spend for hotel and motel and all other accommodation; (c) How much did Hydro spend for meals and entertainment; (d) What was the total cost of the opening ceremonies.

27. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the Attorney-General's Report of investigation into trading and other transfer of N.O.N.G. stock and securities and related matters. 2. Who conducted the investigation and how much was each investigator paid in fees and expenses. 3. Were there any special legal fees paid in addition to the amounts above, and if so, to whom were these fees paid and how much were they. 4. What were the expenses paid in connection with the calling of witnesses. 5. How many copies of the evidence were prepared. 6. Who received these copies. 7. When were these copies distributed.

SEVENTEENTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 54, An Act to amend The Planning Act, 1955. *Mr. Nickle.*

Bill No. 55, An Act to amend The Conservation Authorities Act. *Mr. Nickle.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Child,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Department of Reform Institutions, Province of Ontario, for the year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 37.*)

Report of the Ontario Food Terminal Board, Department of Agriculture, Ontario, for the year ending March 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 27.*)

Fourth Annual Report of the Ontario Telephone Authority of the Province of Ontario for the year ending December 31st, 1957. (*Sessional Paper No. 49.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.50 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

28. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many contracts have been awarded by Ontario Hydro for work in connection with the St. Lawrence power project. 2. What was the contract price of each contract award. 3. How many claims have been made by contractors for payment in excess of the original contract price. 4. What is the amount being claimed in each case above the original contract price. 5. What is the total amount being claimed. 6. Have any claims for payment above the original contract price been made in the course of the work that have now been settled, and if so, in each case what was the original contract price, the amount claimed above the original contract price, and the amount of the settlement.

EIGHTEENTH DAY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rowntree from the Standing Committee on Private Bills presented the Committee's Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. Pr13, An Act respecting The University of Waterloo.

Bill No. Pr14, An Act respecting Waterloo Lutheran University.

Bill No. Pr23, An Act respecting the Township of Michipicoten.

Bill No. Pr24, An Act respecting the Town of Bowmanville.

Bill No. Pr32, An Act respecting the Royal Military College of Canada.

Bill No. Pr33, An Act respecting the City of Guelph.

Bill No. Pr35, An Act respecting the Township of Stamford.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill No. Pr13, An Act respecting The University of Waterloo, and Bill No. Pr14, An Act respecting Waterloo Lutheran University.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 56, An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. MacDonald.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Stewart (Parkdale),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Ontario Research Foundation for the calendar year 1957. (*Sessional Paper No. 41.*)

Report of the Minister of Lands and Forests of the Province of Ontario for the Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 15.*)

The House then adjourned at 10.10 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

29. *Mr. Nixon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In connection with the Liquor Control Board of Ontario store price list, item 188B L.C.B.O. Extra Special, 25-ounce bottle \$4.75, liquor imported in wood and bottled by the L.C.B.O.: 1. What is the strength per cent underproof when this liquor is (a) imported in casks, and (b) when it is sold in bottles. 2. What percentage of water is added to this liquor. 3. What is the cost, per cask, of this liquor when purchased overseas. 4. What is the cost laid down in Board warehouse. 5. How many 25-ounce bottles of liquor are obtained after the “watering” of a single cask of liquor.

30. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) What were the requirements for entrance to Teachers' Colleges (Normal Schools) and the College of Education in 1935; (b) What changes have been made in those requirements since then. 2. (a) What types of certificates were issued to permit teachers in Elementary Schools in 1935; (b) What were the requirements necessary to obtain these; (c) What changes have been made in this connection since 1935. 3. For Secondary Schools, the same information as requested in 2. 4. The number of teachers not regularly qualified, who were given permits to teach in elementary schools and in secondary schools in Ontario for each year since 1935. 5. The total number of teachers in secondary schools for each year since 1935, and the number of specialists for Maths, Science and English for each year. 6. (a) When were the Entrance Examinations for promotion from grade 8 to grade 9 abolished; (b) What regulations were set up in their place; (c) Have there been any changes in these regulations, and if so, what. 7. (a) What types of certificates were granted by the Department of Education to students in recognition of their achievements in secondary schools in 1935; (b) What were the requirements to obtain these certificates; (c) What changes have been made in this regard since 1935.

31. *Mr. Gisborn*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost to the province of Ontario of orders placed with Fairclough Printing Company in Hamilton by the Queen's Printer, Toronto, and by the Departments directly for each of the fiscal years ending March 31, 1956, 1957 and 1958, and also for the first ten months of the current fiscal period. 2. What are the amounts for each Department making up the said totals. 3. (a) What were the total charges by Fairclough Printing Company for reprinting The Municipal Act during the current fiscal period; (b) How many copies were printed; (c) What was the average cost per copy; (d) On what date was this order given to the Fairclough Printing Company, and (d) On what date were the completed copies delivered. 4. In respect to the last previous reprinting of The Municipal Act in 1956: (a) What was the name of the firm which did the work; (b) The total cost; (c) The number of copies printed; (d) The average cost per copy; (e) The date on which the order was placed, and (f) The date on which the completed order was delivered. 5. Why was the order not given to the printers of the 1956 edition.

NINETEENTH DAY

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received from the Commissioners of Estate Bills their report in the following case:—

Bill No. Pr7, An Act respecting the Estate of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford.

THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO (Crest) Osgoode Hall, Toronto 1.
February 19th, 1959.

THE HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF ONTARIO
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MORDEN

Roderick Lewis, Esq., Q.C.,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto, Ontario.

Re : Private Bill No. Pr7, An Act respecting the Estate of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford.

Dear Sir:

The undersigned, as Commissioners of Estate Bills as provided by The Legislative Assembly Act, R.S.O. 1950, Chapter 202, Section 57, having had the said Bill referred to us as such Commissioners, now beg to report thereon.

We have heard counsel for the petitioners and the Official Guardian on behalf of the infant contingent beneficiaries and unborn infants. The petition has been signed by all the adult beneficiaries under the will. The Official Guardian strongly supported the passing of the Bill and stated that he considered it, under all the circumstances of this Estate, to be in the interests of the contingent beneficiaries.

It appears from the petition filed herein and from the information disclosed on the hearing before us that an amendment is necessary to clarify section 1 of the Bill and that a section should be added, to be numbered section 2, to assure that the purpose of the petitioners is carried into effect by the Bill.

We therefore propose the following amendment:

- "2. Such investments shall not be subject to the provisions of subsections 3 to 15 of section 207 of The Corporations Act or any provisions that may be substituted therefor."

Consequently, sections 2 and 3 should become sections 3 and 4 respectively.

We are of the opinion that the provisions of the said Bill, as amended, are proper for carrying its purpose into effect and that in the interests of the beneficiaries and contingent beneficiaries of the Estate, it is reasonable that such Bill be passed into law.

The Bill, duly signed by the Commissioners, and the copy of the petition for the same are accordingly returned herewith.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) DANA PORTER, C.J.O.,
K. G. MORDEN, J.A.,
Commissioners of Estate Bills.

Ordered, That the Bill, together with the report of the Commissioners of Estate Bills thereon, be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next:—

Bill No. 57, An Act to amend The Vital Statistics Act. *Mr. Phillips.*

Bill No. 58, An Act to amend The Theatres Act, 1953. *Mr. Cathcart.*

Bill No. 59, An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act. *Mr. Goodfellow.*

Before the Orders of the Day, the Prime Minister made a statement to the House with respect to the opposition of his Government to the imposition of tolls on the Welland Canal.

He also made a statement respecting his Government's position with regard to the effect on its commitments in the Malton Area of the Federal Government's position relative to the Arrow Aircraft.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Stewart (Parkdale),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House:—

Bill No. Pr2, An Act respecting The Ontario Threshermen's Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Bill No. Pr3, An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill No. Pr4, An Act respecting St. Jerome's College.

Bill No. Pr13, An Act to incorporate The University of Waterloo.

Bill No. Pr14, An Act to incorporate Waterloo Lutheran University.

Bill No. Pr15, An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens.

Bill No. Pr20, An Act respecting The Corporation of the Synod of Hamilton and London of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Bill No. Pr23, An Act respecting the Township of Michipicoten.

Bill No. Pr24, An Act respecting the Town of Bowmanville.

Bill No. Pr32, An Act respecting the Royal Military College of Canada.

Bill No. Pr33, An Act respecting the City of Guelph.

Bill No. Pr35, An Act respecting the Township of Stamford.

Bill No. 37, An Act to amend The Rainbow Bridge Act, 1941.

Bill No. 38, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Legal Bills:—

Bill No. 33, The Bulk Sales Act, 1959.

Bill No. 48, An Act to amend The Credit Unions Act, 1953.

Bill No. 49, An Act to amend The Investment Contracts Act.

Bill No. 50, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Bill No. 51, An Act to amend The Probation Act.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture:—

Bill No. 45, An Act to amend The Dog Tax and the Cattle, Sheep and Poultry Protection Act.

Bill No. 46, An Act to amend The Agricultural Societies Act.

Bill No. 47, An Act to amend The Community Centres Act.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Thirty-second Report of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario for the twelve months fiscal period ending on the 31st day of March, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 43.*)

Twelfth Report of The Liquor Licence Board of Ontario for the twelve months fiscal period ending on the 31st day of March, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 44.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.30 p.m.

TWENTIETH DAY

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23RD, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Hamilton from the Standing Committee on Lands and Forests presented the Committee's First Report, which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 21, An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act.

Bill No. 25, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act, 1952.

Bill No. 26, An Act to amend The Forestry Act, 1952.

Bill No. 27, An Act to amend The Provincial Parks Act, 1958.

Bill No. 31, An Act to amend The Public Lands Act.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 60, An Act to provide for the Establishment and Confirmation of Boundaries of Lands. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 61, An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 62, An Act to amend The Regulations Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 63, An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 64, An Act to Extend the Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court to vary Trusts in the Interests of Beneficiaries and sanction Dealings with Trust Property. *Mr. Roberts.*

Before the Orders of the Day, the Prime Minister made a statement outlining to the House the endeavours that he and his Government had been making since Friday last to institute necessary steps to alleviate the consequences of the cancellation of the contract for the Avro Arrow.

Mr. Wintermeyer and Mr. MacDonald made a statement of the position of their respective parties in this matter.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Wintermeyer,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Fourth Annual Report of The Ontario Telephone Development Corporation of the Province of Ontario for the year ending December 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 48.*)

Report of The Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission for the period ending December 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 50.*)

The House then adjourned at 10.00 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

9. *Mr. Wintermeyer*—Resolution—That this House immediately appoint a Select Committee of the House to do the following things:—

Firstly, attend upon the Federal Government in Ottawa to determine—

1. Whether the decision of the Federal Government to cancel the Arrow or CF-105 contracts with A. V. Roe is conclusive.
2. To enquire of the Federal Government its plans to assist the aircraft industry in Ontario.
3. To determine of the Federal Government whether or not any sum of money will be paid to the municipalities of the Malton area generally to compensate for the loss of taxation revenue.
4. To attend upon the officials of the industries involved to ascertain at first hand what can or should be done at the provincial level to assist the aircraft industry.
5. To consider ways and means of protecting the physical security of the vast number of A. V. Roe employees affected by this unfortunate incident, including the possibility of a moratorium on mortgage foreclosures.

TWENTY-FIRST DAY

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rowntree from the Standing Committee on Private Bills presented the Committee's Third Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. Pr11, An Act respecting the Township of Alfred.

Bill No. Pr16, An Act respecting the City of Peterborough.

Bill No. Pr36, An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

Bill No. Pr37, An Act respecting the Town of Mount Forest.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. Pr9, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Timmins.

Bill No. Pr10, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr21, An Act respecting the Town of Chesley.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill No. Pr9, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Timmins, and on Bill No. Pr10, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Ottawa.

Mr. Boyer from the Standing Committee on Health presented the Committee's First Report, which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill No. 6, An Act to amend The Air Pollution Control Act, 1958.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 65, An Act to amend The Mining Act. *Mr. Maloney.*

Before the Orders of the Day, the Prime Minister informed the House that the number of insured persons in the Province under the Ontario Hospital Services Plan is now 5,461,438.

Also before the Orders of the Day, the Minister of Agriculture replied to a question by the Leader of the Opposition with respect to the decision to-day of Chief Justice McRuer which Mr. Wintermeyer stated declared the vote taken on the Hog Marketing Scheme null and void.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, the amendment to the amendment, as follows:—

That the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor now before the House be amended by adding thereto the following:—

“And this House further regrets that the Government has failed:—

To build a publicly-owned fully-integrated distribution system for natural gas so as to provide power at cost in accordance with the time-honoured principle on which Hydro has been built, thereby reducing present consumer prices.”

having been put, was lost on the following Division:—

YEAS

Gisborn	MacDonald	Thomas—3.
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NAYS

Allan (Haldimand-Norfolk)	Hamilton	Parry
Auld	Herbert	Phillips
Beckett	Innes	Price (Hastings East)
Belisle	Jackson	Price (St. David)
Boyer	Janes	Rankin
Brunelle	Johnston (Parry Sound)	Reaume
Cass	Johnston (Simcoe Centre)	Robarts
Cathcart	Jolley	Roberts
Cecile	Kerr	Root
Chaput	Lavergne	Rowntree
Child	Lawrence	Sandercock
Collings	Letherby	Scott
Connell	Lewis	Spence
Cowling	Macaulay	Spooner
Daley	Mackenzie	Stewart (Middlesex North)
Dunbar	MacNaughton	Stewart (Parkdale)
Dunlop	Maloney	Sutton
Dymond	Manley	Wardrope
Edwards	Mapledoram	Warrender
Elliott	Monaghan	Whicher
Fishleigh	Morningstar	Whitney
Foote	Morrow	Wintermeyer
Frost (Victoria)	Murdoch	Worton
Fullerton	Myers	Wren
Goodfellow	McNeil	Yaremko—83.
Gordon	Nickle	
Griesinger	Nixon	
Grossman	Noden	
Guindon	Oliver	

The Amendment to the Motion as follows:—

That the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor now before the House be amended by adding thereto the following words:—

“But this House regrets the government has failed to:

1. Take effective action to relieve unemployment in Ontario.
2. Recognize that a technological revolution is creating human and social dislocation by virtue of automation and new methods of marketing

that require new forms of security for workmen and new means of working out labour-management problems.

3. Discharge its elementary responsibility to protect lives and property by its failure to take adequate precautions for the distribution of natural gas within the province.
4. Meet its primary obligation to assure an adequate supply of academically qualified, well-trained teachers for our schools, and to finance its proper share of the total cost of education.
5. Meet the challenge of increasing urbanization and the changing nature of provincial-municipal relations by not convening a provincial-municipal conference to redefine responsibilities and re-allocate revenues.
6. Assist adequately an agricultural industry in the greatest period of adjustment in its history in this province.
7. Provide the leadership required for a planned, co-ordinated development of Ontario's northland."

having been put, was lost on the following Division:—

YEAS

Gisborn	Nixon	Whicher
Gordon	Oliver	Wintermeyer
Innes	Reaume	Worton
MacDonald	Spence	Wren—14.
Manley	Thomas	

NAYS

Allan (Haldimand-Norfolk)	Edwards	Jolley
Auld	Elliott	Kerr
Beckett	Fishleigh	Lavergne
Belisle	Foote	Lawrence
Boyer	Frost (Victoria)	Letherby
Brunelle	Fullerton	Lewis
Cass	Goodfellow	Macaulay
Cathcart	Griesinger	Mackenzie
Cecile	Grossman	MacNaughton
Chaput	Guindon	Maloney
Child	Hamilton	Mapledoram
Collings	Herbert	Monaghan
Connell	Jackson	Morningstar
Cowling	Janes	Morrow
Daley	Johnston	Murdoch
Dunbar	(Parry Sound)	Myers
Dunlop	Johnston	McNeil
Dymond	(Simcoe Centre)	Nickle
		Noden

NAYS—Continued

Parry	Roberts	Stewart
Phillips	Root	(Parkdale)
Price	Rowntree	Sutton
(Hastings East)	Sandercock	Wardrope
Price	Scott	Warrender
(St. David)	Spooner	Whitney
Rankin	Stewart	Yaremko—72.
Robarts	(Middlesex North)	

The main Motion, having been put, was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Allan	Griesinger	McNeil
(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Grossman	Nickle
Auld	Guindon	Noden
Beckett	Hamilton	Parry
Belisle	Herbert	Phillips
Boyer	Jackson	Price
Brunelle	Janes	(Hastings East)
Cass	Johnston	Price
Cathcart	(Parry Sound)	(St. David)
Cecile	Johnston	Rankin
Chaput	(Simcoe Centre)	Robarts
Child	Jolley	Roberts
Collings	Kerr	Root
Connell	Lavergne	Rowntree
Cowling	Lawrence	Sandercock
Daley	Letherby	Scott
Dunbar	Lewis	Spooner
Dunlop	Macaulay	Stewart
Dymond	Mackenzie	(Middlesex North)
Edwards	MacNaughton	Stewart
Elliott	Maloney	(Parkdale)
Fishleigh	Mapledoram	Sutton
Foote	Monaghan	Wardrope
Frost	Morningstar	Warrender
(Victoria)	Morrow	Whitney
Fullerton	Murdoch	Yaremko—72.
Goodfellow	Myers	

NAYS

Gisborn	Nixon	Whicher
Gordon	Oliver	Wintermeyer
Innes	Reaume	Worton
MacDonald	Spence	Wren—14.
Manley	Thomas	

And it was,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, as follows:—

*To the Honourable J. Keiller Mackay, D.S.O., V.D., LL.D.,
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.*

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

Ordered, That the Address be engrossed and presented to the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor by those Members of this House who are Members of the Executive Council.

On motion by Mr. Allan, seconded by Mr. Frost,

Ordered, That this House will to-morrow resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.

On motion by Mr. Allan, seconded by Mr. Frost,

Ordered, That this House will to-morrow resolve itself into the Committee on Ways and Means.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House:—

Bill No. 20, An Act to amend The Training Schools Act.

Bill No. 34, An Act to amend The Alcoholism Research Foundation Act, 1949.

Bill No. 41, An Act to amend The Public Service Act.

Bill No. 57, An Act to amend The Vital Statistics Act.

Bill No. 58, An Act to amend The Theatres Act, 1953.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Mining:—

Bill No. 36, An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committees on Health and on Legal Bills:—

Bill No. 39, An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Legal Bills:—

Bill No. 52, The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1959.

Bill No. 53. An Act to amend The Wills Act.

Bill No. 61, An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act.

Bill No. 62, An Act to amend The Regulations Act.

Bill No. 63, An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Law:—

Bill No. 54, An Act to amend The Planning Act, 1955.

Bill No. 55, An Act to amend The Conservation Authorities Act.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Murdoch reported,

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. Pr2, An Act respecting The Ontario Threshermen's Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Bill No. Pr3, An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill No. Pr4, An Act respecting St. Jerome's College.

Bill No. Pr13, An Act to incorporate The University of Waterloo.

Bill No. Pr14, An Act to incorporate Waterloo Lutheran University.

Bill No. Pr15, An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens.

Bill No. Pr20, An Act respecting The Corporation of the Synod of Hamilton and London of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Bill No. Pr23, An Act respecting the Township of Michipicoten.

Bill No. Pr24, An Act respecting the Town of Bowmanville.

Bill No. Pr32, An Act respecting the Royal Military College of Canada.

Bill No. Pr33, An Act respecting the City of Guelph.

Bill No. Pr35, An Act respecting the Township of Stamford.

Bill No. 1, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Statutes.

Bill No. 21, An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act.

Bill No. 25, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act, 1952.

Bill No. 26, An Act to amend The Forestry Act, 1952.

Bill No. 27, An Act to amend The Provincial Parks Act, 1958.

Bill No. 28, An Act to amend The Department of Travel and Publicity Act.

Bill No. 29, An Act to amend The Archaeological and Historic Sites Protection Act, 1953.

Bill No. 31, An Act to amend The Public Lands Act.

Bill No. 32, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Regulations.

Bill No. 37, An Act to amend The Rainbow Bridge Act, 1941.

Bill No. 38, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 23, An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act, 1957.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted and that the Bills reported be read the third time to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Provincial Secretary of Ontario with respect to the administration of Part IX of The Corporations Act, 1953 for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 31.*)

Report of the Provincial Secretary of Ontario with respect to the administration of The Corporations Act, 1953 and The Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 30.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McNeil from the Standing Committee on Education presented the Committee's First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 3, An Act to amend The Schools Administration Act, 1954.

Bill No. 4, An Act to amend The Secondary Schools and Boards of Education Act, 1954.

Bill No. 5, An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act.

Bill No. 30, An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 2, An Act to amend The Public Schools Act.

Bill No. 24, An Act to amend The Public Libraries Act.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 66, An Act to amend The Mining Act. *Mr. Gisborn.*

J. K. MACKAY

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March, 1960, and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 25th February, 1959.

— and —

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits Supplementary Estimates of certain additional sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending

31st March, 1959, and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 25th February, 1959.

(Sessional Paper No. 2.)

Ordered, That the messages of the Lieutenant-Governor, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Order of the Day for the House to resolve itself into the Committee of Supply having been read,

Mr. Allan moved,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, and in so doing Tabled his Budget Statement. *(Sessional Paper No. 4.)*

And a Debate having ensued, it was, on motion by Mr. Wintermeyer,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of The Commissioner of the Ontario Provincial Police from January 1st, 1958, to December 31st, 1958. *(Sessional Paper No. 6.)*

The House then adjourned at 5.00 p.m.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received from the Commissioners of Estate Bills their report in the following case:—

Bill No. Pr1, An Act respecting The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of Canada.

THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO (CREST) Osgoode Hall, Toronto 1,
February 25th, 1959.

THE HONOURABLE CHIEF JUSTICE PORTER,
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MORDEN.

RODERICK G. LEWIS, Esq., Q.C.,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto, Ontario.

Re: Bill No. Pr1, 1959, An Act respecting The Incorporated
Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of
Canada.

Dear Sir:

The undersigned, as Commissioners of Estate Bills as provided by the
Legislative Assembly Act, R.S.O. 1950, Chapter 202, Section 57, having had the
said Bill referred to us as such Commissioners, now beg to report thereon.

We have heard counsel for the petitioner and the Public Trustee.

It appears from the petition filed herein and from the information disclosed
on the hearing before us that certain amendments are necessary to clarify the
Bill and that the Bill, as amended, should be in the form attached hereto.

Counsel for the Public Trustee has no objection to the Bill as amended.

We are of the opinion that the provisions of the said Bill, as amended, are
proper for carrying its purpose into effect and that it is reasonable that such
Bill, as amended, be passed into law.

A draft of the Bill, as amended, duly signed by the Commissioners, and
copies of the petition and the original Bill for the same are accordingly returned
herewith.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) DANA PORTER, C.J.O.,
K. G. MORDEN, J.A.,
Commissioners of Estate Bills.

Ordered, That the Bill, together with the report of the Commissioners of
Estate Bills thereon, be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills.

Mr. Rowntree from the Standing Committee on Private Bills presented the
Committee's Fourth Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. Pr5, An Act respecting the Township of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr31, An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Bill No. Pr40, An Act respecting the City of Woodstock.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. Pr6, An Act to incorporate York University.

Bill No. Pr17, An Act respecting Université d'Ottawa.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill No. Pr6, An Act to incorporate York University.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 67, An Act to amend The Ontario Parks Integration Board Act, 1956. *Mr. Daley.*

Bill No. 68, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1957. *Mr. Allan.*

Bill No. 69, An Act to amend The Charitable Institutions Act, 1956. *Mr. Cecile.*

Bill No. 70, An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act, 1957. *Mr. Dymond.*

Bill No. 71, An Act to amend The Mining Act. *Mr. Maloney.*

Bill No. 72, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act. *Mr. Maloney.*

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

1101.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Mines.....	\$ 462,000.00
1102.	To defray the expenses of the Geological Branch.....	330,000.00
1103.	To defray the expenses of the Mines Inspection Branch....	248,000.00
1104.	To defray the expenses of the Laboratories Branch.....	206,000.00
1105.	To defray the expenses of the Sulphur Fumes Arbitrator..	26,000.00

1106.	To defray the expenses of the Mining Lands Branch.....	\$ 334,000.00
1107.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Mines.....	1,500,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Thirty-eighth Annual Report of the Public Service Superannuation Board.
(*Sessional Paper No. 34.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rankin from the Standing Committee on Legal Bills presented the Committee's First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 8, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act.

Bill No. 12, An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.

Bill No. 15, An Act to amend The Lightning Rods Act.

Bill No. 16, An Act to amend The Loan and Trust Corporations Act.

Bill No. 17, An Act to amend The Magistrates Act, 1952.

Bill No. 18, An Act to amend The Mental Incompetency Act.

Bill No. 19, An Act to amend The Private Investigators Act, 1958.

Bill No. 39, An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 10, An Act to amend The Coroners Act.

Bill No. 11, An Act to amend The Crown Witnesses Act.

Bill No. 13, An Act to amend The Insurance Act.

Bill No. 14, An Act to amend The Jurors Act.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

2101.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Travel and Publicity.....	\$ 120,000.00
2102.	To defray the expenses of the Division of Publicity.....	792,000.00
2103.	To defray the expenses of the Development Branch.....	283,000.00
2104.	To defray the expenses of the Information Branch.....	246,000.00
2105.	To defray the expenses of the Photography Branch.....	121,000.00
2106.	To defray the expenses of the Historical Branch.....	82,000.00
2107.	To defray the expenses of the Theatres Branch.....	120,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Fiftieth Annual Report of The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario for the year ended December 31, 1957. (*Sessional Paper No. 36.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.15 p.m.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

MONDAY, MARCH 2ND, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Before the Orders of the Day, the Attorney-General made reference to the tragedy at Listowel resulting from the collapse of the Memorial Arena and the deaths of the boys and the Sports Director resulting therefrom. He was joined by the Prime Minister, the Leader of the Opposition and Mr. MacDonald.

The Order of the Day for Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Report of the Select Committee appointed to consider The Labour Relations Act, having been read,

The debate continued and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Frost,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1959, the following supplementary sums:—

417.	To defray the expenses of the Special Grants, Department of Education.....	\$ 1,125,000.00
515.	To defray the expenses of the Special Grants, Department of Health.....	5,317,000.00
605.	To defray the expenses of the Highway Construction Account, Department of Highways.....	25,000,000.00
1204.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Municipal Affairs.....	5,000,000.00
2209.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Treasury Department.....	1,000,000.00

And, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

1001.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Lieutenant-Governor\$	21,000.00
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701. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Insurance.....\$ 415,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Thirty-ninth Annual Report of the Department of Labour of the Province of Ontario for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 11.*)

The House then adjourned at 6.10 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

32. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the expected date of completion of Highway No. 17, between the Lakehead ports and the Manitoba border, to Trans-Canada Highway standards. 2. In the fiscal years ended March 31st, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1958: (a) What was the overall expenditure on construction on Highway No. 17 in Kenora Division; (b) What was the Provincial share of the construction cost in each of these years; (c) What collective amount was spent during the years aforementioned on Highway No. 17 improvement which was wholly provincial.

33. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What total amount has been expended in the District of Kenora since 1951 in providing (a) Living accommodation and allied equipment for members of the Ontario Provincial Police; (b) Accommodation and other facilities for administration and safe confinement of persons taken into custody. 2. What was (a) The estimate of the cost of erecting living quarters and other facilities for the Ear Falls Detachment; (b) The final cost for this work.

34. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What is the final or estimated final cost of Ontario Hydro's capital developments at (1) Manitou Falls; (2) Whitedog Falls, and (3) Caribou Falls.

35. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the final capital cost for (a) Construction and (b) Equipping the District of Kenora Home for the Aged. 2. What was the Government's share in dollars of the total capital cost of the District of Kenora Home for the Aged, as related to the collective municipal share.

36. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Is it the policy of the Government to use the employment service of the Unemployment Insurance Commission in hiring employees for work on access roads and development roads.

37. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Set forth the number of jobs created in each area in the fiscal year ending (a) March 31st, 1957; (b) March 31st, 1958; (c) March 31st, 1959, as compared to employment in each particular for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1956. 2. (a) How many employable persons were unemployed in Ontario as of (i) December 31st, 1956; (ii) December 31st, 1957; (iii) December 31st, 1958; (b) How many employable persons were unemployed in Ontario as of (i) June 30th, 1956; (ii) June 30th, 1957; (iii) June 30th, 1958; (c) In the difference in tabulation of answers to (a) and (b), What effect did Ontario Government activity have on that difference, quoting your source of information.

38. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) What licences and/or options were held by Ontario Paper Company Limited prior to 1957; (b) What area was licensed to that Company and under what terms of agreement; (c) What area in addition to (b) was optioned or held in reserve for the Ontario Paper Company Limited and under what terms and conditions. 2. If a deposit was required under (1), (a) What was the amount of the deposit; (b) In what form was the deposit advanced, i.e., bonds, cash or securities; (c) Was the deposit, if any, forfeited in whole or in part for non-performance of agreement; (d) If the answer to (c) is yes, what was the amount forfeited; (e) If the answer to (c) is no, why was the Company in question not required to pay for non-performance.

39. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is (a) the number of square miles of Crown Lands north of the main line of the C.N.R. under licence to Anglo-Newfoundland Development Co. Ltd.; (b) the number of square miles held in reserve for that Company; (c) the expiry date of the licence referred to in (a); (d) the expiry date of options or reserves held for the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited. 2. What deposit for performance has been required of the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited for (a) the licence issued to that Company; (b) the area reserved for that Company. 3. If the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited does not exercise its licence or option prior to an expiry date in 1959, will an extension of licence and/or agreement be granted. 4. If the answer to 3 is yes, will the deposit, if any, be forfeited. 5. If the answer to 4 is no, under what explicit terms and conditions will the licence and/or option(s) be renewed. 5. On what date was licence, option, agreement or other instrument renewed or continued in respect of the aforementioned Company.

40. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario. 2. What allied or subsidiary companies are controlled by Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited which are operating in the Province of Ontario under The Crown Timber Act.

41. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Were any collective agreements negotiated between the Dryden Paper Company Limited and its employees both in production and in logging formally amended as being an agreement between the employees concerned and the Anglo-Newfoundland

Development Company Limited; (b) if the reply to (a) is yes, what unions are affected; (c) if the reply to (a) is no, with what Company do the agreement(s) continue; (d) if the reply to (a) is yes, will the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited be required to conform to the terms of agreements negotiated under The Labour Relations Act (Ontario). 2. Will the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited be permitted to refuse to deal with labour unions in Ontario which have been legally certified as bargaining agents for employees of that Company, or any of its subsidiaries, and where collective bargaining agreements are now in effect. 3. Is it the policy of the Ontario Government to amend The Labour Relations Act when a strike or lockout occurs where the area of collective agreement does not affect essential public services such as waterworks, hospitals and public health.

42. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In the Department of Highways what rate of wages or rental is paid in (a) the Kenora Division and (b) the Fort William Division in the following four classifications: Patrolmen, Truck Drivers, Truck Drivers using their own trucks, Labourers.

43. *Mr. Manley*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In each of the years 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958: (a) How much did The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario pay to Colonial Coach Lines; (b) How much did the government of Ontario pay to Colonial Coach Lines.

44. *Mr. Gordon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—(a) What is the total cost of the mural in the observation tower of the Ontario Hydro's power project; (b) Who paid for this mural; (c) If the cost was shared, what amounts were paid by each of the contributors; (d) What was the cost of the St. Lawrence Suite; (e) How much was paid to the composer, Mr. Morton Gould; (f) If the cost was shared, how much did Ontario Hydro pay.

45. *Mr. Nixon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In connection with the Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission: (a) Who are the members of the Commission and what is the salary or honorarium of each; (b) How much has been paid each of the Commissioners in expenses in each of the last four years; (c) What is the total amount of money advanced by the government to the Commission to date; (d) What sources of revenue are available to the Commission; (e) How much revenue has been obtained by the Commission from all sources to date; (f) How much property (in acres) in each County is currently under the Commission's jurisdiction; (g) How much property is ultimately slated to be under Commission jurisdiction; (h) Has the Commission reimbursed Ontario Hydro St. Lawrence Development for any lands turned over to it by Hydro and, if so, how much has the Commission paid to date.

46. *Mr. Nixon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In connection with the Burlington Skyway: (a) What is the schedule of tolls for each class of vehicle; (b) How much money has been collected each month in tolls; (c) How many persons are employed in connection with the Skyway; (d) What has been the total cost of employees' salaries and operating expenses from the official opening of the Skyway to date.

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

TUESDAY, MARCH 3RD, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received from the Commissioners of Estate Bills their report in the following case:—

Bill No. Pr18, An Act respecting the City of London.

THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO (Crest) Osgoode Hall, Toronto 1,
March 2nd, 1959.

THE HONOURABLE CHIEF JUSTICE PORTER,
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MORDEN.

RODERICK G. LEWIS, Esq., Q.C.,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto, Ontario.

Re: Private Bill No. Pr18, 1959, An Act respecting the
City of London.

Dear Sir:

The undersigned, as Commissioners of Estate Bills as provided by The Legislative Assembly Act, R.S.O. 1950, Chapter 202, Section 57, having had the said Bill referred to us as such Commissioners, now beg to report thereon.

We have heard counsel for the petitioner and it would appear that this Bill is an Estate Bill only with respect to sections 3 and 4 thereof.

We are of the opinion that the said sections 3 and 4 of the said Bill are proper for carrying their purposes into effect and that it is reasonable that the said sections be passed into law.

Two copies of the Bill signed by the Commissioners and the petitions for the same are accordingly returned herewith.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) DANA PORTER, C.J.O.,
K. G. MORDEN, J.A.,
Commissioners of Estate Bills.

Ordered, That the Bill, together with the report of the Commissioners of Estate Bills thereon, be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills.

Mr. Rowntree from the Standing Committee on Private Bills presented the Committee's Fifth Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. Pr12, An Act respecting the City of Belleville.

Bill No. Pr27, An Act respecting The Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Quebec.

Bill No. Pr41, An Act respecting the Village of Cayuga.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. Pr7, An Act respecting the Estate of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford.

Bill No. Pr42, An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate School Board of the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Your Committee would recommend that the following Bill be not reported:—

Bill No. Pr8, An Act respecting the Township of Pelee.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill No. Pr27, An Act respecting The Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Quebec, and on Bill No. Pr17, An Act respecting Université d'Ottawa.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That commencing on Thursday next, March 5th, and for the balance of the present Session, this House will meet each day at two of the clock in the afternoon, and that Rule No. 2 of the Assembly be suspended so far as it might apply to this motion.

The Prime Minister Tabled Answers to Questions as follows:—

9. *Mr. Gisborn*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What method of selection and hiring was used to engage the personnel collecting tolls on the Burlington Skyway. 2. What are their names and addresses. 3. What are their scheduled hours of work. 4. What are their salaries.

Answer by the Minister of Highways:—

1. Toll Collectors were selected by means of personal interview by members of the Personnel Branch of the Department of Highways.

2. Aylesworth, A. M.....	74 Stinson St., Apt. 4, Hamilton
Balardo, A.....	1 Hillside Ave., Dundas
Bevan, H.....	4 Bells Lane, Hamilton
Bradshaw, I. H.....	999 Beach Blvd., Hamilton
Carey, A. A.....	R.R. 2, Hamilton
Collin, R. A.....	934 Concession St., Hamilton
Douglas, W. F.....	West Flamboro, Ont.
Haley, L. C.....	1424 King St. E., Hamilton
Halfpenny, S.....	63 Sterling St., Caledonia
Harley, W. E.....	18 Florence St., Hamilton
Hrysko, P.....	222 Province St. S., Hamilton
Hughes, K. A.....	69 Barclay St., Hamilton
Hunsberger, W. J.....	50 Norwick Rd., Stoney Creek
Hutchison, J. W.....	26 Central Park Ave., Dundas
Kalapos, S.....	Rockton, Ont.
Kennedy, C. B.....	1008 Barton St. E., Hamilton
Leeming, T.....	489 Martha St., Burlington
Lewis, N. T.....	90 Oak Ave., Hamilton
Livingstone, W. D.....	532 Mary St., Burlington
MacDonald, A.....	1971 North St., Niagara Falls
Merlin, C. E.....	74 Garfield Ave. S., Hamilton
Mowat, R. S.....	20 Madison Ave., Hamilton
Norton, J. C.....	DeWitt Road, Fruitland, Ont.
Rummery, L. N.....	R.R. No. 1, Ancaster, Ont.
Scarlett, R. E.....	270 Pine Cove Rd., Burlington
Sheppard, E. J.....	R.R. No. 2, Hamilton
Smith, L. H.....	18 Albert St., Hamilton
Thomas, D. A.....	99½ John St. S., Hamilton
Woods, D. S.....	750 Burgess Ave., Hamilton

3. 40 hours per week.

4. \$3,360.00 per annum.

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11. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is Mr. C. V. Charters, of Charters Publishing Co. Ltd., a member of the Ontario Hospital Services Commission, and if so, what salary does he receive as Commissioner. 2. Has the Ontario Hospital Services Commission placed printing orders with the Charters Publishing Company Ltd., and if so, what is: (a) the total amount paid to the Charters Publishing Company Ltd. to date; (b) the total amount contracted for but not paid to date. 3. Will Charters Publishing Co. Ltd. be permitted to tender on future O.H.S.C. contracts. 4. Is the administration of the O.H.S.C. to be kept free of politics and patronage.

Answer by the Minister of Health:—

1. Yes—\$4,000.00 per annum.

2. Yes—(a) \$12,392.00;
(b) \$ 3,507.00.

3. No.

4. Yes.

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16. *Mr. Innes*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On what date in 1958 did contract negotiations commence between The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario and the Ontario Hydro employees' union. 2. On what date was a settlement reached. 3. In the course of the negotiations did the Hydro employees' union request a meeting with Hydro Chairman James Duncan and, if so, on what date did they make their request. 4. On what date did Mr. Duncan meet with the employees' union representatives.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

1. February 18, 1958.

2. January 20, 1959. Between the period of February 18, 1958, and June 6, 1958, 77 of the 99 items in dispute were settled and on the later date the Union signified its intention of applying for conciliation on the unresolved matters. The Union applied for conciliation on June 11, 1958, and meetings were held with the Conciliation Officer on July 9 and 10, 1958. Conciliation Board hearings were held on September 29 and 30, 1958. Post-conciliation meetings were held jointly and also under the auspices of the Minister of Labour, resulting in the settlement between the parties.

3. At no time did the Union request a meeting with the Chairman of the Commission relative to negotiations or any other matter.

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23. *Mr. Innes*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did the Women's Progressive Conservative Association of Woodstock cater for the official opening ceremonies of the new Ontario Hospital at Woodstock in October of 1958. 2. If so, who arranged to have this Association do the catering. 3. Who paid for the catering. 4. How much was the Association paid for its services. 5. Why was not a church or charitable organization approached to do the catering.

Answer by the Minister of Health:—

1. No.

2. Not applicable.

3. Ontario Hospital, Woodstock.

4. Nil.

5. Due to uncertainty of attendance, arrangements were made with local catering firm.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that the Speaker do now leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, Mr. Wintermeyer moved, seconded by Mr. Nixon,

That the Motion "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into Committee of Supply" be amended by adding thereto the following words:—

But this House regrets that the Budget:

1. Is misleading because of the manner of presenting the province's total business in two sets of accounts, one for ordinary and one for capital.
2. Makes no provision for an adequate winter employment assistance programme.
3. Shows no plan of orderly debt retirement for a provincial debt that is increasing at an ever-faster rate.
4. Demonstrates no vigorous demand for the calling of a Dominion-Provincial conference to negotiate reallocation of responsibilities and revenues.
5. Does not plan a provincial-municipal conference for the reallocation of responsibilities and revenues.
6. Does not provide the funds required to carry out the suggestions of the Throne Speech concerning scholarships and development of the north.
7. Does not provide for financial assistance to agriculture in the form of extended credits for farm loans and development of storage and marketing facilities.
8. Does not make provision for the extension of services in the field of hospital and health insurance.

The Debate continued and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Thomas,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill No. Pr2, An Act respecting The Ontario Threshermen's Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

- Bill No. Pr3, An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.
- Bill No. Pr4, An Act respecting St. Jerome's College.
- Bill No. Pr13, An Act to incorporate The University of Waterloo.
- Bill No. Pr14, An Act to incorporate Waterloo Lutheran University.
- Bill No. Pr15, An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens.
- Bill No. Pr20, An Act respecting The Corporation of the Synod of Hamilton and London of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.
- Bill No. Pr23, An Act respecting the Township of Michipicoten.
- Bill No. Pr24, An Act respecting the Town of Bowmanville.
- Bill No. Pr32, An Act respecting the Royal Military College of Canada.
- Bill No. Pr33, An Act respecting the City of Guelph.
- Bill No. Pr35, An Act respecting the Township of Stamford.
- Bill No. 1, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Statutes.
- Bill No. 21, An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act.
- Bill No. 23, An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act, 1957.
- Bill No. 25, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act, 1952.
- Bill No. 26, An Act to amend The Forestry Act, 1952.
- Bill No. 27, An Act to amend The Provincial Parks Act, 1958.
- Bill No. 28, An Act to amend The Department of Travel and Publicity Act.
- Bill No. 29, An Act to amend The Archaeological and Historic Sites Protection Act, 1953.
- Bill No. 31, An Act to amend The Public Lands Act.
- Bill No. 32, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Regulations.
- Bill No. 37, An Act to amend The Rainbow Bridge Act, 1941.
- Bill No. 38, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.
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The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

1601.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	\$ 1,056,600.00
1602.	To defray the expenses of the Office of The Speaker.....	43,000.00
1603.	To defray the expenses of the Clerk of The Legislative Assembly and Chief Election Officer.....	96,200.00
1604.	To defray the expenses of the Queen's Printer.....	185,000.00
1605.	To defray the expenses of the Registrar-General's Branch..	679,000.00
1606.	To defray the expenses of the Sessional Requirements.....	804,000.00
1607.	To defray the expenses of the Civil Service Commission...	371,800.00
1608.	To defray the expenses of the Public Service Superannuation Fund.....	110,000.00
1609.	To defray the expenses of the Post Office.....	551,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 11.12 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

47. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—With regard to the contract for construction of a causeway at Fort Frances, as part of the proposed Atikokan-Fort Frances Highway—1. How many Companies tendered on this contract and what was the tender of each, in dollars. 2. What Company was awarded the contract and for what established cost and conditions. 3. Was the contract revised in any way after the original contract was signed or commenced. 4. If the answer to Number 3 is yes, in what way was the contract revised in (a) contract price; (b) provision for extras. 5. What is the final estimated cost in relation to the original contract award.

TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4TH, 1959

PRAYERS

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received from the Commissioners of Estate Bills their report in the following case:—

Bill No. Pr43, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO (Crest) Osgoode Hall, Toronto 1,
March 3rd, 1959.

THE HONOURABLE CHIEF JUSTICE PORTER,
THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MORDEN.

RODERICK LEWIS, Esq., Q.C.,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto, Ontario.

Re: Bill No. Pr43, 1959, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Dear Sir:

The undersigned, as Commissioners of Estate Bills as provided by The Legislative Assembly Act, R.S.O. 1950, Chapter 202, Section 57, having had the said Bill referred to us as such Commissioners, now beg to report thereon.

We have heard counsel for the petitioner and it would appear that this Bill is an Estate Bill only with respect to Section 1 thereof.

We are of the opinion that the said Section 1 of the said Bill is proper for carrying its purpose into effect and that it is reasonable that the said section be passed into law.

Two copies of the Bill signed by the Commissioners and the petition for the same are accordingly returned herewith.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) DANA PORTER, C.J.O.,
K. G. MORDEN, J.A.,
Commissioners of Estate Bills.

Ordered, That the Bill, together with the report of the Commissioners of Estate Bills thereon, be referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 73, An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Dymond.*

Bill No. 74, An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act. *Mr. Allan* (Haldimand-Norfolk).

Bill No. 75, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act. *Mr. Warrender.*

Bill No. 76, An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Warrender.*

Bill No. 77, An Act to amend The Municipal Unconditional Grants Act, 1953. *Mr. Warrender.*

Bill No. 78, The Juvenile and Family Courts Act, 1959. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 79, An Act to amend The County Courts Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 80, An Act to amend The Evidence Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 81, An Act to amend The Certification of Titles Act, 1958. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 82, An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 83, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 84, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 85, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Yaremko.*

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

1401.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Prime Minister.....	\$ 81,000.00
1402.	To defray the expenses of the Cabinet Office.....	63,000.00
301.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Economics.....	360,000.00
1501.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Provincial Auditor..	421,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House:—

Bill No. 35, An Act to amend The Children's Boarding Homes Act, 1957.

Bill No. 60, An Act to provide for the Establishment and Confirmation of Boundaries of Lands.

Bill No. 68, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1957.

Bill No. 69, An Act to amend The Charitable Institutions Act, 1956.

Bill No. Pr5, An Act respecting the Township of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr6, An Act to incorporate York University.

Bill No. Pr7, An Act respecting the Estate of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford.

Bill No. Pr9, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Timmins.

Bill No. Pr10, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr11, An Act respecting the Township of Alfred.

Bill No. Pr12, An Act respecting the City of Belleville.

Bill No. Pr16, An Act respecting the City of Peterborough.

Bill No. Pr17, An Act respecting Université d'Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr21, An Act respecting the Town of Chesley.

Bill No. Pr27, An Act respecting The Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Quebec.

Bill No. Pr31, An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Bill No. Pr36, An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

Bill No. Pr37, An Act respecting the Town of Mount Forest.

Bill No. Pr40, An Act respecting the City of Woodstock.

Bill No. Pr41, An Act respecting the Village of Cayuga.

Bill No. Pr42, An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate School Board of the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Legal Bills:—

Bill No. 64, An Act to Extend the Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court to vary Trusts in the Interests of Beneficiaries and sanction Dealings with Trust Property.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Eighth Annual Report of the Alcoholism Research Foundation for the year ending December 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 42.*)

Report of the Minister of Education for the calendar year 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 7.*)

Annual Report of the Teachers' Superannuation Commission for the year ending October 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 8.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY

THURSDAY, MARCH 5TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rowntree from the Standing Committee on Private Bills presented the Committee's Sixth Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. Pr1, An Act respecting The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of Canada.

Bill No. Pr26, An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr30, An Act respecting the Village of Wasaga Beach.

Your Committee would recommend that the following Bill be not reported:—

Bill No. Pr22, An Act respecting The Royal Victoria Hospital of Barrie.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill No. Pr1, An Act respecting The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of Canada, and on Bill No. Pr22, An Act respecting The Royal Victoria Hospital of Barrie.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 86, An Act to amend The University of Toronto Act, 1947. *Mr. Dunlop.*

Bill No. 87, An Act to amend The Wages Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 88, An Act to amend The Execution Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 89, An Act to declare the Status of Crown Agencies. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 90, An Act to amend The Cemeteries Act. *Mr. Dymond.*

Bill No. 91, An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act. *Mr. Spooner.*

Bill No. 92, An Act to amend The Forest Fires Prevention Act. *Mr. Spooner.*

The Honourable Mr. Dymond, Minister of Health, outlined the Government's position with respect to the fluoridation of public water supplies.

Mr. Stewart (Parkdale) informed the House that to-morrow a special Council Meeting of the Corporation of the City of Toronto would be held celebrating the One hundred and twenty-fifth Anniversary of the City's incorporation.

The Honourable Mr. Dunlop, Minister of Education, made reference to Education Week, and the incorporation to-day of the federated University of St. Jerome's College, The University of Waterloo and Waterloo Lutheran University. He was joined in his remarks by Mr. Wintermeyer, Leader of the Opposition and Member for Waterloo North, who introduced the Incorporating Acts in the House.

The Prime Minister then requested permission of Mr. Speaker to depart to escort His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor to the Chamber so that he might give Royal Assent to these Incorporating Acts.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and, being seated upon the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:—

“May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sittings thereof passed several Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour’s Assent.”

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Bills that had passed as follows:

“The following are the titles of the Bills to which Your Honour’s Assent is prayed:—

Bill No. Pr4, An Act respecting St. Jerome’s College.

Bill No. Pr13, An Act to incorporate The University of Waterloo.

Bill No. Pr14, An Act to incorporate Waterloo Lutheran University.”

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

“In Her Majesty’s name, the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these Bills.”

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Macaulay,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

1201.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Municipal Affairs.....	\$ 33,370,000.00
1202.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Municipal Board.	339,000.00
1203.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Municipal Affairs.....	1,000,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Ontario College of Art for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 9.*)

Report of the Board of Governors of The Lakehead College of Arts, Science and Technology for the period August 1, 1957, to May 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 62.*)

The House then adjourned at 11.00 p.m.

TWENTY-NINTH DAY

FRIDAY, MARCH 6TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Stewart, Middlesex North, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture presented the Committee's First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 46, An Act to amend The Agricultural Societies Act.

Bill No. 47, An Act to amend The Community Centres Act.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 45, An Act to amend The Dog Tax and the Cattle, Sheep and Poultry Protection Act.

Mr. Rankin from the Standing Committee on Legal Bills presented the Committee's Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 48, An Act to amend The Credit Unions Act, 1953.

Bill No. 49, An Act to amend The Investment Contracts Act.

Bill No. 51, An Act to amend The Probation Act.

Bill No. 52, The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1959.

Bill No. 61, An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act.

Bill No. 62, An Act to amend The Regulations Act.

Bill No. 63, An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 33, The Bulk Sales Act, 1959.

Bill No. 50, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Bill No. 53, An Act to amend The Wills Act.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next:—

Bill No. 93, An Act to amend The Public Vehicles Act. *Mr. Yaremko.*

Bill No. 94, An Act to amend The Power Commission Act. *Mr. Macaulay.*

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply,

And, after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Stewart (Parkdale) reported, That the Committee had instructed him to report progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report relating to the Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths in the Province of Ontario for the year ending 31st December, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 18.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.00 p.m.

THIRTIETH DAY

MONDAY, MARCH 9TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rowntree from the Standing Committee on Private Bills presented the Committee's Seventh and Final Report which was read as follows:

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. Pr38, An Act respecting the City of Kingston and Queen's University at Kingston.

Bill No. Pr43, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. Pr18, An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill No. Pr25, An Act respecting the Township of North York.

Bill No. Pr28, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Your Committee would recommend that the following Bill be not reported:—

Bill No. Pr19, An Act respecting the City of Owen Sound.

Your Committee would recommend that the following Bills, having been withdrawn, be not reported and would further recommend that the fees less the penalties and the actual cost of printing be remitted:—

Bill No. Pr29, An Act respecting the County of Simcoe and the City of Barrie.

Bill No. Pr34, An Act respecting The Gairdner Foundation.

Bill No. Pr39, An Act respecting the Township of Teck.

Mr. Wintermeyer moved in amendment, seconded by Mr. Oliver,

That Bill No. Pr19 be referred back to the Standing Committee on Private Bills,

And, after some time, the amendment having been put was lost on the following division:—

YEAS

Gisborn	Nixon	Whicher
Gordon	Oliver	Wintermeyer
Innes	Reaume	Worton
MacDonald	Spence	Wren—14.
Manley	Thomas	

NAYS

Allan (Haldimand-Norfolk)	Hall	McNeil
Allen (Middlesex South)	Hamilton	Nickle
Auld	Hanna	Noden
Boyer	Herbert	Parry
Brunelle	Jackson	Phillips
Cathcart	Janes	Price (Hastings East)
Cecile	Johnston (Parry Sound)	Price (St. David)
Chaput	Johnston (Simcoe Centre)	Rankin
Child	Johnston (Carleton)	Robarts
Connell	Jolley	Roberts
Cowling	Kerr	Root
Daley	Lavergne	Rowntree
Dunbar	Lawrence	Scott
Dunlop	Letherby	Spooner
Dymond	Macaulay	Stewart (Middlesex North)
Edwards	Mackenzie	Stewart (Parkdale)
Foote	Maloney	Sutton
Frost (Victoria)	Monaghan	Wardrope
Gomme	Morin	Warrender
Goodfellow	Morningstar	Yaremko—66.
Griesinger	Morrow	
Grossman	Murdoch	
Guindon	Myers	

The motion for the adoption of the report having been put was declared to be carried.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Stewart (Parkdale),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sum:—

2001.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Transport.....	\$ 413,000.00
2002.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Highway Transport Board.....	104,000.00
2003.	To defray the expenses of the Highway Safety Branch....	510,000.00
2004.	To defray the expenses of the Motor Vehicles Administration	3,554,000.00
801.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Labour.....	625,000.00
802.	To defray the expenses of the Industry and Labour Board	299,000.00
803.	To defray the expenses of the Apprenticeship Branch....	638,000.00
804.	To defray the expenses of the Boiler Inspection Branch...	299,000.00
805.	To defray the expenses of the Factory Inspection Branch..	84,000.00
806.	To defray the expenses of the Board of Examiners of Operating Engineers.....	88,000.00
807.	To defray the expenses of the Minimum Wage Branch....	19,000.00
808.	To defray the expenses of the Composite Inspection Branch	417,000.00
809.	To defray the expenses of the Labour Relations Board....	218,000.00
810.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Athletics Commissioner.....	46,000.00
811.	To defray the expenses of the Elevator Inspection Branch.	103,000.00

812. To defray the expenses of the Industry and Labour Board. \$14,000,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Twenty-fifth Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs for the year ending December 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 16.*)

Annual Report of the Inspector of Legal Offices for the year ending December 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 5.*)

The House then adjourned at 11.20 p.m.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY

TUESDAY, MARCH 10TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 95, An Act to amend The General Welfare Assistance Act, 1958.
Mr. Cecile.

Bill No. 96, An Act to amend The Jails Act. *Mr. Wardrope.*

Before the Orders of the Day the Prime Minister made the following presentation:—

It is a great pleasure to present to the House another volume in the Ontario Government-Champlain Society series on various aspects of Ontario's history. This is entitled "Kingston Before the War of 1812", and its author is Dr. Richard A. Preston, Professor of History, of Royal Military College. I congratulate Dr. Preston on his production of this handsome and interesting work, and I am sure that all members of this House join me in expressing thanks to him.

Two volumes have preceded this one. They are "Valley of the Trent" by Edwin C. Guillet and "Royal Fort Frontenac" by Professor Preston, in collaboration with Dr. Leopold Lamontagne. Once again I should like to acknowledge the great contribution which these historians have made both to historical scholarship itself and, in particular, to our knowledge of the origins of this Province.

These volumes are being prepared under the direction of the Champlain Society, with the financial backing of the Government of Ontario. The Society, which has been sponsoring the production of historical studies for more than 50 years, chooses and guides the authors of the various works, while the Government defrays the expenses of preparation and publication.

The authors, of course, are given a free hand in the preparation of their various volumes. Professor Preston has, for example, selected all the material which is reproduced in this book. You will see that he has written an introduction giving the background of the pre-1812 period in the Kingston area. He has also written commentaries upon the various records and documents in the book in order to illuminate them and make them fully understandable and meaningful. In all of this, there has been no interference from outside. The opinions which the author has expressed in the introduction and commentaries are his alone. From beginning to end, this book—like its predecessors—is the independent and objective production of a professional historian.

Our purpose is to provide a series of documentary volumes of Ontario's history. Our hope is that this will be interesting and instructive to the general reader and that it will also constitute a solid foundation of source material for the interpretive historian. Professor Preston has met this objective in its entirety. Another very important reason for undertaking this enterprise is the desire to preserve in perpetuity Ontario's rich and fascinating stock of historical records and documents. These are very perishable and can easily become lost or destroyed through inadvertence.

May I quote Professor Preston to underline the value of this historical project:

"Some of the collections of documents which were explored have not previously been used intensively by historians. Other records that were known . . . have since been forgotten by their custodians; and some of these were triumphantly rediscovered after dusty searches. Thus, in addition to the service of providing in print a documentary history of a pioneer community, the preparation of the present volume has led to the discovery, or rediscovery, of material that was either unknown or forgotten."

With the publication of this work, we now have a comprehensive collection of documents and a brief descriptive history of the Kingston area from the very beginning of its development in the early 17th Century until the outbreak of the War of 1812. This book, particularly, covers a most important period in the life of Kingston—the formative period. At that time—the turn of the 19th Century—Kingston was the leading centre of what is now the Province of Ontario. Around it, the United Empire Loyalists founded their St. Lawrence River and Bay of Quinte settlements. Kingston was the commercial capital,

principal naval base and, in many ways, the citadel of this Province. Its contribution to the establishment and development of Ontario cannot be over-estimated.

Within the next two or three years, further volumes, covering other areas of Ontario, will be completed. Next year, a work on the Windsor area will issue from the press. It will be followed by a volume on "Muddy York" and another on the Muskoka-Haliburton area. Thought is being given at the present time to the preparation of a special volume on the famous pioneer roads of Ontario, the Bobcaygeon Road, Dundas Street, Yonge Street and so on. I am sure we all look forward eagerly to the publication of these works over the next few years.

Also the Prime Minister made a further statement to the House with respect to the Committee of Enquiry the Government proposed to set up to carefully investigate all matters relating to the use of fluorides and fluoridation.

The Honourable Mr. Roberts, Attorney-General, made a further statement with respect to shares in Northern Ontario Natural Gas held by Convesto & Company of British Columbia. In the course of his statement, Mr. Roberts Tabled correspondence and other documents relating to these shares and share transfers. (*Sessional Paper No. 63.*)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

401.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office and General Departmental Expenses, Department of Education. . \$	562,000.00
402.	To defray the expenses of the Elementary Education Branch.	3,136,000.00
403.	To defray the expenses of the Secondary Education Branch.	3,796,000.00
404.	To defray the expenses of the Teacher Education Branch	2,832,000.00
405.	To defray the expenses of the Professional Development Branch.	128,000.00
406.	To defray the expenses of the Special Educational Services Branch.	1,818,000.00
407.	To defray the expenses of the Registrar's Branch.	1,233,000.00
408.	To defray the expenses of the Curriculum and Text-Books Branch.	59,000.00

409.	To defray the expenses of the Other Educational Services	\$ 697,000.00
410.	To defray the expenses of the Dominion-Provincial Agreements.....	100,000.00
411.	To defray the expenses of the Scholarships, Bursaries, etc.	1,215,000.00
412.	To defray the expenses of the Legislative Grants, etc...	151,047,000.00
413.	To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous Grants.....	268,000.00
414.	To defray the expenses of the Grants to Provincial and Other Universities, etc.....	23,865,000.00
415.	To defray the expenses of the Teachers' Superannuation, etc.....	4,000.00
416.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Education.....	3,000,000.00

During the presentation of his Estimates, the Honourable Mr. Dunlop, Minister of Education, Tabled a copy of the new Regulations made by him under The Department of Education Act, 1954. (*Sessional Paper No. 64.*)

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House:—

Bill No. 70, An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act, 1957.

Bill No. 74, An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act.

Bill No. 83, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act.

Bill No. 84, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Bill No. 90, An Act to amend The Cemeteries Act.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture:—

Bill No. 59, An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Mining:—

Bill No. 65, An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill No. 71, An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill No. 72, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Health:—

Bill No. 73, An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Law:—

Bill No. 75, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Bill No. 76, An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Bill No. 77, An Act to amend The Municipal Unconditional Grants Act, 1953.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Legal Bills:—

Bill No. 79, An Act to amend The County Courts Act.

Bill No. 80, An Act to amend The Evidence Act.

Bill No. 81, An Act to amend The Certification of Titles Act, 1958.

Bill No. 82, An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act.

Bill No. 87, An Act to amend The Wages Act.

Bill No. 88, An Act to amend The Execution Act.

Bill No. 89, An Act to declare the Status of Crown Agencies.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Highway Safety:—

Bill No. 85, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Education:—

Bill No. 86, An Act to amend The University of Toronto Act, 1947.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Lands and Forests:—

Bill No. 92. An Act to amend The Forest Fires Prevention Act.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Murdoch reported.

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 2, An Act to amend The Public Schools Act.

Bill No. 3, An Act to amend The Schools Administration Act, 1954.

Bill No. 4, An Act to amend The Secondary Schools and Boards of Education Act, 1954.

Bill No. 5, An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act.

Bill No. 6, An Act to amend The Air Pollution Control Act, 1958.

Bill No. 10, An Act to amend The Coroners Act.

Bill No. 11, An Act to amend The Crown Witnesses Act.

Bill No. 12, An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.

Bill No. 13, An Act to amend The Insurance Act.

Bill No. 14, An Act to amend The Jurors Act.

Bill No. 15, An Act to amend The Lightning Rods Act.

Bill No. 16, An Act to amend The Loan and Trust Corporations Act.

Bill No. 17, An Act to amend The Magistrates Act, 1952.

Bill No. 18, An Act to amend The Mental Incompetency Act.

Bill No. 19, An Act to amend The Private Investigators Act, 1958.

Bill No. 20, An Act to amend The Training Schools Act.

Bill No. 24, An Act to amend The Public Libraries Act.

Bill No. 30, An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act.

Bill No. 33, The Bulk Sales Act, 1959.

Bill No. 34, An Act to amend The Alcoholism Research Foundation Act, 1949.

Bill No. 35, An Act to amend The Children's Boarding Homes Act, 1957.

Bill No. 41, An Act to amend The Public Service Act.

Bill No. 45, An Act to amend The Dog Tax and the Cattle, Sheep and Poultry Protection Act.

Bill No. 46, An Act to amend The Agricultural Societies Act.

Bill No. 47, An Act to amend The Community Centres Act.

Bill No. 49, An Act to amend The Investment Contracts Act.

Bill No. 50, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Bill No. 51, An Act to amend The Probation Act.

Bill No. 52, The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1959.

Bill No. 53, An Act to amend The Wills Act.

Bill No. 57, An Act to amend The Vital Statistics Act.

Bill No. 58, An Act to amend The Theatres Act, 1953.

Bill No. 61, An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act.

Bill No. 62, An Act to amend The Regulations Act.

Bill No. 63, An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

Bill No. 68, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1957.

Bill No. 69, An Act to amend The Charitable Institutions Act, 1956.

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill No. 48, An Act to amend The Credit Unions Act, 1953.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted and that the Bills reported be read the third time to-morrow.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding the previous Order, this House will meet at ten-thirty of the clock in the forenoon on each Friday for the balance of the present Session, will adjourn for the luncheon recess at one of the clock in the afternoon and will resume at two of the clock in the afternoon.

The House then adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McNeil, from the Standing Committee on Education, presented the Committee's Report, which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill No. 86, An Act to amend The University of Toronto Act, 1947.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 97, An Act to establish the Department of Energy Resources. *Mr. Frost* (Victoria).

Bill No. 98, An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act, 1957. *Mr. Dymond*.

Bill No. 99, An Act to amend The Racing Commission Act. *Mr. Allan* (Haldimand-Norfolk).

Bill No. 100, The Charitable Gifts Act, 1959. *Mr. Roberts*.

Bill No. 101, An Act to amend The Public Health Act. *Mr. Dymond*.

The Prime Minister Tabled Answers to Question as follows:—

18. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. When did the Government acquire the property at Port Bolster, near Beaverton, for a new reform institution. 2. From whom was the purchase made, and what amount was paid for it. 3. How much money has been spent to date by the Department of

Public Works and/or Reform Institutions for: (a) the provision of adequate water supply and sewage disposal system; and (b) other renovations. 4. What is the approximate date of its opening.

Answer by the Minister of Public Works:—

1. Property acquired December 15th, 1957.
2. Purchased from Milo and Jeannette Fontaine at a cost of \$33,000.00.
3. (a) Cost of water and sewage disposal system to January 31st, 1959—
By Department of Public Works—\$21,083.51;
- (b) Cost of other renovations to January 31st, 1959—
By Department of Public Works—\$52,278.25.
4. Approximate date of opening—Later in the year, 1959.

Answer by the Minister of Reform Institutions:—

3. (a) \$1,868.03—(By Department of Reform Institutions);
- (b) \$26.19—(By Department of Reform Institutions).
4. Immediately following completion of work thereon by Department of Public Works.

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20. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. After erection of the J. Clark Keith steam generating plant for Ontario Hydro in Windsor, were contractors called to repair a crack which developed in the structure. 2. Was the contractor called to repair the crack the same contractor who erected the building. 3. What was determined as the underlying cause of the crack. 4. How much was paid to have the crack repaired.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

1. Contractor was still on job—he undertook work as part of the contract.
2. Yes.
3. The cause was a combination of loading and temperature changes in the plant during the summer and winter of 1952 before No. 4 unit superstructure was closed in and heated. The crack in the building occurred between units No. 2 and No. 3 and the opening was 3/8" at the top of the building extending downwards to zero at ground level. This condition is in no way detrimental to the building as a structure, and as a continuing check on the stability of the plant bench marks were established in 1953 and to date there is no evidence of movement other than that expected from seasonal temperature changes.

The Commission was fully aware of the soil conditions existing at this site before engineering was commenced by the H. G. Acres Company.

The Commission was aware that heavy structure loadings on similar sites in Canada and the United States had resulted in some settling and minor cracks in walls and floors and that these were not detrimental to the functional use of the structures.

To be assured that the site could be successfully used for the steam plant, H. G. Acres called in Dr. Terzaghi, Professor of Harvard University who is one of the top-ranking consulting engineers in the U.S.A. on soil mechanics, who gave a favourable report on its use.

Borings were taken to depth and piling was used to support the plant, which is normal engineering practice.

Suitable sites in this area are limited. The one chosen was the most desirable; its advantages from a coal-handling and transmission facilities point of view offset the disadvantage of soil conditions. The Commission is satisfied that the choice of location which was made at the time was correct.

4. Repairs did not exceed \$5,000.

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24. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who has been given the contract for putting a mulch surface on the Caland Ore Road from Highway No. 120 to the edge of the Caland Ore property. 2. How much has been spent to date on this contract. 3. What is the estimated total cost for completing the job. 4. What is the approximate mileage involved. 5. What is the average cost per mile for mulch surfacing elsewhere throughout the province. 6. Are these costs being shared by the company.

Answer by the Minister of Highways:—

1. Work was not done under contract, but by Department of Highways' forces, the work including 2.0 miles of road on Caland Ore property.
2. To January 31st, 1959—\$57,988.76, including 2.0 miles on Caland Ore property. Expenditure includes bituminous dust layer and binder costing \$1,000.00 per mile.
3. \$13,000.00 additional, including 2.0 miles on Caland Ore property.
4. 5.2 miles from Highway No. 120 to the Caland Ore property and 2.0 miles on Caland Ore property.
5. From \$6,650.00 to \$9,700.00 per mile, excluding bituminous dust layer and binder treatment.
6. The Company is responsible for the cost incurred for the 2.0 miles on their property. The Department is responsible for the balance.

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34. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What is the final or estimated final cost of Ontario Hydro's capital developments at (1) Manitou Falls; (2) Whitedog Falls, and (3) Caribou Falls.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

The final estimated costs of Ontario Hydro's capital developments are as follows:

(1) Manitou Falls G.S.....	\$15,558,000
(2) Whitedog Falls G.S.....	\$21,182,000
(3) Caribou Falls G.S.....	\$24,017,000

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35. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the final capital cost for (a) Construction, and (b) Equipping the District of Kenora Home for the Aged. 2. What was the Government's share in dollars of the total capital cost of the District of Kenora Home for the Aged, as related to the collective municipal share.

Answer by the Minister of Public Works:—

KENORA DISTRICT HOME FOR THE AGED

1. Total Cost.....	\$873,967.63
(a) Construction.....	\$780,727.62
(b) Equipping.....	<u>93,240.01</u>
2. Paid by Province of Ontario.....	517,100.43
Paid by Municipalities.....	356,867.20

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43. *Mr. Manley*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In each of the years 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958: (a) How much did the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission pay to Colonial Coach Lines; (b) How much did the government of Ontario pay to Colonial Coach Lines.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

(a) 1955.....	\$ 189.00	1957.....	\$2,530.00
1956.....	704.45	1958.....	1,702.00

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

2201.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office and Public Debt, Treasury Department.....	\$ 551,000.00
2202.	To defray the expenses of the Comptroller of Revenue. . . .	2,126,000.00
2203.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Racing Commission.	172,000.00
2204.	To defray the expenses of the Tabulating Branch.....	159,000.00
2205.	To defray the expenses of the Housing Mortgage Branch..	49,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill No. 2, An Act to amend The Public Schools Act.

Bill No. 3, An Act to amend The Schools Administration Act, 1954.

Bill No. 4, An Act to amend The Secondary Schools and Boards of Education Act, 1954.

Bill No. 5, An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act.

Bill No. 6, An Act to amend The Air Pollution Control Act, 1958.

Bill No. 10, An Act to amend The Coroners Act.

Bill No. 11, An Act to amend The Crown Witnesses Act.

Bill No. 12, An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.

Bill No. 13, An Act to amend The Insurance Act.

Bill No. 14, An Act to amend The Jurors Act.

Bill No. 15, An Act to amend The Lightning Rods Act.

Bill No. 16, An Act to amend The Loan and Trust Corporations Act.

Bill No. 17, An Act to amend The Magistrates Act, 1952.

Bill No. 18, An Act to amend The Mental Incompetency Act.

Bill No. 19, An Act to amend The Private Investigators Act, 1958.

Bill No. 20, An Act to amend The Training Schools Act.

Bill No. 24, An Act to amend The Public Libraries Act.

Bill No. 30, An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act.

Bill No. 33, The Bulk Sales Act, 1959.

Bill No. 34, An Act to amend The Alcoholism Research Foundation Act, 1949.

Bill No. 35, An Act to amend The Children's Boarding Homes Act, 1957.

Bill No. 41, An Act to amend The Public Service Act.

Bill No. 45, An Act to amend The Dog Tax and the Cattle, Sheep and Poultry Protection Act.

Bill No. 46, An Act to amend The Agricultural Societies Act.

Bill No. 47, An Act to amend The Community Centres Act.

Bill No. 48, An Act to amend The Credit Unions Act, 1953.

Bill No. 49, An Act to amend The Investment Contracts Act.

Bill No. 50, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Bill No. 51, An Act to amend The Probation Act.

Bill No. 52, The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1959.

Bill No. 53, An Act to amend The Wills Act.

Bill No. 57, An Act to amend The Vital Statistics Act.

Bill No. 58, An Act to amend The Theatres Act, 1953.

Bill No. 61, An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act.

Bill No. 62, An Act to amend The Regulations Act.

Bill No. 63, An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

Bill No. 68, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1957.

Bill No. 69, An Act to amend The Charitable Institutions Act, 1956.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

1957 Statement of the Returns under sections 235 and 241 of The Municipal Act. (*Sessional Paper No. 19.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

48. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Why is it necessary that the Ontario Hospital Services Commission levy for premiums six months in advance. 2. Why is it necessary that O.H.S.C. allow only one day of grace for non-payment of premiums. 3. What does the O.H.S.C. propose to do to enable Indians in remote areas to pay their hospital insurance premiums where, (a) distance and inaccessibility is a factor; (b) where the Indians concerned have not the means to pay premiums not only six months in advance but even month to month. 4. (a) What is the estimated cost to the Province for the year ending December 31st, 1959, to provide health and hospital services not provided prior to January 1st, 1959; (b) What is the estimated amount to be received in hospital insurance premiums for the year ending December 31st, 1959; (c) What is the estimated surplus of new income over new cost in reference to (a) and (b).

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

THURSDAY, MARCH 12TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Stewart (Middlesex North) from the Standing Committee on Agriculture presented the Committee's Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill No. 59, An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act.

Mr. Myers from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law presented the Committee's First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill No. 55, An Act to amend The Conservation Authorities Act.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 54, An Act to amend The Planning Act, 1955.

Bill No. 75, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Bill No. 76, An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 102, An Act to amend The Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission Act, 1955. *Mr. Nickle.*

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Legal Bills:—

Bill No. 78, The Juvenile and Family Courts Act, 1959.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Highway Safety:—

Bill No. 93, An Act to amend The Public Vehicles Act.

Mr. Frost moved the routine motion, "That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply."

Mr. Nixon, seconded by Mr. Oliver, moved in amendment,

That the Motion now before the House that Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair and the House resolve itself into Committee of Supply, be amended by adding thereto the following:

That this House condemns the loose, improper and unlawful practice of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario in appropriating to itself for investment purposes many millions of dollars from the net profits of its trading activities for the purchase of land and construction of public buildings, without the projects being approved and the money voted by this Legislature.

And a debate arising, after some time,

Mr. Speaker ruled that as the amendment contained the words "loose", "improper" and "unlawful", and it had been demonstrated that the action of The Liquor Control Board was authorized by Statute, the motion was out of order.

On appeal Mr. Speaker's ruling was sustained on the following Division:—

YEAS

Allan (Haldimand-Norfolk)	Gomme	McNeil
Allen (Middlesex South)	Goodfellow	Noden
Beckett	Griesinger	Parry
Boyer	Grossman	Phillips
Brunelle	Guindon	Price (Hastings East)
Cass	Hall	Price (St. David)
Cathcart	Hamilton	Rankin
Cecile	Herbert	Robarts
Chaput	Jackson	Roberts
Child	Janes	Root
Collings	Johnston (Simcoe Centre)	Rowntree
Connell	Kerr	Sandercock
Cowling	Lavergne	Scott
Daley	Lawrence	Spooner
Dunlop	Lyons	Stewart (Middlesex North)
Dymond	Macaulay	Stewart (Parkdale)
Edwards	Mackenzie	Sutton
Elliott	MacNaughton	Warrender
Fishleigh	Maloney	Whitney
Foote	Mapledoram	Yaremko—66.
Frost (Victoria)	Morningstar	
Fullerton	Morrow	
	Murdoch	
	Myers	

NAYS

Gordon	Nixon	Whicher
Innes	Oliver	Wintermeyer
MacDonald	Spence	Worton
Manley	Thomas	Wren—12.

The motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply having been put, was declared to be carried.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

1801. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Public Works.....	\$	1,530,000.00
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1802.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Government Buildings.....	\$ 7,178,000.00'
1803.	To defray the expenses of the Leased Premises.....	1,050,000.00'
1804.	To defray the expenses of the Maintenance of Locks, Bridges, Dams and Docks, etc.....	150,000.00
1805.	To defray the expenses of the Aid to Drainage.....	540,000.00
1806.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Water Resources Commission.....	1,494,000.00
1807.	To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous.....	255,000.00
1808.	To defray the expenses of the Public Buildings.....	52,000,000.00
1809.	To defray the expenses of the Dams, Docks and Drainage Works.....	970,000.00
1810.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Water Resources Commission.....	26,500,000.00
1811.	To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous.....	165,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 5.55 p.m.

NOTICE OF MOTION

49. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What rates were charged Steep Rock Iron Mines in the original contract with Ontario Hydro. 2. What changes have been made in the rates since the original contract. 3. What rates are now charged to the local Atikokan Hydro Commission. 4. What rates were charged the Ontario and Minnesota Pulp and Paper Company in Fort Frances in the original contract. 5. What changes have been made in the rates since the original contract. 6. (a) Is hydro-electric power supplied directly by the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission to consumers in the town of Fort Frances or through a local Commission; (b) What is the basic rate charged.

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

FRIDAY, MARCH 13TH, 1959

PRAYERS

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Lewis from the Standing Committee on Highway Safety presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill No. 93, An Act to amend The Public Vehicles Act.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 85, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Roberts,

Ordered, That Mr. Grossman be added to the Committee on Legal Bills.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time on Monday next:—

Bill No. 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Warrender.*

Before the Orders of the Day, the Honourable Mr. Warrender, Minister of Municipal Affairs, made a statement to the House with respect to increased payments to Mining Municipalities.

The Order of the Day for the Second Reading of Bill No. 42, An Act to provide for the Implementation of the Recommendations of the Report of the Fauteux Committee, having been read,

Mr. Wardrope moved that the Bill be now read a second time, and a debate arising, after some time,

The motion having been put was declared to be carried, and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The following Bills were also read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House:—

Bill No. Pr1, An Act respecting The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of Canada.

Bill No. Pr25, An Act respecting the Township of North York.

Bill No. Pr26, An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr28, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr30, An Act respecting the Village of Wasaga Beach.

Bill No. Pr38, An Act respecting the City of Kingston and Queen's University at Kingston.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

1901.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Reform Institutions.....	\$ 1,326,000.00
1902.	To defray the expenses of the Board of Parole.....	107,000.00
1903.	To defray the expenses of the Institutions.....	14,611,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Resolutions and certain Bills.

Mr. Frost acquainted the House that the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Resolutions, recommends them to the consideration of the House.

After some time Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Murdoch reported that the Committee had come to certain Resolutions as follows:—

Resolved,

That,

every Corporation as defined in The Corporations Tax Act, 1957, shall pay to Her Majesty for the use of Ontario the taxes imposed,

as provided by Bill No. 68, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1957.

Resolved,

That,

the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may, until the 31st day of March, 1960, direct payment out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to a charitable organization erecting a new building or addition to an existing building to be used as a hostel an amount based upon the total bed capacity of the new building or the addition at the rate of \$1,500 per bed or of an amount equal to 30 per cent of the cost thereof to the charitable organization, whichever is the lesser, to be computed in accordance with the regulations, but no payment shall be made unless the council of the municipality in which the new building or the addition is situated directs payment to the charitable organization erecting the new building or the addition of an amount equal to at least 20 per cent of the cost thereof to the charitable organization,

as provided by Bill No. 69, An Act to amend The Charitable Institutions Act, 1956.

Resolved,

That,

the annual salary of every minister without portfolio, other than the minister without portfolio who is a member of The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, shall be \$1,800,

as provided by Bill No. 83, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act.

Resolved,

That,

in addition to his indemnity and allowance for expenses as a member, there shall be paid to every minister of the Crown without portfolio, other than the minister without portfolio who is a member of The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, an allowance for the expenses of representation at the rate of \$900 per annum,

as provided by Bill No. 84, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. Pr5, An Act respecting the Township of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr6, An Act to incorporate York University.

Bill No. Pr7, An Act respecting the Estate of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford.

Bill No. Pr9, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Timmins.

Bill No. Pr10, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr11, An Act respecting the Township of Alfred.

Bill No. Pr12, An Act respecting the City of Belleville.

Bill No. Pr16, An Act respecting the City of Peterborough.

Bill No. Pr17, An Act respecting Université d'Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr21, An Act respecting the Town of Chesley.

Bill No. Pr27, An Act respecting The Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Quebec.

Bill No. Pr31, An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Bill No. Pr36, An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

Bill No. Pr37, An Act respecting the Town of Mount Forest.

Bill No. Pr40, An Act respecting the City of Woodstock.

Bill No. Pr41, An Act respecting the Village of Cayuga.

Bill No. Pr42, An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate School Board of the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill No. 55, An Act to amend The Conservation Authorities Act.

Bill No. 59, An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act.

Bill No. 70, An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act, 1957.

Bill No. 74, An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act.

Bill No. 83, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act.

Bill No. 84, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Bill No. 86, An Act to amend The University of Toronto Act, 1947.

Bill No. 90, An Act to amend The Cemeteries Act.

And to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 8, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted and that the Bills reported be read the third time Monday next.

The House then adjourned at 3.20 p.m.

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

MONDAY, MARCH 16TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Hamilton from the Standing Committee on Lands and Forests presented the Committee's Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill No. 92, An Act to amend The Forest Fires Prevention Act.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 22, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Wilderness Areas.

Mr. Rankin from the Standing Committee on Legal Bills presented the Committee's Third Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 80, An Act to amend The Evidence Act.

Bill No. 81, An Act to amend The Certification of Titles Act, 1958.

Bill No. 82, An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act.

Bill No. 87, An Act to amend The Wages Act.

Bill No. 88, An Act to amend The Execution Act.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 7, An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act.

Bill No. 64, An Act to extend the Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court to vary Trusts in the Interests of Beneficiaries and sanction Dealings with Trust Property.

Bill No. 89, An Act to declare the Status of Crown Agencies.

Your Committee would recommend that the following Bill be not reported:—

Bill No. 9, An Act to amend The Bills of Sale and Chattel Mortgages Act.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 104, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act. *Mr. Warrender.*

Bill No. 105, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchise Extension Act, 1958. *Mr. Warrender.*

Bill No. 106, An Act respecting the Operation of Community Sales of Live Stock. *Mr. Goodfellow.*

Bill No. 107, An Act to amend The Farm Products Marketing Act. *Mr. Goodfellow.*

Bill No. 108, An Act to amend The Milk Industry Act, 1957. *Mr. Goodfellow.*

The Prime Minister Tabled Answers to Questions as follows:—

3. *Mr. Thomas*—Enquiry of the Ministry—(a) What is the rental paid for the motor vehicle licensing bureau opened in the new shopping centre in Oshawa last December; (b) How many employees have been hired on a full-time basis; (c) What is their remuneration; (d) How many employees have been hired on a part-time basis; (e) What is their remuneration; (f) What is the expiry date of the lease.

Answer by the Minister of Public Works:—

(a) The annual rental is \$6,600.00 effective January 1st, 1959.

(As a portion of the space was occupied on December 8th, 1958, it will be necessary to pay \$256.32 for this occupancy before the commencement of the lease.)

(b), (c), (d), (e)—To be answered by the Department of Transport.

(f) The expiry date of the lease is December 31st, 1961.

Answer by the Minister of Transport:—

- (a) and (f)—Answered by the Department of Public Works;
- (b) 2 employees hired for the licensing office;
- (c) 1 at \$2,880.00 per annum, 1 at \$2,760.00 per annum;
- (d) 7 on part-time basis to end of the rush period to March 18th;
- (e) \$1.40 per hour.

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5. *Mr. Thomas*—Enquiry of the Ministry—(a) How much did the Liquor Control Board pay for the parcel of land, located on the corner of Richmond Street West, Oshawa; (b) What is the size of the lot; (c) Who were the previous owners; (d) When is construction to begin.

Answer by the Provincial Secretary:—

- (a) \$82,000.00;
- (b) Frontage on south side of Richmond Street—160 ft. 8 ins.;
- (c) Frank Gerace, Kathleen M. Gerace, J. D. F. Bailes, Mary E. McDowell;
- (d) Spring of 1959.

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7. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What private technical firm has been hired as advisor to the Fuel Board. 2. What retainer is it paid.

Answer by the Minister of Lands and Forests:—

1. Canadian Bechtel Limited,
25 King Street West, Toronto, Ontario.
2. An amount not in excess of \$5,000.00, to be effective commencing December 5th, 1958.

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17. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. When was work begun on the building for a proposed girls training centre at Brampton. 2. How much money has been spent to date on the building and installations of any kind. 3. For how many girls will the training centre provide facilities. 4. What is the estimated staff requirement for the institution. 5. What is the approximate date of its opening.

Answer by the Minister of Public Works:—

1. Work was begun during July, 1957.
2. Total cost, including furnishings to January 31st, 1959, is \$177,843.65.
3. and 4.—To be answered by Department of Reform Institutions.
5. Approximate date of opening—To be answered by Department of Reform Institutions.
Approximate date of completion by Department of Public Works—
Late Spring, 1959.

Answer by the Minister of Reform Institutions:—

1. and 2.—Answered by Department of Public Works.
3. Twenty-four female prisoners.
4. Eleven full-time and two part-time employees.
5. Immediately following completion by Department of Public Works, estimated by them to be late Spring, 1959.

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21. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—On January 31, 1959, for each of the district high schools of Kenora-Keewatin, Red Lake, and Dryden, and for the Queen Elizabeth high school at Sioux Lookout: 1. How many teachers were on staff. 2. How many of the staff teachers held Type A and Type B certificates. 3. How many were teaching on letters of premission.

Answer by the Minister of Education:—

	Dryden	Red Lake	Sioux Lookout	Kenora- Keewatin	TOTALS
1. Total No. of Teachers.....	17	8	7	28	60
2. No. holding Type A Certificates.	1	3	1	3	8
3. No. holding Type B Certificates.	12	4	4	23	43
4. No. on Letters of Permission.....	4	1	2	2	9

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House:—

Bill No. 91, An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act.

Bill No. 94, An Act to amend The Power Commission Act.

Bill No. 95, An Act to amend The General Welfare Assistance Act, 1958.

Bill No. 96, An Act to amend The Jails Act.

Bill No. 102, An Act to amend The Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission Act, 1955.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Health:—

Bill No. 98, An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act, 1957.

Bill No. 101, An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Legal Bills:—

Bill No. 99, An Act to amend The Racing Commission Act.

Bill No. 100, The Charitable Gifts Act, 1959.

The following Bill was read the second time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Law:—

Bill No. 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

601.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Highways.....	\$ 3,513,000.00
602.	To defray the expenses of the Maintenance—King's Highways and Other Roads.....	70,715,000.00
603.	To defray the expenses of the Highway Construction Account.....	15,000,000.00
604.	To defray the expenses of the Construction and other Capital Projects.....	147,007,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill No. Pr5, An Act respecting the Township of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr6, An Act to incorporate York University.

Bill No. Pr7, An Act respecting the Estate of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford.

Bill No. Pr9, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Timmins.

Bill No. Pr10, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr11, An Act respecting the Township of Alfred.

Bill No. Pr12, An Act respecting the City of Belleville.

Bill No. Pr16, An Act respecting the City of Peterborough.

Bill No. Pr17, An Act respecting Université d'Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr21, An Act respecting the Town of Chesley.

Bill No. Pr27, An Act respecting The Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Quebec.

Bill No. Pr31, An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Bill No. Pr36, An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

Bill No. Pr37, An Act respecting the Town of Mount Forest.

Bill No. Pr40, An Act respecting the City of Woodstock.

Bill No. Pr41, An Act respecting the Village of Cayuga.

Bill No. Pr42, An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate School Board of the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill No. 8, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act.

Bill No. 55, An Act to amend The Conservation Authorities Act.

Bill No. 59, An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act.

Bill No. 70, An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act, 1957.

Bill No. 74, An Act to amend The Succession Duty Act.

Bill No. 83, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act.

Bill No. 84, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Bill No. 86, An Act to amend The University of Toronto Act, 1947.

Bill No. 90, An Act to amend The Cemeteries Act.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Murdoch reported,

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. Pr1, An Act respecting The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of Canada.

Bill No. Pr25, An Act respecting the Township of North York.

Bill No. Pr26, An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr28, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill No. 75, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Bill No. 93, An Act to amend The Public Vehicles Act.

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill No. Pr38, An Act respecting the City of Kingston and Queen's University at Kingston.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted and that the Bills reported be read the third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the Second Reading of Bill No. 43, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act, having been read,

Mr. Thomas moved that the Bill be read a second time, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Daley,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day for the Second Reading of Bill No. 40, An Act to amend The Hours of Work and Vacations with Pay Act, having been read,

Mr. Gisborn moved that the Bill be read a second time, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Frost (Victoria),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Stewart (Parkdale),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

TUESDAY, MARCH 17TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Monaghan, from the Standing Committee on Printing, presented the Committee's Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee recommends that the supplies allowance per Member for the current Session of the Assembly be fixed at the sum of \$50.00 and that, to meet the convenience of the Members, a cheque for that amount be issued to each Member of the Assembly in order that he may make the desired purchases in his own constituency.

Also that an allowance be authorized and a cheque issued to each of the full-time daily newspaper representatives covering the present Session of the Legislative Assembly, as nominated by the Press Gallery and approved by Mr. Speaker.

Your Committee recommends that copies of the Canadian Parliamentary Guide, The Canadian Almanac and Canada Year Book be purchased for distribution to the Members of the Assembly and also that each Member be given a year's subscription to the Labour Gazette and to the current supplement for the Ontario Statute Citator.

Your Committee recommends that the following Sessional Papers be printed for departmental use and distribution:—

Accounts, Public.....	1,650
Agricultural College and Experimental Farm, Ontario, Report.....	1,475
Agriculture, Minister's Report.....	2,175
Agriculture, Statistics Branch, Report.....	7,675

Auditor's Report.....	525
Civil Service Commission, Report.....	375
Education, Report.....	1,875
Estimates.....	1,400
Highways, Department of.....	1,175
Labour, Department of, Report.....	1,275
Legal Offices, Report of the Inspector.....	575
Liquor Control Board, Report.....	600
Municipal Affairs.....	3,175
Niagara Parks Commission, Report.....	400
Ontario Northland Transportation Commission, Report.....	450
Police, Provincial, Report of the Commissioner.....	425
Public Welfare, Department of, Report.....	1,375
Public Works, Department of, Report.....	600
Reform Institutions, Department of, Report.....	895
Training Schools.....	995
Veterinary College, Ontario, Report.....	2,175
Workmen's Compensation Board, Report.....	3,175
Travel and Publicity, Department of, Report.....	2,675
Report of the Select Committee on Labour Relations Act.....	7,000

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read the second time to-morrow:—

Bill No. 109, An Act to amend The Ontario Water Resources Commission Act, 1957. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 110, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act, 1953. *Mr. Warrender.*

Bill No. 111, An Act to amend The Department of Transport Act, 1957. *Mr. Yaremko.*

Bill No. 112, An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act. *Mr. Goodfellow.*

Bill No. 113, An Act to authorize the Raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. *Mr. Allan (Haldimand-Norfolk).*

Bill No. 114, An Act to amend The Change of Name Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Bill No. 115, An Act to amend The Police Act. *Mr. Roberts.*

Before the Orders of the Day, the Prime Minister announced to the House the appointment of the Committee to investigate the fluoridation of public water supplies, to consist of the Honourable Mr. Justice Kenneth G. Morden, Member of the Court of Appeal of Ontario, Doctor G. E. Hall, President of the University of Western Ontario, and Mrs. Egmont Frankel.

The Prime Minister informed the House of the sudden death of the Honourable Sidney Smith, Secretary of State for External Affairs, and expressed the sympathy of the House to Mrs. Smith and her family. He was joined in his remarks by Mr. Wintermeyer, Leader of Her Majesty's Loyal Opposition, and the Honourable Mr. Roberts, Attorney-General.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

201.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Attorney-General.....	\$ 409,000.00
202.	To defray the expenses of the Legislative Counsel and Registrar of Regulations.....	173,000.00
203.	To defray the expenses of the Traffic Safety Program.....	60,000.00
204.	To defray the expenses of the Judges' Staff—Supreme Court of Ontario.....	84,000.00
205.	To defray the expenses of the Master—Supreme Court of Ontario.....	105,000.00
206.	To defray the expenses of the Registrar—Supreme Court of Ontario.....	173,000.00
207.	To defray the expenses of the Supreme Court Reporters...	175,000.00
208.	To defray the expenses of the Master of Titles.....	228,000.00
209.	To defray the expenses of the Director of Titles.....	41,000.00
210.	To defray the expenses of the Laboratory.....	190,000.00
211.	To defray the expenses of the Probation Services.....	1,021,000.00
212.	To defray the expenses of the Fire Marshal.....	562,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill No. Pr1, An Act respecting The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of Canada.

Bill No. Pr25, An Act respecting the Township of North York.

Bill No. Pr26, An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr28, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr38, An Act respecting the City of Kingston and Queen's University at Kingston.

Bill No. 75, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Bill No. 93, An Act to amend The Public Vehicles Act.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House:—

Bill No. Pr18, An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill No. Pr43, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Municipal Law:—

Bill No. 104, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Bill No. 105, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchise Extension Act, 1958.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Murdoch reported,

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 42, An Act to provide for the Implementation of the Recommendations of the Report of the Fautexu Committee.

Bill No. 76, An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Bill No. 80, An Act to amend The Evidence Act.

Bill No. 81, An Act to amend The Certification of Titles Act, 1958.

Bill No. 82, An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act.

Bill No. 87, An Act to amend The Wages Act.

Bill No. 88, An Act to amend The Execution Act.

Bill No. 91, An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act.

Bill No. 92, An Act to amend The Forest Fires Prevention Act.

Bill No. 94, An Act to amend The Power Commission Act.

Bill No. 95, An Act to amend The General Welfare Assistance Act, 1958.

Bill No. 96, An Act to amend The Jails Act.

Bill No. 102, An Act to amend The Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission Act, 1955.

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 60, An Act to provide for the Establishment and Confirmation of Boundaries of Lands.

Bill No. 85, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted and that the Bills reported be read the third time to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of The Workmen's Compensation Board of Ontario for the year 1958.
(*Sessional Paper No. 12.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.00 p.m.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Boyer, from the Standing Committee on Health, presented the Committee's Second and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 39, An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.

Bill No. 73, An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

Bill No. 98, An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act, 1957.

Bill No. 101, An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Mr. Rankin from the Standing Committee on Legal Bills presented the Committee's Fourth and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 99, An Act to amend The Racing Commission Act.

Bill No. 100, The Charitable Gifts Act, 1959.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 78, The Juvenile and Family Courts Act, 1959.

Your Committee would recommend that the following Bill be not reported:—

Bill No. 79, An Act to amend The County Courts Act.

Before the Orders of the Day, the Honourable Mr. Warrender, Minister of Municipal Affairs, informed the House that, as a result of representations made to him, an enquiry would be launched immediately into certain financial affairs of the Township of York related to sub-divisions of land, zoning by-laws and sales of municipal lands, the Commissioner to be His Honour Judge Joseph A. Sweet of the City of Hamilton in the County of Wentworth.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Resolutions and certain Bills.

Mr. Frost acquainted the House that the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Resolutions, recommends them to the consideration of the House.

After some time Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Murdoch reported that the Committee had come to certain Resolutions as follows:—

Resolved,

That,

the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may, until the 31st day of March, 1960, direct payment out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to a charitable organization acquiring a building to be used

as a hostel of an amount based upon the total bed capacity of the building at the rate of \$450 per bed or of an amount equal to 30 per cent of the cost of the building to the charitable organization, whichever is the lesser, to be computed in accordance with the regulations, but no payment shall be made unless the council of the municipality in which the building is situated directs payments to the charitable organization acquiring the building of an amount equal to at least 20 per cent of the cost thereof to the charitable organization,

as provided by Bill No. 69, An Act to amend The Charitable Institutions Act, 1956.

Resolved,

That,

during the fiscal year ending the 31st day of March, 1960, the expenses of the Department of Energy Resources shall be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund,

as provided by Bill No. 97, An Act to establish the Department of Energy Resources.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 7, An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act.

Bill No. 64, An Act to extend the Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court to vary Trusts in the Interests of Beneficiaries and sanction Dealings with Trust Property.

Bill No. 89, An Act to declare the Status of Crown Agencies.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report progress on Bill No. 54, An Act to amend The Planning Act, and recommends that it be referred back to the Committee on Municipal Law for further consideration.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted and that the Bills reported be read the third time to-morrow.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture:—

Bill No. 106, An Act respecting the Operation of Community Sales of Live Stock.

Bill No. 107, An Act to amend The Farm Products Marketing Act.

Bill No. 108, An Act to amend The Milk Industry Act, 1957.

Bill No. 112, An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill No. 42, An Act to provide for the Implementation of the Recommendations of the Report of the Fauteux Committee.

Bill No. 60, An Act to provide for the Establishment and Confirmation of Boundaries of Lands.

Bill No. 76, An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Bill No. 80, An Act to amend The Evidence Act.

Bill No. 81, An Act to amend The Certification of Titles Act, 1958.

Bill No. 82, An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act.

Bill No. 85, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Bill No. 87, An Act to amend The Wages Act.

Bill No. 88, An Act to amend The Execution Act.

Bill No. 91, An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act.

Bill No. 92, An Act to amend The Forest Fires Prevention Act.

Bill No. 94, An Act to amend The Power Commission Act.

Bill No. 95, An Act to amend The General Welfare Assistance Act, 1958.

Bill No. 102, An Act to amend The Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission Act, 1955.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

1301.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Planning and Development.....	\$ 310,000.00
1302.	To defray the expenses of the Civil Defence Branch.....	393,000.00
1303.	To defray the expenses of the Community Planning Branch	430,000.00
1304.	To defray the expenses of the Conservation Branch.....	750,000.00

1305.	To defray the expenses of the Housing Branch	\$ 3,173,000.00
1306.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario House	210,000.00
1307.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission	2,860,000.00
1308.	To defray the expenses of the Trade and Industry Branch . .	1,026,000.00
1309.	To defray the expenses of the Conservation Branch	3,000,000.00
1310.	To defray the expenses of the Housing Branch	6,500,000.00
213.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Securities Commission	234,000.00
214.	To defray the expenses of the Inspector of Legal Offices . . .	2,769,000.00
215.	To defray the expenses of the Criminal Justice Accounts . .	1,083,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Order of the Day for Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the evidence taken at the investigation into the stock issue of Northern Ontario Natural Gas Company Limited, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was,

On motion by Mr. Frost (Victoria),

Ordered, That the Order be discharged.

Notice of Motion No. 1, standing in the name of Mr. Wintermeyer, having been read, as follows:—

That it is the opinion of this House that the protection of life and property is one of the prime responsibilities of the provincial government and that in matters relating to the distribution of natural gas and the installation of natural gas burning appliances the government of Ontario has been derelict in its duty to the people of Ontario and to overcome this dereliction it is necessary that a safety code be drafted by this Legislature and enforced by a provincial agency.

Mr. Speaker ruled that it was now Out of Order in view of the fact that the subject matter was covered by the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in

Reply to the Speech from the Throne, which had been decided upon by the House.

Notice of Motion No. 7, standing in the name of Mr. Wintermeyer, having been read, as follows:—

That, in the opinion of this House, a non-political public Judicial Inquiry should be instituted forthwith into the granting of natural gas franchises, into safety measures respecting the distribution of natural gas, into the financing and stock trading of all gas distribution companies.

Mr. Speaker ruled it Out of Order on the same ground.

Notice of Motion No. 8, standing in the name of Mr. MacDonald, having been read as follows:—

That this Legislature requests the Government to call Philip T. Kelly before the bar of the House in order that he may be questioned about his involvement in Northern Ontario Gas Pipeline stock distribution, and related matters, notably the reconciling of statements made by Mr. Kelly in the Toronto newspapers of Friday, February 6, 1959, and Saturday, February 7, 1959, with his sworn testimony given to the Attorney-General's committee of investigation, and his observation that, "If I stood in that House today I could back a few of them off their chairs."

Mr. Speaker ruled it Out of Order on the grounds that the procedure followed by Mr. MacDonald was incorrect and also that the motion was bad in form as it called on the Government to call Mr. Kelly before the bar of the House, which action could only be taken by the Legislature.

The House then adjourned at 12.00 midnight.

NOTICE OF MOTION

15. *Mr. MacDonald*—Resolution—That the allegations made against members of this House by Philip T. Kelly, former Minister of Mines, in Toronto newspapers on February 6th and 7th, 1959, suggesting that members of the Government were involved in Northern Ontario Natural Gas Company stock distribution, be referred to the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

THURSDAY, MARCH 19TH, 1959

PRAYERS

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Lyons, from the Standing Committee on Mining, presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 36, An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act.

Bill No. 65, An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill No. 71, An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill No. 72, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.

Mr. Stewart (Middlesex North), from the Standing Committee on Agriculture, presented the Committee's Third and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 106, An Act respecting the Operation of Community Sales of Live Stock.

Bill No. 112, An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 107, An Act to amend The Farm Products Marketing Act.

Bill No. 108, An Act to amend The Milk Industry Act, 1957.

Before the Orders of the Day the Honourable Mr. Goodfellow, Minister of Agriculture, announced to the House a Federal-Provincial programme of shared compensation to reimburse farmers who have suffered loss as a result of the rabies epidemic.

Mr. Goodfellow also announced to the House the appointment of a Committee of Enquiry to investigate farm production and marketing in the Province, the Committee to be under the Chairmanship of Frederick W. P. Jones, Dean of the School of Business Administration, Western University. Among the other Members will be George McCague of Harriston, Doctor Frank Palmer of Vine-land and Doctor Ralph Campbell of the Ontario Agricultural College.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

101.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Agriculture.....	\$ 345,600.00
102.	To defray the expenses of the Agricultural and Horticultural Societies.....	1,012,300.00

103.	To defray the expenses of the Dairy Branch	\$ 575,700.00
104.	To defray the expenses of the Extension Branch	2,338,500.00
105.	To defray the expenses of the Farm Economics and Statistics Branch	271,000.00
106.	To defray the expenses of the Farm Labour Service Branch	30,000.00
107.	To defray the expenses of the Field Crops Branch	212,500.00
108.	To defray the expenses of the Information Branch	264,000.00
109.	To defray the expenses of the Live Stock Branch	1,318,000.00
110.	To defray the expenses of the Markets Branch	556,700.00
111.	To defray the expenses of the Demonstration Farm, New Liskeard	42,000.00
112.	To defray the expenses of the Strathclair Farm, Sault Ste. Marie	26,300.00
113.	To defray the expenses of the Horticultural Experiment Station, Vineland	380,000.00
114.	To defray the expenses of the Kemptville Agricultural School	438,300.00
115.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph	4,853,000.00
116.	To defray the expenses of the Macdonald Institute, Guelph	303,500.00
117.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Veterinary College, Guelph	1,732,600.00
118.	To defray the expenses of the Western Ontario Agricultural School and Experimental Farm, Ridgetown	315,000.00
119.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Junior Farmer Loan Branch	191,000.00
120.	To defray the expenses of The Ontario Telephone Authority	110,000.00
121.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Agriculture	885,000.00
216.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Provincial Police	12,414,000.00
217.	To defray the expenses of the Official Guardian	321,000.00
218.	To defray the expenses of the Public Trustee	736,000.00
219.	To defray the expenses of the Accountant—Supreme Court of Ontario	43,000.00
220.	To defray the expenses of the Administration of County Courts	18,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

Mr. MacDonald moved, seconded by Mr. Thomas,

That, in the interest of sound public administration, the Civil Service Commission of Ontario should be re-established on a basis independent of the Executive and responsible to the Legislature, so that it may be able to maintain the measure of central control necessary to ensure a career based on the merit principle and governed by uniform standards.

And a Debate arising, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Allan (Haldimand-Norfolk),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 11.10 p.m.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

FRIDAY, MARCH 20TH, 1959

PRAYERS

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Myers from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law presented the Committee's Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 54, An Act to amend The Planning Act, 1955.

Bill No. 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

On motion by Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Allan,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding the previous Order, on Monday next, March 23rd, the House will meet at 10.30 of the clock in the forenoon and on each subsequent day of the present Session at 10.00 of the clock in the forenoon; that commencing Monday the House will rise each day at 12.00 o'clock noon for the luncheon recess and will resume at 2.00 of the clock in the afternoon.

Before the Orders of the Day, the Prime Minister Tabled copies of statements by the Civil Service Commission of revisions of, and additions to, the Classification Schedules. (*Sessional Paper No. 65.*)

The Prime Minister Tabled Answers to Questions as follows:—

6. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names of the members of the Metro Licensing Commission. By whom are they appointed. 2. How many Metro Taxi Owner Licenses have been transferred from one owner to another. In each case at what price were they transferred and to whom. 3. Did the Commission investigate sales agreements or transfer agreements made at prices which it considered exorbitant. 4. Were any agreements re-written on the instruction of the Commission for the above, or for any other reason. 5. In the case of each such agreement thus changed or re-written on the direction of the Commission, what was the original price and what was the adjusted price finally approved by the Commission. 6. What are the names of the solicitors who acted for clients in either the sale or the purchase of taxi owner licenses and in how many sales or transfers did each solicitor act. 7. Has the Commission taken any steps to make sure that used taxis are not sold to the public as ordinary used cars. 8. Were all taxi owners notified and given a chance to appear before the Commission in connection with the recent 10c. increase.

Answer by the Minister of Municipal Affairs:—

1. Magistrate Frederick W. Hall, Magistrate C. A. Thorburn, Q.C.

The Metropolitan Licensing Commission is composed of the Chairman of the Metropolitan Council or his delegate; and the two magistrates are appointed by Order-in-Council of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council. Section 175*t* of The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act.

2 to 8 (inclusive)—

This information should be obtained from the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto, or from the Metropolitan Licensing Commission. A member of the Metropolitan Council would have this information.

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10. *Mr. Nixon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Re Auditor's statement page 24, Liquor Control Board Investment—\$22,860,754. 1. What amount is in "Fixed Assets". 2. How many L.C.B.O. stores in the province are the property of the Board. 3. How many are rented. 4. Where are the stores owned by the Board located and what was the total cost of land and construction of each. 5. Did the Department of Public Works build these stores or has the L.C.B.O. its own organization for this purpose. 6. How is the amount of profit retained by the L.C.B.O. each year determined and what is the statutory authority for this practice.

Answer by the Provincial Secretary:—

1. Refer to the Balance Sheet of the Board dated 31st March, 1958, and Tabled by the Honourable the Provincial Secretary on the 20th day of

February, 1959, in which the figure \$22,860,754.00 is shown as Appropriated Surplus represented by Accounts Receivable, inventories, pre-paid charges and net fixed assets.

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4.	Location	Total Cost	Remarks
	Amherstburg.....	\$ 54,767.60
	Bala.....	100.00	Land option
	Beaverton.....	10,500.00	Not completed
	Belleville.....	62,275.00	.....
	Chelmsford.....	3,000.00	Land only
	Cobalt.....	16,898.16	.....
	Cornwall.....	51,642.22	Not completed
	Dutton.....	62,811.75	.....
	Elliott Lake.....	5,440.00	Land only
	Fergus.....	6,786.25	Land only
	Gananoque.....	50,026.50	Not completed
	Grand Bend.....	40,000.00	.....
	Hamilton—James Street.....	19,000.00	Land only
	Hornepayne.....	30,000.00	.....
	Kemptville.....	82,147.18	.....
	Kincardine.....	65,255.54	.....
	Kingston.....	145,690.12	.....
	Lindsay.....	109,693.66	Not completed
	Manitouwadge.....	76,561.06	Not completed
	Midland.....	4,077.55	Land only
	Milton.....	10,000.00	Land only
	Newmarket.....	8,000.00	Land only
	Ottawa—Holland Avenue.....	109,414.03	.....
	Oshawa.....	375.00	Land option
	Picton.....	72,453.38	.....
	St. Catharines.....	172,821.24	Not completed
	Simcoe.....	39,073.37	Not completed
	Sioux Lookout.....	63,717.98	.....
	Strathroy.....	27,080.55	Not completed
	Tamworth.....	20,000.00	.....
	Toronto No. 3—1230 Dundas St. W.	92,950.00	Not completed
	Toronto No. 6—11 Brock Ave.....	154,652.41	.....
	Toronto No. 20—802 Lakeshore Rd.	85,000.00	Not completed
	Toronto—Danforth and Brimley..	75,000.00	Not completed
	Toronto No. 217— Cooper and Queen's Quay.....	221,088.50	Not completed
	Waterloo.....	27,700.75	Not completed
	Windsor No. 32.....	197,175.51	.....
	Windsor No. 33.....	114,499.82	.....
	Windsor No. 35.....	150,394.05	.....
	Windsor No. 206.....	120,394.04	.....
	Woodstock.....	98,544.38

5. (a) No; (b) Yes.

6. Liquor Control Board does not retain any profit.

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12. *Mr. Oliver*—Enquiry of the Ministry—How much money has The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario spent in countries other than Canada for equipment in each of the years 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1958. 2. What portion of this outlay was for equipment that can be manufactured in Canada.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

	(1)	(2)	(3)
	Goods and Services Purchased Outside Canada	Portion of (1) obtainable in Canada but Purchased Elsewhere due to such Considerations as Quality, Delivery and Price	Total of all Purchases
1955.....	\$ 2,380,844	\$1,421,254	\$143,229,847
1956.....	32,277,180	1,217,141	162,599,829
1957.....	21,411,138	2,289,731	136,780,928
1958.....	21,138,081	1,194,476	99,185,976
	<u>\$77,207,243</u>	<u>\$6,122,602</u>	<u>\$541,796,580</u>

Column (1) is 14.25% of column (3)

Column (2) is 7.93% of column (1)

Column (2) is 1.13% of column (3)

The years 1956, 1957 and 1958 include purchases for coal and, for example, in 1956 the Commission's coal purchases exceeded \$8,000,000. The other major purchases made outside of Canada during these years were items for thermal generating plant.

This answer is based on the purchase orders placed and not on the money spent during these years.

As it is not feasible to differentiate between goods and services and equipment as such, this answer includes all goods and services.

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19. *Mr. Manley*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What properties were expropriated or otherwise acquired in connection with the new overpass on St. Andrew's Road, Cornwall, over the relocated Canadian National Railway tracks. 2. From whom were the properties acquired. 3. What price was paid for each property. 4. What damages or rentals are being paid in connection with this overpass. 5. To whom are these damages or rentals being paid or to whom will they be paid. 6. How much is being paid in damages or rentals in each case.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

The following properties were expropriated or otherwise acquired in connection with the new overpass on St. Andrew's Road, Cornwall:

Name	Location	Purchase Price	Allowance for Forcible Taking	Total	Expropriation Date	Settlement Date
1. J. H. Carther	Pt. Lot 9, Con. II, Twp. of Cornwall, now in the City of Cornwall.	\$ 63,360	\$ 9,504	\$ 72,864	Mar. 10, 1958	May 29, 1958
2. Craig Plumbing	Pt. Lots 95, 96, R.P. 220, City of Cornwall	17,391	2,609	20,000	Mar. 7, 1958	Feb. 7, 1958
3. V. M. Lavigne	Lot 98, R.P. 220, City of Cornwall	4,440	560	5,000	.....	Oct. 29, 1956
4. J. V. Chevette	Lot 97, R.P. 220, City of Cornwall	4,440	560	5,000	.....	Oct. 29, 1956
5. J. F. McAlear	Lot 42, R.P. 178, City of Cornwall	6,100	900	7,000	Jan. 14, 1957	Nov. 7, 1956
6. McMullen Supplies	Lots 39 and 40, R.P. 178, City of Cornwall (Land and Building—\$91,800. Moving costs, allowance for temporary premises, business disturbance, etc.—\$20,930.)	112,730	13,770	126,500	April 22, 1958	July 25, 1958
7. A. Gallinger	Lot 41, R.P. 178, City of Cornwall .....	.....	.....	5,000	Jan. 14, 1958	Aug. 13, 1957
8. E. Debeliefeuille	Lot 10, R.P. 178, City of Cornwall	3,060	440	3,500	.....	Nov. 10, 1956
9. Church of England	Pt. Lot 10, Con. II, Twp. of Cornwall, now in the City of Cornwall	6,950	1,050	8,000	Mar. 10, 1958	Feb. 28, 1957
10. G. V. Rutledge	Lot 11, R.P. 178, City of Cornwall	12,000	1,800	13,800	April 22, 1958	May 1, 1958
11. A. Gallinger (farm)	Pt. Lot 10, Con. II, Twp. of Cornwall, now in the City of Cornwall	43,660	6,549	50,209	April 10, 1958	April 15, 1958
12. W. J. Moore	Lot 12, R.P. 178, City of Cornwall	13,491	2,009	15,500	April 22, 1958 Jan. 14, 1959	April 28, 1958
13. J. Edwardson	Lots 93, 94, R.P. 220, City of Cornwall ..	19,900	.....	19,900	April 18, 1958	Dec. 4, 1956
14. Cornwall Drive-In Theatre Limited	Pt. Lot 10, Con. II, Twp. of Cornwall, now in the City of Cornwall	(No agreement reached)			April 18, 1958	.....
15. Dr. E. Emard, Mrs. L. Emard and L. Emard	Lots 36, 37, 38, Pt. Lots 46, 47, R.P. 178, City of Cornwall	(No agreement reached)			April 22, 1958	.....

The Commission and the property owners negotiated satisfactory final settlements without recourse to arbitration with the exception of property numbers 14 and 15, the purchases of which are still under negotiation. In the case of property numbers 3, 4 and 8 there was no expropriation.

27. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the Attorney-General's Report of investigation into trading and other transfer of N.O.N.G. stock and securities and related matters. 2. Who conducted the investigation and how much was each investigator paid in fees and expenses. 3. Were there any special legal fees paid in addition to the amounts above, and if so, to whom were these fees paid and how much were they. 4. What were the expenses paid in connection with the calling of witnesses. 5. How many copies of the evidence were prepared. 6. Who received these copies. 7. When were these copies distributed.

Answer by the Attorney-General:—

1. \$8,799.75.
2. Messrs. Gordon W. Ford, Q.C., Harry S. Bray and Wilfred H. Chisholm.
Mr. Ford received a fee of \$7,500 and Messrs. Bray and Chisholm received no fees. None of the investigators received any expenses.
3. No.
4. Nil.
5. Three.
6. Initially they were received by the investigators. All copies were forwarded to the Attorney-General in compliance with Section 25 of The Securities Act.
7. Never distributed. One copy tabled. A copy was made available to Special Crown Counsel for prosecutions and returned after completion of trials to the Attorney-General. The copies of the evidence of the persons charged were made available by Crown Counsel for inspection by the Defence Counsel during the trials.

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36. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Is it the policy of the Government to use the employment service of the Unemployment Insurance Commission in hiring employees for work on access roads and development roads.

Answer by the Minister of Lands and Forests:—

The policy is to co-operate with municipal authorities and the National Employment Service in endeavouring to employ men in the following order:

- (a) Those on relief rolls;
- (b) Those whose Unemployment Insurance has expired;
- (c) Those unemployed but still obtaining insurance benefits.

Answer by the Minister of Highways:—

Yes, unless location of the work would make this course impractical.

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41. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) Were any collective agreements negotiated between the Dryden Paper Company Limited and its employees both in production and in logging formally amended as being an agreement between the employees concerned and the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited; (b) if the reply to (a) is yes, what unions are affected; (c) if the reply to (a) is no, with what Company do the agreement(s) continue; (d) if the reply to (a) is yes, will the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited be required to conform to the terms of agreements negotiated under The Labour Relations Act (Ontario). 2. Will the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited be permitted to refuse to deal with labour unions in Ontario which have been legally certified as bargaining agents for employees of that Company, or any of its subsidiaries, and where collective bargaining agreements are now in effect. 3. Is it the policy of the Ontario Government to amend The Labour Relations Act when a strike or lockout occurs where the area of collective agreement does not affect essential public services such as waterworks, hospitals and public health.

Answer by the Minister of Labour:—

1. (a) No.

(b) Answered by (a).

(c) The following agreements have been negotiated:—

(i) Dryden Paper Company Limited and Office Employees International Union, Local 327, for the period 1st of August, 1958, to the 31st of July, 1960.

(ii) Dryden Paper Company Limited and the International Brotherhood of Pulp, Sulphite and Papermill Workers, Local 105, and The United Papermakers and Paper Workers, Local 223, for the period 1st of June, 1958, to 31st of May, 1960.

(iii) Dryden Paper Company Limited and International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 557, for the period October 10, 1958, to May 31, 1960.

(iv) Dryden Paper Company Limited and Local 2693, Lumber and Sawmill Workers' Union, for the period October 1, 1958, to September 30, 1960.

2. Question hypothetical and unanswerable.

3. The Labour Relations Act has not been amended to cover the situation contemplated by the question.

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42. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In the Department of Highways what rate of wages or rental is paid in (a) the Kenora Division and (b) the Fort William Division in the following four classifications: Patrolmen, Truck Drivers, Truck Drivers using their own trucks, Labourers.

Answer by the Minister of Highways:—

	(a) Kenora	(b) Fort William
Patrolman 1.....	\$2,640—\$3,240 per annum	\$2,640—\$3,120 per annum
Patrolman 2.....	\$3,000—\$3,600 per annum	\$3,000—\$3,600 per annum
Above based on established classifications.		
Equipment Operator 1	\$2,880—\$3,240 per annum	\$2,880—3,240 per annum
Equipment Operator 2	\$3,120—\$3,600 per annum	\$3,120—\$3,600 per annum
Truck drivers are based on above established classifications.		
Truck drivers using own trucks.....	\$3.00 to \$5.25 per hour	\$3.00 to \$6.20 per hour (rate of \$6.20 covers tandem trucks)

Rates for “truck drivers using own trucks” are dependent upon—

- (a) seasonal or year-round basis; (b) heavy or light work; (c) size of truck;
(d) availability of trucks.

Labourers.....	\$1.18 per hour	\$1.18 per hour
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47. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—With regard to the contract for construction of a causeway at Fort Frances, as part of the proposed Atikokan-Fort Frances Highway—1. How many Companies tendered on this contract and what was the tender of each, in dollars. 2. What Company was awarded the contract and for what established cost and conditions. 3. Was the contract revised in any way after the original contract was signed or commenced. 4. If the answer to Number 3 is yes, in what way was the contract revised in (a) contract price; (b) provision for extras. 5. What is the final estimated cost in relation to the original contract award.

Answer by the Minister of Highways:—

1. *Contract 57-201*—Grading Rainy Lake Causeway easterly approaches—0.88 miles: 16 bids received, as follows:

North Shore Construction Co. Ltd.....	\$264,100.00
J. N. Pitts Ltd.....	299,170.00
John Chisholm.....	366,780.00
Hacquoil's.....	367,270.00
Rayner Construction Ltd.....	398,830.00
Drury Construction Ltd.....	416,950.00

Muskoka Construction Ltd.....	\$418,650.00
McNamara Construction Ltd.....	429,870.00
George Armstrong Co. Ltd.....	439,720.00
Curran and Briggs Ltd.....	445,750.00
Armstrong Bros. Ltd.....	481,300.00
Dravo of Canada Ltd.....	498,670.00
Hewitson Construction Co. Ltd.....	524,180.00
Harvey Construction Ltd.....	528,610.00
Hallett Construction Ltd.....	539,170.00
Perini Construction Ltd.....	709,900.00

Contract 58-196—Grading and Structure, Rainy Lake Causeway easterly approaches—0.93 miles: 5 bids as follows:

Temiskaming Construction Ltd.....	\$315,964.80
MacLeod Construction Co. Ltd.....	337,035.00
J. N. Pitts Ltd.....	359,249.00
Curren and Briggs Ltd.....	373,021.60
North Shore Construction Co. Ltd.....	392,007.00

Contract 58-290—Grading and Culverts, Rainy Lake Causeway—portions of West approaches 5 miles East of Fort Frances—0.68 miles: 3 bids as follows:

George Armstrong Co. Ltd.....	\$139,726.00
Temiskaming Construction Ltd.....	162,286.00
North Shore Construction Co. Ltd.....	221,345.00

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| 2. 57-201—North Shore Construction Co. Ltd.... | \$264,100.00 |
| 58-196—Temiskaming Construction Ltd..... | 315,964.80 |
| 58-290—George Armstrong Co. Ltd..... | 139,726.00 |

The Contracts were awarded to the lowest bidder, and in accordance with standard Departmental specifications and procedures. Bids are on unit prices, the foregoing total bids being obtained by applying unit prices bid to the Department's estimate of number of units or quantities. Actual cost is obtained when actual quantities are computed.

- Contract 57-201 awarded to North Shore Construction Co. Ltd. was revised after the original contract was started. No revisions were made in Contracts 58-196 or 58-290.
- (a) Contract 57-201 was started with permission from Canadian National Railways to enter on railway property for construction purposes, pending finalization of property agreement. The terms of this final agreement required a revision of the contract, for which the Department was legally responsible for any added costs incurred by the contractor. By the revision, the contractor was required to (a) incur a longer rock haul, (b) bring in equipment a second time, and (c) incur a loss of efficiency in removing rock by two operations rather than in one continuous operation. Through negotiation added costs were assessed at an additional \$1.05 per

cu. yd. on the rock quantities affected by the revision, while a reduction of \$1.00 per cu. yd. was effected in a quantity of earth work where the contractor's cost was shown to be reduced.

(b) There are no other extras.

5. The final estimated tender cost is \$298,000.00 as against the original award to the contractor of \$264,000.00.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:

1701.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Public Welfare.....	\$ 6,193,000.00
1702.	To defray the expenses of the Child Welfare Branch.....	5,134,000.00
1703.	To defray the expenses of the Day Nurseries Branch.....	256,000.00
1704.	To defray the expenses of the Field Services Branch.....	1,172,000.00
1705.	To defray the expenses of the General Welfare Assistance Branch.....	6,734,000.00
1706.	To defray the expenses of the Homes for the Aged Branch.	2,351,000.00
1707.	To defray the expenses of the Welfare Allowances Branch...	27,164,000.00
1708.	To defray the expenses of the Welfare Allowances Branch...	12,581,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Third Annual Report of the Ontario Water Resources Commission for the year ended December 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 52.*)

Annual Report of the Ontario Department of Transport for the Fiscal Year ending March 31, 1958, with Supplement for the Balance of the Calendar Year 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 61.*)

Fourth Annual Report of the Ontario Highway Transport Board of the Province of Ontario for the year ending December 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 51.*)

The House then adjourned at 3.35 p.m.

FORTIETH DAY

MONDAY, MARCH 23RD, 1959

PRAYERS

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Myers from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law presented the Committee's Third and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 77, An Act to amend The Municipal Unconditional Grants Act, 1953.

Bill No. 104, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Bill No. 105, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchise Extension Act, 1958.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill No. 7, An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act.

Bill No. 64, An Act to extend the Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court to vary Trusts in the Interests of Beneficiaries and sanction Dealings with Trust Property.

Bill No. 89, An Act to declare the Status of Crown Agencies.

Bill No. 96, An Act to amend The Jails Act.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Murdoch reported,

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 22, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Wilderness Areas.

Bill No. 36, An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act.

Bill No. 39, An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.

Bill No. 65, An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill No. 71, An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill No. 72, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.

Bill No. 73, An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

Bill No. 78, The Juvenile and Family Courts Act, 1959.

Bill No. 98, An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act, 1957.

Bill No. 99, An Act to amend The Racing Commission Act.

Bill No. 101, An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Bill No. 106, An Act respecting the Operation of Community Sales of Live Stock.

Bill No. 107, An Act to amend The Farm Products Marketing Act.

Bill No. 112, An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act.

That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill No. 100, The Charitable Gifts Act, 1959.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted and that the Bills reported be read the third time to-morrow.

The following Bills were read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House:—

Bill No. 97, An Act to establish the Department of Energy Resources.

Bill No. 109, An Act to amend The Ontario Water Resources Commission Act, 1957.

Bill No. 110, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act, 1953.

Bill No. 111, An Act to amend The Department of Transport Act, 1957.

Bill No. 113, An Act to authorize the Raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Bill No. 114, An Act to amend The Change of Name Act.

Bill No. 115, An Act to amend The Police Act.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

910.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Fuel Board.....	\$ 368,000.00
901.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Lands and Forests.....	2,205,900.00
902.	To defray the expenses of the Surveys Branch.....	323,000.00
903.	To defray the expenses of the Basic Organization—District Offices.....	17,475,000.00
904.	To defray the expenses of the Extra Fire Fighting.....	875,000.00
905.	To defray the expenses of the Public Information and Education Re: (1) Fire Prevention, (2) Fish and Wild- life, (3) Reforestation, and (4) Timber Management..	202,000.00
906.	To defray the expenses of the Air Service Branch.....	1,205,000.00
907.	To defray the expenses of the Grants.....	22,100.00
908.	To defray the expenses of the Wolf and Bear Bounty.....	72,000.00
909.	To defray the expenses of the Parks Improvements.....	3,500,000.00
911.	To defray the expenses of the Basic Organization.....	1,600,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Fifty-eighth Annual Report of the Ontario Northland Transportation Commission for the year ended December 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 46.*)

The House then adjourned at 10.50 p.m.

FORTY-FIRST DAY

TUESDAY, MARCH 24TH, 1959

PRAYERS

10.00 A.M.

Before the Orders of the Day, the Honourable Mr. Goodfellow, Minister of Agriculture, announced the addition to the Committee appointed to inquire into the production and marketing of farm products, of Mr. Gordon Greer, President of the Ontario Federation of Agriculture, and Mr. Gordon Hill, President of the Ontario Farmers' Union.

The Honourable Mr. Roberts, Attorney-General, reported to the House on his mission to the Six Nations Indian Reservation in Brant County.

The Order of the Day for Second Reading of Bill No. 67, An Act to amend The Ontario Parks Integration Board Act, 1956, having been read,

Mr. Daley moved that the Bill be now read a second time,

And a Debate arising, after some time,

The motion having been put was declared to be carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Stewart (Parkdale),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

During his participation in the Debate, Mr. Collings, Member for Beaches, Tabled a copy of the Land and Building Programme of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario for the fiscal year 1959-1960. (*Sessional Paper No. 66.*)

The Prime Minister informed the House that the Government required the following Question Number 15, by Mr. Reaume, to be made an Order for a Return:—

15. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lawyers have represented clients before the Liquor Licence Board in each of the years 1956, 1957 and 1958. 2. How many clients did each represent in each year. 3. How many clients has Goodman and Goodman, or E. A. Goodman, Q.C., represented in 1956, 1957 and 1958.

The Prime Minister Tabled Answers to Questions as follows:—

30. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) What were the requirements for entrance to Teachers' Colleges (Normal Schools) and the College of Education in 1935; (b) What changes have been made in those requirements since then. 2. (a) What types of certificates were issued to permit teachers in Elementary Schools in 1935; (b) What were the requirements necessary to obtain these; (c) What changes have been made in this connection since 1935. 3. For Secondary Schools, the same information as requested in 2. 4. The number of teachers not regularly qualified, who were given permits to teach in elementary schools and in secondary schools in Ontario for each year since 1935. 5. The total number of teachers in secondary schools for each year since 1935, and the number of specialists for Maths, Science and English for each year. 6. (a) When were the Entrance Examinations for promotion from grade 8 to grade 9 abolished; (b) What regulations were set up in their place; (c) Have there been any changes in these regulations, and if so, what. 7. (a) What types of certificates were granted by the Department of Education to students in recognition of their achievements in secondary schools in 1935; (b) What were the requirements to obtain these certificates; (c) What changes have been made in this regard since 1935.

Answer by the Minister of Education:—

1. (a) Teachers' Colleges: In 1935, Upper School standing in nine papers.
Ontario College of Education: B.A., or equivalent degree.

(b) Teachers' Colleges:

In 1940, Upper School standing in eight papers.

In 1949, Upper School standing in five papers.

In 1953, Upper School standing in eight papers.

Ontario College of Education: None.

2. (a) Temporary Certificate valid for one year in school designated.
- (b) British subject or applicant for naturalization and employment by a School Board.
- (c) Letter of Permission issued to a School Board for employment of an unqualified person only if no qualified person is available, effective only for current school year. Board must advertise three times, offering a stated salary, in newspaper having provincial circulation.
3. (a) None issued. (b) Not applicable. (c) Same as 2 (c).
4. Comparative information not available back to 1935.
5. For school year ending June:
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| 1936—4,047 | 1937—4,089 | 1938—4,160 | 1939—4,218 | 1940—4,425 |
| 1941—4,466 | 1942—4,309 | 1943—4,186 | 1944—4,165 | 1945—4,277 |
| 1946—4,503 | 1947—4,839 | 1948—5,119 | 1949—5,092 | 1950—5,380 |
| 1951—5,594 | 1952—5,839 | 1953—6,021 | 1954—6,348 | 1955—6,632 |
| 1956—7,305 | 1957—8,036 | 1958—8,669 | 1959—9,573 | |
6. (a) 1949.
- (b) Regulations for Elementary Schools provide that, subject to revision by the inspector, promotions are made by the principal.
- (c) No changes.
7. (a) Lower School, Middle School, and Upper School Certificates.
- (b) Lower School—completion of Grade 10.
Middle School—completion of Grade 12.
Upper School—completion of Grade 13.
- (c) Intermediate Certificate in place of Lower School Certificate.
Secondary School Graduation Diploma introduced.
Secondary School Honour Graduation Diploma introduced.

In recent years, the Secondary School Graduation Diploma of the General Course has required three options. In 1959 it was announced that for 1960 four options will be required for the diploma.

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32. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the expected date of completion of Highway No. 17, between the Lakehead ports and the Manitoba border, to Trans-Canada Highway standards. 2. In the fiscal years ended March 31st, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1958: (a) What was the overall expenditure on construction on Highway No. 17 in Kenora Division; (b) What was the Provincial share of the construction cost in each of these years; (c) What collective amount was spent during the years aforementioned on Highway No. 17 improvement which was wholly provincial.

Answer by the Minister of Highways:—

1. One of the conditions of the Trans-Canada agreement is to provide a paved road throughout. This section of Highway 17 is now paved, though some parts are not up to Trans-Canada standards. The expiry date of the agreement is 1960, but all contracts called within the period will not be fully completed by that date.

Year ended Mar. 31st	(a) Overall Expenditure	(b) Province's Share of Shareable Expenditure	(c) Expenditure Incurred by Province (Non-shareable)
1951.....	\$ 610,835.97	\$ 282,173.17	\$ 46,489.62
1952.....	794,503.40	348,054.02	98,395.36
1953.....	1,289,228.13	594,383.40	100,461.34
1954.....	369,302.41	169,035.59	31,231.24
1955.....	162,333.96	66,022.88	30,288.19
1956.....	570,674.34	216,702.81	137,268.72
1957.....	1,705,213.79	572,931.81	559,350.17
1958.....	2,153,016.01	1,016,790.24	119,435.53

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33. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What total amount has been expended in the District of Kenora since 1951 in providing (a) Living accommodation and allied equipment for members of the Ontario Provincial Police; (b) Accommodation and other facilities for administration and safe confinement of persons taken into custody. 2. What was (a) the estimate of the cost of erecting living quarters and other facilities for the Ear Falls Detachment; (b) the final cost for this work.

Answer by the Minister of Public Works:—

1. (a) \$241,810.69—
(Living accommodation provided for 17 families and includes garages and other necessary facilities.)
- (b) \$287,507.82—
(Ontario Provincial Police Detachment Buildings only.)
2. (a) \$80,000.00—
(Detachment Building including Offices, Cell-block, 2-bay garage and 6-room Living Quarters.)
- (b) Final cost not yet determined—work not fully completed.

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38. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. (a) What licences and/or options were held by Ontario Paper Company Limited prior to 1957; (b) What area was licensed to that Company and under what terms of agreement; (c) What area in addition to (b) was optioned or held in reserve for the Ontario Paper Company Limited and under what terms and conditions. 2. If a deposit was required under (1), (a) What was the amount of the deposit; (b) In what form was the deposit advanced, i.e., bonds, cash or securities; (c) Was the deposit, if any, forfeited in whole or in part for non-performance of agreement; (d) If the answer to (c) is yes, what was the amount forfeited; (e) If the answer to (c) is no, why was the Company in question not required to pay for non-performance.

Answer by the Minister of Lands and Forests:—

1. (a) and (b)—

1. Licence dated April 1st, 1951, between the Crown and the Ontario Paper Company, Limited was approved by Order-in-Council 165/52 dated January 24th, 1952, containing a total of 931 square miles in an area North and East of Lac Seul in the District of Kenora, Patricia Portion, and also the option on a reserve area adjacent to the licensed area under the following terms and conditions:

Effective Date—April 1st, 1951.

Period of Licence—21 years with the right to two extensions of 21 years.

Species and Classes of Timber—All kinds and classes of timber.

Minimum Annual Cut—120,000 cords of pulpwood.

Prices—For Pulpwood—Crown dues as fixed from time to time by regulations pursuant to The Crown Timber Act.

2. Licence dated June 2nd, 1954, between the Crown and The Ontario Paper Company, Limited containing a total of 8.8 square miles in part of Leitch Township in the District of Cochrane under the following terms and conditions:

Effective Date—April 1st, 1954.

Period of Licence—9 years with the right to a renewal of rights for a further period of 3 years.

Species and Classes of Timber—Spruce and balsam sawlogs and pulpwood.

Prices—In addition to other Crown charges, the following prices—

Spruce pulpwood	-	-	-	-	\$1.05 for each cord
Balsam pulpwood	-	-	-	-	1.75 for each cord
Spruce sawlogs	-	-	-	-	0.022 for each cu. ft.
Balsam sawlogs	-	-	-	-	0.0385 for each cu. ft.

3. Licence dated April 26th, 1956, between the Crown and The Ontario Paper Company, Limited approved by Order-in-Council 784/56 dated April 5th, 1956, containing a total of 2,728.3 square miles in three parcels known as Schedule A, Black River Concession in the District of Thunder Bay, Schedule B, Nagogami Concession in the District of Algoma, and

Schedule C, Little Pic Concession in the District of Thunder Bay, under the following terms and conditions:

3. Effective Date—April 1st, 1956.

Period of Licence—21 years with the right to two extensions of 21 years.

Species of Timber—All species.

Prices—In addition to other Crown charges the following prices:

Schedule A	Spruce pulpwood	-	-	-	\$0.50 for each cord
	Balsam pulpwood	-	-	-	0.50 for each cord
	Jack Pine pulpwood	-	-	-	0.10 for each cord
	Poplar pulpwood	-	-	-	0.10 for each cord
Schedule B	Spruce pulpwood	-	-	-	0.10 for each cord
	Jack Pine pulpwood	-	-	-	0.10 for each cord
	Balsam pulpwood	-	-	-	0.05 for each cord
Schedule C	Spruce pulpwood	-	-	-	0.10 for each cord
	Jack Pine pulpwood	-	-	-	0.10 for each cord
	Balsam pulpwood	-	-	-	0.30 for each cord
	Other pulpwood	-	-	-	Nil for each cord

4. Licence dated June 26th, 1956, between the Crown and The Ontario Paper Company, Limited approved by Order-in-Council 1387/56 dated June 21st, 1956, containing a total of 330.8 square miles comprising all or part of the Townships of Shackleton, Tully, Milligan, Thomas, Sheraton and Egan in the District of Cochrane and all or parts of the Townships of Langmuir, Blackstock, Timmins, McEvay, Tolstoi, Terry and Morrisette in the District of Timiskaming under the following terms and conditions:

Effective Date—April 1st, 1956.

Period of Licence—21 years with the right to two extensions of 21 years.

Species of Timber—All species.

Prices—In addition to other Crown charges, the following prices:

Spruce pulpwood	-	-	-	-	\$0.50 for each cord
Balsam pulpwood	-	-	-	-	0.05 for each cord
Jack Pine pulpwood	-	-	-	-	0.10 for each cord
Poplar pulpwood	-	-	-	-	0.10 for each cord

1. (c) An area of 696 square miles was held in reserve, in order to permit the Company to examine the option area as a possible source of supply for their future requirements.
2. (a) The total deposit held on the licences under 1 (a) above is \$43,850.00.
- (b) Bonds.
- (c) No.
- (d) See answer to (c).
- (e) Three of the licences under 1 (a) are still active and the deposit is being retained for the due performance by the licensee of its obligations under

The Crown Timber Act, 1952 and the Regulations, and the licences. The licence dated April 1st, 1951, was cancelled by Order-in-Council 650/55 dated March 29th, 1955, as an alternative arrangement was made with the Crown for a more economical supply of pulpwood to the Ontario Paper Company, Limited.

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39. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is (a) the number of square miles of Crown Lands north of the main line of the C.N.R. under licence to Anglo-Newfoundland Development Co. Ltd.; (b) the number of square miles held in reserve for that Company; (c) the expiry date of the licence referred to in (a); (d) the expiry date of options or reserves held for the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited. 2. What deposit for performance has been required of the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited for (a) the licence issued to that Company; (b) the area reserved for that Company. 3. If the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited does not exercise its licence or option prior to an expiry date in 1959, will an extension of licence and/or agreement be granted. 4. If the answer to 3 is yes, will the deposit, if any, be forfeited. 5. If the answer to 4 is no, under that explicit terms and conditions will the licence and/or option(s) be renewed. 5. On what date was licence, option, agreement or other instrument renewed or continued in respect of the aforementioned Company.

Answer by the Minister of Lands and Forests:—

1. (a) 931 square miles.
(b) 4,249.28 square miles.
(c) March 31st, 1978.
(d) 1962
2. (a) \$250,000.00
(b) None
3. Yes.
4. No.
5. (1) If the erection of the aforesaid mill buildings is not commenced by May 1st, 1959, the Company will expend in 1959 a minimum of \$25,000 in the construction of a road (hereinafter referred to as "the road").
(2) The road is to link up with the forest development road now under construction from the Town of Sioux Lookout and is to follow a route into the timbered areas which are to supply pulpwood for the proposed mill. The location of the road shall be generally according to that shown on the attached plan. The roadbed shall be 22 feet in width with a cleared right-of-way between 66 feet and 90 feet in width and culverts shall be made of treated wood or steel. My Department will decide as to the starting point for the road and its location and in the event that the Company is unable to obtain title to any freehold lands required for any part of the road, my Department will decide upon another location for any such part.

- (3) If the erection of the buildings is not commenced by May 1st, 1960, the Company will expend in 1960 a minimum of \$50,000 in the construction of the road.
- (4) If the erection of the buildings is not commenced by May 1st, 1961, the Company will expend in 1961 a minimum of \$75,000 in the construction of the road.
- (5) The Company will advise the Department upon the completion of road construction work in each of the years 1959, 1960, and 1961, the amount expended in that year and the Department will satisfy itself as to such expenditure by inspection of the work done.
- (6) If the amount to be expended in the construction of the road in any year is unexpended in whole or in part in that year, the Company shall pay to the Treasurer of Ontario on or before December 31st of that year the unexpended amount or the unexpended part thereof, as the case may be.
- (7) The Company shall not acquire any right, title or interest in the road other than the public right of user in common with all others until such time as the proposed pulpmill is completed and in operation. The Company will not at any time have any claim or assert any claim against the Crown for compensation or otherwise in respect of any expenditure or costs made or incurred by it in the construction of the road.
- (8) If the erection of the buildings is not commenced by May 1st, 1962, then on that date:
 - (a) The \$250,000 in bonds on deposit shall be forfeited to and become the absolute property of the Crown;
 - (b) Crown Timber Licence dated May 17th, 1957, granted to the Company, pursuant to my letter dated September 26th, the rights of the Company thereunder shall be terminated and the Company shall deliver up the document to the Department;
 - (c) The right of the Company to receive the further licence mentioned in my letter of September 26th, 1956, shall be terminated;
 - (d) All the rights and obligations of the Company under the original licence dated April 12th, 1955, and hereunder shall be terminated.

6. August 27th, 1958.

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40. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario. 2. What allied or subsidiary companies are controlled by Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited which are operating in the Province of Ontario under The Crown Timber Act.

Answer by the Provincial Secretary:—

1. No. The Company is incorporated in Newfoundland.
2. Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company Limited holds a licence under The Crown Timber Act.

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45. *Mr. Nixon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In connection with the Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission: (a) Who are the members of the Commission and what is the salary or honorarium of each; (b) How much has been paid each of the Commissioners in expenses in each of the last four years; (c) What is the total amount of money advanced by the government to the Commission to date; (d) What sources of revenue are available to the Commission; (e) How much revenue has been obtained by the Commission from all sources to date; (f) How much property (in acres) in each County is currently under the Commission's jurisdiction; (g) How much property is ultimately slated to be under Commission jurisdiction; (h) Has the Commission reimbursed Ontario Hydro-St. Lawrence Development for any lands turned over to it by Hydro and, if so, how much has the Commission paid to date.

Answer by the Minister of Planning and Development:—

(a)	Members	Salary or Honorarium
	G. H. Challies.....	Chairman..... \$10,000 per annum
	J. L. Carroll.....	1st Vice-Chairman..... 6,000 per annum
	*J. A. C. Auld.....	2nd Vice-Chairman..... 4,000 per annum
	H. Leroy Babcock.....	Member..... 15.00 per diem†
	A. Farlinger.....	Member..... 15.00 per diem
	J. A. Fillion.....	Member..... 15.00 per diem
	Mrs. T. W. J. Lane.....	Member..... 15.00 per diem
	Dr. J. A. Phillips.....	Member..... 15.00 per diem
	T. C. Reilly.....	Member..... 15.00 per diem
	Mrs. J. T. Smith.....	Member..... 15.00 per diem
	Dr. Carl J. Whytock....	Member..... 15.00 per diem

FORMER EXECUTIVE MEMBERS:

F. M. Cass.....	2nd Vice-Chairman....	\$4,000 per annum
	<i>(Resigned April 27th, 1958)</i>	
James Smart.....	Died July 21st, 1957...	Nil

(*) Appointed April 28th, 1958.

†Regulations re per diem allowance and mileage.

PER DIEM ALLOWANCE

When regular meetings are called by the Commission, necessitating the absence of a member from home and business, he shall be paid the full per diem allowance.

For other trips or meetings called for or authorized by the Commission, when the time involved is less than a half-day, the member shall be paid half of the per diem rate. When the time is more than a half-day, the per diem allowance shall be paid for the day or days involved.

MILEAGE

The mileage allowance shall be paid for the miles travelled on Commission business to the member incurring the expense.

(b)	TRAVEL EXPENSES			
	1955-6	1956-7	1957-8	1958-9
G. H. Challies.....	\$ 432.05	\$ 551.77	\$ 602.35	\$ 293.10
J. L. Carroll.....	655.35	1,375.04	1,435.91	1,481.72
J. A. C. Auld.....	.....	.....	.....	1,946.24
H. Leroy Babcock...	.....	.....	.....	90.00
A. Farlinger.....	.....	1.08	4.20	.....
J. A. Filion.....	.....	41.22	118.55	83.60
Mrs. T. W. J. Lane..	17.82	82.68	79.32	161.20
Dr. J. A. Phillips....	.....	67.60	61.40	32.40
T. C. Reilly.....	.....	10.08	16.80	.....
Mrs. J. T. Smith....	.....	12.00	.....	82.55
Dr. C. J. Whytock...	.....	.....	.....	20.00
F. M. Cass.....	.....	.....	12.00	54.55
James Smart.....	99.65	80.62	48.95	.....
	<u>\$1,205.17</u>	<u>\$2,222.09</u>	<u>\$2,379.48</u>	<u>\$4,245.36</u>

(c) To date (February 28, 1959)—\$4,677,501.39.

(d) The Commission's sources of revenue are:

1. Vote of the Legislature.
2. Receipts from operation of parks and historic sites, including admissions, concessions and leases.

(e) Revenue obtained by the Commission from all sources, to date—
\$135,419.89.

(f) Property, in acres, in each County currently under the Commission's jurisdiction:

Glengarry.....	215.7	acres
Stormont.....	3,058.344	acres
Dundas.....	2,400.000	acres
Leeds.....	267.894	acres
Frontenac.....	55.982	acres
Lennox-Addington.....	69.4	acres

Total—6,067.32 acres

- (g) Subject to the future decisions of the Parks Integration Board.
- (h) Yes—\$659,000.00.

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46. *Mr. Nixon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In connection with the Burlington Skyway: (a) What is the schedule of tolls for each class of vehicle; (b) How much money has been collected each month in tolls; (c) How many persons are employed in connection with the Skyway; (d) What has been the total cost of employees' salaries and operating expenses from the official opening of the Skyway to date.

Answer by the Minister of Highways:—

- (a) (i) Passenger vehicles and trucks having not more than two axles and a weight-carrying capacity of less than one ton..... 15c. cash or
20 tickets for \$1.00
- (ii) Vehicles referred to above, drawing a trailer, and trucks having not more than two axles and a weight-carrying capacity of one ton or more.... 25c. cash or
24 tickets for \$4.00
- (iii) Vehicles referred to in (ii) above, drawing a trailer, trucks having three or more axles, and public vehicles..... 45c. cash or
20 tickets for \$6.00
- (b) \$131,634.68. In part of December and the whole of January and February the canal bridge was open to traffic without interruption.
- (c) 40, including office and supervisory staff and toll collectors in training to meet needs of tourist season.
- (d) \$47,007.27 from 10th November, 1958, to February 28th, 1959, non-operating expenditures and equipment purchases not included.

The Hon. Mr. Warrender, Minister of Municipal Affairs, announced the extension of the Federal-Provincial Winter Works Program from the 30th of April to the 31st of May.

The Prime Minister announced the appointment of Mr. J. P. Culliton as permanent Secretary of the Joint Advisory Council of the Public Service.

The Prime Minister Tabled further Answers to Questions as follows:—

4. *Mr. Thomas*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the cost of advertising by the H.E.P.C. for the year 1958 for: (a) CBC radio; (b) CBC television;

(c) Other television networks; (d) Other radio networks; (e) Newspapers, magazines and other publications.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

The total amount that Ontario Hydro paid in 1958 to advertise the use of electricity, to advise the public on matters such as frequency standardization, etc., was \$661,393 and is divided as follows:

(a) C.B.C. radio.....	\$ 12,251
(b) C.B.C. television.....	58,220
(c) Other television networks.....	125,985
(d) Other radio networks.....	147,203
(e) Newspapers, magazines and other publications..	317,734
TOTAL.....	<u>\$661,393</u>

The Commission's total expenditure in 1958 for advertising and public relations represented approximately 0.76 per cent of its gross revenue. It is reported from the most recently available information that the following industries spent the indicated percentage of revenue for the same purpose:

	Approximate Percentage
Electric Supply Companies.....	1.0 to 4.0
Privately-owned Electric Utilities.....	1.6
Publicly-owned Electric Utilities.....	0.9

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8. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—During 1957 and 1958 what electric energy was disposed of by the H.E.P.C. of Ontario to the following groups, and what was the total revenue derived from each: (a) Municipal systems for resale; (b) Industrial customers (direct); (c) Rural areas.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:

PART 1

Electric energy disposed of by The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario to:

	Kilowatt-hours	
	1957	1958
Municipal electrical utilities—wholesale (cost and fixed-rate contracts).....	13,750,964,126	14,706,882,983
Direct industrial customers—bulk power (including interconnected systems).....	12,400,763,439	11,476,679,735
Rural customers—retail.....	2,011,647,752	2,278,629,531

PART 2

Revenue received by The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario from:

	Dollars	
	1957	1958
Municipal electrical utilities—wholesale (cost and fixed-rate contracts).....	*92,026,295	*98,402,642
Direct industrial customers—bulk power (including interconnected systems).....	60,171,947	55,753,822
Rural customers—retail.....	42,464,426	47,014,824

*Amount billed less amount credited to cost-contract municipal electrical utilities on annual adjustment.

It must be noted that the number of kilowatt hours sold to the municipal electrical utilities and the revenue received therefrom cannot be compared with the number of kilowatt hours sold to either the direct industrial customers or rural customers, or the revenue received therefrom, due to the differences in peak loads, base loads, diversity, energy rates and distance from source of supply.

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25. *Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—How much money has Hydro spent in each of the last four years: (a) On transportation of all kinds for visitors and guests to Hydro installations in any part of the province; (b) for accommodation; (c) for meals and entertainment.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:

During the years 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1958 it is estimated that approximately 2,600,000 visitors and guests visited the construction undertakings of the Ontario Hydro, such as the Robert H. Saunders Generating Station at Cornwall and the Sir Adam Beck Generating Stations at Niagara Falls. During the same period the expenditure by Ontario Hydro for transportation, accommodation, meals and entertainment of all visitors and guests amounted to less than 3.3c. per person. The expenditure for this purpose is as follows:

1955.....	\$ 8,303.36
1956.....	15,520.34
1957.....	30,233.18
1958.....	30,982.65
TOTAL.....	<u>\$85,039.53*</u>

*This does not include the expenditures for the opening ceremonies of the St. Lawrence Power Project.

The Commission considers that this expenditure is in the best interests of the tourist industry of Ontario, as well as the desire of the Commission to draw to public attention the undertakings of the Commission so as to encourage more people to "Live Better Electrically".

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26. *Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In connection with the official opening of the Robert H. Saunders generating station on the St. Lawrence power and seaway project September 8, 1958: (a) How much money was spent by Hydro for special trains, special buses and other types of transportation for guests, press and others to and from the ceremonies; (b) How much did Hydro spend for hotel and motel and all other accommodation; (c) How much did Hydro spend for meals and entertainment; (d) What was the total cost of the opening ceremonies.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario paid one-half of the total cost involved in the official opening ceremony of the St. Lawrence power project, the other half being paid by the Power Authority of the State of New York. The joint amount spent totalled \$74,790, of which Ontario Hydro paid one-half, or, \$37,395. Hydro's share of the cost of the opening ceremony represents 0.012 per cent of its share of the cost of the project and approximately 1.7c. per visitor for the nearly 2,200,000 persons who have visited the Ontario section of the project.

The Commission considers that these expenditures for the receiving of visitors at its projects have not only been a worthwhile contribution towards Ontario's tourist industry but also a most acceptable means of conveying to the public the activities of Ontario Hydro in making available new sources of electric power for the continuing expansion that is taking place within the Province and for the steadily increasing improvement in the standard of living in which electricity plays so vital a part.

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27. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many contracts have been awarded by Ontario Hydro for work in connection with the St. Lawrence power project. 2. What was the contract price of each contract award. 3. How many claims have been made by contractors for payment in excess of the original contract price. 4. What is the amount being claimed in each case above the original contract price. 5. What is the total amount being claimed. 6. Have any claims for payment above the original contract price been made in the course of the work that have now been settled, and if so, in each case what was the original contract price, the amount claimed above the original contract price, and the amount of the settlement.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

1. The estimated cost to develop the St. Lawrence Power Project by The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario and the Power Authority of the State of New York is a total of approximately \$600,000,000. Ontario

Hydro's share of this cost is approximately \$300,000,000, and this expenditure by the Ontario Commission involves several thousands of purchase contracts, of which there were 83 formal construction contracts. Of these construction contracts, 71 were shared with the Power Authority and prior to the awarding of each shared contract the concurrence of each power entity was obtained.

2. The contracts and the tendered price for each of the 83 contracts referred to in (1) are shown on Appendix A, and the tendered price of these contracts totals \$118,805,427.
3. Of these 83 contracts, claims have been made in respect of 11 contracts for conditions and work alleged to have differed from the contract.
4. These 11 claims total \$22,074,595, or approximately 7.4 per cent of Ontario Hydro's share of the cost of the project. (See Appendix B.)
5. Claims totalling \$3,147,668 have been paid to date, out of the \$22,074,595 claimed, and the balance is under negotiation. Settlement of these claims involves the approval of both the Ontario Hydro and the Power Authority of the State of New York.
6. The amount of claims filed by contractors with the Power Authority of the State of New York exceeds the amount claimed against Ontario Hydro by its contractors.

APPENDIX A

DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT	TENDERED PRICE
* 1. Project Office Building, Cornwall.....	\$ 32,577.00
2. Turbines and Governors.....	7,847,275.00
3. 16 Generator Units.....	6,841,587.00 6,768,808.00
4. 14.4 KV Indoor, Station-Type Cubicle Switchgear.....	345,238.00
5. 13 Power Transformers 86,000 KVA.....	1,256,100.00
* 6. Railway Relocation Rails, Ties, etc.....	5,856,559.87
* 7. Improvement of Nine Mile Rd., and Construction of Railroad Siding.	227,713.00
* 8. Supply of 48 Headgates, Hoists and Embedded Parts.....	1,720,795.00
* 9. Installation of 48 Headgates, Hoists and Embedded Parts.....	432,600.00
10. 14.4 KV Isolated Phase Bus.....	509,494.00
*11. Channel Improvements—Chimney Island.....	4,374,020.00
12. 230 KV Cable Circuits for Powerhouse.....	462,104.00
*13. Elevated Steel Water Tank, Iroquois.....	49,675.00
*14. Elevated Steel Water Tank, Morrisburg.....	54,435.00
*15. Elevated Steel Water Tank, New Town No. 1.....	51,868.00

APPENDIX A—Continued

DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT	TENDERED PRICE
*16. Elevated Steel Water Tank, New Town No. 2.....	\$ 51,245.00
17. Control Metering and Relaying Equipment.....	424,000.00
*18. Crushed Rock or Slag Ballast.....	772,680.00
*19. Supply and Erection of 3 Steel Railway Bridges.....	109,140.35
*20. Sewers, Watermains and House Services, New Town No. 2.....	371,720.03
*21. Additional Sewers, Watermains and House Services, New Town No. 2	25,989.36
*22. Supply Ice Sluice Drum Gates.....	958,922.00
*23. Installation of Ice Sluice Drum Gates.....	196,692.00
*24. Two Houses.....	58,100.00
*25. Plastic Waterstops.....	89,177.50
*26. Sewers, Watermains and House Services, New Town 1.....	345,974.30
*27. Sewage Treatment Plant, Iroquois.....	164,967.00
28. Supply and Installation of Insulated Aluminum Wall Panels and Steel Roof Deck for Switchgear Bldg.....	176,340.00
*29. Protective Dyke and Associated Work at Canada Starch Co.....	887,633.80
*30. Sewers, Watermains & House Services, Morrisburg.....	306,516.79
*31. Additional Sewers, Watermains & House Services, Morrisburg.....	209,169.55
*32. Supply of 16 Generator Unit Covers for Powerhouse.....	458,400.00
*33. Erection of 16 Generator Unit Covers for Powerhouse.....	73,165.00
*34. Channel Improvements—Iroquois Point.....	6,966,701.00
*35. Construction of Water and Sewage Pumping Stations, New Town No. 1.....	108,604.00
*36. Sewage Treatment Plant, Morrisburg.....	169,450.00
*37. Sewage Treatment Plant, New Town No. 1.....	130,964.00
*38. Waterworks Pumping Station and Intake, Morrisburg.....	81,782.00
*39. Street Paving, Iroquois.....	171,465.00
40. 5 Powerhouse Electric Elevators.....	161,400.00
*41. Sewage Treatment Plant, New Town No. 2.....	177,835.00
*42. Construction of Railway Stations, Iroquois, Morrisburg, New Towns 1 and 2.....	306,700.00
*43. Construction of Railway Stations, Cornwall.....	189,808.00
44. Supplementary Electrical Work—Powerhouse.....	400,000.00
*45. Channel Enlargements, Point Three Points.....	3,532,150.00
*46. Channel Enlargements, Cardinal.....	6,355,250.00
*47. Channel Enlargements, Vicinity of Morrisburg.....	3,529,975.00

APPENDIX A—*Continued*

DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT	TENDERED PRICE
*48. Construction of Grade Separation CNR Relocation and Highway No. 31.....	\$ 641,289.08
*49. Fenestration and Aluminum Work for Switchgear Bldg., Erection Bay and Administration Bldg.....	227,475.00
*50. Multiple Housing in Morrisburg and Iroquois.....	233,009.00
*51. Multiple Housing in Morrisburg and Iroquois.....	233,392.00
*52. Multiple Housing in Morrisburg and Iroquois.....	232,792.00
*53. Semi-detached Housing—Morrisburg.....	77,549.00
*54. Semi-detached Housing—Morrisburg.....	77,140.00
*55. Semi-detached Housing—Morrisburg.....	77,144.00
*56. Shoreline Improvements, Vicinity of Morrisburg.....	74,390.00
57. Supply and Installation of Heating and Ventilating Equipment for Unit and Miscellaneous Areas in the Powerhouse.....	138,534.00
*58. Shoreline Improvements, Vicinity of Crysler Memorial Park.....	621,035.00
*59. Street Paving, New Town No. 2.....	61,900.00
60. Supply and Installation of Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning Equipment for Administration Area and Erection Bay.....	332,212.80
*61. Construction of Grade Separations CNR Relocation at Mileage 100.4 and Carman Road (Iroquois).....	211,211.78
*62. Grade Separation CNR Relocation at Mileage 80.9 and Dickinson Drive (Ingleside).....	171,060.00
*63. Street Paving, New Town No. 1.....	35,612.05
*64. Grade Separation CNR Relocation at Mileage 87.6 and Crysler Memorial Park Road.....	221,337.60
*65. Demolition & Removal of Buildings, Morrisburg.....	8,736.00
*66. Paving of Shopping Centre—Parking Area and Part of Fifth Street, Morrisburg.....	28,360.32
*67. Additional Sewers, Watermains & House Services, Iroquois.....	9,214.00
*68. Grade Separation CNR Relocation at Mileage 68.1 and St. Andrews Road (Cornwall).....	236,459.55
*69. Landscaping of Parks, Iroquois.....	75,356.86
*70. Street Paving, Morrisburg.....	87,969.43
*71. Moving of Houses.....	357,670.80
*72. Additional Watermains, Sewers & House Services, New Town No. 1..	36,278.23
*73. Construction of Cofferdams A1 and C1.....	2,411,080.00
*74. Provision of Crushed Rock and Manufactured Sand.....	2,656,320.00
*75. Subgrading Section "A" Relocation CNR.....	1,213,248.60
*76. Subgrading Section "B" Relocation CNR.....	996,946.00

APPENDIX A—*Continued*

DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT	TENDERED PRICE
*77. Subgrading Section "C" Relocation CNR.....	\$ 932,072.70
*78. Construction of Cornwall Dyke.....	3,334,250.00
*79. Sewers and Watermains, Iroquois.....	435,758.81
*80. Tracklaying and Ballasting Relocation CNR.....	841,494.00
*81. Construction of Powerhouse.....	21,940,253.00
*82. Channel Improvements, Galop Island.....	11,700,420.00
*83. Cornwall Dyke Closure and Diversion of Cornwall Canal.....	3,043,690.00
TOTAL.....	\$118,805,427.16

APPENDIX B

ST. LAWRENCE POWER PROJECT

CLAIMS ON CONTRACTS

DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT	TENDERED PRICE	AMOUNT OF CLAIM	SETTLED
1. Construction of Cofferdams A1 and C1..	\$ 2,411,080.00	\$ 2,230,641.00	\$1,450,000.00
2. Provision of Crushed Rock and Manufactured Sand.....	2,656,320.00	601,429.07	382,500.00
3. Subgrading Section "A" Relocation CNR.....	1,213,248.60	432,990.00	302,291.00
4. Subgrading Section "B" Relocation CNR.....	996,946.00	184,598.29	31,357.60
5. Subgrading Section "C" Relocation CNR.....	932,072.70	417,773.49	294,870.84
6. Construction of Cornwall Dyke.....	3,334,250.00	1,292,647.65	580,193.00
7. Sewers and Watermains, Iroquois.....	435,748.81	81,186.96	31,030.58
8. Tracklaying and Ballasting Relocation CNR.....	841,494.00	132,663.58	75,425.70
9. Construction of Powerhouse.....	21,940,253.00	11,266,150.00	Under negotiation
10. Channel Improvements, Galop Island..	11,700,420.00	4,428,536.96	Under negotiation
11. Cornwall Dyke Closure and Diversion of Cornwall Canal.....	3,043,690.00	1,005,978.00	Under negotiation
TOTAL.....	\$49,505,523.11	\$22,074,595.00	\$3,147,668.72

29. *Mr. Nixon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—In connection with the Liquor Control Board of Ontario store price list, item 188B L.C.B.O. Extra Special, 25-ounce bottle \$4.75, liquor imported in wood and bottled by the L.C.B.O.: 1. What is the strength per cent underproof when this liquor is (a) imported in casks, and (b) when it is sold in bottles. 2. What percentage of water is added to this liquor. 3. What is the cost, per cask, of this liquor when purchased overseas. 4. What is the cost laid down in Board warehouse. 5. How many 25-ounce bottles of liquor are obtained after the “watering” of a single cask of liquor.

Answer by the Provincial Secretary:—

1. (a) Brand Number 188B, L.C.B.O. Extra Special Scotch Whiskey is imported in Hogsheads from various Scotch Distillers. Depending upon the particular shipper, the proof can vary from Proof to 99.96 Proof measured by Imperial Proof.

(b) When this brand reaches the consumer it is at the same Proof as all Scotch Whiskies offered to the public in the Dominion of Canada and the United Kingdom, namely, 70 Imperial Proof, the Proof introduced by the Wartime Beverages Order of the Government of Canada in 1942 and which has been the Proof since that time. This applies in all Canada.
2. Depending upon the strength by Proof of the spirits as imported, the quantity of distilled water, which may be added to obtain 70 Imperial Proof at which all Scotch Whiskies are sold to the consumer as shown in the answer to 1 (b), varies.
3. The average cost per Hogshead containing 53.37 Proof Gallons is 35 Shillings per Proof Gallon. Taking the rate of exchange to be \$2.80 per pound sterling, this would amount to \$336.23 at the point of distillation.
4. To the Overseas cost must be added the cost of freight and insurance, customs duty based on \$12.50 for each 1.3125 Proof Gallons and sales tax, which results in the average laid-down duty paid price per Hogshead at the Board's Warehouse of \$1,099.09.
5. This depends upon loss through evaporation in transit and in storage, and also the strength of the Proof. Because of high transportation costs it is more economical to the Board to transport at a high proof and reduce to the Canadian Standard in Ontario. Ontario retail prices are the lowest in Canada.

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37. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Set forth the number of jobs created in each area in the fiscal year ending (a) March 31st, 1957; (b) March 31st, 1958; (c) March 31st, 1959, as compared to employment in each particular for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1956. 2. (a) How many employable persons were unemployed in Ontario as of (i) December 31st, 1956; (ii) December 31st, 1957; (iii) December 31st, 1958; (b) How many employable persons were un-

employed in Ontario as of (i) June 30th, 1956; (ii) June 30th, 1957; (iii) June 30th, 1958; (c) In the difference in tabulation of answers to (a) and (b), What effect did Ontario Government activity have on that difference, quoting your source of information.

Answer by the Minister of Municipal Affairs:—

1. The estimates of employment, generated through Provincial Government Expenditures, were made on the basis of a capital expenditure—employment ratio for the entire program. These include both on-site and off-site jobs and, because the programs are outlined on a Departmental basis, it is not possible to break down the figures on a regional or district basis.
2. The Labour Force Survey conducted by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics is the most reliable source of information on the Work Force. It is a survey of households and for this reason is subject to sampling variability. However, it does give a reasonably accurate indication of trends in labour force movements. This survey classifies all persons who were without jobs during the survey week and were looking for employment, as unemployed.

Although it is possible that some people would classify themselves as seeking work even though they are unemployable, not many would come into this category. It is, therefore, fairly safe to assume that persons classified as Without Jobs and Seeking Work by the Labour Force Survey are employable unemployed.

The following table shows Persons Without Jobs and Seeking Work in Ontario for the dates nearest June 30 and December 31, 1956, 1957 and 1958.

PERSONS WITHOUT JOBS AND SEEKING WORK

	Number	Per cent of Labour Force
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(a) June 23, 1956.....	32,000	1.5
June 22, 1957.....	50,000	2.2
June 21, 1958.....	93,000	4.1
(b) December 15, 1956.....	44,000	2.0
December 14, 1957.....	104,000	4.6
December 13, 1958.....	121,000	5.4

2. (c) Last winter the government started a program of direct assistance to municipalities for work performed during the winter. This provided jobs for a good many workers who would not otherwise have been employed, but because the municipalities provided information only on labour cost of their projects, and not on the number of men employed, we have no definite information on the numbers employed on that Winter Works Program.

In this year's municipal winter works program, however, more detailed information was obtained. As of March 20th this year, an estimated 9,575 additional men were employed in 180 municipalities, including 10 Conservation Authority areas, throughout Ontario.

The Ontario Government has also stimulated employment during the winter through special programs carried out by its various departments. Emphasis has been placed on accelerating projects where unemployment is heaviest.

The Department of Highways is carrying out two programs in an effort to provide additional work this winter. The first is a program of picnic area construction throughout the Province. The second is more of a special winter policy in which the Department carries on with its regular work even though some extra cost is involved in keeping projects going. In all, the Department estimates that these special programs will provide jobs for more than 1,000 men over the winter period.

The Department of Lands and Forests is also carrying out two special winter programs in an effort to create additional work. The first is a program of work on forest access roads in the northern parts of the Province, and the second is a program of park construction throughout the whole of the Province. Work on these two programs is estimated to provide jobs for over 4,500 additional men.

The Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission, coming under the Parks Integration Board and the Department of Planning and Development, is also carrying on a parks construction program, stretching from Kingston to the Quebec border, and their program is estimated to provide additional work for approximately 170 men. In each of the above cases, except for the regular work carried on by the Department of Highways, the Federal Government has promised to defray a proportion of the costs involved in these projects provided that the work is carried out within the period November 1, 1958, and June 30, 1959, and, in most cases, with the stipulation that at least half the construction costs involved are wages. This has provided a strong incentive to do extra work and to create additional employment.

Finally, for many years, it has been the practice of the Department of Public Works to write a "cold weather working requirement" clause into the contracts wherever this is possible. This affords a greater degree of seasonal stability in construction than would otherwise be obtained. However, inasmuch as the work is done by contractors, no accurate figures are available of how many more workers are employed on these Government of Ontario projects during the winter months than would have been employed had this clause not been inserted as part of the agreement. Generally speaking, however, it is believed that under these contracts let by the Department of Public Works, employment is provided for between 3,000 and 4,000 men during the winter season.

Thus, as nearly as can be estimated, the Government of Ontario, together and in part, with the Federal Government and our municipi-

palities, is providing through these winter projects jobs for nearly 20,000 workers. Certainly this is by far the largest number of jobs that has been created by special winter works in the history of this Province.

In addition, the Province through its huge capital investment and repair program is providing employment for nearly 250,000 other on-site and off-site workers, so that it is estimated that, in all, employment is provided for over 265,000 workers in construction and repair occupations. This total is of course exclusive of the regular employees engaged in such departments as Health, the Attorney-General, Reform Institutions, etc., which, if included, would increase the total number of persons provided with jobs to approximately 300,000.

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44. *Mr. Gordon*—Enquiry of the Ministry—(a) What is the total cost of the mural in the observation tower of the Ontario Hydro's power project; (b) Who paid for this mural; (c) If the cost was shared, what amounts were paid by each of the contributors; (d) What was the cost of the St. Lawrence Suite; (e) How much was paid to the composer, Mr. Morton Gould; (f) If the cost was shared, how much did Ontario Hydro pay.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

(a) The mural referred to in Question 44 has been commended as follows:

(i) *Toronto Telegram*—September 3, 1958

"It is the first up-to-date painting in any Government building."

(ii) *Alan Jarvis, Director of the National Gallery in Ottawa*

"The work is a great step forward in Canadian mural art and it will enhance our international artistic status enormously."

(iii) *Toronto Globe & Mail*—June 27, 1958

"If ever abstraction is justified, it is in dealing with such abstract matters as the power of nature and man-controlled energy."

(iv) *Toronto Telegram*—June 28, 1958

"On one point, opinion will be unanimous. The mural is daring in its defiance of convention. There are no beavers fraternizing with eagles, no melancholy Indians or dour pioneers gazing into vacuous horizon, none of the claptrap frequently used to portray Man on the March."

(v) *Toronto Telegram*—September 16, 1958

"Ontario Hydro has used art in industry in a manner for which too few Canadian corporations have the courage. It is to be congratulated . . ."

The mural purchased by the Power Authority of the State of New York and installed in its powerhouse cost approximately \$21,000, while the cost to Ontario Hydro for its mural was \$10,000. If the wall containing the

Ontario Hydro mural had been finished in marble to match the adjoining walls the cost would have been \$1,500, so that the net cost of the mural to the Commission can be stated as \$8,500.

- (b) The cost of the St. Lawrence Suite, including the personal appearance of Mr. Morton Gould, was \$5,500, of which Ontario Hydro paid \$2,750.

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49. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What rates were charged Steep Rock Iron Mines in the original contract with Ontario Hydro. 2. What changes have been made in the rates since the original contract. 3. What rates are now charged to the local Atikokan Hydro Commission. 4. What rates were charged the Ontario and Minnesota Pulp and Paper Company in Fort Frances in the original contract. 5. What changes have been made in the rates since the original contract. 6. (a) Is hydro-electric power supplied directly by the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission to consumers in the town of Fort Frances or through a local Commission; (b) What is the basic rate charged.

Answer by the Honourable Mr. Macaulay:—

1. \$40.21 per kilowatt per year for 85% Load Factor power, plus 3.5 mills per kilowatt-hour for excess energy, effective December, 1943.

Rate per KW per Year for 85% L.F. Power	Rate for Excess Energy in Mills per KWH	Date Effective
\$28.49	4.25	Jan. 1946
Operational—		
First 3,730 kw.....	\$36.86	} Jan. 1950
Up to 7,460 kw.....	30.16	
Balance.....	23.46	
Development.....	25.64	
Operational.....	37.00	} Jan. 1951
Development.....	28.05	
Operational.....	42.50	} Nov. 1951
Development.....	31.88	
Operational—		
First 4,000 kw.....	45.00	} Jan. 1953
Balance.....	42.50	
Development.....	36.13	
First 4,000 kw (70% L.F.)	38.00	} Jan. 1956
Next 16,000 kw (70% L.F.)	35.50	
Balance (70% L.F.).....	34.50	

3. Interim Rate effective November 15, 1957, \$40.00 per kw per year.

4.	Rate per KW per Year for 85% L.F. Power	Rate for Excess Energy in Mills per KWH	Date Effective
First 746 kw	\$25.47	3.5	Sept. 1947
Balance	32.44		
5. *Replacement 7833 kw . . .	21.45	3.5	} April 1949
**Supplementary 746 kw . . .	25.47	3.5	
Balance	30.16	3.5	
*Replacement 7833 kw . . .	21.45	3.5	} Jan. 1952
**Supplementary 746 kw . . .	25.47	3.5	
Balance	35.00	5	
*Replacement 7833 kw . . .	21.45	3.5	} Jan. 1953
**Supplementary 440 kw . . .	25.47	3.5	
Balance	40.50	5	
*Replacement 7833 kw . . .	21.45	3.5	} Jan. 1-19, 1958
**Supplementary 440kw . . .	25.47	3.5	
Balance	40.50	3.5	
*Replacement 7775 kw . . .	23.05	3.5	} Jan. 20, 1958
Balance (70% L.F.)	36.00	4	

*Referred to in power agreement as "Replacement" power supplied to Ontario-Minnesota at a special rate to replace the 10,500 H.P. output of O-M Moose Lake plant, when Steep Rock Iron Mines diverted the Seine River.

**Also power at special rate related to conditions under (*) as above.

6. (a) Customers in the Town of Fort Frances are supplied by Fort Frances Public Utilities Committee, which purchases its power supply from the Ontario-Minnesota Pulp and Paper Company Limited.
- (b) As the Ontario Hydro is not a party to the agreement between the Town of Fort Frances and the Ontario-Minnesota Pulp and Paper Company Limited for this supply of power, information as to the rate charged should be obtained from the contracting parties.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sums:—

501. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Health \$2,943,300.00

502.	To defray the expenses of the Health Units Branch.....	\$ 1,058,700.00
503.	To defray the expenses of the Public Health Nursing Branch	70,500.00
504.	To defray the expenses of the Maternal and Child Health Branch.....	118,000.00
505.	To defray the expenses of the Dental Service Branch.....	66,100.00
506.	To defray the expenses of the Nursing Branch.....	285,600.00
507.	To defray the expenses of the Epidemiological Branch....	790,000.00
508.	To defray the expenses of the Venereal Diseases Control Branch.....	49,000.00
509.	To defray the expenses of the Tuberculosis Prevention Branch.....	6,872,300.00
510.	To defray the expenses of the Industrial Hygiene Branch..	576,000.00
511.	To defray the expenses of the Environmental Sanitation Branch.....	146,800.00
512.	To defray the expenses of the Laboratory Branch.....	2,133,000.00
513.	To defray the expenses of the Mental Health Branch.....	39,796,700.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Prime Minister Tabled further Answers to Questions as follows:—

1. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—For each of the years 1956, 1957 and 1958: (a) How many motor vehicles were purchased by all Government Departments, Commissions and Boards; (b) How many vehicles of each make were purchased by each Department, each Commission and each Board; (c) How many of these vehicles were of foreign manufacture; (d) In view of unemployment in the automobile industry in Ontario will it now be the policy of the Ministry to purchase Canadian-made cars exclusively.

Answer by the Ministry:—

(a) 1956—1,622; 1957—1,347; 1958—1,334.

(b)	1956	1957	1958
Agriculture.....	87	105	95
Attorney-General.....	369	378	420
Economics.....	....	1	....
Education.....	3	....	1
Health.....	19	19	28
Highways.....	394	276	275
Hydro.....	537	355	199
Labour.....	1	1	1
Lands and Forests.....	147	157	226
Liquor Control Board.....	....	1	3
Mines.....	5	4	5
Municipal Affairs.....	1	2	14
Niagara Parks Commission.....	7	7	6
Ontario Fire Marshal.....	2	1	2
Ontario Hospital Services Commission.....	....	....	1
Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission.....	2	5	5
Ontario Water Resources Commission.....	....	1	....
Planning and Development.....	16	6	12
Prime Minister.....	....	1	....
Provincial Secretary.....	....	....	1
Public Welfare.....	1	2	1
Public Works.....	18	8	8
Reform Institutions.....	9	13	10
Transport.....	....	3	16
Travel and Publicity.....	2	1	2
Treasury.....	....	....	1
Workmen's Compensation Board.....	2	....	2

- (c) The expression "foreign manufacture" is not clear enough to answer this question. In most vehicles there are, in most cases, articles and parts manufactured in other countries—principally the United Kingdom and the United States—going into the assembly.

The expression "motor vehicle" covers motor cars, snow-mobiles, trucks, station wagons, vans, jeeps, tandem tractors, swamp buggies designed for work in forest and muskeg country, equipment fitted with particular equipment such as well-drilling, post-digging, and other items.

- (d) It is, and has been, the policy of the Government to purchase vehicles from industries located in Ontario, wherever possible.

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2. *Mr. MacDonald*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the 1958 revenue and expenditure for each of the following departments of the Toronto Stock Yards: (1) cattle; (2) small stock (sheep, lambs and calves); (3) hogs.

Answer by the Minister of Agriculture:—

(1) and (2)

Ontario Stock Yards 1958 Calendar Year Revenue and Expenses		
	Receipts	Revenue
	Head	
Cattle.....	458,366	\$247,607.30 18,619.90*
Calves.....	119,667	28,045.79
Hogs.....	395,433	34,250.11
Sheep.....	70,255	11,696.71
		\$340,219.81
Other Miscellaneous Revenue.....		199,305.04
		\$539,524.85
Operating Expense.....		\$628,526.37
Loss on Operations.....		\$ 89,001.52

*Injection T.B. and Brucellosis.

It is impossible to separate expenses in connection with sheep, calves, and cattle. Hogs, however, are housed and fed separately so that a statement can be provided.

(3) Hogs: Revenue—\$34,250.11 Expenses—\$46,140.06
Loss on Hogs—\$11,889.95

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22. *Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Department of Highways enter into arrangements with county councils whereby the Department relinquishes mileage responsibility for the maintenance of a provincial highway in exchange for the assumption of other mileages of county roads.
2. If so, in what ridings have such exchanges taken place in the past four years.
3. How many miles of provincial highway and county roads have been involved.

Answer by the Minister of Highways:—

1. Yes.

2. See number Three.

3.

Riding	Highway No.	Miles of King's Highway Transferred	Miles of County Road Assumed
Waterloo South.....	97	8	3.5
Welland.....	58	6.5	4 mi. Twp. Rd. 6
Kent East.....	76 Ext. 75 77	2.5 4	6.5
Middlesex South.....	76 Ext.		1.5
*Brant.....	24	18	14.5

*Agreement pending on 4 miles of new location.

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48. *Mr. Wren*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Why is it necessary that the Ontario Hospital Services Commission levy for premiums six months in advance. 2. Why is it necessary that O.H.S.C. allow only one day of grace for non-payment of premiums. 3. What does the O.H.S.C. propose to do to enable Indians in remote areas to pay their hospital insurance premiums where, (a) distance and inaccessibility is a factor; (b) where the Indians concerned have not the means to pay premiums not only six months in advance but even month to month. 4. (a) What is the estimated cost to the Province for the year ending December 31st, 1959, to provide health and hospital services not provided prior to January 1st, 1959; (b) What is the estimated amount to be received in hospital insurance premiums for the year ending December 31st, 1959; (c) What is the estimated surplus of new income over new cost in reference to (a) and (b).

Answer by the Minister of Health:—

1. Advantageous to insured persons and in line with the pattern in other jurisdictions.
2. Subscribers billed two weeks in advance of due date and, to maintain their free prepayment period, premiums must be paid when due.
3. (a) and (b). Arrangements for the Indians have had to be made in consultation with the Department of Indian Affairs. It is our understanding that those Indians who are self-supporting, that is, regularly employed, pay their own premiums, either on a pay direct basis or by payroll deductions. Indians who are entitled to health services through the Department of Indian Affairs are insured by that Department, that is, their premiums are paid by the Department of Indian Affairs.
4. (a) The intent of this question is not very clear. If the question concerns the Ontario Hospital Services Commission, then it can be stated that

the Commission has no responsibility for the provision of Health services. For Hospital services, the additional cost to the Province will be approximately 10 million dollars.

(b) \$80,000,000.00

(c) (a) Not applicable.

(b) As premium rates are based on estimated Hospital utilization and costs covering a two-year period, it is too early to estimate, with any degree of accuracy, surplus as of December 31, 1959.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Resolution and certain Bills.

Mr. Frost acquainted the House that the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

After some time Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Murdoch reported that the Committee had come to a certain Resolution as follows:—

Resolved,

That,

the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient and any such sum or sums may be raised in any manner provided by *The Financial Administration Act, 1954* and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and shall be chargeable thereon,

as provided by Bill No. 113, An Act to authorize the Raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill No. 54, An Act to amend The Planning Act, 1955.

Bill No. 67, An Act to amend The Ontario Parks Integration Board Act, 1956.

Bill No. 77, An Act to amend The Municipal Unconditional Grants Act, 1953.

Bill No. 97, An Act to establish the Department of Energy Resources.

Bill No. 104, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Bill No. 108, An Act to amend The Milk Industry Act, 1957.

Bill No. 109, An Act to amend The Ontario Water Resources Commission Act, 1957.

Bill No. 110, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act, 1953.

Bill No. 111, An Act to amend The Department of Transport Act, 1957.

Bill No. 113, An Act to authorize the Raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Bill No. 115, An Act to amend The Police Act.

And to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill No. 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Bill No. 105, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchise Extension Act, 1958.

Bill No. 114, An Act to amend The Change of Name Act.

Bill No. Pr18, An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill No. Pr30, An Act respecting the Village of Wasaga Beach.

Bill No. Pr43, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted and that the Bills reported be read the third time to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Copy of Order-in-Council numbered 1116/58 under The Northern Development Act. (*Sessional Paper No. 40.*)

Return to an Order of the House, dated March 24th, 1959, showing: 1. What lawyers have represented clients before the Liquor Licence Board in each of the years 1956, 1957 and 1958. 2. How many clients did each represent in each year. 3. How many clients has Goodman and Goodman, or E. A. Goodman, Q.C., represented in 1956, 1957 and 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 67.*)

The House then adjourned at 10.50 p.m.

FORTY-SECOND DAY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25TH, 1959

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Wintermeyer moved, seconded by Mr. Nixon,

That this House immediately appoint a Select Committee of the House to do the following things:—

Firstly, attend upon the Federal Government in Ottawa to determine—

1. Whether the decision of the Federal Government to cancel the Arrow or CF-105 contracts with A. V. Roe is conclusive.
2. To enquire of the Federal Government its plans to assist the aircraft industry in Ontario.
3. To determine of the Federal Government whether or not any sum of money will be paid to the municipalities of the Malton area generally to compensate for the loss of taxation revenue.
4. To attend upon the officials of the industries involved to ascertain at first hand what can or should be done at the provincial level to assist the aircraft industry.
5. To consider ways and means of protecting the physical security of the vast number of A. V. Roe employees affected by this unfortunate incident, including the possibility of a moratorium on mortgage foreclosures.

And a Debate arising, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Frost (Victoria),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. Lawrence, Member for St. George, on a point of personal privilege, took exception to remarks made by Mr. MacDonald, Member for York South, in the course of the Debate, which he considered to be derogatory to the private Members of the House. Following Mr. Speaker's Ruling, Mr. MacDonald withdrew the remark.

Mr. Wintermeyer moved, seconded by Mr. Nixon,

That this House petition the Government of Canada to take steps to refer the recent anti-Labour legislation enacted by Newfoundland to the Supreme Court of Canada to determine its constitutionality.

And a Debate arising, after some time,

The motion having been put was declared to be lost.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on motion by Mr. Stewart (Parkdale),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

Mr. Thomas moved, seconded by Mr. MacDonald,

That this Legislature recommends that the Government give consideration to the establishment of a Consumers' Bureau that will co-operate with existing consumer organizations and research agencies; provide field and information services to assist in the development of consumer organizations; publish independent expert information on the quality of products placed on the market of Ontario; have authority to call attention to, and where necessary prohibit, misleading and fraudulent advertising; exert constant pressure for the enforcement of federal laws governing food and drugs; and conduct continuing research into price spreads and recommend appropriate action to reduce unreasonable spreads.

After some time,

On motion by Mr. Roberts,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day for Second Reading of Bill No. 44, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act, having been read,

Mr. Gisborn moved that the Bill be now read a second time, and after some time,

On motion by Mr. Daley,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day for Second Reading of Bill No. 66, An Act to amend The Mining Act, having been read,

Mr. Gisborn moved that the Bill be now read a second time, and after some time,

On motion by Mr. Frost (Victoria),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day for the Second Reading of Bill No. 56, An Act to amend The Judicature Act, having been read,

Mr. MacDonald moved that the Bill be now read a second time, and after some time,

On motion by Mr. Roberts,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

Notice of Motion No. 15 having been read as follows:—

That the allegations made against members of this House by Philip T. Kelly, former Minister of Mines, in Toronto newspapers on February 6th and 7th, 1959, suggesting that members of the Government were involved in Northern Ontario Natural Gas Company stock distribution, be referred to the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Speaker ruled it Out of Order as being ambiguous, uncertain and not containing specific allegations or quotations.

Notice of Motion No. 3 having been read as follows:—

It is the opinion of this House that, because the health of the people of Ontario is one of the prime responsibilities of the Government of Ontario, and because hospital insurance makes provision for only one phase of health care, this Legislature approve the expansion of hospitalization insurance to include medical services.

Mr. Wintermeyer agreed that the subject had been covered in the discussion of the Estimates of the Department of Health and therefore that the Motion be not proceeded with.

Mr. Gisborn moved, seconded by Mr. MacDonald,

It is the opinion of this House that there be established a sickness and accident benefit plan to give wage and salary earners security against loss of income when they are off work due to sickness or accident not covered by Workmen's Compensation.

And a Debate arising, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Grossman,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

- Bill No. 22, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Wilderness Areas.
- Bill No. 36, An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act.
- Bill No. 39, An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.
- Bill No. 54, An Act to amend The Planning Act, 1955.
- Bill No. 65, An Act to amend The Mining Act.
- Bill No. 67, An Act to amend The Ontario Parks Integration Board Act, 1956.
- Bill No. 71, An Act to amend The Mining Act.
- Bill No. 72, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.
- Bill No. 73, An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.
- Bill No. 77, An Act to amend The Municipal Unconditional Grants Act, 1953.
- Bill No. 78, The Juvenile and Family Courts Act, 1959.
- Bill No. 97, An Act to establish the Department of Energy Resources.
- Bill No. 98, An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act, 1957.
- Bill No. 99, An Act to amend The Racing Commission Act.
- Bill No. 100, The Charitable Gifts Act, 1959.
- Bill No. 101, An Act to amend The Public Health Act.
- Bill No. 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.
- Bill No. 104, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.
- Bill No. 105, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchise Extension Act, 1958.
- Bill No. 106, An Act respecting the Operation of Community Sales of Live Stock.
- Bill No. 107, An Act to amend The Farm Products Marketing Act.
- Bill No. 108, An Act to amend The Milk Industry Act, 1957.
- Bill No. 109, An Act to amend The Ontario Water Resources Commission Act, 1957.
- Bill No. 110, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act, 1953.

Bill No. 111, An Act to amend The Department of Transport Act, 1957.

Bill No. 112, An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act.

Bill No. 113, An Act to authorize the Raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Bill No. 114, An Act to amend The Change of Name Act.

Bill No. 115, An Act to amend The Police Act.

Bill No. Pr18, An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill No. Pr30, An Act respecting the Village of Wasaga Beach.

Bill No. Pr43, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Department of Highways of the Province of Ontario for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 20.*)

Twenty-seventh Annual Report of the Department of Public Welfare for the Fiscal Year 1957-58. (*Sessional Paper No. 13.*)

The House then adjourned at 11.25 p.m.

FORTY-THIRD DAY

THURSDAY, MARCH 26TH, 1959

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Fifty-third Annual Report of the Ontario Municipal Board for the year ending December 31st, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 17.*)

First Report of the Ontario Parks Integration Board for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1957. (*Sessional Paper No. 68.*)

Second Report of the Ontario Parks Integration Board for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 68.*)

University of Toronto President's Report for the year ended June, 1958.
(*Sessional Paper No. 69.*)

Report of the Ontario Cancer Institute for the year ending December 31st,
1958. (*Sessional Paper No. 70.*)

The Prime Minister Tabled Answers to Questions as follows:—

13. *Mr. Manley*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What members of the Legislature are in receipt of emoluments, commissions, fees and so forth from government boards, commissions or agencies beyond their sessional indemnities. 2. How much has each member receiving such emoluments, commissions, fees and so forth, received in each of the years 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1958; and 3. From what source or sources.

Answer by the Prime Minister:—

F. M. Cass.....	\$2,144.42 (1958). Prior to being appointed Minister of Highways.	Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission (2nd Vice-Chairman)
W. H. Collings..	\$10,000 per annum (1955-58)	Liquor Control Board of Ontario (Chief Commissioner)
R. Connell.....	\$ 1,666.66 (part of 1956) \$10,000.00 (1957) \$ 3,666.69 (part of 1958)	*Hydro-Electric Power Commission Hydro-Electric Power Commission Hydro-Electric Power Commission (2nd Vice-Chairman)
J. W. Hanna...	\$4,500 per annum (1957-1958)	The Racing Commission
A. R. Herbert..	\$2,500 per annum (1957-1958)	Ontario Northland Transportation Commission (Vice-Chairman)
R. W. Macaulay	\$6,022.71 (part of 1958)	*Hydro-Electric Power Commission (2nd Vice-Chairman)
J. P. Robarts...	Entitled to draw \$55 per day for meetings of Commission (appointed Dec. 22, 1958)	Ontario Water Resources Commission
W. K. Warrender	\$3,731.85 (part of 1955) \$8,438.79 (part of 1956)	*Hydro-Electric Power Commission Hydro-Electric Power Commission (2nd Vice-Chairman)

*Paid in lieu of Minister's salary.
Years taken as fiscal years.

14. *Mr. Reaume*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lawyer members of the cabinet still carry on private law practice. 2. What are the names of the firms of which they are members. 3. How many estates did these firms handle with the Succession Duties Branch of the Treasury Department in each of the years 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958. 4. What was the original assessment of succession duty tax due on the estate of the late J. S. MacLean. 5. Was this assessment reduced. 6. How much was ultimately paid. 7. Who authorized the reduction.

Answer by the Prime Minister:—

(1) The rule as regards professional practice in law or any other capacity was stated by the Prime Minister on February 9th, 1959, as follows:

“A Minister who, prior to assuming office under the Crown, was engaged in professional practice, should cease to carry on the daily routine work of the firm or to take an active part in its ordinary business. He should not be required, however, to dissolve his partnership, or to allow his annual practising certificate to lapse, nor should he be precluded from continuing to advise in matters of family trusts, guardianships and similar matters of a personal nature.”

(2) Not available, and in any event not relevant.

(3) See 1.

(4) See Section 43, Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 378.

(5) See 4.

(6) See 4.

(7) See 4.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed, and after some time the Amendment,

That the Motion “That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into Committee of Supply” be amended by adding thereto the following words:—

But this House regrets that the Budget:

1. Is misleading because of the manner of presenting the province's total business in two sets of accounts, one for ordinary and one for capital.
2. Makes no provision for an adequate winter employment assistance programme.
3. Shows no plan of orderly debt retirement for a provincial debt that is increasing at an ever-faster rate.

4. Demonstrates no vigorous demand for the calling of a Dominion-Provincial conference to negotiate reallocation of responsibilities and revenues.
5. Does not plan a provincial-municipal conference for the reallocation of responsibilities and revenues.
6. Does not provide the funds required to carry out the suggestions of the Throne Speech concerning scholarships and development of the north.
7. Does not provide for financial assistance to agriculture in the form of extended credits for farm loans and development of storage and marketing facilities.
8. Does not make provision for the extension of services in the field of hospital and health insurance.

having been put, was lost on the following Division:—

YEAS

Gisborn	Nixon	Thomas
Innes	Oliver	Wintermeyer
MacDonald	Reaume	Worton
Manley	Spence	Wren—12.

NAYS

Allan (Haldimand-Norfolk)	Fullerton	Mackenzie
Allen (Middlesex South)	Gomme	MacNaughton
Auld	Goodfellow	Mapledoram
Beckett	Graham	Monaghan
Belisle	Griesinger	Morin
Boyer	Grossman	Morningstar
Brunelle	Guindon	Morrow
Cass	Hall	Murdoch
Cathcart	Hanna	Myers
Cecile	Herbert	McNeil
Chaput	Jackson	Nickle
Child	Janes	Noden
Collings	Johnston (Parry Sound)	Parry
Connell	Johnston (Simcoe Centre)	Phillips
Cowling	Johnston (Carleton)	Price (Hastings East)
Daley	Jolley	Price (St. David)
Dunbar	Kerr	Rankin
Dunlop	Lavergne	Robarts
Dymond	Lawrence	Roberts
Edwards	Letherby	Root
Fishleigh	Lewis	Rowntree
Foote	Lyons	Sandercock
Frost (Victoria)	Macaulay	Scott
		Spooner

NAYS—Continued

Stewart (Middlesex North)	Sutton Wardrope	Yaremko—77.
Stewart (Parkdale)	Warrender Whitney	

The main Motion having then been put, was declared to be carried.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960, the following sum:—

514. To defray the expenses of the Hospital Services Commission of Ontario.....	\$26,255,000.00
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Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received forthwith.

Mr. Murdoch, from the Committee of Supply, reported the following Resolutions which were concurred in by the House:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following supplementary amounts and to defray the expenses of the Government Departments named, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1959:—

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:

Special Grants.....	\$ 1,125,000.00
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH:

Special Grants.....	5,317,000.00
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DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS:

Highway Construction Account.....	25,000,000.00
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DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:

Main Office.....	5,000,000.00
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT:

Main Office.....	1,000,000.00
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—and—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Government Departments named, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1960:—

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:

Main Office.....	\$ 345,600.00
Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Branch.....	1,012,300.00
Dairy Branch.....	575,700.00
Extension Branch.....	2,338,500.00
Farm Economics and Statistics Branch.....	271,000.00
Farm Labour Service Branch.....	30,000.00
Field Crops Branch.....	212,500.00
Information Branch.....	264,000.00
Live Stock Branch.....	1,318,000.00
Markets Branch.....	556,700.00
Demonstration Farm, New Liskeard.....	42,000.00
Strathclair Farm, Sault Ste. Marie.....	26,300.00
Horticultural Experiment Station, Vineland.....	380,000.00
Kemptville Agricultural School.....	438,300.00
Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.....	4,853,000.00
Macdonald Institute, Guelph.....	303,500.00
Ontario Veterinary College, Guelph.....	1,732,600.00
Western Ontario Agricultural School and Experimental Farm, Ridgetown.....	315,000.00
Ontario Junior Farmer Loan Branch.....	191,000.00
The Ontario Telephone Authority.....	110,000.00
Main Office.....	885,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL:

Main Office.....	409,000.00
Legislative Counsel and Registrar of Regulations.....	173,000.00
Traffic Safety Program.....	60,000.00
Judges' Staff—Supreme Court of Ontario.....	84,000.00
Master—Supreme Court of Ontario.....	105,000.00
Registrar—Supreme Court of Ontario.....	173,000.00
Supreme Court Reporters.....	175,000.00
Master of Titles.....	228,000.00
Director of Titles.....	41,000.00
Laboratory.....	190,000.00
Probation Services.....	1,021,000.00
Fire Marshal.....	562,000.00
Ontario Securities Commission.....	234,000.00
Inspector of Legal Offices.....	2,769,000.00
Criminal Justice Accounts.....	1,083,000.00
Ontario Provincial Police.....	12,414,000.00
Official Guardian.....	321,000.00
Public Trustee.....	736,000.00
Accountant—Supreme Court of Ontario.....	43,000.00
Administration of County Courts.....	18,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS:

Main Office.....	360,000.00
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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:

Main Office and General Departmental Expenses.....	562,000.00
Elementary Education Branch.....	3,136,000.00

Secondary Education Branch.....	\$ 3,796,000.00
Teacher Education Branch.....	2,832,000.00
Professional Development Branch.....	128,000.00
Special Educational Services Branch.....	1,818,000.00
Registrar's Branch.....	1,233,000.00
Curriculum and Text-Books Branch.....	59,000.00
Other Educational Services.....	697,000.00
Dominion-Provincial Agreements.....	100,000.00
Scholarships, Bursaries, etc.....	1,215,000.00
Legislative Grants, etc.....	151,047,000.00
Miscellaneous Grants.....	268,000.00
Grants to Provincial and Other Universities, etc.....	23,865,000.00
Teachers' Superannuation, etc.....	4,000.00
Main Office.....	3,000,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH:

Main Office.....	2,943,300.00
Health Units Branch.....	1,058,700.00
Public Health Nursing Branch.....	70,500.00
Maternal and Child Health Branch.....	118,000.00
Dental Service Branch.....	66,100.00
Nursing Branch.....	285,600.00
Epidemiological Branch.....	790,000.00
Venereal Diseases Control Branch.....	49,000.00
Tuberculosis Prevention Branch.....	6,872,300.00
Industrial Hygiene Branch.....	576,000.00
Environmental Sanitation Branch.....	146,800.00
Laboratory Branch.....	2,133,000.00
Mental Health Branch.....	39,796,700.00
Hospital Services Commission of Ontario.....	26,255,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS:

Main Office.....	3,513,000.00
Maintenance—King's Highways and Other Roads.....	70,715,000.00
Highway Construction Account.....	15,000,000.00
Construction and other Capital Projects.....	147,007,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE:

Main Office.....	415,000.00
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DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR:

Main Office.....	625,000.00
Industry and Labour Board.....	299,000.00
Apprenticeship Branch.....	638,000.00
Boiler Inspection Branch.....	299,000.00
Factory Inspection Branch.....	84,000.00
Board of Examiners of Operating Engineers.....	88,000.00
Minimum Wage Branch.....	19,000.00
Composite Inspection Branch.....	417,000.00
Labour Relations Board.....	218,000.00
Office of Athletics Commission.....	46,000.00
Elevator Inspection Branch.....	103,000.00
Industry and Labour Board.....	14,000,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND FORESTS:

Main Office.....	\$ 2,205,900.00
Surveys Branch.....	323,000.00
Basic Organization—District Offices.....	17,475,000.00
Extra Fire Fighting.....	875,000.00
Public Information and Education Re (1) Fire Prevention, (2) Fish and Wildlife, (3) Reforestation, (4) Timber Management.....	202,000.00
Air Service Branch.....	1,205,000.00
Grants.....	22,100.00
Wolf and Bear Bounty.....	72,000.00
Parks Improvements.....	3,500,000.00
Ontario Fuel Board.....	368,000.00
Basic Organization.....	1,600,000.00

OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR:

Office of Lieutenant-Governor.....	21,000.00
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DEPARTMENT OF MINES:

Main Office.....	462,000.00
Geological Branch.....	330,000.00
Mines Inspection Branch.....	248,000.00
Laboratories Branch.....	206,000.00
Sulphur Fumes Arbitrator.....	26,000.00
Mining Lands Branch.....	334,000.00
Main Office.....	1,500,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:

Main Office.....	33,370,000.00
Ontario Municipal Board.....	339,000.00
Main Office.....	1,000,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT:

Main Office.....	310,000.00
Civil Defence Branch.....	393,000.00
Community Planning Branch.....	430,000.00
Conservation Branch.....	750,000.00
Housing Branch.....	3,173,000.00
Ontario House.....	210,000.00
Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission.....	2,860,000.00
Trade and Industry Branch.....	1,026,000.00
Conservation Branch.....	3,000,000.00
Housing Branch.....	6,500,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF PRIME MINISTER:

Main Office.....	81,000.00
Cabinet Office.....	63,000.00

OFFICE OF PROVINCIAL AUDITOR:

Office of Provincial Auditor.....	421,000.00
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DEPARTMENT OF PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:

Main Office.....	\$ 1,056,600.00
Office of The Speaker.....	43,400.00
Clerk of The Legislative Assembly and Chief Election Officer	96,200.00
Queen's Printer.....	185,000.00
Registrar-General's Branch.....	679,000.00
Sessional Requirements.....	804,000.00
Civil Service Commission.....	371,800.00
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....	110,000.00
Post Office.....	551,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE:

Main Office.....	6,193,000.00
Child Welfare Branch.....	5,134,000.00
Day Nurseries Branch.....	256,000.00
Field Services Branch.....	1,172,000.00
General Welfare Assistance Branch.....	6,734,000.00
Homes for the Aged Branch.....	2,351,000.00
Welfare Allowances Branch.....	27,164,000.00
Welfare Allowances Branch.....	12,581,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS:

Main Office.....	1,530,000.00
Ontario Government Buildings.....	7,178,000.00
Leased Premises.....	1,050,000.00
Maintenance of Locks, Bridges, Dams and Docks, etc.....	150,000.00
Aid to Drainage.....	540,000.00
Ontario Water Resources Commission.....	1,494,000.00
Miscellaneous.....	255,000.00
Public Buildings.....	52,000,000.00
Dams, Docks and Drainage Works.....	970,000.00
Ontario Water Resources Commission.....	26,500,000.00
Miscellaneous.....	165,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF REFORM INSTITUTIONS:

Main Office.....	1,326,000.00
Board of Parole.....	107,000.00
Institutions (Ontario Reformatories, Industrial Farms, Training Schools and District Jails).....	14,611,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT:

Main Office.....	413,000.00
Ontario Highway Transport Board.....	104,000.00
Highway Safety Branch.....	510,000.00
Motor Vehicles Administration.....	3,554,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF TRAVEL AND PUBLICITY:

Main Office.....	120,000.00
Division of Publicity.....	792,000.00
Development Branch.....	283,000.00

Information Branch.....	\$ 246,000.00
Photography Branch.....	121,000.00
Historical Branch.....	82,000.00
Theatres Branch.....	120,000.00

TREASURY DEPARTMENT:

Main Office and Public Debt.....	551,000.00
Comptroller of Revenue.....	2,126,000.00
Ontario Racing Commission.....	172,000.00
Tabulating Branch.....	159,000.00
Housing Mortgage.....	49,000.00

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee on Ways and Means.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted out of The Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province a sum not exceeding eight hundred and seventy million, nine hundred and ten thousand dollars to meet the supply to that extent granted to Her Majesty.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Murdoch reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received forthwith and adopted.

The following Bill was then introduced and read the first time:—

Bill No. 116, An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money for the Public Service for the fiscal years ending the 31st day of March, 1959, and the 31st day of March, 1960. *Mr. Allan* (Haldimand-Norfolk).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the third time and was passed.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and, being seated upon the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:—

“May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sittings thereof passed several Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour’s Assent.”

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Bills that had passed as follows:

“The following are the titles of the Bills to which Your Honour’s Assent is prayed:—

Bill No. Pr1, An Act respecting The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ontario of The Anglican Church of Canada.

Bill No. Pr2, An Act respecting The Ontario Threshermen’s Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Bill No. Pr3, An Act respecting the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill No. Pr5, An Act respecting the Township of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr6, An Act to incorporate York University.

Bill No. Pr7, An Act respecting the Estate of the Honourable George Taylor Fulford.

Bill No. Pr9, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Timmins.

Bill No. Pr10, An Act respecting The Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr11, An Act respecting the Township of Alfred.

Bill No. Pr12, An Act respecting the City of Belleville.

Bill No. Pr15, An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens.

Bill No. Pr16, An Act respecting the City of Peterborough.

Bill No. Pr17, An Act respecting Université d’Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr18, An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill No. Pr20, An Act respecting The Corporation of the Synod of Hamilton and London of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Bill No. Pr21, An Act respecting the Town of Chesley.

Bill No. Pr23, An Act respecting the Township of Michipicoten.

Bill No. Pr24, An Act respecting the Town of Bowmanville.

Bill No. Pr25, An Act respecting the Township of North York.

Bill No. Pr26, An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill No. Pr27, An Act respecting The Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Quebec.

Bill No. Pr28, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill No. Pr30, An Act respecting the Village of Wasaga Beach.

Bill No. Pr31, An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Bill No. Pr32, An Act respecting the Royal Military College of Canada.

Bill No. Pr33, An Act respecting the City of Guelph.

Bill No. Pr35, An Act respecting the Township of Stamford.

Bill No. Pr36, An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur.

Bill No. Pr37, An Act respecting the Town of Mount Forest.

Bill No. Pr38, An Act respecting the City of Kingston and Queen's University at Kingston.

Bill No. Pr40, An Act respecting the City of Woodstock.

Bill No. Pr41, An Act respecting the Village of Cayuga.

Bill No. Pr42, An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate School Board of the City of Sault Ste. Marie.

Bill No. Pr43, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill No. 1, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Statutes.

Bill No. 2, An Act to amend The Public Schools Act.

Bill No. 3, An Act to amend The Schools Administration Act, 1954.

Bill No. 4, An Act to amend The Secondary Schools and Boards of Education Act, 1954.

Bill No. 5, An Act to amend The Trade Schools Regulation Act.

Bill No. 6, An Act to amend The Air Pollution Control Act, 1958.

Bill No. 7, An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act.

Bill No. 8, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act.

Bill No. 10, An Act to amend The Coroners Act.

Bill No. 11, An Act to amend The Crown Witnesses Act.

- Bill No. 12, An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act.
- Bill No. 13, An Act to amend The Insurance Act.
- Bill No. 14, An Act to amend The Jurors Act.
- Bill No. 15, An Act to amend The Lightning Rods Act.
- Bill No. 16, An Act to amend The Loan and Trust Corporations Act.
- Bill No. 17, An Act to amend The Magistrates Act, 1952.
- Bill No. 18, An Act to amend The Mental Incompetency Act.
- Bill No. 19, An Act to amend The Private Investigators Act, 1958.
- Bill No. 20, An Act to amend The Training Schools Act.
- Bill No. 21, An Act to amend The Provincial Land Tax Act.
- Bill No. 22, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Wilderness Areas.
- Bill No. 23, An Act to amend The Highway Improvement Act, 1957.
- Bill No. 24, An Act to amend The Public Libraries Act.
- Bill No. 25, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act, 1952.
- Bill No. 26, An Act to amend The Forestry Act, 1952.
- Bill No. 27, An Act to amend The Provincial Parks Act, 1958.
- Bill No. 28, An Act to amend The Department of Travel and Publicity Act.
- Bill No. 29, An Act to amend The Archaeological and Historic Sites Protection Act, 1953.
- Bill No. 30, An Act to amend The Teachers' Superannuation Act.
- Bill No. 31, An Act to amend The Public Lands Act.
- Bill No. 32, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Regulations.
- Bill No. 33, The Bulk Sales Act, 1959.
- Bill No. 34, An Act to amend The Alcoholism Research Foundation Act, 1949.
- Bill No. 35, An Act to amend The Children's Boarding Homes Act, 1957.
- Bill No. 36, An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act.

Bill No. 37, An Act to amend The Rainbow Bridge Act, 1941.

Bill No. 38, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.

Bill No. 39, An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.

Bill No. 41, An Act to amend The Public Service Act.

Bill No. 42, An Act to provide for the Implementation of the Recommendations of the Report of the Fauteux Committee.

Bill No. 45, An Act to amend The Dog Tax and the Cattle, Sheep and Poultry Protection Act.

Bill No. 46, An Act to amend The Agricultural Societies Act.

Bill No. 47, An Act to amend The Community Centres Act.

Bill No. 48, An Act to amend The Credit Unions Act, 1953.

Bill No. 49, An Act to amend The Investment Contracts Act.

Bill No. 50, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Bill No. 51, An Act to amend The Probation Act.

Bill No. 52, The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1959.

Bill No. 53, An Act to amend The Wills Act.

Bill No. 54, An Act to amend The Planning Act, 1955.

Bill No. 55, An Act to amend The Conservation Authorities Act.

Bill No. 57, An Act to amend The Vital Statistics Act.

Bill No. 58, An Act to amend The Theatres Act, 1953.

Bill No. 59, An Act to amend The Department of Agriculture Act.

Bill No. 60, An Act to provide for the Confirmation of Boundaries of Lands.

Bill No. 61, An Act to amend The Deserted Wives' and Children's Maintenance Act.

Bill No. 62, An Act to amend The Regulations Act.

Bill No. 63, An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

Bill No. 64, An Act to extend the Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court to vary Trusts in the Interests of Beneficiaries and sanction Dealings with Trust Property.

Bill No. 65, An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill No. 67, An Act to amend The Ontario Parks Integration Board Act, 1956.

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Bill No. 86, An Act to amend The University of Toronto Act, 1947.

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Bill No. 89, An Act to declare the Status of Crown Agencies.

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Bill No. 91, An Act to amend The Game and Fisheries Act.

Bill No. 92, An Act to amend The Forest Fires Prevention Act.

- Bill No. 93, An Act to amend The Public Vehicles Act.
- Bill No. 94, An Act to amend The Power Commission Act.
- Bill No. 95, An Act to amend The General Welfare Assistance Act, 1958.
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- Bill No. 102, An Act to amend The Ontario-St. Lawrence Development Commission Act, 1955.
- Bill No. 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.
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- Bill No. 109, An Act to amend The Ontario Water Resources Commission Act, 1957.
- Bill No. 110, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act, 1953.
- Bill No. 111, An Act to amend The Department of Transport Act, 1957.
- Bill No. 112, An Act to amend The Farm Products Grades and Sales Act.
- Bill No. 113, An Act to authorize the Raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.
- Bill No. 114, An Act to amend The Change of Name Act.
- Bill No. 115, An Act to amend The Police Act."

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

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

Mr. Speaker then said:—

May it please Your Honour:

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and faithful subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Session assembled, approach Your Honour with sentiments of unfeigned devotion and loyalty to Her Majesty's person and Government, and humbly beg to present for Your Honour's acceptance a Bill intituled, "An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money for the Public Service for the fiscal years ending the 31st day of March, 1959, and the 31st day of March, 1960".

To this Act the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

"The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor doth thank Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, accept their benevolence and assent to this Bill in Her Majesty's name."

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to deliver the following gracious speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario:

With the conclusion of these remarks, the Fifth Session of the Twenty-fifth Legislature of Ontario will be brought to a close. It will then be a matter of history. But the decisions made and the actions authorized at this Session will have enduring value. They will operate in many ways to encourage industrial expansion, to enhance the opportunities for education and employment and to strengthen individual and family security.

As in the past, you have been confronted with numerous problems arising from the exceptionally rapid growth of this Province and the special needs that are associated with the complex age in which we live. For your conscientious devotion to the affairs of the Province, and for your industry and diligence, I thank you.

Recognizing the need for maintaining an environment which assures high levels of employment, prosperity and well-being, you have authorized the expenditure of record sums for the construction of physical assets and the expansion and improvement of Provincial services. A full program of services in support of the education, health, industry and the general betterment of our people has been implemented without the imposition of additional taxation. On the contrary, you have effected reductions in succession duties. The Corporations Act has been adjusted to make it correspond with certain revisions in the Federal law. You have also clarified the position of Provincial crown agencies by passing legislation designating them to be crown agencies and therefore exempt from Federal taxation on their purchases.

During the Session, it was announced that the Government would participate fully in the new conference to be convened on Federal-Provincial tax-sharing arrangements and the Canadian tax structure. We are confident that a just and realistic settlement of this difficult problem will be achieved. We will continue to work earnestly and vigorously for a just share of the direct tax fields and for the repeal of the Federal estate tax.

Once again, to strengthen the financial capacity and vitality of our local authorities, you have approved a substantial increase in the Province's assistance to municipalities. For the first time in history, our grants exceed \$300 million. In the next fiscal year, a total of \$310 million will be paid to the municipalities, school boards and other local agencies—a fifteenfold increase in the last decade and a half. During these years, an ever-larger proportion of our revenues has been channelled to local government. This speaks eloquently of our efforts to improve the standards of local services and to give relief to the local taxpayer. Not only have we expanded our assistance, particularly for education, roads and general purposes, but this year we have introduced a new grant to reimburse municipalities for their expenditures on behalf of indigent patients in hospitals. The Unconditional Grants Act and The Municipal Act have been amended to authorize these payments. The Municipal Act has also been amended to permit the wife of an owner or tenant to be elected a member of council.

The Assessment Act has been clarified and modernized while The Power Commission Act has been amended to provide for the payment of grants in lieu of taxes in municipalities in which there are Ontario Hydro generation or distribution facilities. Considerable other legislation, designed to improve administration and the sound development of our municipalities, was also approved. For example, The Municipal Franchise Extension Act was amended to provide for the making of voters' lists by assessors and by registration instead of by enumeration.

The three-year plan for the development of a new educational grants system is being implemented with marked success. This year, five improvements are being made in the grants structure to assist local education. Commencing last January 1, the approved cost of industrial arts shops, home economics classrooms, cafeterias, gymnasiums and all-purpose rooms, as well as basements used as all-purpose rooms, will be included in the cost basis for computing the grants to be paid to school boards. Grants will also be paid on the approved cost of land acquired for school purposes. In addition, the Government's grants will be based on an approved cost that has been raised to \$25,000 per classroom in secondary schools. In the coming fiscal year a thorough study will be undertaken of the established concepts of approved school costs.

Higher education in Ontario will benefit from increased grants to universities. Of even greater import to individuals is the revision in our student aid system: those with high standing in Grade 13 examinations will be granted Ontario scholarships to encourage them to pursue advanced studies. At the same time the existing bursary program has been expanded and a much larger appropriation has been made for individual awards. An estimated 4,000 students will receive scholarships or bursaries, double the number assisted last year.

For the first time in history, the Province's expenditure on education will exceed the \$200 million mark, while grants to local school boards have been raised to nearly \$150 million, double their level just four years ago.

You voted larger sums for the operation of technological schools and schools for retarded, blind and deaf children. Once again you made a special contribution of \$1 million to the Teachers' Superannuation Fund in addition to the sum which constitutes the Province's normal payment to this fund. The establishment of county or inter-municipal public libraries was facilitated. Stricter regulation of safety factors in trade schools was authorized.

You voted funds to finance the most decisive advance ever accomplished in Ontario's public health program—the Hospital Insurance Plan—which went into full operation on January 1st last. You hastened the construction of additional accommodation in all types of hospitals across the Province.

In the field of mental health, promising developments are to occur in Ontario over the next few years. You were apprised of plans to enlarge out-patient facilities and to transform treatment services within the mental hospitals, to the end that curable patients may be returned to normal life as rapidly as possible. There will be major advances in the prevention and treatment of alcoholism. The Air Pollution Control Act has been strengthened.

You authorized substantial appropriations to relieve the handicapped, the disabled, the unemployed, the aged and the unfortunate. The establishment of homes for the aged in communities in Northern Ontario was facilitated.

The report of the Select Committee on Labour Relations was presented to the Legislature. In order to expedite the work of the Labour Relations Board, you authorized the appointment of additional deputy vice-chairmen so that the Board may sit in more than two divisions.

Close attention was paid to matters of good citizenship. The Provincial Secretary has created a citizenship branch which will help new Canadians adjust themselves to Ontario's way of life. Efforts are being made to give our Indian population a larger role in the economic and social life of the Province. Indian councils are to be accorded the status of municipal councils in matters coming within the purview of The General Welfare Assistance Act. The Ontario Anti-Discrimination Commission has been established and it has embarked upon a campaign against discrimination.

Your awareness of the absolutely essential part which highways play in the economic life of the Province was never more clearly demonstrated than at this Session of the Legislature. You authorized an unprecedented expenditure for the construction and maintenance of highways and roads, both Provincial and municipal. Embodied in amendments to The Highway Improvement Act was a substantial measure of relief for traffic congestion in the rapidly developing urban centres of Ontario. You improved the system of Provincial contributions for development roads.

My Ministers propose to confer with representatives of the Western Provinces on a reciprocal trucking agreement which will ensure that Western Canada's shipping business remains in Canadian hands, via Port Arthur and Fort William.

The jobs and incomes of thousands of Ontario people are dependent upon the record-breaking, billion-dollar construction program which you implemented this year. Projects and works of every description have been undertaken by the Province and the municipalities, and their respective boards and commissions. This program not only adds to Ontario's wealth of physical capital and meets today's pressing requirements but it also constitutes the indispensable framework which will support tomorrow's prosperity.

In co-operation with the Federal and municipal governments, the Province has undertaken the construction of numerous special works designed to provide winter employment and to create useful facilities in the municipalities and the northern parts of the Province. In response to our formal request, the Federal Government has extended from April 30 to May 31 the period during which it will contribute to these projects.

In addition to providing funds for highway modernization, which itself reduces accident hazards, you authorized an intensified traffic safety campaign. The new points system, which has been in trial operation, will soon become fully operative. You amended The Highway Traffic Act in order to improve safety features, facilitate traffic flow, and ensure the reporting of traffic convictions. In addition, urbanized townships were given the right to prescribe 30-mile per hour speed zones. Speed limits throughout the Province are to be readjusted in accordance with the dictates of good traffic management and safety.

Plans for the fuller realization of Northern Ontario's bright promise received your attention. The establishment of a tidewater port at Moosonee, together with an airport, was announced. They will open a path to the vast mineral-rich territories which bound Hudson and James Bays. The construction of mining, logging and community access roads has been stepped up, while main traffic arteries are being greatly expanded and improved. A new policy which seeks a more systematic and permanent development of northern agricultural lands has been inaugurated.

You authorized the establishment of the new Department of Energy Resources, which, exclusive of Ontario Hydro, will study and deal with various phases of energy and power production and distribution in Ontario. Numbered among its responsibilities will be the establishment of standards and conditions and the supervision of safety aspects relating to natural and manufactured gas. It will give special attention to the utilization of uranium for electric power generation and for other peacetime purposes.

Agriculture income last year was at a record level, and many improvements are being made. However, to better assure the continuing growth and prosperity of this essential industry, a committee of inquiry has been set up to study and report on ways and means of promoting the production and effective marketing of Ontario's agricultural commodities in relation to changing marketing methods and consumer tastes.

Steps were taken to improve farm marketing machinery, to strengthen dairy marketing plans and to protect both buyers and sellers at community livestock sales. Through The Department of Agriculture Act, you authorized the formulation of programs to encourage any branch of agricultural activity. In order

to diminish the hazards associated with farming, a comprehensive safety program has been undertaken.

Under the aegis of the Parks Integration Board, fresh advances have been made in the development of a chain of parks across the length and breadth of Ontario. It is anticipated that in this way, large park areas will be acquired and preserved in perpetuity for the enjoyment of the Ontario people and as an attraction to tourists. Authority was also given to the Province to pay municipalities one-half of the cost of acquiring and establishing parks and camp sites in rural areas.

Natural resource development and conservation continued to receive a major part of your attention. Under The Wilderness Areas Act, large tracts of virgin territory will be reserved for the use and enjoyment of the public. You have enacted legislation which assists municipalities and conservation authorities to acquire lands for reforestation. You have empowered the Government to prohibit the sale of crown lands in specified areas in order that proper programs of land use planning might be developed. Changes in The Mining Act have been approved to facilitate claim staking and development. At the same time, you have provided for the maintenance of greater safety in the operation of quarries.

Funds were voted to the Ontario Water Resources Commission for a substantial enlargement of its waterworks construction and pollution abatement program. Aided by Provincial contributions, conservation authorities are carrying out flood control projects at a number of sites across the Province.

The implementation of the penal reform recommendations of the Fauteux Committee was approved. The result will be a sweeping transformation of the Provincial penal system in which the emphasis will be entirely upon rehabilitation. Certain of the responsibilities and reform institutions of the Province will be turned over to the Federal Government. In anticipation of broad changes in the methods of handling offenders, you have augmented the Provincial probation services.

A substantial increase in general welfare services was authorized. Steps were taken to improve the educational and employment opportunities for Indians. The General Welfare Assistance Act has been amended to enable the councils of Indian bands to function in the same way as the councils of municipalities in all matters relating to the several forms of assistance dealt with under the Act.

Several measures which facilitate the work of the courts have been passed. The compensation payable to witnesses and jurors has been increased. The Juvenile and Family Courts Act has been completely revised. The Supreme Court has been empowered to make such adjustments in the administration of trusts as are necessitated by changing business practices and economic conditions. Several other acts have been revised to bring them into line with modern conditions. Among these are The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, The Charitable Gifts Act and The Insurance Act. You have modernized The Loan and Trust Corporations Act and broadened the scope of credit unions.

Amendments to The Planning Act have been made to reinforce control over planning and building across Ontario in accordance with local conditions.

A new act, The Boundaries Act, has been passed to provide an expeditious method of fixing the boundaries of lands.

A revision of the Statutes and Regulations of Ontario has been authorized and it is expected that this revision will be completed by the end of 1960.

In order to achieve the most efficient operation within the Government service, the methods of selection and recruitment in the Civil Service have been improved and a program of in-service training and development has been authorized. A full-time secretary to the Civil Service Joint Advisory Council has been appointed to perform the administrative work of the Council and to coordinate that of all the departmental Councils. A Minister of the Government will also be assigned to review these matters. Appreciation is expressed to the members of the Civil Service for their industry and the faithful discharge of their responsibilities.

Thanks is expressed to the members of the Select Committee on Labour Relations who completed and delivered their Report during the past Session and to those of the various Standing Committees of the House.

The year 1959 gives promise of sound economic growth. Each passing month reveals fresh evidence of expansion. Virtually all economic barometers are rising, some rapidly. The new measures that you have enacted and the action you have authorized to be taken at this Session support this expansion. They help achieve that kind of economic climate that is so favourable to industrial expansion and the creation of new employment opportunities and that brings ever-higher living standards and security for our people.

We look forward to the visit in June of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II, and Prince Philip. When Her Majesty opens the St. Lawrence Seaway, the people of Ontario will rejoice in the opportunity of again showing their loyal devotion to the Queen of Canada.

In proroguing this Session, I pray that Divine Providence may guide you and bless you.

The Provincial Secretary then said:—

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:

It is the will and pleasure of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued and this Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

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APPENDIX

Resolutions Submitted to the
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RECOMMENDATIONS

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1. (No. 59-1-G3) GAME MEAT CARE:

It has been brought to our attention that a great deal of meat is lost or wasted annually through hunters not knowing the proper method of skinning, cleaning and butchering of Moose and Deer.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.
(Mr. Lee Saunders)

Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests print and issue with each Big Game Licence a simple pamphlet describing the correct techniques of skinning, cleaning and butchering of Moose and Deer.

2. (No. 59-2-G4) COTTAGE SITES:

Whereas the new legislation planned by the Ontario Department of Lands and Forests, and introduced by Honourable Clare E. Mapledoram, which provides for the sale of public lands, especially cottage sites, under a calling of tenders or auction system, would tend to discriminate against persons of ordinary means and definitely give preference of the choice sites to those with big money.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.
(Mr. Lee Saunders)

Be it resolved that the present system under which public lands are disposed of under a first come, first served basis, be retained.

3. (No. 59-6-G5) BACK BADGE:

To assist in creating better farmer-sportsmen relationship, and as an easier means of identification.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.
(Mr. Lee Saunders)

Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests issue a back badge with every hunting licence issued in the Province of Ontario. The said back badge number to correspond with that on the hunting licence. That the size of the badge be adequate for easy identification and be acceptable to the Department of Lands and Forests. That this back badge must be worn by a hunter at all times while hunting.

4. (No. 59-6-G6) PENALTIES:

Be it resolved that any person convicted of shooting Pheasants out of season in the Province of Ontario be fined a minimum of not less than \$50.00, with a maximum to be set by the Department.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

5. (No. 59-1-G7—No. 59-1-G8) ACCESS ROADS:

In the interest of good fish and wildlife management The Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters have repeatedly asked for legislation to open access roads into leased timber limits of various lumber and pulp and paper companies. These limits are owned by the

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

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Crown in the name of the Province of Ontario, and are part of properties belonging to the people of Ontario. The leasing of the lands for lumber and pulp purposes does not give the lessee control of the game and fish found on or in these leases.

Be it resolved that access roads into lumber and pulp leases be opened to the general public for hunting and fishing.

Two examples of closed access roads that tend to waste game and fish are:

1. The access road of the Ontario-Minnesota Pulp and Paper Company road from OM Camp 113 to OM Camp 109. The use of this road would open up the area north and west of Atikokan.
2. The access road of the J. A. Mathieu Co., from Sapawe to Richardson Lake, would open up the area north of Sapawe and northeast of Atikokan.

6. (No. 59-1-G9) GUIDES:

The discontinuance of non-resident Moose hunters having to employ guides is causing considerable unemployment among the guides of Northwestern Ontario, and quantities of meat are being left in the bush while trophies are taken out. Non-resident hunters could be better controlled if it was necessary for them to have guides.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Resolved that non-resident Moose hunters be required to employ guides as has been the policy in past seasons.

7. (No. 59-1-G10) GUIDES:

The guide law as enforced in the Rainy River District has been approved and supported throughout the District as a worthwhile conservation measure.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests retain the guide law presently in effect in the Rainy River District, as referred to in Section 22, subsection 3, of The Game and Fisheries Act.

8. (No. 59-1-G12) GUIDES:

At the present time guides in Ontario are not required to pass a proficiency test, and guide licences are issued to anyone making an application. It is felt that this practice is not good policy.

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Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests require guides to pass an experience or proficiency test for guiding hunting and fishing parties. That said guides be classified as A., B., and C.

9. (No. 59-5-G14) SANITARY CONDITIONS:

Whereas first-hand observations and various letters received describe deplorable sanitary conditions existing in many of the areas used as recognized camp sites along the popular canoe routes throughout the Province, due to the lack of garbage disposal.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests take all necessary steps to provide suitable garbage disposal facilities and that sanitation rules be posted at all camping areas.

10. (No. 59-1-F1) LAKE TROUT:

The Department of Lands and Forests have deemed it advisable to close the Lake Superior Shoal (Lat. 48 degrees, 4 minutes North and Long. 87 degrees, 5 minutes West) to commercial fishing to preserve certain species of Lake Trout inhabiting this area; this being part of the program of combatting the Sea Lamprey.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.
(Mr. V. Sutton)

Closing of this shoal and the Department's opinions in the matter appear to be justified by the increase in numbers of small Lake Trout in the waters, in and about the Slate and Leadman Island, situated approximately 40 miles north of the Lake Superior Shoal—with many of these small Trout being of the species *Salvelinus namaycush* siscowet, which is one of the species being protected by this closure.

Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests give very serious consideration to any request, whatsoever, for the resumption of commercial fishing on the Lake Superior Shoal until the predations of the Sea Lamprey have been checked; or, that the necessity of protecting any species of Lake Trout on said shoals has been decided against by the Department of Lands and Forests.

11. And be it further resolved that the Department endeavour to establish the Slate and Leadman Island groups and an appropriate area of water surrounding as a fish sanctuary to protect all species of Lake Trout in these waters, during their spawning season. Such an interval to be declared by the Department at their discretion with restrictions applying to anglers and

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commercial fishermen alike, having in mind that no commercial fishing licence is currently being worked in these waters.

12. (No. 59-1-F2) LAKE TROUT AND PICKEREL:

The body of water known as Mazokamah Bay in Nipigon Bay proper has heretofore been closed to commercial fishermen.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

It is a known fact that the Sea Lamprey are attacking other game fish in Lake Superior to the point that all game fish may soon require protection on all their spawning grounds.

Be it resolved that the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters go on record as being entirely opposed to the opening of the body of water known as Mazokamah Bay to commercial fishing for a full season, and further, should commercial fishing be allowed, the dates be so set as to provide a maximum of protection for spring spawning species, particularly Pickerel.

13. (No. 59-1-F3) LIVE BAIT:

Request for stricter enforcement of regulations relative to use of live minnows as bait.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Be it resolved:

(1) That the Department of Lands and Forests be requested to enforce to the maximum existing regulations prohibiting the importation of live bait fish into this Province, by a stricter control at all border crossings.

14. LIVE BAIT—*Continued*

(2) That a stricter control system be maintained on the types of live fish supplied to the general public by live bait dealers, with a view to reducing wherever possible the distribution of coarse fish and perch minnows to Speckled Trout waters in Ontario by innocent purchasers of live bait fish.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

15. (No. 59-2-F4) LAKE NIPISSING:

Owing to the fact that our fish populations in Lake Nipissing are decreasing at an alarming rate and the fish that are left are so much smaller than the ones caught in previous years, it is quite evident that the fish are being deprived of their natural food by commercial seining and trapping of Minnows in this lake.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

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Be it resolved that all commercial licences for seining or trapping Minnows in Lake Nipissing be cancelled immediately in order to protect the food and thereby maintain the Pickerel fishing in this lake.

16. (No. 59-6-F6) RAINBOW TROUT SPECIAL AREA:

The concentration of anglers during the extended open season for Rainbow Trout (Sept. 16th to Nov. 30th) is extremely heavy, and whereas successful anglers continue to angle until a full count is obtained for each member of their party.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Be it resolved that during the extended season for Rainbow Trout (Sept. 16th to Nov. 30th) in the waters of Norfolk County, the creel limit be set at two (2) fish per person for Rainbow Trout.

17. That the minimum size of Rainbow Trout in these waters be set at twelve (12) inches.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

18. (No. 59-6-F7) PUBLIC ACCESS:

In view of the ever-decreasing areas of stream trout fishing waters which are available to the general public in Southern Ontario due to lease, purchase or other agreements by individuals or groups of individuals, who have on many streams completely, or almost completely, barred the general public from the use of said streams,

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

And in view of the fact that most streams in Southern Ontario are in need of stream improvement work, which cannot be successfully accomplished unless the control of such streams is guaranteed for a substantial number of years.

Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests take the necessary action to secure the rights to at least fifty feet of land adjoining each bank of suitable trout streams in Southern Ontario, said lands to be in keeping with the amount of such areas as are necessary for the use of the general public.

19. LAKE TROUT SEASON:

Whereas it is considered that the closing date of October 15th for angling Lake Trout in the north-eastern section of Ontario proved to be satisfactory during 1956, 1957 and 1958.

Northern Ontario Tourist Outfitters' Association.
(Mr. Bob Giles)

Therefore be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests be requested to continue open season for angling lake trout, from January 1st to October 15th in north-eastern Ontario.

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20. COMMERCIAL FISHING:

Whereas it is known that game fish angling in PAK-WASH, BRUCE, GULLROCK, and RED LAKE, in the Patricia portion of the District of Kenora, has deteriorated to an alarming degree; and

Northern Ontario
Tourist Outfitters'
Association.

Whereas BRUCE and PAKWASH lakes are shallow and are known to be the spawning ground for the Northerns and Walleyes in this area.

Therefore be it resolved that recommendations be made to the Department of Lands and Forests that lakes in this area, which are accessible by road, be set aside for angling.

21. And be it further resolved that any lake to be commercially fished, be surveyed by a government biologist, in the interests of conservation.

Northern Ontario
Tourist Outfitters'
Association.

22. And be it further resolved that if it should be decided that there is a need for commercial fishing in any of these lakes, it should be done only with pound nets, this being with the idea that it be possible to release any fish in excess of the legal 5% of game fish.

Northern Ontario
Tourist Outfitters'
Association.

23. FISHING WITH TIP-UPS:

Whereas fishing through the ice in winter with tip-ups is prohibited in Ontario; and

Northern Ontario
Tourist Outfitters'
Association.

Whereas ice fishing is gaining tremendously in popularity in northwestern Ontario; and

Whereas it is too cold in northwestern Ontario to stand for any length of time holding a fishing line;

Therefore be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests be requested to allow one tip-up from daylight to dark only.

24. PICKEREL SEASON IN SUDBURY AND GOGAMA DISTRICTS:

Whereas the Pickerel season in Kenora, Rainy River and Thunder Bay Districts is opened on May 15th; and

Northern Ontario
Tourist Outfitters'
Association.

Whereas the climatic conditions are similar in the above mentioned Districts as in the Sudbury and Gogama Districts.

Therefore be it resolved that the Pickerel season be opened on May 15th in the Sudbury and Gogama Districts.

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25. LAKE TROUT SEASON:

Supports Recommendation No. 19 submitted by the Northern Ontario Tourist Outfitters' Association.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

26. Supports Recommendation No. 22 by the Northern Ontario Tourist Outfitters' Association, provided that "and trap nets" be inserted after "pound nets" to read as follows:

Ontario Council of Commercial Fisheries.
(Dr. A. O. Blackhurst)

And be it further resolved that if it should be decided that there is a need for commercial fishing in any of these lakes, it should be done only with pound "and trap" nets, this being with the idea that it be possible to release any fish in excess of the legal 5% of game fish.

27. Supports Recommendation No. 13, provided that the word "fish" be deleted, to read as follows:

Ontario Council of Commercial Fisheries.

Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests be requested to enforce to the maximum existing regulations prohibiting the importation of live bait into this Province by a stricter control at all border crossings.

28. Supports Recommendation No. 14, provided that the word "fish" be deleted, to read as follows:

Ontario Council of Commercial Fisheries.

That a stricter control system be maintained on the types of live bait supplied to the general public by live bait dealers, with a view to reducing wherever possible the distribution of coarse fish and perch minnows to speckled trout waters in Ontario by innocent purchasers of live bait.

29. INFRACTION OF FISH AND GAME LAWS:

Whereas there are many cases of infraction each year of our fish and game laws; and

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

Whereas in many of these cases the local magistrates do not look upon such misdemeanors as too serious an offence;

Therefore be it resolved that proper steps or action be taken by the committee on fish and wildlife to substantially increase the minimum penalties in our laws for any such infractions committed.

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30. SURVEY AND RE-STOCK THE NEW LAKE

ST. LAWRENCE:

Whereas the completion and flooding of Lake St. Lawrence is now a reality; and

Conservation Council
of Stormont, Dundas
and Glengarry.

Whereas our conservation council feel that proper surveys should be completed in this lake as soon as possible;

Therefore be it resolved that action be taken for the stocking of this lake with Muskie, and any other suitable species that might survive in these waters.

31. UNDERWATER DIVING EQUIPMENT:

Whereas in recent years the sport of underwater viewing, photography, and spearing of fish is becoming very popular in Ontario; and

Conservation Council
of Stormont, Dundas
and Glengarry.

Whereas in some parts of the United States the spearing of fish is legal and encouraged;

Therefore be it resolved that necessary action be taken by the Ontario committee on fish and game that such underwater equipment be not used illegally on our game fish.

32. PICKEREL SEASON:

Whereas the new Lake St. Lawrence is now flooded and the contours of the shorelines changed, and the river and lake bottoms dredged; and

Conservation Council
of Stormont, Dundas
and Glengarry.

Whereas our group feel that the time is now at hand to revise our season on pickerel;

Therefore be it resolved that the waters of Lake St. Francis, St. Lawrence River and Lake St. Lawrence bordering the Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, be made into one season—and that season to be from May 1st to November 15th each year.

33. ESTABLISH QUEBEC-ONTARIO BOUNDARY IN THE ST. LAWRENCE RIVER AND LAKE ST. FRANCIS AREA:

Whereas for many years the citizens of Cornwall and surrounding areas have tried to get a definite and mutual boundary line established in the Lake St. Francis and St. Lawrence River areas;

Conservation Council
of Stormont, Dundas
and Glengarry.

Whereas the two sets of maps used by the Ontario and Quebec officials in establishing and enforcing a

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so-called boundary are very misleading, embarrassing and often costly for our Ontario sportsmen;

Whereas we have had this question before the committee and departmental officials on many occasions in the past number of years.

Be it therefore resolved that we again stress the importance of having this question settled; and

Be it further resolved that the Ontario Government and the Department of Lands and Forests officials take the initiative in helping to bring this question to a mutual and satisfactory agreement for all parties concerned.

34. RECIPROCITY ANGLING IN LAKE ST. FRANCIS AND ST. LAWRENCE RIVER AREAS:

Whereas this form of an agreement has been in effect by the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec for the past four years in the Ottawa River fishing areas;

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

Whereas in the past we have had numerous boundary disputes in the Lake St. Francis and St. Lawrence River areas, as well as fines being levied by the officials of the Province of Quebec against residents of the Province of Ontario; and

Whereas for the promotion and advancement of sportsmen's public relations between the citizens of both the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

Be it therefore resolved that we recommend our Ontario Government to take whatever steps necessary to bring about this reciprocity angling in the Lake St. Francis and St. Lawrence River fishing areas—those parts fronting the Province of Ontario.

35. Supports Recommendation 31 by Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, and recommends further that it be made illegal to have or sell air guns of the underwater type.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.
(H. V. Sutton)

36. Supports Recommendation 35.

Northern Ontario Tourist Outfitters' Association.
(R. Giles)

37. Supports Recommendation 35.

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.
(A. M. Lebano)

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38. Supports Recommendation 35.

Ontario Council of
Commercial Fisheries.
(Dr. A. O. Blackhurst)

39. FISH—TROUT:

Whereas our association has, for the past eight years, raised its objections to ice fishing for trout;

Ompah Conservation
Association.
(J. C. Dunham)

And whereas consideration is now being given by the Department of Lands and Forests to a March 1st opening for all trout;

And whereas the Ompah Conservation Association is now supporting this earlier opening,

Be it resolved that the closing date for all trout be as per existing lake trout closing, i.e., October 5th.

40. FISH

Whereas most Small Mouth Bass waters are overpopulated resulting in stunted growth;

Ompah Conservation
Association.

Be it resolved that there be an open season on Small Mouth Black Bass except for the spawning period—the month of June,

And, be it further resolved that the regulations pertaining to Pickerel (Walleye) be changed to coincide with the existing opening and closing date of the Northern Pike season,

And further, in every instance pertaining to game fish, that particular consideration be given to opening and closing dates where it is known that we get natural reproduction from the species concerned.

41. Moved by K. Shanks, seconded by H. Johnston, that this council approve of the resolution (Recommendation No. 39) passed by the Ompah Conservation Club re trout fishing.

Palmerston, North &
South Canonto
Townships.
(W. H. Sargeant)

42. (No. 59-1-H1) INCREASED PENALTIES FOR JACK LIGHTING:

The practice of jack-lighting deer or moose is a pre-determined and deliberate violation of the game laws of Ontario. The practice of jack-lighting is a definite menace to those living in hunted areas and to their live stock. Many wounded deer, shot by jack-lighters, are never found, thereby causing a waste of our deer population.

Ontario Federation of
Anglers and Hunters.
(L. Saunders)

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Be it resolved that any person convicted on a charge of jack-lighting in addition to those penalties to which they are subject under The Game and Fisheries Act, be also subject to an automatic thirty days jail sentence and a three years suspension of all hunting privileges. The higher penalty to apply on the first offence.

43. (No. 59-1-H2)

The present interpretation of subsection 4 of section 32 of The Game and Fisheries Act (Ontario) defines a separate set of conditions applying in and out of deer and moose seasons, with the result that the apprehension of jack lighters and other violators is proven to be more difficult during the seasons.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Be it resolved that subsection 4 of section 32 be changed to read:

No person shall have in his possession in any area inhabited by deer and moose, between one-half hour after sunset and one-half hour before sunrise, any device capable of throwing or casting rays of light upon an object, and any rifle or other firearms or weapon capable of killing deer or moose unless the rifle, firearm or other weapon is unloaded, encased or dismantled.

44. (No. 49-4-H5) DEER—LONGER SEASON:

A longer season would give a hunter a chance to choose a time in which the weather would be more suitable to his particular requirements and would tend to lessen the congestion in certain areas.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Be it resolved that where the deer season is two weeks duration this be extended to a season of three weeks on an experimental basis.

45. (No. 59-4-H6)

Be it resolved that the opening dates for the deer season in that part of the Province of Ontario, referred to as section 11 in 1957, be permanently set as the Monday in November falling on or between November 5th and 11th.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

46. (No. 59-6-H8) SEASONS:

Hungarian Partridge and pheasants use very similar habitats and poaching is very heavy when one or the other of these species and not both is in an open season.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests open the seasons on Hungarian Partridge and pheasants at the same time in the Niagara area.

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47. (No. 59-6-H10) GOOSE SEASON, ESSEX COUNTY:

For the past several years the goose season in Essex County has opened several weeks prior to the Migratory flight of geese arriving in the Essex County area. Hunters use this as a reason to be in the field and are hunting in the soy bean fields which have not been harvested at this early date and are causing, besides the destruction of crops, considerable hard feelings among the farmers, who in turn post their land.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Be it resolved that the goose season in Essex County should not be opened before the first Saturday in November each year.

48. (No. 59-6-H11) JACK RABBITS:

There being no provision made in The Game and Fisheries Act of Ontario to prohibit the sale of, or limit the numbers to be taken of, European Hare or Jack Rabbit.

Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.

Be it resolved that a bag limit of 6 European Hare or Jack Rabbits per day be set, and that the sale of the European Hare or Jack Rabbit be prohibited.

49. DEER AND MOOSE SEASON IN RAINY RIVER DISTRICT:

Whereas the southern half of the Kenora District and the Rainy River District have the same climatic conditions;

Northern Ontario Tourist Outfitters' Association.
(Ralph Webb)

And whereas there are now plenty of refrigeration facilities for processing game;

And whereas the tourist outfitters in the Rainy River District should have the same privileges for catering to non-resident hunters as the southern half of Kenora District.

Therefore be it resolved that the deer and moose season be open in the Rainy River District at the same time as the southern half of the Kenora District.

50. NON-RESIDENTS EMPLOYING GUIDES WHILE HUNTING MOOSE:

Whereas moose have been protected for many years and are still not too numerous in many localities of the Kenora District.

Northern Ontario Tourist Outfitters' Association.

And whereas air surveys show that there is an overabundance in many isolated areas of the Kenora

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District, these areas being mostly hunted by non-resident hunters who are not familiar with the area.

Therefore be it resolved that no non-resident shall hunt or kill moose in the district of Kenora without employing and being accompanied by a licensed guide, but where two or more non-resident hunters hunt together, the number of guides employed shall not be less than one guide for each two non-residents.

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| 51. Supports Recommendation No. 50 by Northern Ontario Tourist Outfitters' Association, re guides. | Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters.
(V. H. Sutton) |
| 52. That beaver season in northern Ontario be left open until April 30th. | Ontario Trappers' Association.
(Ralph Bice) |
| 53. That trappers taking fur they think is unfit for sale, deliver said fur to conservation officer to be destroyed and that record be kept of same. | Ontario Trappers' Association. |
| 54. That trappers who have cabins in hunting and fishing areas be given protection from intruders. | Ontario Trappers' Association. |
| 55. That owing to large amounts of unprime beaver pelts caught in October, the department reconsider advisability of opening beaver season on October 15th. | Ontario Trappers' Association. |
| 56. Be it resolved that no licences be issued to carry firearms in the Lindsay District from the 1st day of May to the opening of bird season in the fall of each year. | Ontario Trappers' Association. |
| 57. The Fort Francis District is asking for a reduction of royalty fees. | Ontario Trappers' Association. |

Whereas the prices of raw furs has dropped drastically in the past years, particularly beaver and mink; and

Whereas royalties paid the Province of Ontario through the offices of the Department of Lands and Forests have remained at the same level despite the declining raw fur prices, and

Whereas the Province of Manitoba has realized the burden placed on the trappers in this important industry, and reduced the royalty rate on raw beaver pelts by 50% in that province;

Therefore, we, the undersigned, do petition the Province of Ontario to study immediately the advis-

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ability of alleviating the hardships of the trappers to the best of the province's ability by reducing the royalties on all furs; and that immediate action be taken to reduce the royalties on beaver and mink pelts.

58. Recommends that the owner of privately-owned land within a registered trapping zone must give permission to the owner of the trapping zone to trap on his land.

Ontario Trappers' Association.

59. Be it resolved that certain conditions printed on the "Resident's Licence To Hunt From March 1st to August 31st" be incorporated into The Game and Fisheries Act. The condition is:

This licence is not valid on lands within a township established as a regulated area without the approval of the controlling organizations in such townships.

Amalgamated Game Commissions—
Townships of Whitchurch, Markham, Pickering, Whitby, East Whitby, and Darlington.
(W. G. Newman)

60. Whereas present minimum penalties as applicable under The Game and Fisheries Act are frequently regarded by apprehended violators with ridicule and disdain and whereas present minimum penalties are inadequate as a deterrent measure;

Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests review The Game and Fisheries Act with a view to increase the minimum penalties in all instances of wildlife infractions from the present ten dollars to twenty dollars.

Amalgamated Game Commissions—
Townships of Whitchurch, Markham, Pickering, Whitby, East Whitby, and Darlington.

61. Whereas the deer population of Lincoln and Welland Counties has increased to the extent that it would be advisable to have an open season; and

Whereas the township councils in the two above noted counties are opposed to an open season because of the damage caused by hunters carrying firearms;

We propose that an open season on deer in these two counties be declared and that the shooting or taking of deer be restricted to archery tackle.

St. Catharines and Lincoln County Game and Fish Protection Association.
(John Wilson)

62. Whereas the weather in the Niagara Peninsula has shown a decided change in the past few years; and

Whereas the local hatch of ducks is not sufficient to warrant an open season; and

St. Catharines and Lincoln County Game and Fish Protection Association.

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Whereas the state of New York has a split season covering the shooting in the areas bordering the Niagara River;

We propose that the season on ducks for Lincoln and Welland Counties be changed to the 1st Saturday in October to the last Saturday in October and from the 2nd Saturday in November to December 31st.

63. Whereas the hunting of pheasants in the Niagara Peninsula is dependent on the goodwill of the farmer; and

St. Catharines and Lincoln County Game and Fish Protection Association.

Whereas certain lands and farms are posted because the farmers are still harvesting their grapes and pears; and

Whereas the Niagara Township Council has been approached by a delegation requesting them to pass a by-law to restrict hunting in some areas due to the late harvesting;

We propose that the pheasant season in Lincoln and Welland Counties be restricted to three Wednesdays and three Saturdays. The season to be October 21st, 28th and November 4th, and October 24th, 31st and November 7th.

64. Whereas some bodies are making presentation to have the resident and non-resident licence fees increased, and

St. Catharines and Lincoln County Game and Fish Protection Association.

Whereas most of the monies collected at the present time, of \$1.00 and \$4.00, are being used for purposes other than conservation, and

Whereas the collecting of licence fees was to try to maintain our dwindling game supply;

We propose that the increase in fees is not warranted until such time as the Department of Lands and Forests regulate that the money collected must be used for restocking purposes or conservation projects.

65. Whereas the game overseers have apprehended many persons for infractions of the Game and Fish Regulations, and

St. Catharines and Lincoln County Game and Fish Protection Association.

Whereas many judges and magistrates continue to impose only minimum penalties on the accused;

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We propose that the time is long overdue for a revision of the minimum penalties imposed for all infractions of the Game and Fish Regulations.

66. Whereas at the present time it is lawful under a \$10.00 licence fee to shoot moose in some parts of Ontario, and

St. Catharines and Lincoln County Game and Fish Protection Association.

Whereas in the areas where the deer and moose seasons run concurrently the licence fee is \$26.00;

We propose that the licence fee of \$10.00 for moose be made a uniform charge for all parts of Ontario.

67. Whereas the Department of Lands and Forests has seen fit to remove the minimum size limit on many species of fish; and

St. Catharines and Lincoln County Game and Fish Protection Association.
(John Wilson)

Whereas the trout fishing in many of our local streams is getting to be a put-and-take proposition because of silting and pollution,

We propose that the size limit on Speckled Trout be removed.

68. Whereas the quantity of Lake Trout and Whitefish in our Great Lakes is so small as to be almost non-existent; and

St. Catharines and Lincoln County Game and Fish Protection Association.

Whereas the blame for this condition is continually said to be due to the lamprey eel; and

Whereas the Commercial Fishermen, because of their knowledge of the spawning beds, continue to net these areas so efficiently that the species of fish they are after cannot withstand the pressure; and

Whereas the blue and yellow pickerel have already shown results of this type of operation and continue to grow scarcer.

We propose that the netting of blue and yellow pickerel in the Great Lakes by Commercial Fishermen be closed for a two-week period during the spawning season. The two-week period in the various localities to be determined by the Department of Lands and Forests.

69. Against Recommendation 66 by St. Catharines and Lincoln County Game and Fish Protective Association.

Ontario Trappers' Association.
(Ralph Bice)

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70. GAME OVERSEER FOR CORNWALL AREA:

Whereas at the present time we have two game overseers for the three united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, one working from Winchester, the other from Applehill; and

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.
(A. M. Lebano)

Whereas the City of Cornwall now boasts a population of some 40,000 people, and the majority of the citizens of the three counties live in heavy concentrations in and around the surrounding areas of Cornwall; and

Whereas we feel that more public relation and educational work should be done by the representatives of the Department of Lands and Forests in the three united counties; and

Whereas it would give closer control and closer supervision to the heavily populated and heavily fished or hunted areas.

Be it therefore resolved that we urge the Department of Lands and Forests to employ another game overseer in this area and that *he should be stationed in the City of Cornwall or its suburbs.*

71. SUNDAY SHOOTING FOR WATERFOWL:

Whereas the waters of Lake St. Francis, St. Lawrence River and Lake St. Lawrence border the waters of Quebec and New York State; and

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

Whereas Sunday hunting and shooting of waterfowl is legal in said border waters of Quebec and New York.

Therefore be it resolved that it be made legal for Ontario residents to shoot ducks in the waters of Lake St. Francis, St. Lawrence River and Lake St. Lawrence, said waters bordering the Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, during the legal season for hunting ducks.

72. DEER SEASON FOR ARCHERS OPEN IN LARGER PART OF PROVINCE:

Whereas the government set aside a short season for the convenience of archers to hunt deer on Manitoulin Island; and

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.
(A. M. Lebano)

Whereas we are of the opinion that the deer population would not be substantially reduced if a larger area of the province was opened to the archer.

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Therefore be it resolved that the Department open a larger portion of the Province, and that this portion be in the south-eastern part of the Province.

73. Concurs with Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters Resolution No. 42 on increase in penalties for jacklighting deer.

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

74. Concurs with Resolution No. 44 by Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters for a longer season on deer, but would like to see that postponed for a year because of the heavy snowfall this winter.

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

75. Concurs with Resolution No. 48 by Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters on bag limit of six (6) European hare or jack rabbit.

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

76. Suggests abolition of .22 calibre rifles, especially during the deer season.

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

77. Suggests that a recommendation go forward from the Game and Fish Committee to the Minister of the Federal Department of Transport, pointing out the anxiety of the sportsmen with regard to safety on the water, with special reference to Lake St. Francis, Lake St. Lawrence and the St. Lawrence River in general.

Conservation Council of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

78. Opposes later deer season (Rec. No. 45). There is no danger of meat spoiling if it is handled carefully.

Ontario Trappers' Association.
(Ralph Bice)

79. DEER:

Be it resolved that the open season for Deer, in Frontenac County, be from Monday, November 2nd, to Saturday, November 28th, next following, effective this year of 1959.

Ompah Conservation Association.
(J. C. Dunham)

80. And whatever the decision, that such Regulation to apply for a minimum two-year test period, and further, of the four weeks requested, that one week be considered for "Archery".

81. Read and restated their Recommendation of two years ago, as follows:

Conservation Council of Ontario.
(Mr. Gavin Henderson)

"SANCTUARIES FOR MIGRATORY WATERFOWL:

"If every area where migratory waterfowl may rest and feed is open to hunting, the birds are at a serious disadvantage when migrating between their nesting grounds in the north and their wintering grounds in the

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south. Little has been done in Ontario to assure adequate feeding and resting grounds for migratory waterfowl. It is true that the Federal Government has some responsibility in this matter, since migratory birds are the direct responsibility of the Federal Government because of the Migratory Birds Treaty with the United States. However, they are also the property of Her Majesty in the right of each Province when they occur within a provincial boundary. Both the Federal Government and the Province are therefore directly concerned.

"If the Federal Government is not discharging its responsibilities by assuring adequate feeding and resting grounds for waterfowl, the Government of Ontario should press for appropriate action after making certain that it is discharging its own responsibilities in the matter.

"THE COUNCIL RECOMMENDS:

- (a) That a survey of wetlands be made to determine which areas should be preserved to afford *sanctuary* during the migration and nesting of Ontario's waterfowl.
- (b) That Ontario discuss with the proper federal authorities the possibility of undertaking a co-operative project for assuring adequate feeding and resting grounds for migratory waterfowl."

82. In case there should be any suggestion made to you of alteration of Law in respect to Sunday hunting and fishing, permit us to place our point of view before you as in former years.

The Lord's Day
Alliance of Canada.
(Rev. A. S.
McGrath)

We submit that Sunday hunting would create a hazard for the thousands of residents and visitors in this Province who take advantage of Sunday to get out of doors. The number of these people far exceeds those who might wish to hunt on Sunday. The wishes and the rights of the vast majority should be respected.

Inasmuch as the youth of our country should have every encouragement in obtaining the benefits of church and Sunday School association, and inasmuch as hunting undoubtedly has an appeal for boys and young men, we would request hunters to refrain from any action which might draw youth away from these good influences. We would hope that sportsmen will, rather, do everything to encourage the youth of our land to

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cultivate a close and helpful relationship with those religious agencies which make for the up-building of character.

We would appreciate your decision being made in line with these two important considerations.

83. Most important! *Retain Ban on Sunday hunting.* Farmers and landowners object very much to presence of noisy, undisciplined city people on that day. John Hauser,
Sharon, Ontario.

84. Re *Target shooting, Clay Pigeons or Cans.* The noise confuses people who think that hunting is in progress. Therefore, I would suggest the need for a permit to shoot on Sunday. This would give some control on trap clubs and allow some opportunity to effect an arrest under the Sunday hunting ban. John Hauser,
Sharon, Ontario.

85. *Permits issued to irresponsible people.* We had three heavily armed Italian immigrants, shooting at anything and unable to speak English. Obviously the Ontario Lands and Forests Department has slipped here. Would we be permitted such licence in Italy? Decidedly not, either in England, France or Germany! John Hauser,
Sharon, Ontario.

86. *Fines are too light.* The fines were laid on before inflation had robbed the dollar of its value. It is no hardship for these well-paid factory men to pay twice as much as the present law calls for. John Hauser,
Sharon, Ontario.

87. *We need more game wardens.* Easily understood, with an increase in population since the war of 3-4 millions, plus a short work week. Why not pay deputies? John Hauser,
Sharon, Ontario.

88. *Protection of Game Reserve Areas.* Since it is in the interest of all to allow the natural increase of wildlife, it is necessary to aid and assist landowners who do not want hunters on their land. Such land being posted should receive the occasional attention of the passing game warden, with the co-operation of the owner. John Hauser,
Sharon, Ontario.

89. Due to the excessive fox population in the regulated areas of the Province and the prevalence of Rabies throughout the Province, it is respectfully requested that consideration be given to having all restrictions removed from foxes and that they be placed in the vermin category. Corporation of the
Township of
Ancaster.
(Mr. J. Milne)

Such action would permit foxes to be destroyed at any time without the necessity of obtaining a Town-

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ship licence in regulated areas and under the authority of a Vermin Licence at times when gun licences are not valid.

90. Since the end of World War II there has been a rapid expansion in size of many of the larger urban centres in Ontario. This has resulted in a heavier population of the rural areas surrounding these centres as the growth spilled over into the surrounding countryside. Parallel with this has been a large increase in the number of hunters who now take to the field. High wages have placed cars and hunting equipment in the hands of many people who were formerly denied access to these, and shorter working hours have provided more leisure time. As a result the hunting pressure, in what were formerly strictly rural areas around these cities, has increased tremendously. These districts still provide good hunting, but a problem is arising with respect to the discharge of rifles (in particular .22 rim fire). Rifles, rather than shotguns, are responsible for most of the damage to signs, hydro insulators and buildings, and because of the distance these bullets will carry there is an increasing danger that stray bullets may cause loss of life.

Corporation of the
Township of
Ancaster.
(Mr. J. Milne)

We realize that many farmers use .22 rifles to combat the ground hog and other varmint menace, and that the right of the farmer on his land should not be restricted. In addition, a rifle in the hands of certain trained hunters may be perfectly safe but in the hands of an untrained hunter could cause a serious problem in the built-up areas and be a danger to life and property.

It is felt that as the cities grow, and hence pressure increases, that unless careful control is exercised there may eventually be a ban on hunting in many of these districts because of the carelessness of a few, but that this likelihood would be curtailed if shotgun hunting only were permitted, except for certain restricting conditions.

In view of this problem which no doubt will become more acute as time passes, we urge that a study be made by the Department of Lands and Forests to see if legislation should be provided to allow the townships surrounding metropolitan areas to restrict the use of rifles, but allow the discharge of shot guns, or whether this matter could be regulated on a provincial level.