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#### THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1980

This being the First Day of the Second Session of the Nineteenth Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, for the despatch of business pursuant to a Proclamation of His Honour the Honourable Frank Lynch-Staunton, Lieutenant Governor, dated the 30th day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eighty;

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the Proclamation as follows:

#### **PROCLAMATION**

[GREAT SEAL]
CANADA FRANK LYNCH-STAUNTON,
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA Lieutenant Governor.
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

#### **PROCLAMATION**

TO OUR FAITHFUL, the MEMBERS elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Alberta and to each and every one of you GREETING . . .

R. W. PAISLEY, Deputy Attorney General.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient for certain causes and considerations to convene the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Alberta, WE DO WILL that you and each of you, and all others in this behalf interested, on THURSDAY, the TWENTIETH day of MARCH, A.D. 1980, at the hour of THREE o'clock in the afternoon, at Our City of Edmonton, personally be and appear for the despatch of business, to treat, act, do and conclude upon those things which, in the Legislature of Our Province of Alberta, 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 Alberta to be hereunto affixed

WITNESS: THE HONOURABLE FRANK LYNCH-STAUNTON, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of Alberta, in Our City of Edmonton, in Our Province of Alberta, this 30th day of January, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty and in the Twenty-eighth Year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND:

NEIL CRAWFORD, *Provincial Secretary.* 

Mr. Speaker entered the Assembly and took the Chair.

His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor entered the Assembly and took his seat on the Throne.

His Honour then read the following Speech from the Throne:

#### SPEECH FROM THE THRONE

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

I have the honour to welcome you to the Second Session of the Nineteenth Legislature of the Province of Alberta.

Albertans enter the 1980's against the background of steady growth in population and economic strength which has marked the 1970's. Our citizens, whose efforts have achieved significant changes and provided unprecedented opportunities within our Province, look forward to this new decade with a full awareness of the unique role in Confederation now being fulfilled by this Province.

Although Alberta is the most dynamic area in Canada, vibrant and forward looking, my government realizes that there are numbers of our citizens who still do not fully enjoy the opportunities available. Albertans wish my government to remain sensitive to this fact and efforts will therefore continue and many initiatives will be taken to provide practical programs and fresh opportunities for those who may be in need.

It is of interest in this special anniversary year to note that the Speech from the Throne delivered seventy-five years ago, to the first representative Assembly in this Province, paid appropriate tributes to the enterprise of our forefathers — the hard working citizens of their day — and extended a welcome to the settlers then coming into our Province. Some of the youngest of these pioneer settlers, alive today, will be among those honoured as the Province marks its seventy-fifth birthday throughout this year.

My government will emphasize four priorities during this Second Session:

- 1. Hospital Construction Support to local and provincial hospital boards will be further expanded and capital projects throughout Alberta will be built to ensure that, over time, Albertans in all parts of the Province will have upgraded health and hospital facilities.
- 2. Housing Further initiatives will expand my government's housing programs. These initiatives are made necessary by federal government policies which constrain private sector investment in rental accommodation required to meet the needs of continued growth within our Province.
- 3. Manpower Training Programs designed to increase the participation of disadvantaged and unskilled Albertans in job opportunities will be given special emphasis.
- 4. Highways and Roads Substantial additional funds for highways and roads will be a feature of this Session's recommendations to the Legislature in order to meet needs arising from a dramatic increase in vehicle registration, as well as from resource and recreation demands.

#### HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL CARE

The past year has seen encouraging progress in the construction of major health care specialty facilities for the use of Albertans over the years to come. The Walter MacKenzie Health Sciences Centre at Edmonton, the Southern Alberta Cancer Centre at Calgary and the Alberta Children's Provincial General Hospital will, when completed, provide the most modern and complete specialty health care facilities in Canada.

The government has now completed its reorganization of hospital administration and established the necessary procedure for project approvals. Eight new hospital projects were announced last fall and a second stage of announcements will be made shortly.

Consultation will continue with groups involved in the provision of ground ambulance service, prior to a program being introduced by the government.

The government also expects to receive the report of the Hospital Utilization Committee during 1980. Its findings will be used to further improve the quality and availability of health care services.

Preventive Medicine Programs will be emphasized.

In consultation with the Alberta Hospital Association, an incentive program will be developed to further improve the financial efficiency of Alberta hospitals. A pilot project will proceed in Calgary in order to gauge the potential benefits of one such program.

Alberta doctors now have the highest fee schedule in Canada, under the Alberta Health Care Insurance Program. The practice of extra billing beyond that schedule is being closely monitored by the government, While consideration is being given to introducing "opting-out" legislation for doctors who wish to make charges beyond the insured schedule of fees.

In November 1979, this Assembly passed legislation creating the Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research. The Foundation trustees have now been appointed and are formulating approaches, procedures and priorities. The Foundation will be making, in the long term, a major contribution to medical research in Canada to the benefit of all Canadians.

#### HOUSING

Despite a buoyant economy which is encouraging a large migration to our Province, the number of housing starts in Alberta this year could decline significantly, unless positive action is taken by the Provincial government. This unusual situation arises out of the withdrawal by local private sector investors from the apartment and rental areas, due to the combined effects of both high national interest rates and the federal government's elimination of capital cost allowance incentives. As a result, my government will be required to expand even further its extensive involvement in this crucial housing field.

Home ownership is available to Alberta families through the Alberta Family Home Purchase Program and the self-help Cooperative Housing Action Program. In the first eight months of the 1979-80 fiscal year, 2,700 families benefited from these programs. Terms and conditions of the Alberta Family Home Purchase Program are being modified to enable more Alberta families to participate in the subsidies.

It is estimated that more than 5,000 housing units will be funded under the Alberta Family Home Purchase Program in 1980-81. This will be a major contribution to facilitating affordable housing for Albertans and will represent an investment of upwards of \$300 million in 1980-81, from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund.

In the northern areas of the Province, housing is provided through the Rural and Native Housing Program and the Rural Mobile Home Program. As well, continuing funding is being provided through the Rural Home Assistance Program to assist families in isolated communities and on Metis settlements to construct their own homes.

My government also helps to provide rental accommodation in the form of community housing for low income families. By providing for self-contained units and lodges, affordable housing is also available to our senior citizens. In addition, through loans to the private sector under the Core Housing Incentive Program (by which the rents on 50% of the units are controlled by agreement with the developer) we anticipate funding up to 4,500 apartment units in 1980-81, over double the number to be funded

during 1979-80. These steps will greatly increase the effectiveness of this program and will be a major stimulus to the rental housing industry. An investment of over \$200 million from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund will be required.

Under the Revolving Trunk Servicing Program, assistance is now being provided to municipalities and developers for funding new water and sewer trunk systems, thereby increasing the amount of serviced land available for residential and industrial development.

A number of other new initiatives in housing will be announced by my government during the course of the Session.

The Alberta Pioneer Repair Program provided 26,000 senior citizen households with home repair grants between July and December 1979. It is anticipated that by the end of March 1981, 45,000 seniors will have been helped in this way. This will further encourage our senior citizens to remain in their own homes.

#### ADVANCED EDUCATION AND MANPOWER

My government will continue to offer educational programs to an increasing number of Albertans, to allow them to take advantage of the opportunities available in this expanding and diversifying economy. The population of Alberta is projected to increase at a rate of about 3.5% per year for the next few years — more than triple the national growth rate. Post-secondary institutions can anticipate continuing enrolment growth, particularly in the technical institutions and public colleges.

With the current economic outlook and the potential development of several large-scale oil sands and heavy oil projects, the high demand for qualified tradesmen, technologists and technicians will continue.

The highly successful apprenticeship and trade certification program continues to develop an increasing number of skilled tradesmen. Over 3,600 received journeyman status in 38 trades in 1979 while a further 9,000 were enrolled as new apprentices, an increase of 25% over 1978. Government is committed to increasing apprenticeship accommodation in the public college system to provide for the larger numbers of apprentices, and bring about further decentralization of training opportunities.

The universities are being encouraged to allocate their resources to cope with pressure for high enrolments in some professional faculties. The universities represent a valuable asset which must be capable of making a significant contribution to increasing research activities. My government recognizes and supports the vital role of the universities which leads to improvements in cultural, ethical and social aspects of the lives of our citizens.

In keeping with my government's well-recognized policy of decentralization, an announcement was made recently regarding the choice of a permanent location for Athabasca University. The choice of the town of Athabasca, located in north central Alberta,

will give permanence and visibility to this young, open university, and will provide the community with a strong economic and cultural base from which to grow.

Through additional academic upgrading, job readiness training and counselling services, my government intends to increase the opportunities for the physically, socially and culturally disadvantaged to become self-sufficient and productive members of society.

Services to handicapped citizens will be further improved with the implementation of a five-year project to increase the number of programs for teachers with specialized training in the provision of education services to handicapped children, and for the training of rehabilitation workers. There will also be an increase in the number of programs of vocational training for handicapped adults.

The policy governing future legislation for the Professions and Occupations has been reviewed. Professional legislation, which will take into consideration discussions resulting from the professional bills introduced last Session, will be introduced by the appropriate Ministers.

Legislation will be introduced to enable post-secondary students to pursue baccalaureate degree programs at any private college, Which has an appropriate affiliation agreement with an Alberta university.

Changes with respect to tuition fees and students' financial aid, which is available through Provincial programs, will be introduced. A federal/interprovincial task force was established recently to review the Student Finance plans in place throughout Canada.

Our fine institutions will continue to be encouraged to anticipate and respond to the changing needs of the people of Alberta and the economy. Through a spirit of co-operation, there will be an increase in the joint provision of post-secondary educational services to regions with rapid population growth.

#### **EDUCATION**

Education for the '80's will differ in many respects from our experience of the past 35 years and it is important that our Province be able to respond to such change, imaginatively and wisely. This year will be devoted to laying the necessary groundwork.

A major review of the educational finance plan of the Province has just begun. Ultimately, this review will incorporate recommendations on funding, recognizing the effects of tax changes on real property, as well as deal with expenditure programs for elements as diverse as school transportation, special education and declining enrolment.

A similar review of *The Teaching Profession Act* is underway, and the necessary process of consultation will take place with interested Albertans this year.

My government will shortly announce details of a program designed to encourage, at the community level, the development of the community school concept.

Special education will continue to be a priority of my government, and it is expected that by September of this year an entirely new delivery system will be operating for programs serving the sensory multi-handicapped.

This year will see the commencement of teacher exchanges with the Province of Quebec, as well as the extension of the very successful student exchange.

#### SOCIAL SERVICES AND COMMUNITY HEALTH

My government recognizes that the challenging opportunities available in so many aspects of the lives of the majority of Albertans are not equally available to those who are physically or mentally handicapped or whose lives are otherwise temporarily or permanently marked by disadvantage. My government therefore reaffirms its strong commitment to provide support and assistance in all cases where the circumstances of the individual call for the help of his or her fellow citizens.

The Alberta Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Commission will undertake a new thrust in educational programming. We will introduce a comprehensive plan to ensure that Albertans are made aware of the dangers of alcoholism and drug abuse. Emphasis will be placed on alternative lifestyles which would prevent the development of abuse habits. In addition, the David Lander Centre will be housed in permanent quarters constructed during 1980.

A Youth Development Centre to serve Southern Alberta will be established in the Town of Strathmore. This facility will provide care for 48 youngsters requiring confinement and compulsory care.

Two major activities will result from the conclusion of the experimental project administered by the Com-Serv Association of Southern Alberta. A Citizens Resource Centre for the Handicapped will be established. The Centre will be administered by an appointed Community Board, and will assist handicapped persons to receive appropriate services. A Provincial Advisory Committee for research for the handicapped will be established. Funds will be provided to enable research and demonstration in this field.

Additional funding will be provided for existing residences for the mentally retarded. These funds will assist agencies to more adequately meet the needs of the clients in their facilities.

A second phase in the development of facilities for the mentally retarded with serious behaviour problems will be proposed by my government. The development of special housing units in Calgary and Edmonton and accompanying outreach programs in rural and urban areas of the Province will complement the special unit constructed at Michener Centre last year.

My government proposes to assist foster parents providing skill development services for these dedicated individuals in order to meet the specific needs of children in their care.

Additional resources will be requested to continue to expand private group homes in rural Southern Alberta, provided through contracts with individuals and organizations.

Dental health services will be expanded by assisting rural municipalities to attract qualified dental personnel and facilities. This program is being developed to attract and encourage dentists to establish themselves in underserviced areas of the Province.

#### **AGRICULTURE**

Agriculture remains the backbone of our economy and continues to engage, as it has since the earliest years of settlement, the initiative, energy and resourcefulness of our people. Albertans can be confident in the knowledge that we possess the human, technical and physical requirements for continued long term strength in the agricultural industry. Despite certain areas of concern, the future is promising.

Alberta's initiatives in improving grain handling and transportation will be vigorously pursued. These initiatives include completion of financing arrangements for a modern high efficiency grain terminal in Prince Rupert; increased utilization of recently acquired inland terminals in Edmonton, Calgary and Lethbridge; and the purchase of 1,000 hopper cars to assist Alberta farmers in transporting their grain to export markets. As a result, by 1985 we expect Alberta farmers will benefit from a much improved grain transportation system, provided the new federal government follows through on commitments of the previous federal administration.

My government recognizes that the future of agriculture in Alberta depends on the recruitment of young farmers and will be making major revisions to assist new farmers through the Beginning Farmer Program, administered by the Alberta Agricultural Development Corporation. Last year this corporation loaned over \$30 million to Alberta's primary producers at low interest rates.

In 1978, the "Farming for the Future" research program was initiated. To date \$10 million from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund has been committed to agricultural research to find new and better ways of increasing production. Particular attention will be given to livestock promotion and dairy herd improvement. As well, government will continue to work closely with livestock producers to encourage and help to assure equal opportunities in both production and marketing.

Agriculture has become a technical and highly refined industry requiring considerable investment of time and money in addition to farm management. Providing resources and advice on farm management is an important initiative by Alberta Agriculture for the benefit of the farmers of Alberta.

The Alberta Weather Modification Program will continue with emphasis on research and hail suppression. This continued support offers the hope of having one of the best programs in the world.

A new food processing centre will be proposed for the consideration of Honourable Members. The Nutritive Processing Assistance program will continue, providing spin-off benefits for agribusiness in Alberta.

#### **ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES**

The importance of Alberta's extensive renewable natural resources in providing new opportunities for employment and economic diversification will be highlighted during 1980. In November 1979, my government announced its intention to enter into a forest management agreement for the development of a major timber resource in the Berland/Fox Creek Timber Development Area. At the same time, substantial allocations of timber were made to existing independent operators. It is expected that this spring, construction will begin on a major sawmill at Grande Cache. It will employ approximately 360 people when completed. An additional sawmill will be constructed in the Fox Creek area and construction of Alberta's first thermomechanical pulp and newsprint mill will shortly begin in the Whitecourt area. Approximately 600 new jobs will be created by these activities in the Fox Creek/Whitecourt area.

My government will soon be involved in complex negotiations with the new federal administration, involving the pricing of Alberta's oil and natural gas.

Albertans are aware that their light and medium conventional crude oil reserves are depleting rapidly. My government is determined to ensure a fair arrangement for the sale of its depleting resources and at the same time, continue to encourage the private sector's involvement in the petroleum industry — an involvement which has been most beneficial to Albertans to date, and upon which so many Alberta jobs depend.

My government will continue its many commitments to reducing Canada's imports of crude oil from foreign sources, by taking a leadership role in energy self-sufficiency for the nation, subject to fair arrangements in oil and natural gas pricing.

My government will be requesting further substantial funding for the Alberta Oil Sands Technology and Research Authority to support its vital work in developing new technology for the recovery of oil from Alberta's oil sands, and to increase the amount of oil that can be recovered from our conventional oil reserves.

During 1980, my government will be reviewing its petroleum exploratory incentive drilling program, now in its seventh year. This program has contributed significantly to maintaining high levels of petroleum exploration activity in Alberta, which in turn have led to discovery of significant new natural gas and some new conventional crude oil reserves.

Prospects for coal development in Alberta continue to depend largely upon external factors. Worldwide competition for export markets remains keen, although as international oil prices escalate, interest in developing Alberta's vast reserves of high grade metallurgical and thermal coal deposits is increasing. Keeping in mind the size and diversity of the Province's coal resources, my government intends to accelerate funding of coal research, with emphasis on developing technology for conversion of coal to synthetic fuels.

#### **PUBLIC LANDS AND WILDLIFE**

Intense activity by resource industries continues to impact heavily upon our forests, wildlife and public lands.

During 1980, my government will conduct a systematic review of its widely accepted policy for resource management in the Eastern Slopes region.

The Grazing Reserve Development Program funded from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund will continue to develop needed pasture land in the gray wooded soil zone of the Province, in order to encourage and promote the agriculture industry in those areas.

A Select Committee of the Legislature, established during the last Session to examine aspects of the Province's sport and commercial fishing opportunities, will submit its report to the Legislature during this Session.

My government proposes to introduce a number of important changes to The Wildlife Act this spring.

#### **MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS**

My government will be introducing legislation to amend The Municipal Government Act in a number of areas, including the use of municipal plebiscites.

Legislation will also be proposed at an early date to amend certain provisions of The Municipal Election Act. Of particular note will be an amendment to make it clear that military personnel living on bases have the right to vote in municipal elections and plebiscites.

My government will continue its review of the recommendations contained in the report of the Provincial-Municipal Finance Council. Amendments to The Municipal Taxation Act will be proposed to implement some of the recommended real property assessment-taxation reforms recently proposed by the Minister of Municipal Affairs.

#### **ENVIRONMENT**

My government's continued emphasis of its policy for balanced economic growth, with resultant opportunities in smaller centres and in rural Alberta, will be further enhanced by the Regional Water and Sewer System Program. In order to provide consistent and long term support for continued improvement in the environment of our Province and in the quality of life outside the major cities, groups of rural and urban municipalities will be materially assisted in developing co-operative water and sewage facilities where development of independent schemes are not cost effective or environmentally desirable.

To ensure the continued protection of the Province's water resources, my government will initiate a program to remove phosphorous from sewage where nutrient loading may affect sensitive streams and lakes.

Hazardous waste is becoming an increasing concern to all Albertans. Through public hearings, the government will seek participation of the citizens of Alberta, industry and other levels of government to ensure that industrial wastes will be managed with maximum environmental and public health protection.

In 1980, my government will be making major decisions on water resource development directed at long term improvement in the social and economic well-being of residents in the Oldman River Basin in Southern Alberta. This will be the first stage of a renewed emphasis on the development of Alberta's water resources and will be an important element in the government's recognition of the importance of food production and the specialized nature of irrigation.

#### **TRANSPORTATION**

Vehicle registration during the 1970's almost doubled in Alberta. In addition, resource and recreational developments and growth in many rural centres significantly increased the use of highways and roads. It is expected that this transportation demand will continue in the 1980's and will require responsive programs for highway construction, rehabilitation, and maintenance. The increasing use of air travel will also require continued support through the construction and operation of provincial and community airports.

Significant expenditure requests for the construction and rehabilitation of primary and secondary highways, resource roads, agricultural and recreational access roads, and airports, will be included in the budgetary estimates to be tabled during this Session.

Transportation initiatives in support of international trade will include a comprehensive review of the establishment of an inland container port in Alberta which would allow improved access to world markets for secondary products from petrochemical industries and for agricultural commodities. It would also enhance Alberta's position as a major distribution centre for Western Canada.

The expanded Urban Transportation Assistance Program will continue. Significant benefits have been realized by new projects designed to maximize traffic flow through signal systems and other traffic improvement measures.

The safety of transportation systems both for the user and for the public generally is a matter of increasing importance and concern. Highway safety programs will continue to concentrate on the safety of school and commercial buses. Amendments will be proposed to The Highway Traffic Act in order to implement safety equipment standards and operation requirements for these vehicles.

#### **LABOUR**

A continuing high priority of my government will be the expansion of employee-management-government consultations to improve productivity and the quality of working life. The potential for this program has been well illustrated in the construction industry.

Joint review and planning programs to remove impediments to employment and to deal with questions of access to buildings by workers with physical disabilities will be undertaken with citizens and agencies concerned.

New programs will be developed to provide improved wage collection and wage protection for Alberta employees.

Public safety programs of the Fire Prevention Branch will continue to emphasize home fire safety through early detection and increased public awareness.

#### WORKERS' HEALTH, SAFETY AND COMPENSATION

The Select Legislative Committee on Workers' Compensation which held public hearings during the fall of 1979, will report to the Legislature during the 1980 Session.

The high incidence of serious accidents in certain industries—notably in construction, oil well drilling and servicing, mining and lumbering— are a matter of considerable concern, and the Occupational Health and Safety Division, in cooperation with industry and labour, will continue to develop more forceful strategies for prevention.

The extensive revision of regulations under The Occupational Health and Safety Act will be completed by mid-1980, following more than a year of public review and consultation.

In response to public awareness and concern regarding radiation hazards, the technical capabilities of the Province's radiation health program are being strengthened. All statutory inspections of X-ray equipment are now being completed expeditiously.

As Alberta's industries continue to expand, both workers and employers must take a greater share of the responsibility for ensuring that work sites meet the required standards for occupational health and safety, and for investigating incidents which have a potential for causing injury or death. An expanded role for Joint Worksite Health and Safety Committees in this area will be continued.

#### ATTORNEY GENERAL

My government will continue with its efforts to modernize and improve the administration of justice for Albertans and avoid unnecessary delays by:

- —providing for a Prosecutor Oriented Management Information System in Calgary and Edmonton to improve caseload management.
- —implementing a program of Witness Management in the Calgary and Edmonton Courts to provide assistance to witnesses,
- providing some financial relief for witnesses and jurors through an improved schedule of rates for fees and travel costs.

Development of an automated system which will form an integrated part of a comprehensive land related information system throughout the government, will be commenced this spring.

New legislation will be proposed to replace the present Jury Act, in order to modernize jury procedures, selection and qualifications.

#### **SOLICITOR GENERAL**

To meet the increased inmate population of the Edmonton Remand Centre, my government has provided for 32 additional positions for correctional officers in that facility.

The opening of the Edmonton Remand Centre in September 1979 has reduced by half the inmate population of the Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Institution. The opening of the St. Paul Correction Centre this year will further reduce the inmate population at Fort Saskatchewan and provide alternative opportunities for correction services.

During the 1980/81 fiscal year, a number of programs will be expanded. It is proposed that the number of inmate work crews in various community and public service work projects will be increased. There will be a further decentralization of Community Correction Offices and Highway Patrol Offices to provide more effective and efficient service to the public.

Under an agreement worked out with the Alberta Medical Association, a Medical Review Board has been established to provide an appeal mechanism for Albertans with medical conditions that may restrict or result in a denial of driving privileges.

In the interest of safe driving, the Driver Control Board will establish a full time Driver Control Board office in Calgary to serve that City and Southern Alberta. All persons suspended three times, either under the Criminal Code or by way of driver demerits during a five-year period, will be reviewed by the Board and remedial action will be taken to ensure that unsafe drivers are prohibited from driving a vehicle. Special emphasis will also be given to drivers aged sixteen and seventeen with probationary driving privileges.

#### **NATIVE AFFAIRS**

The Urban Native Referral Program, designed to assist municipalities and native organizations in aiding native people moving to urban centres, is now operating in four centres. Fort Macleod, Grande Prairie, Calgary and Edmonton all have programs to assist native people in making use of available services

Discussions continue with Indian Bands to assist them in taking full advantage of provincial programs and services. As requested by Indian leaders, the focus of such meetings has been on a Band by Band basis, thereby ensuring that individual community requirements are emphasized.

With increasing resource developments in the province, balanced employment opportunities continue to be a priority for my government. An increased emphasis on recruitment and training programs will continue to improve prospects for employment both in the private and public sector.

#### RECREATION AND PARKS

Amendments to The Wilderness Areas Act will be introduced at the fall sitting to provide for ecological reserve and natural area land classifications.

The Major Cultural/Recreation Facility Development Program continues to offer desirable opportunities for development in cooperation with local municipalities and community organizations. The program has been over-subscribed during the last two years indicating a continuing need for the provision of recreation and cultural facilities for the benefit of the people of Alberta.

Planning and development of a new provincial park which will be located at the Carson-Pegasus Lakes in the Whitecourt area will commence in 1980. In addition, planning will continue to improve and expand the total Provincial park system in Alberta.

Planning will commence on a Recreation Areas Program in conjunction with rural municipalities to improve access to fishery stocked lakes, reservoirs, beaches and other recreation resources.

#### **CULTURE**

Major revisions of financial support for public libraries in 1980 will encourage development and implementation of cooperative library systems. Library services to handicapped Albertans and the provision of materials in languages other than English will also receive increased support. Efforts will be directed to providing better access for rural Albertans to collections in major libraries so that all citizens will be able to enjoy improved library and information services.

In July, the Strathcona Science Park, located on the eastern outskirts of Edmonton, will open, and by means of a series of exhibition pavilions, will promote public awareness and under-

standing of Alberta's natural resources and prehistory archaeology. For the first time in Canada, visitors will be able to watch archaeologists as they "dig" at a 4,000 year old campsite, and interpret the artifacts that come to light, in an on-site laboratory.

While continuing to give priority to the very successful marketing program "Discover Alberta Art", my government also recognizes the growing economic and social importance of our film industry. Assistance will be offered to writers of film and television scripts, producers of short films, and film societies. Increased consultative service will enhance the province's stature as a major film industry centre.

The identification, documentation, preservation and interpretation of the province's historical resources will continue. The development of a five year master plan will be undertaken in 1980 to set the priorities for the designation and development of the province's historical resources.

The vibrancy of our artistic and cultural community with its ethnic diversity will be significantly reflected in our 75th Anniversary celebrations. Our provincial support programs for performing arts continue to surpass those in other provinces.

#### **TOURISM AND SMALL BUSINESS**

To ensure that the needs of Alberta businessmen are being met, the level of support services has been expanded. Economic planning and development expertise is being provided to help communities prepare their own long term development plans.

In addition, the Alberta Opportunity Company will continue to assist Alberta businessmen where conventional financing is not available. 1979 showed a record number of loans being made to businesses throughout Alberta, mostly to firms located outside the two metropolitan centres.

The Opportunity North Conference, sponsored by the Northern Alberta Development Council, will be held in Grande Prairie in November 1980, helping to foster an increased appreciation and understanding of the needs of our citizens in Alberta's northern communities.

The contribution of the tourism industry to the diversification of Alberta's economy cannot be underestimated. It is now a billion dollar industry. The third and final year of the highly successful "Stamp Around Alberta" campaign, "Homecoming 1980", is well underway. The "destination area" program will be emphasized to assist the private sector in the expansion of tourism facilities throughout the province.

#### ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Alberta's petrochemical industry has now become a success story of the government's policy on economic diversification. The nature of this industry is to create challenging new job opportunities for our citizens. As the industry matures, small business in Alberta will be more extensively involved with new

products and new processes. New investments in the petrochemical and fertilizer industries in Alberta are forecast to amount to an additional 1.5 billion dollars during the next three years, resulting in the creation of a significant number of new jobs for Albertans.

Encouragement of high technology industries through the promotion of research and development in both the petrochemical industry and the processing of agricultural products, coupled with the ancillary industries that a strong Medical Research program attracts, will provide Albertans with entirely new and diversified fields for employment.

Implementation of the Long Range Plan of the Alberta Research Council has commenced with a reorganization of personnel into four new divisions: Natural Resources, Frontier Sciences, Energy Resources and Industrial and Engineering. Planning for its new central facility, to combine many of its present locations, will proceed. Included in this will be space for increased staff and laboratories to supplement Alberta's growing high technology industries.

Our emphasis on foreign trade efforts is rapidly expanding. As a result of my government's initiatives and efforts, almost all Canadian bound foreign trade missions now include Alberta as a key part of their itinerary.

#### **UTILITIES AND TELEPHONES**

My government will continue to shield Albertans from the rising costs of natural gas heating through provision of a new Natural Gas Price Protection Plan to be announced later this year. In the meantime, the present program will be extended beyond its termination date of March 31, 1980. A home-heating allowance will be introduced at the same time to provide assistance to those residents living in remote areas not accessible to natural gas systems. Through the Rural Gas Co-op Program, more than 165,000 rural Albertans are obtaining the benefits of efficient and cost effective natural gas. Franchise areas have now been approved for all agricultural zones in the province.

Taking advantage of new developments in telecommunications technology, continual modernization and upgrading of Alberta Government Telephones' plant and facilities is occurring.

A continuing priority will be to encourage communications and computer equipment manufacturers to locate research and development and high technology manufacturing facilities in Alberta.

#### CONSUMER AND CORPORATE AFFAIRS

The well informed consumer is our most effective regulator in the marketplace. My government's efforts will continue to emphasize consumer information and education rather than law and regulation.

The extent of government presence in the marketplace will continue to be a matter for consideration. Ongoing review of legislation and regulations will determine areas for appropriate withdrawal.

Corporate growth in Alberta was rapid and strong in 1979 and is anticipated to continue in the 1980's. A new Calgary office of the Companies Branch Information System, heralded as a leader in North America, and a new Alberta Business Corporation Act will be effective tools in meeting the challenges of the 1980's in the corporate field.

#### **GOVERNMENT SERVICES**

Efforts will be continued to improve the efficiency of common internal support services, while maintaining the most effective balance between the government's own service capability and the use of the private sector.

Contracts for computer systems development, printing, courier services, building maintenance and surplus asset auctioneering, will continue to be let to the private sector for services required by government.

#### **TREASURY**

The Budget Speech in April will reveal the current fiscal forecasts and policies of the government. Legislation to implement the first stage of the new Alberta Business Incentive Tax System will be put forward.

My government again will seek authorization for the transfer of thirty percent of our depleting non-renewable resource revenues to the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund for the Fiscal year beginning April 1, 1981. Appropriations for the Capital Projects Division of the Fund will again be presented to the Legislature in the Fall.

Amendments to the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act will be proposed to reflect the experience of four successful years of operation, and the anticipated realities of Fund management.

#### FEDERAL AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

The year 1980 could well be a time of decision for Canada. In the past few years, Canadians have been debating the issues related to national unity and the future of our country.

My government is sensitive to the deep feelings of dissatisfaction felt by many Canadians with the current operation of the federal system. Alberta will continue to work for revisions of our Constitution designed to ensure a partnership of strong provinces and a strong federal government. Since 1978 my government's position in respect to Constitutional change has been based upon the principles expressed in the position paper "Harmony in Diversity". These principles remain the policy of my government, believing that by recognizing Canada's inherent diversity, and by ensuring that all provinces may develop to their full potential, harmony will be achieved in Canada.

In conclusion, the thoughts of Albertans in this 75th Anniversary year are of thankfulness for the abundant blessings shared by our people. Marking such an occasion is more than a brief look into the past and the acknowledgement of the creative energies of our forefathers. My government believes that it is also an occasion for the ideas and initiatives from Albertans of today to set the tone for our province-wide anniversary activities. Therefore, my government's policy is to provide the greatest flexibility possible for the decision makers in cities, towns and other centres throughout Alberta to plan and develop policies, thus enabling projects of lasting value and of the greatest local and community significance to be undertaken.

Members of the Legislative Assembly: In due course you will be presented with budget proposals by my government to support these priorities and legislative initiatives, and to reflect a program, of balanced initiatives consistent with appropriate restraint in public expenditures. You will be asked to grant the necessary funds for the operating services and expenditures authorized by the Legislature and to endorse a program of capital financing for the Government of Alberta.

I leave you now to the business of the Session with full confidence that as elected representatives your debates and your votes will reflect your understanding of the public interest of all people of Alberta.

I pray for your wisdom and strength in your deliberations.

His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the Assembly.

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

Ordered, That the honourable Mr. Lougheed have leave to introduce a Bill entitled "The University Hospital Foundation Amendment Act, 1980" (Bill No. 1).

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a First time.

#### TABLING OF DOCUMENTS:

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that he had obtained a copy of the Speech of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor for the Assembly records, which was laid on the table.

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

ON THE MOTION OF THE HONOURABLE MR. LOUGHEED:

It was resolved that the Speech of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor to this Assembly be taken into consideration tomorrow (Friday).

ON THE MOTION OF THE HONOURABLE MRS. LEMESSURIER:

It was resolved that the Votes and Proceedings of this Assembly be printed, after first having been perused by Mr. Speaker, and that he do appoint the printing thereof, and that no person, but such as he shall appoint, do presume to print the same.

ON THE MOTION OF THE HONOURABLE MR. HORSMAN:

It was resolved that the Select Standing Committees for the present Session of the Legislative Assembly be appointed for the following purposes:

- (1) Privileges and Elections, Standing Orders and Printing,
- (2) Public Accounts,
- (3) Private Bills,
- (4) Law and Regulations,
- (5) Public Affairs,
- (6) The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act, and
- (7) The Offices of the Auditor General and Ombudsman.

ON THE MOTION OF THE HONOURABLE MR. STEVENS:

It was resolved that a Special Committee be appointed, consisting of seven (7) members hereinafter named; the said Committee to prepare and report, with all convenient speed, lists of Members to act on the Select Standing Committees ordered by this Assembly,

Mr. W. F. Purdy, Chairman,

Mr. E. C. Musgreave,

Dr. C. Anderson,

Mrs. C. Chichak,

Mr. N. A. Weiss,

Mr. A. W. Hyland,

Mr. R. Speaker.

The Assembly adjourned at 4:05 p.m. to Friday, March 21, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock.

#### FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

A welcome to the Assembly to Mr. Kowalski, Hon. Member for Barrhead elected in a by-election, was extended by the Honourable the Speaker and also by the Honourable Mr. Lougheed, Premier; Mr. R. Clark, Honourable Leader of the Opposition and Mr. Notley.

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer:

- —Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Clark on November 15, 1979 showing:
- 1. Does the Treasury Department Controller exercise a preaudit and control function by requiring expenditure officers to submit for prior approval, commitment documents for all proposed department expenditures?
- 2. If so, under what authorization and what procedures are in effect?
- 3. If not, is the Controller's function limited to examination of expenditure documents, to effect payment after liability has been incurred?

(Sessional Paper No. 122/80)

Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, Minister responsible for Culture:
—Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Clark on November 8, 1979 showing:

- (1) Copies of all appraisals of the Roloff Beny photographic collection, prepared for the Government of Alberta, prior to the offer to purchase that collection.
- (2) Copies of all contracts between the Government of Alberta and any parties undertaking to appraise the Roloff Beny photographic collection.
- (3) Copies of all contracts or agreements to purchase offered to Mr. Roloff Beny by the Government of Alberta.

Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier filed a copy of the appraisal letter, previously referred to in the House, prepared by Mrs. T. Clark simultaneously with the Return.

(Sessional Paper No. 116A/80)

Hon. Mr. King, Minister of Education, pursuant to Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

—The Seventy-Fourth Annual Report, 1978-1979 of Alberta Education.

(Sessional Paper No. 28/80)

Hon. Mr. Amerongen, Speaker, pursuant to Section 26 of The Ombudsman Act:

—Thirteenth Annual Report of the Ombudsman.

(Sessional Paper No. 3/80)

Hon. Mr. Amerongen, Speaker, pursuant to Section 3(2) of The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act, 1977:

—The Second Annual Report of The Chief Electoral Officer administering The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act for the period January 1, 1979 to December 31, 1979. (Sessional Paper No. 1A/80)

Under provisions of Standing Order 29, Mr. R. Clark, Honourable Leader of the Opposition requested leave to move to adjourn the Assembly to discuss a matter of urgent public importance as follows of which written notice had been given to Mr. Speaker as required by the Standing Order:

"Resolved that the matter of interest rates with regards to mortgages of principal residences for Albertans should be a matter of urgent importance to this Assembly."

Mr. Speaker having allowed debate ruled that the request for leave to move the adjournment of the Assembly for this purpose was not in order on the basis that the Motion did not meet the essential criteria of Standing Order No. 29.

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

The Hon. Mr, Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, then delivered certain messages from His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor.

Mr. Speaker read the messages to the Assembly (the Members standing).

The Provincial Treasurer then tabled a copy of the Estimates of Expenditure.

### CONSIDERATION OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S SPEECH:

Moved by Dr. Reid:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

TO HIS HONOUR, THE HONOURABLE FRANK LYNCH-STAUNTON:

"Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now Assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

A debate followed.

Mr. R. Clark moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly, having resolved on the motion of the Government House Leader that the Assembly be adjourned to Monday, March 24, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 12:12 p.m.

#### MONDAY, MARCH 24, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 201 — An Act to Amend the Individual's Rights Protection Act — Mr. R. Speaker

Bill No. 205 — An Act to Amend the Ombudsman Act — Mr. Mandeville

Bill No. 207 — An Act to Amend the Ombudsman Act — Mr. Notley

Bill No. 208 — The Freedom of Information Act — Dr. Buck

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care concerning details of a major programme of hospital construction.

(Sessional Paper No. 94/80)

Mr. R. Clark, Honourable Leader of the Official Opposition, rose to comment on the statement.

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly do resolve itself into Committee of Supply, to consider, when called, the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

Moved by Hon. Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Message of His Honour the Honourable Lieutenant Governor relating to Interim Supply and all matters connected therewith be referred to the Committee of Supply

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

#### Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration the following resolutions and reports as follows and requests leave to sit again.

RESOLVED THAT sums not exceeding the following be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 for the:

- \$ 2,660,093 Support to the Legislative Assembly vote under Legislative Assembly.
- \$ 1,958,671 Office of the Auditor General vote under Legislative Assembly.
- \$ 174,155 Office of the Ombudsman vote under Legislative Assembly.
- \$ 126,190 Office of the Chief Electoral Officer vote under Legislative Assembly.
- \$ 2,121,111 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Advanced Education and Manpower.
- \$155,920,433 Assistance to Higher and Further Educational Institutions vote under the Department of Advanced Education and Manpower.
- \$ 9,040,065 Manpower Development and Training Assistance vote under the Department of Advanced Education and Manpower.
- \$ 4,224,941 Financial Assistance to Students vote under the Department of Advanced Education and Manpower.
- \$ 6,701,205 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Agriculture.
- \$ 12,727,430 Production Assistance vote under the Department of Agriculture.
- \$ 2,948,958 Marketing Assistance vote under the Department of Agriculture.
- \$ 11,577,427 Rural Development Assistance vote under the Department of Agriculture.
- \$ 2,260,757 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Attorney General.
- \$ 8,518,854 Court Services vote under the Department of Attorney General.
- \$ 3,792,713 Legal Services vote under the Department of the Attorney General.
- \$ 1,490,940 Support for Legal Aid vote under the Department of the Attorney General.
- \$ 3,506,319 Protection and Administration of Property Rights vote under the Department of the Attorney General.
- \$ 585,803 Fatality Inquiries vote under the Department of the Attorney General.

- \$ 246,906 Crimes Compensation vote under the Department of the Attorney General.
- \$ 598,155 Public Utilities Regulation vote under the Department of the Attorney General.
- \$ 535,576 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs.
- \$ 1,073,236 Consumer Relations and Education vote under the Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs.
- \$ 1,494,198 Business Registration and Regulation vote under the Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs.
- \$ 609,971 Regulation of Securities Markets vote under the Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs.
- \$ 47,871 Rent Decontrol Administration vote under the Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs
- \$ 623,180 Departmental Support Services vote under Culture.
- \$ 6,486,317 Cultural Development vote under Culture.
- \$ 3,707,412 Historical Resources Development vote under Culture.
- \$ 1,621,865 International Assistance vote under Culture.
- \$ 23,647,891 75th Anniversary Celebrations vote under Culture.
- \$ 3,618,542 Economic Development and International Trade vote under the Department of Economic Development.
- \$ 825,000 Financing of Alberta Grain Terminals vote under the Department of Economic Development.
- \$ 2,282,666 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Education.
- \$235,987,080 Financial Assistance to Schools vote under the Department of Education.
- \$ 2,747,151 Regular Education Services vote under the Department of Education.
- \$ 2,677,257 Special Education Services vote under the Department of Education.
- \$ 3,583,834 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.
- \$ 2,327,943 Resource Evaluation and Planning vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.
- \$ 3,885,412 Minerals Management vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.

- \$ 14,533,310 Forest Resources Management vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.
- \$ 3,615,819 Public Lands Management vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.
- \$ 5,103,262 Fish and Wildlife Conservation vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.
- \$ 147,760 Oil Sands Equity Management vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.
- \$ 72,707 Foreign Ownership of Land Administration vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.
- \$ 598,666 Oil Sands Research Fund Management vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.
- \$ 843,662 Petroleum Marketing and Marketing Research vote under the Department of Energy and Natural Resources.
- \$ 1,169,733 Departmental Support Services under the Department of Environment.
- \$ 24,214,024 Pollution Prevention and Control vote under the Department of the Environment.
- \$ 6,739,258 Land Conservation vote under the Department of the Environment.
- \$ 14,603,430 Water Resources Management vote under the Department of the Environment.
- \$ 1,263,372 Environmental Research vote under the Department of the Environment.
- \$ 385,110 Overview and Co-ordination of Environment Conservation vote under the Department of the Environment.
- \$ 2,916,757 Interdisciplinary Environmental Research and Services vote under the Department of the Environment.
- \$ 973,840 Executive Council Administration vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 2,563,226 Occupational Health and Safety vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 3,513,972 Workers' Compensation vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 615,952 Support to Native Organizations vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 2,059,959 Personnel Administration vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 3,815,130 Natural Sciences and Engineering Research vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 11,320,000 Energy Resources Conservation vote under Executive Council.

- \$ 55,513 Women's Information vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 5,151,964 Multi-Media Education Services vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 683,392 Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Response vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 94,565 Public Service Employee Relations vote under Executive Council.
- \$ 1,032,773 Intergovernmental Co-ordination and Research vote under the Department of Federal and Intergovernmental Affairs.
- \$ 734,953 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Government Services.
- \$ 24,096,739 Building Operations and Maintenance vote under the Department of Government Services.
- \$ 1,071,498 Government Transportation vote under the Department of Government Services.
- \$ 840,002 Supply vote under the Department of Government Services.
- \$ 1,841,190 Public Affairs vote under the Department of Government Services.
- \$ 335,402 Computing and Systems vote under the Department of Government Services.
- \$ 7,194,650 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care.
- \$ 55,760,760 Health Care Insurance vote under the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care.
- \$202,194,530 Financial Assistance for Active Care vote under the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care.
- \$ 21,044,888 Financial Assistance for Long-Term Chronic Care vote under the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care.
- \$ 19,277,610 Financial Assistance for Supervised Personal Care vote under the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care.
- \$ 41,669,807 Financial Assistance for Capital Construction vote under the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care.
- \$ 548,460 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Housing and Public Works.
- \$ 297,000 Operation and Maintenance of Waterlines vote under the Department of Housing and Public Works.
- \$ 27,063,300 Planning and Acquisition of Accommodation vote under the Department of Housing and Public Works.

- \$ 82,168,400 Planning and Implementation of Construction Projects vote under the Department of Housing and Public Works.
- \$ 16,953,420 Policy Development and Financial Assistance for Housing vote under the Department of Public Works.
- \$ 14,557,290 Housing for Albertans vote under the Department of Housing and Public Works.
- \$ 2,146,320 Mortgage Assistance vote under the Department of Housing and Public Works.
- \$ 371,240 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Labour.
- \$ 1,294,729 Labour Relations vote under the Department of Labour.
- \$ 3,373,854 General Safety Services vote under the Department of Labour.
- \$ 220,206 Industrial Relations Adjudication and Regulation vote under the Department of Labour.
- \$ 287,414 Individual's Rights Protection vote under the Department of Labour.
- \$ 1,293,411 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Municipal Affairs.
- \$ 78,801,545 Financial Support for Municipal Programmes vote under the Department of Municipal Affairs.
- \$ 12,245,538 Alberta Property Tax Reduction Plan Rebates to Individuals vote under the Department of Municipal Affairs.
- \$ 5,035,851 Support to Community Planning Services vote under the Department of Municipal Affairs.
- \$ 4,349,809 Administrative and Technical Support to Municipalities vote under the Department of Municipal Affairs.
- \$ 276,018 Regulatory Boards vote under the Department of Municipal Affairs.
- \$ 99,000 Co-ordination of Northeast Alberta Programmes vote under the Department of Municipal Affairs.
- \$ 700,627 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Recreation and Parks.
- \$ 11,213,416 Recreation Development vote under the Department of Recreation and Parks.
- \$ 8,746,038 Provincial Parks vote under the Department of Recreation and Parks.
- \$ 14,017,885 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 61,919,042 Social Allowance vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.

- \$ 17,187,605 Child Welfare Services vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 2,294,982 Specialized Social Services vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 32,350,560 Benefits and Income Support vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 6,708,852 Vocational Rehabilitation Services vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 23,774,353 Services for the Handicapped vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 18,256,521 Treatment of Mental Illness vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 10,177,455 General Health Services vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 25,885,286 Community Social and Health Services vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 4,223,184 Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Treatment and Education vote under the Department of Social Services and Community Health.
- \$ 960,907 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of the Solicitor General.
- \$ 14,381,182 Correctional Services vote under the Department of the Solicitor General.
- \$ 18,203,267 Law Enforcement vote under the Department of the Solicitor General.
- \$ 6,921,382 Motor Vehicle Registration and Driver Licensing vote under the Department of the Solicitor General.
- \$ 674,169 Control and Development of Horse Racing vote under the Department of the Solicitor General.
- \$ 227,723 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Tourism and Small Business.
- \$ 3,489,991 Development of Tourism and Small Business vote under the Department of Tourism and Small Business.
- \$ 1,633,500 Financial Assistance to Alberta Business via Alberta Opportunity Company vote under the Department of Tourism and Small Business.
- \$ 2,102,734 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Transportation.
- \$134,846,797 Construction and Maintenance of Highways vote under the Department of Transportation.

- \$ 6,000,000 Construction and Operation of Rail Systems vote under the Department of Transportation.
- \$ 3,491,248 Construction and Maintenance of Airport Facilities vote under the Department of Transportation.
- \$ 3,275,686 Specialized Transportation Services vote under the Department of Transportation.
- \$ 43,105,161 Urban Transportation Financial Assistance vote under the Department of Transportation.
- \$ 2,293,773 Surveys and Property Acquisition vote under the Department of Transportation.
- \$ 521,519 Departmental Support Services vote under the Treasury Department.
- \$ 528,066 Statistical Services vote under the Treasury Department.
- \$ 10,988,527 Revenue Collection and Rebates vote under the Treasury Department.
- \$ 6,516,378 Financial Management, Planning and Central Services vote under the Treasury Department.
- \$ 7,143,972 Public Debt Service vote under the Treasury Department.
- \$ 33,911,629 Public Service Pension Administration vote under the Treasury Department.
- \$ 410,570 Departmental Support Services vote under the Department of Utilities and Telephones.
- \$ 19,192,775 Utilities Development vote under the Department of Utilities and Telephones.
- \$ 50,853,863 Natural Gas Price Protection for Albertans vote under the Department of Utilities and Telephones.

#### **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, unanimous consent was given to revert to the Introduction of Bills:

Upon recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 15 — The Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

CONSIDERATION OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S SPEECH:

Moved by Dr. Reid:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

TO HIS HONOUR, THE HONOURABLE FRANK LYNCH-STAUNTON:

"Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now Assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

A debate followed.

Mr. Sindlinger moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

During the course of the debate, Mr. R. Clark filed a copy of the Report on the Northern Regional Treatment Residence Peace River, Alberta.

(Filing No. 508/80)

It being 5:30 o'clock the Speaker left the Chair.

MONDAY, MARCH 24, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

# CONSIDERATION OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S SPEECH:

Moved by Dr. Reid:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

TO HIS HONOUR, THE HONOURABLE FRANK LYNCH-STAUNTON:

"Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now Assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

Mr. Hyland moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 09:50 p.m. to Tuesday, March 25, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

#### TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 2 — The Consumer and Corporate Affairs Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Koziak

- Bill No. 3 The Attorney General Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 5 The Distress of Leased Chattels Act Mr. Hiebert
- Bill No. 7 The Radiation Protection Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Diachuk
- Bill No. 10 The Colleges Amendment Act, 1980 Hon, Mr. Horsman
- Bill No. 14 The Municipal Election Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 202 An Act to Amend the Builders' Lien Act Mr. Gogo
- Bill No. 203 An Act to Amend the School Act Mr. Isley

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders".

Bill No. 5 — The Distress of Leased Chattels Act — Mr. Hiebert

Upon recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

- Bill No. 9 The Electric Power and Pipe Line Assessment Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 13 The Municipal Taxation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer:

— Annual Report, 1978-1979, Public Service Pension Board, Alberta Pension Administration.

(Sessional Paper No. 97/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer:

— Annual Report, 1978-1979, Local Authorities Pension Board, Alberta Pension Administration.

(Sessional Paper No. 96/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer:

— Annual Report, 1978-1979, pursuant to The M.L.A. Pension Act, Alberta Pension Administration.

(Sessional Paper No. 95/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 68, Section 77(2), 78(2) of The Financial Administration Act, 1977:

— Public Accounts, 1978-79, Volume I and Volume II. (Sessional Paper No. 60/80) Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 81, Section 37(2) of The Public Service Management Pension Act:

— Annual Report, 1978-1979, Public Service Management Pension Board, Alberta Pension Administration.

(Sessional Paper No. 67/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 36, Section 32(2) of the Universities Academic Pension Act:

— Annual Report, 1978-1979, Universities Academic Pension Board, Alberta Pension Administration.

(Sessional Paper No. 69/80)

Hon. Mr. Trynchy, Minister of Recreation and Parks, pursuant to Chapter 3, Section 11(3) of the Alberta Games Council Act:

— First Annual Report of the Alberta Games Council. (Sessional Paper No. 70/80)

Hon. Mr. Trynchy, Minister of Recreation and Parks, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— Fourth Annual Report, 1978-1979 of Alberta Recreation, Parks and Wildlife.

(Sessional Paper No. 71/80)

Hon. Mr. Trynchy, Minister of Recreation and Parks, pursuant to Chapter 114, Section 2(9) of The Wilderness Areas Act:

Report by the Advisory Committee on Wilderness Areas.
 (Sessional Paper No. 73/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Miller, Associate Minister of Public Lands and Wildlife, regarding the initiation of a programme of range improvement assistance on crown lands commencing in the 1980-81 fiscal year.

A statement was made by Mr. Musgreave who is Chairman of the Alberta Research Council regarding the successful negotiations between the City of Edmonton and Alberta Housing and Public Works for acquisition of one quarter section of land south of Millwoods where the new Alberta Research Facility will be located adjacent to the Edmonton Research and Development Park.

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **MOTION FOR RETURN:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS WITHDRAWN:

**101.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A copy of all correspondence and/or agreements between the government and the Gallup Poll Organization concerning G.P. 910-980 conducted in October of 1979, and a copy of all reports received by the government of Alberta from the Gallup Poll Organization concerning the poll.

#### **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

Motion No. 201 — Moved by Mr. M. Clark:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider bringing about a review of rentals under surfaces leases and orders dated before January 1, 1972, that have not been reviewed voluntarily, by introducing legislation to amend The Surface Rights Act to provide for a review of such rentals on the application of the land owner or operator.

Hon. Mr. McCrae moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Motion No. 202 — Moved by Mr. Sindlinger:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to establish a scholarship fund for students playing a sport for any university or college intercollegiate team, in order to encourage highly skilled young athletes to remain in Alberta, to develop a high level of recreational competence and expertise, and to provide a rich resource of skills and leadership for Alberta's recreation and leisure industry.

Hon. Mr. Trynchy moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Wednesday, March 26, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 12 — The University of Alberta Hospital Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Mack

Bill No. 204 — An Act to Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1975 — Mr. D. Anderson

Bill No. 215 — The Home Energy Conservation Act — Mr. Cook

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders".

Bill No. 12 — The University of Alberta Hospital Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Mack

Upon recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 4 — The Department of Government Services Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. McCrae

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture, giving the details of a new programme to assist beginning farmers in the Province of Alberta and stems from a review of the loan programmes administered by the Alberta Agricultural Development Corporation.

(Sessional Paper No. 98/80)

Dr. Buck on behalf of the Official Opposition, rose to comment on the statement.

# **ORAL QUESTION PERIOD:**

The following statement was made by the Hon. Mr. Speaker during Oral Question Period:

"In yesterday's question period the Honourable Member for Spirit River-Fairview raised a point of order in regard to remarks included in a reply by the Honourable Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care.

I have reviewed that part of yesterday's question period as it is reported in the Hansard Blues.

It appears that I reacted too severely to the intervention by the Honourable Member for Spirit River-Fairview.

It is also apparent that the Chair did not give enough consideration to part of the reply by the Honourable Minister. This refers to that part of the answer where there was gratuitous reference to the Honourable Member for Spirit River-Fairview having made certain statements to the media. The Minister's remarks in that regard were very courteous. However, the rule with regard to dragging press reports into the question period applies equally to Members who are not ministers and Members who are.

I also find, on reviewing the text, that there was nothing really objectionable in the questioning by the Honourable Member for Spirit River-Fairview, which preceded the raising of the point of order."

During the Oral Question Period Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health filed copies of the decision of the appeal board with regard to the Sunshine Day Care Centre. Also included was a copy of a Ministerial Order No. 3/80 which appointed the Appeal Board.

(Filing No. 511/80)

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

(SECOND READING)

The following Bill was read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 15 — The Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

With the unanimous consent of the Assembly, leave was granted to consider Bill No. 15 — The Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman in Committee of the Whole.

#### **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE:**

By unanimous consent the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bill was reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 15 — The Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

# CONSIDERATION OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S SPEECH:

Moved by Dr. Reid:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

TO HIS HONOUR, THE HONOURABLE FRANK LYNCH-STAUNTON:

"Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now Assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

A debate followed.

The following amendment to the Throne Speech was moved by Mr. Notley.

That the Address be amended by adding, after the words, "the present session", the words:

"but regrets the decision of Her Majesty's Government to issue Alberta Regulation 99/80, and further requests Her Majesty's Government to rescind Alberta Regulation 99/80 and reinstate the powers of the Alberta Pork Producers Marketing Board."

The question being put the amendment was defeated.

During the course of the Throne Speech Debate Mr. Notley filed copies of correspondence relating to resolutions adopted by Pork Producers in the County of Leduc; Barrhead; Daysland and Medicine Hat.

(Filing No. 512/80)

Debate on the Motion continued.

Mr. Weiss moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday, March 27, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 211 — The Temporary Rent Regulations Measures Act, 1980 — Mr. Notley

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. McCrae, Minister of Government Services, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act

Annual Report, 1978-79 of Alberta Government Services. (Sessional Paper No. 42/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENT:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Lougheed, Premier, regarding the step taken by the Provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba to proceed immediately with definitive studies to determine the feasibility of a Western Electric Power Grid.

(Filing No. 514/80)

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

# **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**102.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All reports, recommendations or written information received by the Minister of the Environment from the Hazardous Chemicals Advisory Committee regarding proposed amendments to the Hazardous Chemicals Act.

**103.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All Certificates of Variance ever issued by the Minister of the Environment pursuant to Section 4.8 of The Clean Air Act.

# **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

206. Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

BEITRESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to assist those Albertans facing hardship as a result of the renegotiation of the mortgage on their principal residence at substantially increased interest rates.

A debate followed.

Mr. Knaak moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 201 — An Act to Amend the Individual's Rights Protection Act — Mr. R. Speaker

A debate followed.

Dr. Reid moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Friday, March 28, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock.

# FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

# PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Purdy, Chairman of the Special Committee appointed to prepare and report lists of the Members to compose the Select Standing Committees of the Assembly, reported as follows (Sessional Paper No. 100/80):

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS, STANDING ORDERS AND PRINTING:

Chairman: Mr. Bradley (27 Members)

Messrs.	Anderson, C. Buck Chambers Chichak Clark, R. Crawford Gogo	Hyland Hyndman King Kowalski Leitch Little Mack	Moore Oman Paproski Payne Purdy Russell Schmidt	Shaben Sindlinger Speaker, R. Weiss Wolstenholme Young
	Gogo	WICK	Schillat	

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:

Chairman: Mr. Mandeville (31 Members)

Messrs.	Adair	Cook	Kushner	Speaker, R
	Anderson, C.	Cripps	McCrae	Stromberg
	Anderson, D.	Embury	Notley	Trynchy
			Osterman	Webber
	Campbell	Hiebert	Pahl	Weiss
	Carter	Isley	Pengelly	Woo
	Clark, L.	Knaak	Reid	Zaozirny
	Clark, R.	Kowalski	Schmid	Ž

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE BILLS:

Chairman: Mr. Zaozirny (27 Members)

Messrs.	Anderson, D.	Hiebert	Mandeville	Stewart
	Buck	Horsman	Payne	Stromberg
	Campbell	Isley	Pengelly	Thompson
	Clark, L.	Knaak	Reid	Topolnisky
	Embury	Kushner	Sindlinger	Weiss
	Fjordbotten	Lysons	Speaker, R.	Woo
	Fyfe	Magee	Stevens	

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON LAW AND REGULATIONS:

Chairman: Mr. Topolnisky (28 Members)

Messrs.	Batiuk	Diachuk	LeMessurier	Osterman
	Borstad	Fjordbotten	Lysons	Paproski
	Bradley	Fyfe	Magee	Purdy
	Buck	Gogo	Mandeville	Speaker, R.
	Campbell	Hyland	McCrimmon	Thompson
	Cook	Kroeger	Miller	Wolstenholme
	Cripps	Kushner	Notley	Woo

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC AFFAIRS:

Chairman: Mr. L. Clark

All Members of the Assembly

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE ALBERTA HERITAGE SAVINGS TRUST FUND ACT:

Chairman: Mr. Payne (14 Members)

Messrs.	Appleby Borstad	Clark, R. Fyfe	Notley Oman	Speaker, R. Stewart
	Bradley	Knaak	Pahl	
	Buck	Musgreave	Sindlinger	

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE OFFICES OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL AND THE OMBUDSMAN:

Chairman: Mr. Mack (8 Members)

Messrs. Carter Hyland Musgreave Clark, R. Little Notley	e Oman Reid
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# SPECIAL SELECT STANDING COMMITTEE ON MEMBERS' SERVICES:

Chairman: Mr. Amerongen (6 Members)

Messrs. Appleby Mandeville Purdy Wolstenholme Gogo Osterman

# NOTICE OF MOTION:

Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, gave oral notice of the following motion to be moved on Monday next:

**5.** Hon. Mr. Crawford to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the report of the Special Committee, appointed under Standing Order 46, and presented to this Assembly on 28 March, 1980 be now received and concurred in and that the Committees recommended therein be hereby appointed.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 8 — The Service of Documents During Postal Interruptions Act — Mr. Kushner

Bill No. 17 — The Motor Vehicle Administration Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. C. Anderson

Bill No. 23 — The Wildlife Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Miller

Bill No. 212 — The Utility Consumers' Advocate Act — Mr. Zaozirny

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bills were placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders".

Bill No. 8 — The Service of Documents During Postal Interruptions Act — Mr. Kushner

Bill No. 17 — The Motor Vehicle Administration Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. C. Anderson

# **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, regarding a policy change which will strengthen Alberta's long term finances and reduce a massive liability facing Alberta taxpayers in the decades ahead. This policy change will be effected by the establishment of a provincial pension fund.

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care, regarding the intention of the Government to pay off the outstanding debentures issued by hospitals and district nursing home boards throughout Alberta.

(Sessional Paper No. 99/80)

Dr. Buck, Acting Leader of the Opposition, rose to comment on both Ministerial Statements.

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill No. 15 — The Appropriation (Interim. Supply) Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

#### **ROYAL ASSENT:**

His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor having entered the Assembly and being seated on the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

The Legislative Assembly has, at its present sittings, passed a certain Bill to which, and in the name of the Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request your Honour's assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the title of the Bill that had been passed as follows:

Bill No. 15 — The Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

To this Bill the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

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

# CONSIDERATION OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S SPEECH:

Moved by Dr. Reid:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

TO HIS HONOUR, THE HONOURABLE FRANK LYNCH-STAUNTON:

"Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now Assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

A debate followed.

Dr. Buck moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

During the course of the debate, Mr. Weiss filed a can of Canadian Lake Whitefish Golden Caviar which is distributed by Freshwater Fish Marketing Corporation of Winnipeg, Manitoba. (Filing No. 515/80)

On the motion by Mr. Purdy, unanimous consent of the Assembly was granted for him to table a corrected version of the list of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees of the Assembly.

(Sessional Paper No. 100/80)

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS, ORDERS AND PRINTING:

Chairman: Mr. Bradley (27 Members)

Messrs.	Anderson, (	C. Hyland	Moore	Shaben
	Buck	Hyndman	Oman	Sindlinger
	Chambers	King	Paproski	Speaker, R.
	Chichak	Kowalski	Payne	Weiss
	Clark, R.	Leitch	Purdy	Wolstenholme
	Crawford	Little	Russell	Young
	Gogo	Mack	Schmidt	-

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:

Chairman: Mr. Mandeville (31 Members)

Messrs.	Anderson, C. Anderson, D. Buck Campbell	Embury Fjordbotten Hiebert	Kushner McCrae Notley Osterman Pahl	Speaker, R. Stromberg Trynchy Webber Weiss
	Carter Clark, L. Clark, R.	Isley Knaak Kowalski	Pengelly Reid Schmid	Woo Zaozirny

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE BILLS:

Chairman: Mr. Zaozirny (27 Members)

Messrs.	Anderson, D.	Hiebert	Mandeville	Stewart
	Buck	Horsman	Payne	Stromberg
	Campbell	Isley	Pengelly	Thompson
	Clark, L.	Knaak	Reid	Topolnisky
	Embury	Kushner	Sindlinger	Weiss
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	Fyfe	Magee	Stevens	

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Messrs.	Borstad Bradley Buck Campbell Cook	Fyfe Gogo Hyland Kroeger	Mandeville McCrimmon Miller	Paproski Purdy Speaker, R. Thompson Wolstenholme
	Cripps	Kushner	Notley	Woo

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Chairman: Mr. L. Clark

All Members of the Assembly

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE ALBERTA HERITAGE SAVINGS TRUST FUND ACT:

Chairman: Mr. Payne (14 Members)

Messrs. Appleby Clark, R. Notley Speaker, R. Borstad Fyfe Oman Stewart

Bradley Knaak Pahl Buck Musgreave Sindlinger

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE OFFICES OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL AND THE OMBUDSMAN:

Chairman: Mr. Mack (8 Members)

Messrs. Carter Hyland Musgreave Oman Clark, R. Little Notley Reid

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, that it be called 1:00 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 12:52 p.m. to Monday, March 31, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# PRESENTING PETITIONS:

Mr. Notley, honourable Member from Spirit River-Fairview, presented a petition from certain residents of Alberta regarding the expiration of The Temporary Rent Regulations Measures Act (1975, Chapter 84).

# PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Upon unanimous consent of the Assembly, Hon. Mr. Crawford moved Government Motion No. 5.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the report of the Special Committee, appointed under Standing Order 46, and presented to this Assembly on 28 March, 1980 be now received and concurred in and that the Committees recommend therein be hereby appointed.

The question being put the motion was agreed to.

Mr. Mack, Chairman of the Standing Committee on the Offices of the Auditor General and Ombudsman, presented the March 31, 1979 Report of the Auditor General, pursuant to Chapter 56, Section 19(4) of the Auditor General Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 93/80)

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 21 — The Department of Culture Act — Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 16 — The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1980 — Mrs. Fyfe

Bill No. 18 — The Hospitals and Medical Care Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Russell

Bill No. 19 — The Off-Highway Vehicle Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Harle

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 16 — The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1980 — Mrs. Fyfe

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

Annual Report for the year ended March 31, 1979 of the Alberta Hospitals and Medical Care, Health Care Insurance Plan. (Sessional Paper No. 44/80)

# **MINISTERIAL STATEMENT:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care, regarding the increase in insurance premiums and an expansion of the limits governing those citizens who are exempted from paying, or whose premiums are subsidized.

(Sessional Paper No. 101/80)

# TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, unanimous consent was given to revert to Tabling Returns And Reports:

Hon. Mr. Harle, Solicitor General, pursuant to Chapter 211, Section 25(3) of the Liquor Control Act:

— The Alberta Liquor Control Board, 55th Annual Report, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 81/80)

Hon. Mr. Harle, Solicitor General, pursuant to Chapter 308, Section 11(2) of the Racing Commission Act:

— Sixteenth Annual Report, April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979 of the Alberta Racing Commission.

(Sessional Paper No. 82/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

# **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

- **3.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:
  - 1. Notwithstanding Standing Order 18 (1) (b) and (c), and notwithstanding any other rules of debate, Mr. Speaker shall, on April 2, 1980, at 4:30 p.m., interrupt the proceedings and forthwith put the question on any sub-amendment or amendment under consideration to the motion for an Address in Reply to His Honour The Honourable Lieutenant Governor's speech and shall immediately thereafter put every question necessary to dispose of the motion.
- 2. Standing Order 5 be suspended in order that the Assembly may sit at 8:00 p.m. on the Wednesday, April 2, 1980.

The question being put the motion was agreed to.

4. Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, when the House rises at 5:30 p.m. on April 3rd, 1980, it shall stand adjourned until 2:30 p.m. on April 9th, 1980.

The question being put the motion was agreed to.

## **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 2 The Consumer and Corporate Affairs Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Koziak
- Bill No. 3 The Attorney General Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 4 The Department of Government Services Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. McCrae
- Bill No. 5 The Distress of Leased Chattels Act Mr. Hiebert
- Bill No. 8 The Service of Documents During Postal Interruptions Act Mr. Kushner
- Bill No. 12 The University of Alberta Hospital Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Mack
- Bill No. 14 The Municipal Election Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 23 The Wildlife Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Miller

# CONSIDERATION OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S SPEECH:

Moved by Dr. Reid:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

TO HIS HONOUR, THE HONOURABLE FRANK LYNCH-STAUNTON:

"Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now Assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

A debate followed.

Mr. Payne moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Tuesday, April 1, 1980.

# TUESDAY, APRIL 1, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

- Bill No. 22 The Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Pengelly
- Bill No. 24 The Gas Utilities Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 25 The Public Utilities Board Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 26 The Land Agents Licensing Act Mr. M. Clark
- Bill No. 206 The Conflict of Interest Act Mr. R. Clark

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bills were placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

- Bill No. 22 The Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Pengelly
- Bill No. 26 The Land Agents Licensing Act—Mr. M. Clark

### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Shaben, Minister of Utilities and Telephones, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly

— Annual Report 1978-1979 of Alberta Utilities and Telephones.

(Sessional Paper No. 88/80)

Hon. Mr. Harle, Solicitor General:

— Ministerial Order dated March 26, 1980 and the Report prepared by the Ombudsman on March 31, 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 302/80)

# ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **QUESTIONS:**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**104.** Mr. Notley to ask the Government the following question:

- 1. What was the original purchase price, per acre, paid by the Alberta Housing Corporation for the land involved in what is known as the "Smoky Lake Subdivision"?
- 2. What was the price of finished lots in Stage 1 of the Smoky Lake Subdivision, and what different cost elements made up the selling price?
- 3. What is the price of finished lots in Stage 2 of the Smoky Lake Subdivision and what are the different cost elements responsible for the selling price?
- 4. What is the reason for the recent escalation in lot prices in Stage 2 resulting in an addition of approximately \$2,100 per lot to the selling price?

**105.** Mr. Notley to ask the Government the following question:

- 1. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1979?
- 2. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1978?
- 3. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1977?
- 4. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1976?
- 5. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1975?

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**106.** Mr. Notley to ask the Government the following question:

- 1. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in 1979?
- 2. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in weekly newspapers in 1979?
- 3. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in daily newspapers in 1979?
- 4. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising on radio in 1979?
- 5. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising on television in 1979?
- 6. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in magazines in 1979?
- 7. How much of the advertising expenditure by the Province of Alberta in 1979 was spent in the province?
- 8. How much of the advertising expenditure by the Province of Alberta in 1979 was spent in the rest of Canada?

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

103. Moved by Mr. Notley:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All Certificates of Variance ever issued by the Minister of the Environment pursuant to Section 4.8 of The Clean Air Act.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. Cookson, was agreed to:

Delete "ever" after the word Variance. Add "since the last public tabling in the 1979 fall session" after Act.

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

**102.** Mr Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All reports, recommendations or written information received by the Minister of the Environment from the Hazardous Chemicals Advisory Committee regarding proposed amendments to the Hazardous Chemicals Act.

#### MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

Motion No. 203 — Moved by Mr. Isley:

BEITRESOLVEDTHAT, this Assembly urge the Government to have an independent study carried out to determine what impact

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- (a) the appointment of Superintendents of Schools by local school boards has had on classroom education, in general, and curriculum implementation, in particular, and
- (b) the Alberta Education Regional Offices have had on education in the Province.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 5(1) debate was adjourned with Mr. R. Clark speaking.

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Wednesday, April 2, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### **READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS:**

The following petition was read and received:

TO: The Honourable, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, in Legislature assembled:

The petition of the undersigned of the Province of Alberta humbly shows:

That, upon the final expiration of The Temporary Rent Regulation Measures Act (1975, Chapter 84), your petitioners fear that rents charged to tenants in Alberta will rise at a precipitous and burdensome rate to levels which will cause real hardship.

Wherefore your petitioners humbly pray that Your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to give consideration to the reinstitution of the provisions of and regulations attendant to The Temporary Rent Regulation Measures Act (1975, Chapter 84).

And as in duty bound your petitioners will ever pray.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 27 — The Social Care Facilities Review Committee — Mr. Gogo

Bill No. 28 — The Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Chichak

Bill No. 219 — The Tenancies of Mobile Home Sites Act — Mr. Zaozirny

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bills were placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

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Bill No. 27 — The Social Care Facilities Review Committee — Mr. Gogo

Bill No. 28 — The Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Chichak

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

# CONSIDERATION OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S SPEECH:

Moved by Dr. Reid:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

TO HIS HONOUR, THE HONOURABLE FRANK LYNCH-STAUNTON:

"Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now Assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

A debate followed.

Mr. Speaker having read out the motion and the question being put, the motion was agreed to.

### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**8.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Lougheed:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne be engrossed and presented to His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor by such Members of the Assembly as are Members of the Executive Council.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

# **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 1 The University Hospital Foundation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Lougheed
- Bill No. 7 The Radiation Protection Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Diachuk
- Bill No. 10 The Colleges Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Horsman
- Bill No. 16 The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1980 Mrs. Fyfe

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Bill No. 19 — The Off-Highway Vehicle Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Harle

On the motion for Second Reading of Bill 21 — The Department of Culture Act — Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier — a debate followed and the question being put the motion was carried. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the Motion — Total 68

Adair C. Anderson D. Anderson Batiuk Bogle Borstad Bradley Campbell Carter Chambers Chichak L. Clark Cook Cookson Crawford Cripps Diachuk **Embury** Fjordbotten Fyfe Gogo Harle Hiebert Horsman Hyland Isley Johnston King Kowalski Koziak

Kroeger

Kushner

Leitch

Lysons Mack Magee McCrae McCrimmon Miller Moore Musgreave Oman Osterman Pahl Paproski Pavne Pengelly Planche Purdy Reid Russell H. Schmid Shaben Sindlinger Stevens Stewart Stromberg Thompson Topolnisky Trynchy Webber Weiss Wolstenholme

Woo

Young Zaozirny

Little

LeMessurier
Against the Motion — Total 4

Buck Mandeville R. Clark Notley

Bill No. 21 — The Department of Culture Act — Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:20 o'clock until 8:00 p.m.

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The Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, then delivered certain messages from His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor.

Mr. Speaker then read the messages to the Assembly (the Members standing).

The Provincial Treasurer then tabled a copy of the Estimates of Expenditure.

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# **7.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the messages of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, the Estimates, and all matters connected therewith, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The question being put the motion was carried.

# **6.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly approve in general the fiscal policies of the Government.

Mr. R. Clark moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

On the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 9:12 p.m. to Thursday, April 3, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### NOTICE OF MOTION:

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given Mr. R. Clark, Honourable Leader of the Opposition, gave oral notice of the following motion designated for debate on Thursday next (April 10):

Motion No. 214 — Dr. Buck to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly deplores the invocation of the "force majeure" clause applying to the pricing agreements between the Federal Government and the oil sands companies without sufficient cause and that this Assembly expresses its determination that Alberta receive a fair price for its natural resources.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 11 — The Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

Bill No. 30 — The Hospital Debt Retirement Act — Hon. Mr. Russell

# Notice having been given:

Bill No. 20 — The Libraries Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier

Bill No. 32 — The Livestock and Livestock Products Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Stewart

Bill No. 34 — The Surface Rights Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Hyland

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bills were placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 32 — The Livestock and Livestock Products Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Stewart

Bill No. 34 — The Surface Rights Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Hyland

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health, pursuant to Chapter 16, Section 12(2) of the Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Act:

— Annual Report, April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979 of the Alberta Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Commission.

(Sessional Paper No. 74/80)

Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health, pursuant to Chapter 24, Section 5(2)(b) of The Blind Persons Act:

— Orders in Council required in Chapter 24, Section 5(2)(b).

(Sessional Paper No. 75/80)

Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health, pursuant to Chapter 85, Section 4(2) of The Disabled Persons Act:

— Orders in Councils re Agreements as required in Chapter 85, Section 4(2), R.S.A. 1955.

(Sessional Paper No. 76/80)

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Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture, pursuant to Chapter 164, Section 9(2) of The Hail and Crop Insurance Act:

— Alberta Hail & Crop Insurance Corporation, Eleventh Annual Report — Year ended March 31, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 12/80)

Hon. Mr. Johnston, Minister of Federal and Intergovernmental Affairs, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— Sixth Annual Report to March 31, 1979 of the Alberta Federal & Intergovernmental Affairs.

(Sessional Paper No. 41/80)

Hon. Mr. Amerongen, Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 100:

— Annual Report of Alberta Hansard, 1979. (Sessional Paper No. 1/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture, regarding the passing of a resolution by the Hog Marketing Council of Alberta that the implementation of Alberta Regulation 99/80 and councils directions to the Alberta Pork Producers Marketing Board of March 14, 1980 be held in abeyance until October 1, 1980 and further, they be reviewed as to intent and clarification in full consultation with the Alberta Pork Producers Marketing Board and the meat packing industry.

A statement was made by Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, Minister of Culture, regarding details of major improvements in programmes of assistance to Alberta's public libraries.

Mr. R. Clark, Honourable Leader of the Opposition, rose to comment on the statement.

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower, regarding the providing of substantial capital support to the post-secondary education system of the province.

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

# **QUESTIONS:**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**104.** Mr. Notley to ask the Government the following question:

- 1. What was the original purchase price, per acre, paid by the Alberta Housing Corporation for the land involved in what is known as the "Smoky Lake Subdivision"?
- 2. What was the price of finished lots in Stage 1 of the Smoky Lake Subdivision, and what different cost elements made up the selling price?

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- 3. What is the price of finished lots in Stage 2 of the Smoky Lake Subdivision and what are the different cost elements responsible for the selling price?
- 4. What is the reason for the recent escalation in lot prices in Stage 2 resulting in an addition of approximately \$2,100 per lot to the selling price?

# **105.** Mr. Notley to ask the Government the following question:

- 1. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1979?
- 2. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1978?
- 3. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1977?
- 4. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1976?
- 5. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1975?

# **106.** Mr. Notley to ask the Government the following question:

- 1. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in 1979?
- 2. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in weekly newspapers in 1979?
- 3. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in daily newspapers in 1979?
- 4. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising on radio in 1979?
- 5. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising on television in 1979?
- 6. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in magazines in 1979?
- 7. How much of the advertising expenditure by the Province of Alberta in 1979 was spent in the province?
- 8. How much of the advertising expenditure by the Province of Alberta in 1979 was spent in the rest of Canada?

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#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS FOR RETURNS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**102.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All reports, recommendations or written information received by the Minister of the Environment from the Hazardous Chemicals Advisory Committee regarding proposed amendments to the Hazardous Chemicals Act.

**107.** Dr Buck to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The total weight of sulphur being released daily into the atmosphere from each of the oil sands plants in Alberta.
- (2) The total weight of sulphur being released daily into the atmosphere from all industrial sources in the province.

**108.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All studies, reports and written information received by the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care concerning the existing and projected utilization patterns of the Berwyn Hospital district.

**109.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return Showing:

All submissions to the Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care from municipalities, public interest groups and interested individuals concerning the relocation of the Berwyn Hospital from Berwyn to Grimshaw.

**110.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All studies, reports and written information received by the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care regarding population projections in the Berwyn Hospital district.

# **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# **212.** Moved by Dr. Buck:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly support in principle the movement away from mandatory retirement and urge the Government to abolish mandatory retirement for public employees and consult with industry to develop alternatives for extended employment in the private sector.

A debate followed.

At 4:30 p.m., debate was adjourned, pursuant to temporary suborder 3(e) of Standing Order 8 while Mr. Magee was speaking.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 205 — An Act to Amend the Ombudsman Act — Mr. Mandeville

A debate followed.

Dr. Reid moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

During the course of the debate, Mr. Mandeville filed a copy of a letter from Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care to Mr. J. Booth regarding the Nursing Home Care — Public Inquiry.

(Filing No. 518/80)

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Wednesday, April 9, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 37 — The Unfair Trade Practices Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Koziak

Bill No. 39 — The Companies Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Oman

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 39 — The Companies Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Oman

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### TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:

Hon. Mr. Kroeger, Minister of Transportation:

— 1979 Annual Report of Pacific Western.

(Sessional Paper No. 303/80)

Mr. Musgreave, pursuant to Section 18(2) of the Research Council Act:

— 1979 Annual Report of the Alberta Research Council.

(Sessional Paper No. 6/80)

# ORDERS OF THE DAY:

### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**9.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, Mrs. Osterman be appointed, effective December 1, 1979, to the Special Select Committee on Members' Services, in place of the Hon. Mr. Planche.

A debate followed.

The question being put the motion was carried.

**6.** Moved by Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly approve in general the fiscal policies of the Government.

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Kroeger moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 5:23 p.m. to Thursday, April 10, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care, pursuant to Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

- 1978/79 Annual Report of Alberta Hospitals and Medical Care.

(Sessional Paper No. 44A/80)

Hon. Mr. Horsman, Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower, pursuant to Section 12(1) of The Alberta Education Communications Corporation Act:

— Sixth Annual Report, 1979, ACCESS.

(Sessional Paper No. 7/80)

Hon. Mr. Horsman, Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower, pursuant to Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— 1978-1979 Annual Report of Advanced Education and Manpower.

(Sessional Paper No. 8/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENT:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. King, Minister of Education, indicating that effective September 1st, 1981, what is known as the 1978 Social Studies curriculum will be mandatory throughout the Alberta school system.

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS AGREED TO:

Question: 104. (Mr. Notley).

- 1. What was the original purchase price, per acre, paid by the Alberta Housing Corporation for the land involved in what is known as the "Smoky Lake Subdivision"?
- 2. What was the price of finished lots in Stage 1 of the Smoky Lake Subdivision, and what different cost elements made up the selling price?
- 3. What is the price of finished lots in Stage 2 of the Smoky Lake Subdivision and what are the different cost elements responsible for the selling price?
- 4. What is the reason for the recent escalation in lot prices in Stage 2 resulting in an addition of approximately \$2,100 per lot to the selling price?

# Answer:

- (1) Q. What was the original purchase price, per acre, paid by the Alberta Housing Corporation for the land involved in what is known as the "Smoky Lake Subdivision"?
  - A. \$360 per acre.
- (2) Q. What was the price of finished lots in Stage 1 of the Smoky Lake Subdivision, and what different cost elements made up the selling price?
  - A. a) \$8,225 average price per lot in 1976.

b) Land Development costs Administration and	\$ 5,039 \$ 285,890
Administration and Interest costs	\$ 52,695
TOTAL COSTS	\$ 343,624

- (3) Q. What is the price of finished lots in Stage 2 of the Smoky Lake Subdivision and what are the different cost elements responsible for the selling price?
  - A. a) \$12,384 average lot price in 1978. \$16,201 — average lot price in 1980.

b)	1978	1980
Land	\$ 5,040	\$ 5,040
Development Administration and	\$ 638,806	\$ 638,806
Administration and		
Interest	\$ 40,421	\$ 139,536
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TOTAL COSTS	\$ 684,267	\$ 783,382

- (4) Q. What is the reason for the recent escalation in lot prices in Stage 2 resulting in an addition of approximately \$2,100 per lot to the selling price?
  - A. As indicated in the foregoing, the remaining lots in Stage II have been on the market for over a year and the recent lot increase reflects Alberta Housing Corporation's carrying costs only.
  - A. Alberta Housing Corporation recovers costs only and has instituted a policy whereby lot prices in all subdivisions will be adjusted quarterly to reflect interest holding costs.

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS AMENDED AND MADE AN ORDER FOR RETURN:

**106.** (Mr. Notley).

- 1. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in 1979?
- 2. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in weekly newspapers in 1979?
- 3. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in daily newspapers in 1979?
- 4. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising on radio in 1979?
- 5. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising on television in 1979?
- 6. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in magazines in 1979?
- 7. How much of the advertising expenditure by the Province of Alberta in 1979 was spent in the province?
- 8. How much of the advertising expenditure by the Province of Alberta in 1979 was spent in the rest of Canada?

With the unanimous consent of the Assembly Mr. Notley amended his Question by replacing all references to "in 1979" with "from April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979".

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

**105.** Mr. Notley to ask the Government the following question:

1. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1979?

- 2. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1978?
- 3. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1977?
- 4. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1976?
- 5. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1975?

# **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE AGREED TO:

# 107. Moved by Dr. Buck:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The total weight of sulphur being released daily into the atmosphere from each of the oil sands plants in Alberta.
- (2) The total weight of sulphur being released daily into the atmosphere from all industrial sources in the province.

# **108.** Moved by Mr. Notley:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All studies, reports and written information received by the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care concerning the existing and projected utilization patterns of the Berwyn Hospital district.

# **110.** Moved by Mr. Notley:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All studies, reports and written information received by the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care regarding population projections in the Berwyn Hospital district.

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

# **109.** Moved by Mr. Notley:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All submissions to the Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care from municipalities, public interest groups and interested individuals concerning the relocation of the Berwyn Hospital from Berwyn to Grimshaw.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. Horsman, was agreed to:

That the words "subject to the concurrence of the correspondents" be added to the end.

To which the following amendment, moved by Mr. Notley, was agreed to.

That the period of time for which submissions must be returned was defined as being that from "1975 onwards."

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**102.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All reports, recommendations or written information received by the Minister of the Environment from the Hazardous Chemicals Advisory Committee regarding proposed amendments to the Hazardous Chemicals Act.

**111.** Mr. R. Clark to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A list of all capital projects under the control of the Minister of Housing and Public Works which were completed or current during the 1979-80 fiscal year and which have overrun, or are now expected to overrun, the budget by \$500,000 or more, identifying the project, the original budget amount, the amount of the overrun, and the reason for the overrun.

# **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# **214.** Moved by Dr. Buck:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly deplores the invocation of the "force majeure" clause applying to the pricing agreements between the Federal Government and the oil sands companies without sufficient cause and that this Assembly expresses its determination that Alberta receive a fair price for its natural resources.

A debate followed.

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given to waive the provisions of temporary sub-order 3(e) debate on Motion No. 214 was continued beyond 4:30 p.m.

The question being put the Motion was carried.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 207 — An Act to Amend the Ombudsman Act (No. 2) — Mr. Notley

A debate followed.

The question being put the motion was defeated.

On motion by the Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:25 p.m. to Friday, April 11, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock.

# FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Moore, Minister of Municipal Affairs, pursuant to Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act, Section 20(2) of The Planning Act, 1977 and Section 18(2) of The Special Areas Act

Annual Report 1978-79 of Alberta Municipal Affairs.
 (Sessional Paper Nos. 53/80 and 54/80 and 55/80)

Hon. Mr. Moore, Minister of Municipal Affairs:

— Annual Report for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1979 of Alberta Disaster Services.

(Sessional Paper No. 304/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Section 34 of The Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation Act:

— Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation Financial Statements, December 31, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 57/80)

### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**6.** Moved by Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly approve in general the fiscal policies of the Government.

A debate followed.

Mr. Oman moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

During the course of the debate, Mr. Notley filed some statistical information with regard to apartment construction starts and interest rates from 1973 to 1980.

(Filing No. 521/80)

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During the course of the debate, Hon. Mr. Adair filed copies of a document entitled "A Hospital in Grimshaw — The Right Decision" containing signatures of certain Albertans.

(Filing No. 522/80)

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 1:00 p.m. to Monday, April 14, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# MONDAY, APRIL 14, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### **PRESENTING PETITIONS:**

Mr. Mandeville, Honourable Member from Bow Valley, presented the petition of over 10,000 Bow River water-users living downstream from the City of Calgary and demonstrating their concern with the pollution in the River.

#### PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Hon. Mr. Diachuk, Chairman of the Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly — Workers' Compensation, presented the Report of the Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly — Workers' Compensation, April, 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 305/80)

### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Koziak, Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, pursuant to Section 20 of The Credit and Loans Agreement Act:

— Annual report of the Supervisor of Consumer Credit pursuant to The Credit and Loans Agreements Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 17/80)

Hon. Mr. Koziak, Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, pursuant to Section 10(1) of The Public Contributions Act:

— The Public Contributions Act, 28th Annual Report, 1979. (Sessional Paper No. 18/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Section 10 of the Government Land Purchases Act:

— Report of Activities pursuant to Section 10 of the Government Purchases Act together with the Auditor General's Report containing the audited financial statements for the Land Purchase Fund for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 62/80)

Hon. Mr. Chambers, Minister of Housing and Public Works, pursuant to Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— Annual Report, 1978-79 of Alberta Housing and Public Works.

(Sessional Paper No. 47/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# **6.** Moved by Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly approve in general the fiscal policies of the Government.

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Crawford moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 11 — The Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

Bill No. 18 — The Hospitals and Medical Care Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Russell

Bill No. 20 — The Libraries Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier

Bill No. 22 — The Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Pengelly

Bill No. 30 — The Hospital Debt Retirement Act — Hon. Mr. Russell

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply, and the Speaker left the Chair.

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

## **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:30 p.m. until Tuesday, April 15, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

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# TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENT:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Diachuk, Minister Responsible for Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation, regarding the investigation by the Occupational Health and Safety Division of the accident at the McIntyre underground mine. Hon. Mr. Diachuk filed copies of "Report on an Investigation, Multiple Fatality, McIntyre Mines Ltd. — Mine No. 1765/07, Grande Cache".

(Filing No. 523/80)

#### **ORAL QUESTION PERIOD:**

During Oral Question Period Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care, filed copies of a telex from Mr. Jack Davis, President of the Alberta Hospital Association, to the Hon. Mr. Russell with regard to the last offer by the Association to the United Nurses of Alberta.

(Filing No. 524/80)

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **QUESTIONS:**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS MADE AN ORDER FOR RETURN:

## **105.** (Mr. Notley):

- 1. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1979?
- 2. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1978?
- 3. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1977?
- 4. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1976?
- 5. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1975?

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

# 102. Moved by Mr. Notley:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All reports, recommendations or written information received by the Minister of the Environment from the Hazardous Chemicals Advisory Committee regarding proposed amendments to the Hazardous Chemicals Act.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. Cookson, was agreed to:

That the words "recommendations or written information" be deleted and replaced with the words "and recommendations".

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

**111.** Mr. R. Clark to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A list of all capital projects under the control of the Minister of Housing and Public Works which were completed or current during the 1979-80 fiscal year and which have overrun, or are now expected to overrun, the budget by \$500,000 or more, identifying the project, the original budget amount, the amount of the overrun, and the reason for the overrun.

#### **MOTIONS OTHERS THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**204.** Moved by Mr. D. Anderson:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, on behalf of the people of Alberta this Legislative Assembly publicly express to Canadian Citizens in Quebec our hope that they will remain within Confederation and that we further declare our commitment to working with our fellow governments to bring about a restructured Confederation in which the unique features of each province are properly recognized and represented.

A debate followed.

The question being put the motion was carried.

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply, and the Speaker left the Chair.

TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports as follows and requests leave to sit again.

RESOLVED that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the Departments, and purposes indicated.

# DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

- \$ 6,917,170—Departmental Support Services
- \$712,662,000—Financial Assistance to Schools
- \$ 8,324,700—Regular Education Services
- \$ 8,112,900—Special Education Services

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:26 p.m. until Wednesday, April 16, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY:

# **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 24 The Gas Utilities Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 26 The Public Utilities Board Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 26 The Land Agents Licensing Act Mr. M. Clark
- Bill No. 32 The Livestock and Livestock Products Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. C. Stewart
- Bill No. 39 The Companies Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Oman

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 3 — The Attorney General Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Crawford

- Bill No. 4 The Department of Government Services Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. McCrae
- Bill No. 7 The Radiation Protection Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Diachuk
- Bill No. 11 The Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 16 The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1980 Mrs. Fyfe
- Bill No. 19 The Off-Highway Vehicle Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Harle
- Bill No. 20 The Libraries Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier
- Bill No. 22 The Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Pengelly
- Bill No. 23 The Wildlife Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Miller

The following Bills were reported as amended and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 2 The Consumer and Corporate Affairs Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Koziak
- Bill No. 14 The Municipal Election Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore

## COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain Resolutions, begs to report progress and asks leave to sit again.

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday, April 17, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

### PRESENTING PETITIONS:

Mr. Zaozirny, Chairman of the Private Bills Committee, presented the following Petitions:

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- of Roger Motut, Herve H. Durocher, Francis McMahon, Lucien Maynard, Joseph Moreau, Jean-Paul Bugeaud, Jules van Bralbant, for The La Fondation de l'Association canadienne-francaise de l'Alberta Act.
- of City of Edmonton, for The Edmonton Research and Development Park Authority Act.
- of Alberta Wheat Pool for The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980.
- of Edna Barbara Dial for the Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act.
- of R. W. Chapman, F. G. Stewart, L. H. LeRiche, R. R. Francis, E. B. McKitrick, H. McEwen, D. McPherson for The Alberta Foundation Act.
- of The Prairie Bible Institute for The Prairie Bible Institute Amendment Act, 1980.
- of Gladys Marshall for The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act.
- of Sherm Ewing, for The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act.

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. McCrae, Minister of Government Services:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on April 10, 1980 showing:
  - 1. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising from April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979?
- 2. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in weekly newspapers from April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979?
- 3. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in daily newspapers from April 1, 1979 to March 31, 1979?
- 4. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising on radio from April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979?
- 5. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising on television from April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979?
- 6. What was the total expenditure by the Province of Alberta for advertising in magazines from April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979?
- 7. How much of the advertising expenditure by the Province of Alberta from April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979 was spent in the province?

8. How much of the advertising expenditure by the Province of Alberta from April 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979 was spent in the rest of Canada?

(Sessional Paper No. 106/80)

Hon. Mr. Amerongen, Speaker:

— 1979 Annual Report of the Legislature Library.

(Sessional Paper No. 306/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **MOTION FOR RETURN:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

**11.** Mr. R. Clark to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A list of all capital projects under the control of the Minister of Housing and Public Works which were completed or current during the 1979-80 fiscal year and which have overrun, or are now expected to overrun, the budget by \$500,000 or more, identifying the project, the original budget amount, the amount of the overrun, and the reason for the overrun.

# MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

**205.** Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation to appropriate funds from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund to build a Northern Alberta Children's Hospital as a lasting tribute to Alberta's first seventy-five years.

A debate followed.

At 4:30 p.m., debate was adjourned, pursuant to temporary suborder 3(e) of Standing Order 8 while Dr. C. Anderson was speaking.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 202 — An Act to Amend the Builders' Lien Act — Mr. Gogo

A debate followed.

Mr. Knaak moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

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Oh the motion by the Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply, and the Speaker left the Chair.

THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

During consideration of the estimates for the Department of Transportation the following motion was moved by Mr. R. Speaker, Honourable Member for Little Bow:

Moved that Vote 2 be withdrawn and that the Minister be urged to bring in a revised estimate which makes greater provision for funding of primary highway systems by increasing the amount provided for that purpose by at least \$45,440,000.

A debate followed and the question being put the motion was declared defeated. The names being called for were taken as follows:

Against the Motion — Total 54

Adair C. Anderson D. Anderson Batiuk Borstad Bradley Carter Chichak L. Clark Cook Cookson Crawford Cripps Fjordbotten Fyfe Gogo Harle Hiebert Horsman Hyland Hyndman Isley Johnston Knaak Kowalski Koziak Kroeger

Leitch LeMessurier Little Magee Miller Moore Musgreave Oman Osterman Pahl Payne Pengelly Planche Reid Russell D. Schmidt Shaben Sindlinger Stewart Stromberg Thompson Topolnisky Webber Wolstenholme

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For the Motion — Total 5

Buck Notley R. Clark R. Speaker Mandeville

After some time spent therein Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows:

RESOLVED that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the Department, and purposes indicated.

## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

\$ 6,079,410—Departmental Support Services

\$393,330,917—Construction and Maintenance of Highways

\$ 12,000,000—Construction and Operation of Rail Systems

\$ 10,579,539—Construction and Maintenance of Airport Facilities

\$ 9,926,321—Specialized Transportation Services

\$123,503,853—Urban Transportation Financial Assistance

\$ 6,950,826—Surveys and Property Acquisition

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:30 p.m. until Friday, April 18, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock.

## FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 1980

The Deputy Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

## **READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS:**

On the motion by Mr. Zaozirny, Chairman of the Private Bills Committee, the following petitions were read and received:

- of Roger Motut, Herve H. Durocher, Francis McMahon, Lucien Maynard, Joseph Moreau, Jean-Paul Bugeaud, Jules van Brabant, for The La Fondation de l'Association canadienne-francaise de l'Alberta Act.
- of City of Edmonton, for The Edmonton Research and Development Park Authority Act.
- of Alberta Wheat Pool for The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980.

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- of Edna Barbara Dial for the Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act.
- of R. W. Chapman, F. G. Stewart, L. H. LeRiche, R. R. Francis, E. B. McKitrick, H. McEwen, D. McPherson for The Alberta Foundation Act.
- of The Prairie Bible Institute for The Prairie Bible Institute Amendment Act, 1980.
- of Gladys Marshall for The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act.
- of Sherm Ewing, for The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 213 — The Public Utilities Plebiscite Act — Mr. Notley

## **MINISTERIAL STATEMENT:**

A statement was made by the Hon. Mr. Diachuk, Minister Responsible for Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation, regarding the appointment of a Board of Inquiry, pursuant to Section 29 of the Occupational Health and Safety Act. The one person Board will review the circumstances surrounding the accident at the McIntyre underground mine.

(Filing No. 526/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

## **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

After some time spent therein Mr. Purdy reported as follows:

Mr Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows and requests leave to sit again:

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

\$10,860,103—Departmental Support Services

\$ 7,054,374—Resource Evaluation and Planning

\$11,773,976—Minerals Management

\$44,040,332—Forest Resources Management

\$10,957,027—Public Lands Management

\$15,464,431—Fish and Wildlife Conservation

- \$ 447,757—Oil Sands Equity Management
- \$ 220,324—Foreign Ownership of Land Administration
- \$ 1,814,140—Oil Sands Research Fund Management
- \$ 2,556,552—Petroleum Marketing and Market Research

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, that it be called 1:00 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 12:52 p.m. to Monday, April 21, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# MONDAY, APRIL 21, 1980

The Deputy Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Zaozirny, Chairman of the Standing Committees on Private Bills, presented the following report:

# Mr. Speaker:

As Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, I hereby report that Standing Order 77 concerning publications of notice of application in the Alberta Gazette and newspapers has been complied with in respect of the following petitions:

- (2) The petition of City of Edmonton, for The Edmonton Research and Development Park Authority Act.
- (6) The petition of The Prairie Bible Institute for The Prairie Bible Institute Amendment Act, 1980.

Standing Order 77 has not been complied with with respect to the following petitions:

- (1) The petition of Roger Motut, Herve H. Durocher, Francis McMahon, Lucien Maynard, Joseph Moreau, Jean-Paul Bugeaud, Jules van Brabant, for The La Fondation de l'Association canadienne-francaise de l'Alberta Act.
- (3) The petition of Alberta Wheat Pool for The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980.
- (4) The petition of Edna Barbara Dial for the Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act.
- (5) The petition of R. W. Chapman, F. G. Stewart, L. H. LeRiche, R. R. Francis, E. B. McKitrick, H. McEwen, D. McPherson for The Alberta Foundation Act.
- (7) The petition of Gladys Marshall for The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act.
- (8) The petition of Sherm Ewing, for The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act.

I move that the said petitions be referred to the Private Bills Committee for consideration pursuant to Standing Order 81(2).

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# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. PR 2 — The Edmonton Research and Development Park Authority Act — Mr. Pahl

## **MINISTERIAL STATEMENT:**

A statement was made by the Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care, announcing the appointment of Mr. Justice W. R. Brennan of the Court of Queen's Bench of Alberta to be a Public Emergency Tribunal and to make a binding arbitration award in the nurses' dispute.

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bill was read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 13 — The Municipal Taxation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Moore

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given to revert to Introduction of Bills and

Notice having been given:

Bill No. PR 6 — The Prairie Bible Institute Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Osterman

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 9 The Electric Power and Pipe Line Assessment Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 37 The Unfair Trade Practices Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Koziak

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 12 The University of Alberta Hospital Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Mack
- Bill No. 18 The Hospitals and Medical Care Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Russell

- Bill No. 24 The Gas Utilities Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 25 The Public Utilities Board Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 30 The Hospital Debt Retirement Act Hon. Mr. Russell
- Bill No. 39 The Companies Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Oman

The following Bills were reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 21 The Department of Culture Act Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier
- Bill No. 32 The Livestock and Livestock Products Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. C. Stewart

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply, and the Speaker left the Chair.

MONDAY, APRIL 21, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Purdy reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports as follows and requests leave to sit again.

RESOLVED that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the Departments and purposes indicated.

## DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

\$ 6,850,780—Departmental Support Services

\$25,814,710—Court Services

\$11,493,070—Legal Services

\$ 4,518,000—Support for Legal Aid

\$10,625,210—Protection and Administration of Property Rights

\$ 1,775,160—Fatality Inquiries

\$ 748,200—Crimes Compensation

\$ 1,812,590—Public Utilities Regulation

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The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:45 p.m. to Tuesday, April 22, 1980, at 2:30 o'clock.

## TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 1980

The Deputy Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:

Hon. Mr. Cookson, Minister of Environment, pursuant to Section 7(2) of The Environment Council Act:

— Environment Council of Alberta, 1979 Annual Report. (Sessional Paper No. 38/80)

## ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **MOTION FOR RETURN:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO:

#### **11.** Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A list of all capital projects under the control of the Minister of Housing and Public Works which were completed or current during the 1979-80 fiscal year and which have overrun, or are now expected to overrun, the budget by \$500,000 or more, identifying the project, the original budget amount, the amount of the overrun, and the reason for the overrun.

## **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

## **207.** Moved by Mr. Batiuk:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to offer more incentives to beginning farmers by establishing new or enhancing existing programs in order to offset some of the high costs of entering farming.

A debate followed.

Mr. Mandeville moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply, and the Speaker left the Chair.

TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

#### COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Purdy reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports as follows and requests leave to sit again.

RESOLVED that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the Departments, and purposes indicated.

DEPARTMENT OF ADVANCED EDUCATION AND MAN-POWER

\$ 6,427,610—Departmental Support Services

\$472,486,161—Assistance to Higher and Further Education Institutions

\$ 21,303,226—Manpower Development and Training Assistance

\$ 12,802,851—Financial Assistance to Students

## DEPARTMENT OF UTILITIES AND TELEPHONES

\$ 1,244,151—Departmental Support Services

\$ 27,236,062—Utilities Development

\$154,102,616—Natural Gas Price Protection for Albertans

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:00 p.m. to Wednesday, April 23, 1980, at 2:30 o'clock.

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 35 — The Commissioner for Oaths Amendment Act, 1980—Hon. Mr. Crawford

Bill No. 36 — The Notaries Public Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Crawford

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#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### MOTION FOR ADJOURNMENT FOR AN EMERGENCY DEBATE:

The Honourable member for Spirit River-Fairview moved, under Standing Order 29, that the Assembly adjourn to discuss a matter of urgent public importance, namely the present situation relating to discussions between the United Nurses of Alberta and the Alberta Hospital Association. Mr. Speaker ruled that the motion was in order under Standing Order 29 and asked the Assembly whether the debate should proceed. There being no member opposed, Mr. Speaker did not ask the members in favour of the motion to stand, but called upon the member for Spirit River-Fairview. Debate on the motion followed.

## **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**10.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Koziak:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Select Standing Committee on Law and Regulations meet with instructions:

(a) to give consideration to the need for the following regulations established pursuant to section 5 of the Licensing of Trades and Businesses Act, being chapter 207 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1970, as amended:

Alberta Regulation 190/78 Alberta Regulation 192/78 Alberta Regulation 195/78 Alberta Regulation 198/78 Alberta Regulation 199/78 Alberta Regulation 200/78 Alberta Regulation 204/78; and

- (b) that the Committee do meet for the purpose aforesaid at the call of the Chairman at such times and places as may from time to time be designated by him; and
- (c) that the Committee do report during this Session of this Assembly their considerations and recommendations for the need of the regulations cited.

The question being put the motion was carried.

#### COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply had had under consideration certain resolutions, reports as follows and requests leave to sit again.

RESOLVED that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the Departments and purposes indicated.

## DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE

\$ 1,888,424—Departmental Support Services

\$17,458,215—Cultural Development

\$11,234,583—Historical Resources Development

\$ 4,914,741—International Assistance

\$23,647,891—75th Anniversary Celebrations

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday, April 24, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, APRIL 24, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

## **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Amerongen, Speaker, pursuant to Section 2.1(4) of The Election Act:

— Report of the Special Committee of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta to consider the appointment or reappointment of the Chief Electoral Officer.

(Sessional Paper No. 307/80)

# ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

Motion No. 208 — Moved by Mr. Borstad:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider the introduction of incentives for doctors, dentists and other health service professionals to practice in areas away from the main population centres.

A debate followed.

At 4:30 p.m., debate was adjourned, pursuant to temporary suborder 3(e) of Standing Order 8 while Mrs. Embury was speaking.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 208 — The Freedom of Information Act — Dr. Buck

A debate followed.

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Pursuant to Standing Order 5(1) debate was adjourned with Dr. Paproski speaking.

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Friday, April 25, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock.

# FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Cookson, Minister of Environment:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on April 15, 1980, showing:

All reports and recommendations received by the Minister of the Environment from the Hazardous Chemicals Advisory Committee regarding proposed amendments to the Hazardous Chemicals Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 102/80)

Hon. Mr. Cookson, Minister of Environment:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on April 1, 1980, showing:

All Certificates of Variance issued by the Minister of the Environment pursuant to Section 4.8 of The Clean Air Act since the last public tabling in the 1979 Fall session.

(Sessional Paper No. 103/80)

Hon. Mr. Cookson, Minister of Environment:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Dr. Buck on April 10, 1980, showing:
- (1) The total weight of sulphur being released daily into the atmosphere from each of the oil sands plants in Alberta.
- (2) The total weight of sulphur being released daily into the atmosphere from all industrial sources in the province.

  (Sessional Paper No. 107/80)

## ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 17 — The Motor Vehicle Administration Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. C. Anderson

Bill No. 27 — The Social Care Facilities Review Committee — Mr. Gogo

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

After some time spent therein Mr. Purdy reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows:

RESOLVED that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981, sums not exceeding the following for the Department, and purposes indicated.

#### DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

\$10,965,280—Economic Development and International Trade \$ 2,500,000—Financing of Alberta Grain Terminals

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by the Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, that it be called 1:00 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 12:55 p.m. until Monday, April 28, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## MONDAY, APRIL 28, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 43 — The Universities Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Horsman

Bill No. 44 — The Department of Municipal Affairs Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Moore

Bill No. 45 — The School Election Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. King

Bill No. 214 — An Act to Amend the Alberta Energy Company Act — Mr. R. Clark

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

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And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply, and the Speaker left the Chair.

MONDAY, APRIL 28, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports as follows and requests leave to sit again.

RESOLVED that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the Departments and purposes indicated.

#### DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

\$ 3,544,646—Departmental Support Services

\$55,217,150—Pollution Prevention and Control

\$ 9,578,086—Land Conservation

\$39,639,498—Water Resources Management

\$ 3,105,611—Environmental Research

\$ 1,167,000—Overview and Co-ordination of Environment Conservation

\$ 8,838,658—Interdisciplinary Environmental Research and Services

DEPARTMENT OF FEDERAL AND INTERGOVERN-MENTAL AFFAIRS

\$ 3,129,615—Intergovernmental Co-ordination and Research

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:30 p.m. to Tuesday, April 29, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 226 — An Act to Amend the Expropriation Act — Mr. Purdy

Bill No. 227 — The Farm Pension Act — Mr. Notley

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENT:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health, announcing certain changes to the provincial day care policy.

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **MOTION FOR RETURN:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

**112.** Dr. Buck to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

The following information with respect to the new Provincial Courthouse in Camrose:

- (1) The legal description of the land on which the building will be located, the cost of this land, and the name of the party from whom it was purchased.
- (2) The legal description of all land owned by the Government of Alberta within the City of Camrose which is or could have been made available for the construction of a Courthouse.
- (3) The names of the architectural firms that submitted tenders for the design of the Courthouse, the amount of each tender, and the name of the firm that was awarded the contract.
- (4) The names of the contractors who submitted tenders for the construction of the Courthouse, the amount of each tender, and the name of the contractor who was awarded the contract.

## MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

Motion No. 209 — Moved by Mr. Knaak:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to consider the introduction of legislation to formally establish the entrepreneurial profession, give it self regulating

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powers, enable it to set its own standards of ethics and conduct, prescribe education or experience qualifications and provide for training and practical experience by serving a period of articling.

Mr. Knaak proposed the Motion be amended by substituting the words "business executive" for "entrepreneurial" to which unanimous consent of the Assembly was given.

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Horsman moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

During the course of the debate, Mr. Knaak filed copies of an article entitled "The Whistle Blower as Entrepreneur" by Robert Townsend.

(Filing No. 530/80)

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that, when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m., it would be in Committee of Supply and the Speaker left the Chair.

TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

## COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports as follows and requests leave to sit again.

RESOLVED that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the Departments and purposes indicated.

## DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS

\$ 2,123,112—Departmental Support Services

\$33,980,047—Recreation Development

\$22,851,571—Provincial Parks

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:10 p.m. to Wednesday, April 30, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Zaozirny, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the following report:

# Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to Standing Order 81, the Private Bills Committee has had under consideration certain petitions for Private Bills that did not comply with Standing Order 77 and recommends to the Assembly as follows:

- 1. With respect to Bill PR 8, The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act, the Committee recommends that the Legislative Assembly waive Standing Order 77 in order to allow the Bill to be introduced and proceeded with at this sitting.
- 2. With respect to Bill PR 1, The La Fondation de l'Association canadienne-française de l'Alberta Act, and Bill PR 3, The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980, the Committee recommends that Standing Order 77 be waived to permit the Bills to be introduced in the Assembly but that the Bills not be considered by the Private Bills Committee until the fall sitting.

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Chambers, Minister of Housing and Public Works, announcing the institution of eight measures designed to assist in alleviating the problems caused by the high demand of housing in Alberta. Four government departments and two crown corporations will cooperate in giving effect to establishing the Alberta Municipal Housing Incentive Program, providing financial aid to municipal non-profit housing corporations, initiating the Alberta Home Conversion Program and providing capital grants to non-profit groups sponsoring senior citizens' housing as well as those measures described in the following ministerial statements.

(Sessional Paper No. 309/80)

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Moore, Minister of Municipal Affairs, announcing further significant changes in the Renter Assistance Grant for Senior Citizens.

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health, announcing increases to the Alberta Assured Income Plan and increased support through the Assured Income for the Severely Handicapped Program.

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, announcing a new Alberta Rental Investment Incentive Program.

Mr. R. Clark, Honourable Leader of the Official Opposition, rose to comment on the four statements.

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#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, delivered certain messages from His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor:

Mr. Speaker read the message to the Assembly (the Members standing) as follows:

"The Lieutenant Governor transmits supplementary estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending March 31st, 1981, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly."

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, tabled therewith a copy of the Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure (A) 1980-81.

(Sessional Paper No. 308/80)

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bill was reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 30 — The Hospital Debt Retirement Act — Hon. Mr. Russell

#### **ROYAL ASSENT:**

His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor, having entered the Assembly and being seated on the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words: "MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

The Legislative Assembly has, at its present sittings, passed a certain Bill to which, and in the name of the Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request your Honour's assent."

The Clerk Assistant of the Assembly then read the title of the Bill that had been passed as follows:

Bill No. 30 — The Hospital Debt Retirement Act — Hon. Mr. Russell

To this Bill the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk Assistant of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

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

#### COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows: Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday, May 1, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 38 — The Alberta Property Tax Reduction Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Moore

Bill No. 41 — The Alberta Corporate Income Tax Act — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

Bill No. 42 — The Alberta Income Tax Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

## ORDERS OF THE DAY:

## **QUESTION:**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

**114.** Mr. R. Speaker to ask the Government the following question:

- (1) How many complaints dealing with offensive odors did the ERCB receive during 1979?
- (2) By what means do ERCB inspectors seek to remedy pollution problems from offending gas or oil wells, gas plants or refineries?
- (3) How many times has the ERCB closed down gas or oil wells, gas plants or refineries due to excessive emissions during 1979?

## **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

## **112.** Moved by Dr. Buck:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

The following information with respect to the new Provincial Courthouse in Camrose:

- (1) The legal description of the land on which the building will be located, the cost of this land, and the name of the party from whom it was purchased.
- (2) The legal description of all land owned by the Government of Alberta within the City of Camrose which is or could have been made available for the construction of a Courthouse.
- (3) The names of the architectural firms that submitted tenders for the design of the Courthouse, the amount of each tender, and the name of the firm that was awarded the contract.

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(4) The names of the contractors who submitted tenders for the construction of the Courthouse, the amount of each tender, and the name of the contractor who was awarded the contract.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. Chambers, was agreed to:

That item (3) be deleted and substituted with (3) The name of the architectural firm selected to carry out the design of the Courthouse.

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

**113.** Mr. R. Clark to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all agreements for any services between the Government of Alberta and Mr. James L. Foster of Red Deer, from April 1st, 1979 to March 31st, 1980 and the amount paid, or to be paid, for such services.

#### **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

Motion No. 201 — Moved by Mr. M. Clark:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider bringing about a review of rentals under surfaces leases and orders dated before January 1, 1972, that have not been reviewed voluntarily, by introducing legislation to amend The Surface Rights Act to provide for a review of such rentals on the application of the land owner or operator.

A debate followed.

At 4:30 p.m., debate was adjourned, pursuant to temporary suborder 3(e) of Standing Order 8 while Mrs. Osterman was speaking.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 203 — An Act to Amend The School Act — Mr. Isley

A debate followed.

Mr. Appleby moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Friday, May 2, 1980, at 10:00 o'clock.

## FRIDAY, MAY 2, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

- Bill No. 29 The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. PR 1 The La Fondation de l'Association Canadienne-Française de l'Alberta Act — Mr. Cook
- Bill No. PR 3 The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Lysons
- Bill No. PR 8 The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act Dr. Carter
- Bill No. 210 The Environmental Bill of Rights Act Mr. R. Clark
- Bill No. 217 The Children's Rights Act Mr. Notley

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein the Deputy Speaker assumed the Chair and Mr. Purdy reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows:

## DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES

- \$ 2,227,130—Departmental Support Services
- \$73,020,420—Building Operations and Maintenance
- \$ 3,246,965—Government Transportation
- \$ 2,545,460—Supply
- \$ 5,579,365—Public Affairs
- \$ 1,016,370—Computing and Systems

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND CORPORATE AFFAIRS

- \$ 1,622,958—Departmental Support Services
- \$ 3,252,230—Consumer Relations and Education
- \$ 4,527,872—Business Registration and Regulation
- \$ 1,848,398—Regulation of Securities Markets
- \$ 145,064—Rent Decontrol Administration

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The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by the Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, that it be called 1:00 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 12:55 p.m. until Monday, May 5, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## MONDAY, MAY 5, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 221 — The Adoptee's Origins Act — Mr. Notley

## **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Dr. Webber, Associate Minister of Telephones, pursuant to Section 23(2) of the Alberta Government Telephones Act:

— Annual Report, 1979 — AGT.

(Sessional Paper No. 90/80)

Hon. Mr. Kroeger, Minister of Transportation, pursuant to Section 35.1 of the Legislative Assembly Act:

— Annual Report 1978-1979 — Alberta Transportation. (Sessional Paper No. 85/80)

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**11.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the messages of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, the Supplementary Estimates (A), and all matters connected therewith, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The question being put, the Motion was carried.

## **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein the Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply and the Speaker left the Chair.

MONDAY, MAY 5, 1980— 8:00 P.M.

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

During consideration of the resolution dealing with the estimates of the Department of Social Services and Community Health, the following amendment was moved by Mr. R. Clark, Honourable Leader of the Opposition:

MOVED THAT the Social Services and Community Health Budget, Vote 1, Section 1.1.1., be reduced by the amount of \$31,519.00.

A debate followed.

The question being put, the Chairman declared the motion on the amendment defeated.

The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion — Total 4

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Against the motion — Total 57

Adair Isley C. Anderson Knaak Kowalski Batiuk Bogle Koziak **Borstad** Kroeger Bradley Kushner Campbell Leitch Carter LeMessurier Chichak Little L. Clark Lysons Cook Mack Cookson Magee Crawford McCrae Cripps McCrimmon Embury Miller Fjordbotten Moore Fyfe Musgreave Gogo Osterman Harle Paproski Hiebert Pengelly Horsman Planche Hyland Purdy

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Reid
Russell
H. Schmid
D. Schmidt
Shaben
Sindlinger
Stevens

Thompson Topolnisky Trynchy Webber Wolstenholme Young

And after some additional time spent in Committee, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

# Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 11:50 p.m. to Tuesday, May 6, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 48 — The Election Amendment Act — Hon. Mr. McCrae

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 49 — The Trust Companies Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Pahl

Bill No. 222 — An Act to Amend the Alberta Health Care Insurance Act — Mr. Notley

Under the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 49 — The Trust Companies Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Pahl

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

## QUESTIONS:

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS MADE AN ORDER FOR RETURN:

## **117.** (Mr. R. Clark)

(1) What action did the Solicitor General take regarding changes in personnel after he was informed by the Auditor

General that officials in the Solicitor General's Department deliberately charged costs for support services to another program when the monies voted by the Assembly for support services were found to be inadequate for the fiscal year 1978-79?

- (2) Were the three officials who left the Department subsequent to the Auditor General's discovery of the irregularities dismissed?
- (3) Are any of the persons responsible for the deliberate misallocation of funds voted by the Assembly still employed by the Solicitor General's Department?

#### Answer:

- 1. Upon the discovery of the incorrect program charges referred to in Section 4.2.7 of the Report of the Auditor General for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1979, all financial transactions in the 1978-79 period were reviewed and the Deputy Solicitor General and other senior officials were able to determine that the person or persons believed to have charged the payments to the wrong program had resigned prior to the discovery of the incorrect program charges; therefore, no further action respecting changes in personnel were made.
- 2. No officials were dismissed subsequent to the Auditor General's discovery of the incorrect program charges as the official or officials believed to have been responsible had resigned prior to the irregularities being discovered.
- 3. No person believed to be responsible for the incorrect program charges referred to in Section 4.2.7 of the Report of the Auditor General for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1979, are presently employed by the Solicitor General's Department nor are they presently employed by any other Department of the Alberta Government.

It should be noted that the person or persons responsible did not personally benefit from the incorrect program charges other than to save the work involved in seeking the Special Warrant that was requested and approved December 12, 1979 for \$138,870.00.

(Sessional Paper No. 117/80)

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

- **114.** Mr. R. Speaker to ask the Government the following question:
- (1) How many complaints dealing with offensive odors did the ERCB receive during 1979?
- (2) By what means do ERCB inspectors seek to remedy pollution problems from offending gas or oil wells, gas plants or refineries?

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(3) How many times has the ERCB closed down gas or oil wells, gas plants or refineries due to excessive emissions during 1979?

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO:

113. Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all agreements for any services between the Government of Alberta and Mr. James L. Foster of Red Deer, from April 1st, 1979 to March 31st, 1980 and the amount paid, or to be paid, for such services.

Hon. Mr. Crawford, Attorney General, tabled the reply to the Motion.

(Sessional Paper No. 113/80)

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**115.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The number of children that can be accommodated at the Branchaway Home.
- (2) The number of children that were accommodated at the Home in each of 1977, 1978 and 1979.
- (3) The vacancy rate, by month, at the Home in 1978 and 1979.
- (4) The total payments made by the Province to the Branchaway Home, by month, for 1978 and 1979.
- (5) The amount presently paid by the Province for each child at the Home.
- (6) The rate paid by the Province for empty beds at the Home.
- (7) A description of the selection process used for accommodation at the Home.

**116.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all tenders submitted for the most recently concluded contract to train Alberta Government Telephone drivers, and the name of the company that was awarded the contract.

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given it was agreed that temporary suborder 2(a) of Standing Order 8 notwithstanding the Assembly would resolve itself into Committee of Supply.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Purdy reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Wednesday, May 7, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### PRESENTING PETITIONS:

Mr. Notley, Honourable Member from Spirit River-Fairview, presented a petition of 861 citizens of the village of Berwyn and its Environs asking the Assembly to consider reviewing the announced decision to build a totally new hospital in the Town of Grimshaw and phase out the present hospital facility in Berwyn.

# PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Zaozirny, Chairman of the Private Bills Committee, presented the following report:

Pursuant to Standing Order 81, the Private Bills Committee has had under consideration certain petitions for Private Bills that did not comply with Standing Order 77 and recommends that Standing Order 77 be waived to permit the following Bills to be introduced in the Assembly but that the Bills not be considered by the Private Bills Committee until the fall sitting.

Bill No. PR 4 — The Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act

Bill No. PR 5 — The Alberta Foundation Act

Bill No. PR 7 — The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act

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# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 50 — The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Leitch

Bill No. 224 — The Solar Energy Development Act — Mr. Notley

Bill No. 228 — An Act Establishing the Right to Sunlight — Mr. Notley

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein the Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

Prior to Mr. Appleby, Chairman of Committees, reporting progress, on motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, unanimous consent of the Assembly was granted to stop the clock in order to receive the report.

On motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:33 p.m. to Thursday, May 8, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, MAY 8, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

## **READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS:**

On the motion by Mr. Notley, Honourable Member from Spirit River-Fairview, the following petition was read and received:

TO THE HONOURABLE, THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA IN LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED:

The Petition of the undersigned of the Village of Berwyn and its Environs humbly shows:

That, as a result of announced plans to build a totally new hospital in the Town of Grimshaw and phase out the present hospital facility in Berwyn.

Your petitioners fear that medical services in the area will deteriorate significantly.

Wherefore, your petitioners humbly pray that your Honourable Assembly will consider reviewing the announced decision, and the maintenance, renovating and expansion of the current Berwyn Municipal Hospital.

As in duty bound we will ever pray.

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 46 — The Societies Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Koziak

Bill No. 225 — An Act to Amend the Alberta Energy Company Act (No. 2) — Mr. Notley

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **QUESTIONS:**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS MADE AN ORDER FOR RETURN:

## **114.** (Mr. R. Speaker)

- (1) How many complaints dealing with offensive odors did the ERCB receive during 1979?
- (2) By what means do ERCB inspectors seek to remedy pollution problems from offending gas or oil wells, gas plants or refineries?
- (3) How many times has the ERCB closed down gas or oil wells, gas plants or refineries due to excessive emissions during 1979?

## **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**115.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The number of children that can be accommodated at the Branchaway Home.
- (2) The number of children that were accommodated at the Home in each of 1977, 1978 and 1979.
- (3) The vacancy rate, by month, at the Home in 1978 and 1979.
- (4) The total payments made by the Province to the Branchaway Home, by month, for 1978 and 1979.
- (5) The amount presently paid by the Province for each child at the Home.

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- (6) The rate paid by the Province for empty beds at the Home.
- (7) A description of the selection process used for accommodation at the Home.

**116.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all tenders submitted for the most recently concluded contract to train Alberta Government Telephones drivers, and the name of the company that was awarded the contract.

**118.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The number of former Alberta Health Care employees who transferred to the Solicitor General's Department during each fiscal year, 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.
- (2) From (1) above, the number who transferred to the Motor Vehicles Division in each fiscal year, 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.
- (3) The positions now held in the Solicitor General's Department by each former Alberta Health Care employee.
- (4) From (3) above, the positions now held in the Motor Vehicles Division by each former Alberta Health Care employee.
- (5) The annual turnover of employees in the Motor Vehicles Division for each fiscal year 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.
- (6) The ratio of temporary to permanent positions in the Motor Vehicles Division for each fiscal year 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, unanimous consent was given that the Assembly consider Government Business notwithstanding temporary suborder (3) (a) of Standing Order 8.

# COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows:

Resolved that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the purposes described:

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND COMMUNITY HEALTH

- \$ 42,478,440—Departmental Support Services
- \$187,633,460—Social Allowance
- \$ 52,083,650—Child Welfare Services
- \$ 6,954,490—Specialized Social Services
- \$ 98,032,000—Benefits and Income Support
- \$ 11,557,710—Vocational Rehabilitation Services
- \$ 57,426,460—Services for the Handicapped
- \$ 55,322,790—Treatment of Mental Illness
- \$ 23,962,120—General Health Services
- \$ 78,440,260—Community Social and Health Services
- \$ 12,797,527—Alcoholism and Drug Abuse—Treatment and Education

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\$ 25,376,000—Benefits and Income Support

#### DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM AND SMALL BUSINESS

- \$ 690,070—Departmental Support Services
- \$ 9,568,700—Development of Tourism and Small Business
- \$ 4,950,000—Financial Assistance to Alberta Business Via Alberta Opportunity Company

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, unanimous consent was given that the Assembly reconvene at 9:00 p.m. notwithstanding Standing Order 5.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 9:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply and the Speaker left the Chair.

THURSDAY, MAY 8, 1980 — 9:00 P.M.

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows:

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Resolved that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the purposes described:

## DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

- \$ 3,891,248—Departmental Support Services
- \$ 91,397,545—Financial Support for Municipal Programmes
- \$ 37,107,691—Alberta Property Tax Reduction Plan—Rebates to Individuals
- \$ 9,024,824—Support to Community Planning Services
- \$ 13,181,240—Administrative and Technical Support to Municipalities
- \$ 836,417—Regulatory Boards
- \$ 300,000—Co-ordination of Northeast Alberta Programmes SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE (A) 1980-81
- \$ 9,623,000—Alberta Property Tax Reduction Plan Rebates to Individuals

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On the motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 11:05 p.m. to Friday, May 9, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock.

## FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 31 — The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

#### TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Section 7 (5) of The Heritage Foundation for Medical Research Act:

— Annual Report of the Alberta Heritage Foundation For Medical Research Endowment Fund for year ended March 31, 1980.

(Sessional Paper 63/80)

Hon. Mr. Adair, Minister of Tourism and Small Business, pursuant to Section 35.1 of the Legislative Assembly Act:

— Annual Report of the Department of Business Development and Tourism Year Ended March 31, 1979.

(Sessional Paper 84/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower, providing information on a detailed review of Alberta's programs of student assistance carried out over the past two years. Following presentation of his statement, Hon. Mr. Horsman filed "A Government Response to the Report of the Task Force to Review Students' Contributions to the Costs of Post-Secondary Education" (The Grantham Report).

(Filing No. 534/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein the Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows:

Resolved that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the purposes described:

## DEPARTMENT OF HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL CARE

\$ 21,801,970—Departmental Support Services

\$168,972,000—Health Care Insurance

\$612,710,697—Financial Assistance for Active Care

\$ 63,772,389—Financial Assistance for Long-term Chronic Care \$ 58,417,000—Financial Assistance for Supervised Personal Care

\$126,272,143—Financial Assistance for Capital Construction

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, that it be called 1:00 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 12:55 p.m. to Monday, May 12, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# MONDAY, MAY 12, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 51 — The Alberta Emblems Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Osterman

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- Bill No. 52 The Amusements Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Cook
- Bill No. 55 The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. Reid
- Bill No. PR 4 The Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act Mr. Musgreave
- Bill No. PR 5 The Alberta Foundation Act Mr. Knaak
- Bill No. PR 7 The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act—Mr. Cook

Upon the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bills were placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

- Bill No. 51 The Alberta Emblems Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Osterman
- Bill No. 52 The Amusements Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Cook
- Bill No. 55 The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. Reid

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, Minister of Culture, pursuant to Section 33 of The Alberta Historical Resources Act:

— The Alberta Historical Resources Foundation Annual Report and Financial Statements, Year ending December 31, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 20/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENT:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture, announcing the details of an Alberta Emergency Stop-Loss Program for Hogs.

(Filing No. 535/80)

# ORDERS OF THE DAY:

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly agreed that when Committee of Supply has been called, that the House will stand adjourned until the Committee of Supply rises and reports.

## **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

At 5:30 p.m. the Chairman declared the Committee of Supply recessed until 8:00 p.m.

## MONDAY, MAY 12, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

#### (ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

## Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows:

Resolved that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the purposes described:

#### DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND PUBLIC WORKS

- \$ 1,767,000—Departmental Support Services
- \$ 900,000—Operation and Maintenance of Waterlines
- \$ 82,010,000—Planning and Acquisition of Accommodation
- \$205,316,000—Planning and Implementation of Construction Projects
- \$ 51,374,000—Policy Development and Financial Assistance for Housing
- \$ 44,113,000—Housing for Albertans
- \$ 12,504,000—Mortgage Assistance

# SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE (A) 1980-81

\$ 15,440,000—Policy Development and Financial Assistance for Housing

## ALBERTA HOUSING CORPORATION

\$ 9,000,000—Housing for Albertans

# ALBERTA HOME MORTGAGE CORPORATION

\$ 2,250,000—Mortgage Assistance

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 11:00 p.m. to Tuesday, May 13, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# TUESDAY, MAY 13, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 54 — The Defamation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Crawford

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- Bill No. 56 The Individual's Rights Protection Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Young
- Bill No. 57 The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE AGREED TO:

# 116. Moved by Mr. R. Speaker:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all tenders submitted for the most recently concluded contract to train Alberta Government Telephones drivers, and the name of the company that was awarded the contract.

# **118.** Moved by Mr. R. Speaker:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The number of former Alberta Health Care employees who transferred to the Solicitor General's Department during each fiscal year, 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.
- (2) From (1) above, the number who transferred to the Motor Vehicles Division in each fiscal year, 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.
- (3) The positions now held in the Solicitor General's Department by each former Alberta Health Care employee.
- (4) From (3) above, the positions now held in the Motor Vehicles Division by each former Alberta Health Care employee.
- (5) The annual turnover of employees in the Motor Vehicles Division for each fiscal year 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.
- (6) The ratio of temporary to permanent positions in the Motor Vehicles Division for each fiscal year 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

**115.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The number of children that can be accommodated at the Branchaway Home.
- (2) The number of children that were accommodated at the Home in each of 1977, 1978 and 1979.

- (3) The vacancy rate, by month, at the Home in 1978 and 1979.
- (4) The total payments made by the Province to the Branchaway Home, by month, for 1978 and 1979.
- (5) The amount presently paid by the Province for each child at the Home.
- (6) The rate paid by the Province for empty beds at the Home.
- (7) A description of the selection process used for accommodation at the Home.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, unanimous consent was given that the Assembly consider Government Business notwithstanding temporary suborder 2(a) of Standing Order 8.

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 28 The Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Chichak
- Bill No. 29 The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 31 The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 41 The Alberta Corporate Income Tax Act Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 42 The Alberta Income Tax Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply and the Speaker left the Chair.

TUESDAY, MAY 13, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Purdy reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows:

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Resolved that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981, sums not exceeding the following for the purposes described.

## DEPARTMENT OF THE SOLICITOR GENERAL

- \$ 2,911,838—Departmental Support Services
- \$ 43,579,339—Correctional Services
- \$ 55,161,414—Law Enforcement
- \$ 20,973,886—Motor Vehicle Registration and Driver Licensing
- \$ 2,042,937—Control and Development of Horse Racing

#### DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

- \$ 1,124,970—Departmental Support Services
- \$ 3,923,420—Labour Relations
- \$ 10,223,800—General Safety Services
- 667,290—Industrial Relations Adjudication and Regulation
- \$ 870,950—Individual's Rights Protection

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 11:08 p.m. to Wednesday, May 14, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

## **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 33 — The Medical Services Research Foundation Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Isley

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 33 — The Medical Services Research Foundation Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Isley

## TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:

Hon. Mr. Stevens, Minister responsible for Personnel Administration, pursuant to Section 6(2) of The Public Service Act:

— Public Service Commissioner Annual Report 1979. (Sessional Paper No. 56/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENT:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower, announcing the establishment of the 1980's Advanced Education Endowment Fund.

(Sessional Paper No. 310/80)

During the ministerial statement Hon. Mr. Horsman tabled copies of "1980's Advanced Education Endowment Fund — Policy, Guidelines, Procedures, Scope".

(Sessional Paper No. 311/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

# **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday, May 15, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **PRESENTING PETITIONS:**

Mr. Notley, Honourable Member from Spirit River-Fairview, presented a petition of 15,308 residents of Alberta regarding the expiration of The Temporary Rent Regulation Measures Act (1975, Chapter 84).

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 53 — The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2) — Hon. Mr. Leitch

Bill No. 58 — The Dependent Adults Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. Paproski

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 58 — The Dependent Adults Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. Paproski

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## TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:

Hon. Mr. Chambers, Minister of Housing and Public Works:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Dr. Buck on May 1, 1980 showing:

The following information with respect to the new Provincial Courthouse in Camrose:

- (1) The legal description of the land on which the building will be located, the cost of this land, and the name of the party from whom it was purchased.
- (2) The legal description of all land owned by the Government of Alberta within the City of Camrose which is or could have been made available for the construction of a Courthouse.
- (3) The name of the architectural firm selected to carry out the design of the Courthouse.
- (4) The names of the contractors who submitted tenders for the construction of the Courthouse, the amount of each tender, and the name of the contractor who was awarded the contract.

(Sessional Paper No. 112/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO:

119. Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

With respect to every trip made outside of Canada by employees or other persons acting on behalf of a Government of Alberta department, board, commission or agency which was paid for by public money during the fiscal year 1979-80:

- (1) The date of each trip;
- (2) The destination of each trip;
- (3) The purpose of each trip;
- (4) The name of each government employee or other person acting on behalf of the government who went on each trip; and
- (5) The total cost of each trip.

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**115.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

(1) The number of children that can be accommodated at the Branchaway Home.

- (2) The number of children that were accommodated at the Home in each of 1977, 1978 and 1979.
- (3) The vacancy rate, by month, at the Home in 1978 and 1979.
- (4) The total payments made by the Province to the Branchaway Home, by month, for 1978 and 1979.
- (5) The amount presently paid by the Province for each child at the Home.
- (6) The rate paid by the Province for empty beds at the Home.
- (7) A description of the selection process used for accommodation at the Home.

# **120.** Mr. R. Clark to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The total number of full time salaried employees for each government department and for Alberta Government Telephones as at March 31, 1979.
- (2) The total number of full time salaried employees for each government department and for Alberta Government Telephones as at March 31, 1980.

## MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

# 218. Moved by Mr. Notley:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation providing for a provincewide system of rent regulation to take effect on July 1, 1980.

A debate followed.

At 4:30 p.m., debate was adjourned, pursuant to temporary suborder 3(e) of Standing Order 8.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 204 — An Act to Amend the Highway Traffic Act, 1975 — Mr. D. Anderson

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 5(1) debate was adjourned with Mrs. Embury speaking.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

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# THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1980—8:00 P.M.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 33 The Medical Services Research Foundation Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Isley
- Bill No. 35 The Commissioner for Oaths Amendment Act, 1980—Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 36 The Notaries Public Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 38 The Alberta Property Tax Reduction Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 43 The Universities Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Horsman
- Bill No. 44 The Department of Municipal Affairs Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 46 The Societies Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Koziak
- Bill No. 48 The Election Amendment Act Hon. Mr. McCrae
- Bill No. 49 The Trust Companies Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Pahl
- Bill No. 50 The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 51 The Alberta Emblems Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Osterman
- Bill No. 54 The Defamation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 55 The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. Reid
- Bill No. 57 The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford

On the motion for Second Reading of Bill No. 50 — The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Leitch — a debate followed and the question being put, the motion was carried.

The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the Motion — Total 68

C. Anderson	Borstad
D. Anderson	Bradley
Appleby Batiuk	Buck
	Campbell
Bogle	Carter

Chambers Chichak Clark, L. Clark, R. Cook Cookson Crawford Cripps **Embury** Fjordbotten Fyfe Gogo Harle Hiebert Horsman Hyland Hyndman Isley Johnston Knaak Kowalski Koziak Kroeger Kushner Leitch LeMessurier Little Lougheed

Mack Magee McCrae McCrimmon Miller Moore Musgreave Notley Oman Osterman Pahl Paproski Payne Pengelly Planche Reid Russell D. Schmidt Shaben Sindlinger Stromberg Thompson Topolnisky Trynchy Webber Weiss Wolstenholme

Little Wolsten
Lougheed Woo
Lysons Young

Against the Motion — Total 0

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 9:58 p.m. to Friday, May 16, 1980 at 10:00 a.m.

# FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

# PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Zaozirny, Chairman of the Private Bills Committee, presented the following report:

As Chairman of the Private Bills Committee, I hereby report that the Standing Committee on Private Bills has had under consideration the undermentioned Private Bill and begs to report the same with the recommendation that it be proceeded with:

Bill No. Pr. 6 — The Prairie Bible Institute Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Osterman

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The Standing Committee on Private Bills has had under consideration the undermentioned Private Bills and begs to report the same with the recommendation that they proceed with amendments:

- Bill No. Pr. 2 The Edmonton Research and Development Park Authority Act Mr. Pahl
- Bill No. Pr. 8 The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act Dr. Carter

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

- Bill No. 6 The Gratuitous Passenger Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Zaozirny
- Bill No. 229 The Code of Ethics and Conduct Act Mr. Notley

Upon the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 6 — The Gratuitous Passenger Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Zaozirny

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 1 The University Hospital Foundation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Lougheed
- Bill No. 9 The Electric Power and Pipe Line Assessment Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 13 The Municipal Taxation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 27 The Social Care Facilities Review Committee Mr. Gogo
- Bill No. 29 The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 38 The Alberta Property Tax Reduction Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 44 The Department of Municipal Affairs Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore

- Bill No. 46 The Societies Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Koziak
- Bill No. 48 The Election Amendment Act Hon. Mr. McCrae
- Bill No. 49 The Trust Companies Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Pahl
- Bill No. 51 The Alberta Emblems Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Osterman

The following Bills were reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 17 The Motor Vehicle Administration Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. C. Anderson
- Bill No. 26 The Land Agents Licensing Act Mr. M. Clark
- Bill No. 31 The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 37 The Unfair Trade Practices Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Koziak
- Bill No. 55 The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. Reid

## (SECOND READING)

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 56 — The Individual's Rights Protection Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Young

A debate followed.

Dr. Buck moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

At 12:55 p.m., Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, moved that the Assembly adjourn until Tuesday, May 20, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 218 — An Act to Amend the School Act — Mr. R. Clark

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#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care, pursuant to section 8(2) of The Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee Act:

— Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee, 1979, Annual Report.

(Sessional Paper No. 43/80)

Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture:

— 1979 Annual Report, Farmers' Advocate.

(Sessional Paper No. 312/80)

Hon. Mr. Leitch, Minister of Energy and Natural Resources:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on April 15, 1980 showing:
  - 1. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1979?
- 2. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1978?
- 3. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1977?
- 4. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1976?
- 5. What was the total value of royalties paid by Manalta Coal Ltd. as a result of operations at their Sheerness mine in 1975?

(Sessional Paper No. 105/80)

## ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE AGREED TO:

**115.** Moved by Mr. R. Speaker:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The number of children that can be accommodated at the Branchaway Home.
- (2) The number of children that were accommodated at the Home in each of 1977, 1978 and 1979.
- (3) The vacancy rate, by month, at the Home in 1978 and 1979.
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- (5) The amount presently paid by the Province for each child at the Home.
- (6) The rate paid by the Province for empty beds at the Home.
- (7) A description of the selection process used for accommodation at the Home.

# 120. Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The total number of full time salaried employees for each government department and for Alberta Government Telephones as at March 31, 1979.
- (2) The total number of full time salaried employees for each government department and for Alberta Government Telephones as at March 31, 1980.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, unanimous consent was given that the Assembly consider Government Business notwithstanding temporary suborder 2(a) of Standing Order 8.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly agreed that when Committee of Supply has been called, that the House will stand adjourned until the Committee of Supply rises and reports.

#### COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

At 5:30 p.m. the Chairman declared the Committee of Supply recessed until 8:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports as follows.

Resolved that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the purposes described:

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

\$ 20,306,682—Departmental Support Services

\$ 34,507,363—Production Assistance

\$ 8,936,237—Marketing Assistance

\$ 35,083,113—Rural Development Assistance

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## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

- \$ 2,359,061—Executive Council Administration
- \$ 7,767,351—Occupational Health and Safety
- \$ 10,648,400—Workers' Compensation
- \$ 1,866,521—Support to Native Organizations
- \$ 6,242,301—Personnel Administration
- \$ 11,561,000—Natural Sciences and Engineering Research
- \$ 11,320,000—Energy Resources Conservation
- \$ 129,100—Women's Information
- \$ 10,303,927—Multi-Media Education Services
- \$ 1,690,500—Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Response
- \$ 286,561—Public Service Employee Relations

## TREASURY DEPARTMENT

- \$ 1,562,770—Departmental Support Services
- \$ 1,600,200—Statistical Services
- \$ 32,586,200—Revenue Collection and Rebates
- \$ 19,746,600—Financial Management, Planning and Central Services
- \$ 21,645,300—Public Debt Service
- \$102,762,511—Public Service Pension Administration

## SALARY CONTINGENCY

\$ 46,000,000—Salary Contingency

#### SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES:

Resolved that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1980 sums not exceeding the following for the purposes described:

# ATTORNEY GENERAL

\$ 13,713—Fatality Inquiries

## HOUSING AND PUBLIC WORKS

\$ 8,093,501—Housing for Albertans

# SOLICITOR GENERAL

\$ 138,870—Departmental Support Services

## TRANSPORTATION

\$ 1,800,000—Construction and Maintenance of Highways

## **TREASURY**

\$ 5,412,811—Public Debt Service

## LEGISLATION

\$ 198,343—Support to the Legislative Assembly

## ADVANCED EDUCATION & MANPOWER

- \$ 2,368,662—Assistance to Higher and Further Educational Institutions
- \$ 1,350,000—Manpower Development and Training Assistance

## **AGRICULTURE**

- \$ 13,959,000—Departmental Support Services
- \$ 250,000—Production Assistance
- \$ 500,000—Marketing Assistance
- \$ 3,465,000—Rural Development Assistance

## ATTORNEY GENERAL

- \$ 757,000—Court Services
- \$ 148,000—Fatality Inquiries
- \$ 84,000—Crimes Compensation

# CONSUMER AND CORPORATE AFFAIRS

- \$ 241,638—Business Registration and Regulation
- \$ 543,700—Regulation of Securities Markets

#### **CULTURE**

- \$ 7,000,000—Cultural Development
- \$ 245,996—Historical Resources Development
- \$ 1,530,000—International Assistance
- \$ 50,250,866—75th Anniversary Celebrations

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- \$ 271,000—Economic Development and International Trade
- \$ 7,040,000—Financing of Alberta Grain Terminals

## **EDUCATION**

\$ 65,000—Departmental Support Services

## **ENERGY & NATURAL RESOURCES**

- \$ 688,745—Departmental Support Services
- \$ 9,534,050—Forest Resources Management
- \$ 12,975—Public Lands Management
- \$ 162,231—Fish and Wildlife Conservation
- \$ 270,500—Oil Sands Research Fund Management

# **ENVIRONMENT**

- \$ 28,921,100—Pollution Prevention and Control
- \$ 34,578,060—Land Conservation

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

- \$ 350,000—Executive Council Administration
- \$ 250,000—Personnel Administration
- \$ 1,571,000—Energy Resources Conservation
- \$ 708,000—Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Response

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## FEDERAL AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

\$ 35,000—Intergovernmental Co-ordination and Research

#### GOVERNMENT SERVICES

\$ 50,000—Government Transportation

## HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL CARE

- \$ 10,151,000—Health Care Insurance
- \$ 8,537,524—Financial Assistance for Active Care
- \$ 989,998—Financial Assistance for Long-term Chronic Care
- \$ 1,000,000—Financial Assistance for Capital Construction

#### LABOUR

\$ 25,000—Individual's Rights Protection

# MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

- \$ 2,290,200—Financial Support for Municipal Programmes
- \$ 500,000—Alberta Property Tax Reduction Plan—Rebates to Individuals
- \$ 409,000—Support to Community Planning Services
- \$ 157,500—Regulatory Boards

#### RECREATION AND PARKS

- \$ 5,450,000—Recreation Development
- \$ 67,000—Provincial Parks

#### SOCIAL SERVICES AND COMMUNITY HEALTH

- \$ 731,000—Child Welfare Services
- \$ 1,139,600—Financial Assistance for Community Preventive Services

## SOLICITOR GENERAL

\$ 285,000—Departmental Support Services

# TOURISM AND SMALL BUSINESS

\$ 55,900—Development of Tourism and Small Business

#### TRANSPORTATION

- \$ 25,480,000—Construction and Maintenance of Highways
- \$ 2,000,000—Construction and Operation of Rail Systems
- \$ 1,240,000—Construction and Maintenance of Airport Facilities
- \$ 6,500,000—Urban Transportation Financial Assistance

# **TREASURY**

\$ 7,322,521—Public Service Pension Administration

Resolved that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981 sums not exceeding the following for the purposes described:

#### LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

- \$ 6,815,244—Support to the Legislative Assembly
- \$ 5,935,367—Office of the Auditor General
- \$ 527,741—Office of the Ombudsman
- \$ 382,394—Office of the Chief Electoral Officer

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 52 The Amusements Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Cook
- Bill No. 53 The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2) Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 56 The Individual's Rights Protection Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Young

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given:

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

- Bill No. 40 The Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 47 The Appropriation Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman

On motion by the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:20 p.m. to Wednesday, May 21, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### **PRESENTING PETITIONS:**

Mr. Notley, Honourable Member from Spirit River-Fairview, presented a petition of 294 forest fire fighters in the Lac La Biche area asking that consideration be given to rectifying certain work conditions.

#### PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Mack, Chairman of the Select Committee on the Offices of the Auditor General and the Ombudsman, presented the Report of the Select Committee on the Offices of the Auditor General and the Ombudsman, May, 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 313/80)

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#### **NOTICE OF MOTION:**

Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, gave oral notice of the following motion to be moved later this afternoon:

**16.** Hon. Mr. Johnston to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta welcome the results of the referendum vote in the Province of Quebec and view them as a commitment to Canada and a call for constitutional change, and urges the federal government to fulfill its promise of a renewal of Canadian federalism which will reflect the aspirations of all provinces in Canada.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 209 — The Crown Corporation and Government Agency Disclosure Act — Dr. Buck

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Harle, Solicitor General:

— 1979 Annual Report, 'K' Division RCMP GRC.

(Sessional Paper No. 314/80)

Hon. Mr. Harle, Solicitor General:

— "The straight facts about impaired driving, Check Stop" and "Some straight facts about impaired driving."

(Sessional Paper No. 315/80)

Hon. Mr. Koziak, Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, pursuant to Section 321.7 of The Alberta Insurance Act:

— Annual Report of the Alberta Automobile Insurance Board for the year ending December 31, 1979, Alberta Automobile Insurance Board.

(Sessional Paper No. 16/80)

Hon. Mr. Adair, Minister of Tourism and Small Business, pursuant to Section 9 of The Northern Alberta Development Council Act:

— Northern Alberta Development Council Annual Report, 1979-1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 25/80)

## ORDERS OF THE DAY:

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, unanimous consent was given that the Assembly consider Government Motion No. 16.

#### **16.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Johnston:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta welcome the results of the referendum vote in the Province of Ouebec and view them as a commitment to Canada and

call for constitutional change, and urges the federal government to fulfill its promise of a renewal of Canadian federalism which will reflect the aspirations of all provinces in Canada.

A debate followed.

The question being put the motion was carried.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 5:20 p.m. to Thursday, May 22, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

## **PRESENTING PETITIONS:**

Mr. Notley, Honourable Member for Spirit River-Fairview, presented a petition of 4,000 residents of Alberta regarding the expiration of The Temporary Rent Regulation Measures Act (1975, Chapter 84).

Mr. Notley, Honourable Member from Spirit River-Fairview, presented a petition of 210 residents of Alberta asking that consideration be given to rectifying certain work conditions for the forest fire fighters.

# **READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS:**

On the motion by Mr. Notley, Honourable Member from Sprit River-Fairview, the following petition was read and received:

TO: The Honourable, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, in Legislature assembled:

The petition of the undersigned of the Province of Alberta humbly shows:

That, upon the final expiration of The Temporary Rent Regulation Measures Act (1975, Chapter 84), your petitioners fear that rents charged to tenants in Alberta will rise at a precipitous and burdensome rate to levels which will cause real hardship.

Wherefore your petitioners humbly pray that Your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to give consideration to the reinstitution of the provisions of and regulations attendant to The Temporary Rent Regulation Measures Act (1975, Chapter 84).

And as in duty bound your petitioners will ever pray.

#### PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Topolnisky, Chairman of the Select Special Committee on Recreational and Commercial Fishing Industries in Alberta, presented the Report of the Select Special Committee on Recreational and Commercial Fishing Industries in Alberta, May, 1980. (Filing No. 541/80) MAY 22 123

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health, pursuant to Section 19(10) of The Municipal Debt Reduction Act:

— The Municipal Debt Reduction Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 78/80)

Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health, pursuant to Section 50(5) of The Universities Act:

— Report of Inspection — Laboratory Animal Care and Facilities, Alberta Universities, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 79/80)

Hon. Mr. Crawford, Attorney General, pursuant to Section 77(2) of The Public Service Employees Relations Act:

— Public Service Employees Relations Board, 1979-1980, Third Annual Report.

(Sessional Paper No. 26/80)

Hon. Mr. Diachuk, Minister responsible for Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation:

— Sixty Second Annual Report, The Workers' Compensation Board of the Province of Alberta for the year ended December 31, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 91/80)

Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on April 10, 1980 showing:

All studies, reports and written information received by the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care concerning the existing and projected utilization patterns of the Berwyn Hospital district.

(Sessional Paper No. 108/80)

Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on April 10, 1980 showing:

All studies, reports and written information received by the Department of Hospitals and Medical Care regarding population projections in the Berwyn Hospital district.

(Sessional Paper No. 110/80)

Hon. Mr. Chambers, Minister of Housing and Public Works:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Clark on April 22, 1980 showing:

A list of all capital projects under the control of the Minister of Housing and Public Works which were completed or current during the 1979-80 fiscal year and which have overrun, or are now expected to overrun, the budget by \$500,000 or more, identifying the project, the original budget amount, the amount of the overrun, and the reason for the overrun.

(Sessional Paper No. 111/80)

Hon. Mr. Stevens, Minister responsible for Personnel Administration:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Clark on May 20, 1980 showing:
- (1) The total number of full time salaried employees for each government department and for Alberta Government Telephones as at March 31, 1979.
- (2) The total number of full time salaried employees for each government department and for Alberta Government Telephones as at March 31, 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 120/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **MOTION FOR RETURN:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

**121.** Mr. R. Clark to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all correspondence between the Minister of Labour and Robert Lundrigan, Chairman of the Human Rights Commission, since February 5th, 1980 regarding the proposed amendments to The Individual's Rights Protection Act.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, unanimous consent was given that the Assembly consider Government Business notwithstanding temporary suborder (3) (a) of Standing Order 8.

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**13.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT,

- 1. A Select Committee of this Assembly be established to carry out a total review of the policies and legislation relating to Surface Rights in Alberta with specific instruction to:
  - (a) Review existing and proposed methods of expediting claims directed to the Alberta Surface Rights Board.
  - (b) Examine the role of appointed Surface Rights Mediators and make recommendations concerning their terms of reference and appropriate professional qualifications in the context of Surface Rights mediation.
  - (c) Review present levels of compensation to landowners and make recommendations for means by which these levels might be adjusted.

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- (d) Examine the role of landmen in Surface Rights negotiations and make recommendations concerning their terms of reference and appropriate professional qualifications.
- (e) Review Alberta Surface Rights Act, identify sections requiring amendments and make recommendations.
- 2. The Committee shall consist of the following members:
  - K. Kowalski Chairman
  - E. Borstad
  - L. M. Clark
  - S. Cripps
  - E. Isley
  - N. Magee
  - E. Musgreave
  - C. Osterman
  - R. Clark
- 3. Members of the Committee shall receive remuneration in accordance with section 59 (1) of the Legislative Assembly Act.
- 4. Reasonable disbursements by the Committee for clerical assistance, equipment and supplies, advertising, rent and other facilities required for the effective conduct of its responsibilities, shall be paid, subject to the approval of the Chairman.
- 5. The Committee is authorized to continue its deliberations after the prorogation of the 1980 Session and shall report to the Assembly no later than the end of the 1981 Session of the Legislature.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

# **14.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, when the Assembly adjourns for the summer recess, it shall stand adjourned until such time and date in 1980 as is determined by Mr. Speaker after consultation with the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

## **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 40 The Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 45 The School Election Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. King
- Bill No. 47 The Appropriation Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman

- Bill No. 58 The Dependent Adults Amendment Act, 1980 Dr. Paproski
- Bill No. PR 2 The Edmonton Research and Development Park Authority Act Mr. Pahl
- Bill No. PR 6 The Prairie Bible Institute Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Osterman
- Bill No. PR 8 The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act Dr. Carter

On the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, it was agreed that certain Bills could be advanced more than one stage this day pursuant to Standing Order 63(2).

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 28 The Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Chichak
- Bill No. 35 The Commissioner for Oaths Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 36 The Notaries Public Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 40 The Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 43 The Universities Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Horsman
- Bill No. 45 The School Election Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. King
- Bill No. 47 The Appropriation Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill No. 50 — The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Leitch

A debate followed.

The following amendment to the Bill was moved by Mr. R. Clark.

The Bill is hereby amended as follows:

- A. Section 2 is amended in the new proposed section 135.1 by adding after subsection (1)
  - (1.1) The Lieutenant Governor in Council shall not make any regulation under subsection (1) that would or could have the effect of reducing the amount of petroleum leaving the Province to a domestic purchaser to below the amount requested by that pur-

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chaser except a reduction necessitated by a limited supply of petroleum in the Province, or a physical limitation on the capacity to deliver the petroleum to the border of the Province, unless the Legislative Assembly first passes a resolution approving the regulation.

and the question being put the amendment was defeated. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the Motion — 4

Koziak

Leitch

R. Clark Notley Mandeville R. Speaker

# Against the Motion — 64

Adair LeMessurier C. Anderson Little Lougheed D. Anderson Batiuk Mack Bogle Magee Borstad McCrae Bradley McCrimmon Campbell Miller Moore Carter Chambers Musgreave Osterman Chichak L. Clark Pahl Paproski Cook Cookson Payne Crawford Pengelly Cripps Diachuk Purdy Reid **Embury** Russell Fjordbotten H. Schmid D. Schmidt Fyfe Shaben Gogo Harle Sindlinger Hiebert Stevens Stewart Horsman Hyland Stromberg Thompson Hyndman Topolnisky Islev Trynchy King Webber Knaak Kowalski Wolstenholme

The following Bill was reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

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Bill No. 50 — The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Leitch

The following Bills were reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 10 The Colleges Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Horsman
- Bill No. 41 The Alberta Corporate Income Tax Act Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 42 The Alberta Income Tax Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman

Prior to Mr. Appleby, Chairman of Committees, reporting the above Bills, unanimous consent of the Assembly was granted to stop the clock to receive the report.

At 5:35 p.m. the Speaker left the Chair.

THURSDAY, MAY 22, 1980—8:00 p.m.

# **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 58 The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2) Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 54 The Defamation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 57 The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 58 The Dependent Adults Amendment Act, 1980 Dr. Paproski
- Bill No. PR 6 The Prairie Bible Institute Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Osterman

The following Bills were reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 52 The Amusements Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Cook
- Bill No. PR 2 The Edmonton Research and Development Park Authority Act Mr. Pahl
- Bill No. PR 8 The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act Dr. Carter

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill No. 56 — The Individual's Rights Protection Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Young

A debate followed.

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The following amendment to the Bill was moved by Mr. Notley.

The Bill is amended as follows:

Section 7 is struck out and the following is substituted:

The following is added after section 11:

- **11.1** It is not a discriminatory practice for a person to adopt or carry out special programs designed to remedy patterns of limitation or denial based on race, religious beliefs, colour, sex, physical characteristics, source of income, age, ancestry, or place of origin.
- **11.2** The Commission may, on request, give assistance with regard to the adoption or carrying out of a special program in order to aid in the achievement of the identified objectives of the program.

and the question being put the amendment was defeated.

The following Bill was reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 56 — The Individual's Rights Protection Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Young

(THIRD READING)

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill No. 1 The University Hospital Foundation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Lougheed
- Bill No. 2 The Consumer and Corporate Affairs Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Koziak
- Bill No. 3 The Attorney General Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 4 The Department of Government Services Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. McCrae
- Bill No. 7 The Radiation Protection Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Diachuk
- Bill No. 9 The Electric Power and Pipe Line Assessment Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 10 The Colleges Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Horsman
- Bill No. 11 The Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 12 The University of Alberta Hospital Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Mack

- Bill No. 13 The Municipal Taxation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 14 The Municipal Election Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 16 The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1980 Mrs. Fyfe
- Bill No. 17 The Motor Vehicle Administration Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. C. Anderson
- Bill No. 18 The Hospitals and Medical Care Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Russell
- Bill No. 19 The Off-Highway Vehicle Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Harle
- Bill No. 20 The Libraries Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier
- Bill No. 21 The Department of Culture Act Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier
- Bill No. 22 The Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Pengelly
- Bill No. 23 The Wildlife Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Miller
- Bill No. 24 The Gas Utilities Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 25 The Public Utilities Board Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 26 The Land Agents Licensing Act Mr. M. Clark
- Bill No. 27 The Social Care Facilities Review Committee Mr. Gogo
- Bill No. 28 The Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Chichak
- Bill No. 29 The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 31 The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 32 The Livestock and Livestock Products Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. C. Stewart
- Bill No. 35 The Commissioner for Oaths Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 36 The Notaries Public Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 37 The Unfair Trade Practices Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Koziak

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- Bill No. 38 The Alberta Property Tax Reduction Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 39 The Companies Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Oman
- Bill No. 40 The Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 41 The Alberta Corporate Income Tax Act Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 42 The Alberta Income Tax Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 43 The Universities Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Horsman
- Bill No. 44 The Department of Municipal Affairs Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 45 The School Election Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. King
- Bill No. 46 The Societies Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Koziak
- Bill No. 47 The Appropriation Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 48 The Election Amendment Act Hon. Mr. McCrae
- Bill No. 49 The Trust Companies Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Pahl
- Bill No. 50 The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 51 The Alberta Emblems Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Osterman
- Bill No. 52 The Amusements Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Cook
- Bill No. 53 The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2) Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 54 The Defamation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 55 The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Amendment Act, 1980 — Dr. Reid
- Bill No. 56 The Individual's Rights Protection Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Young
- Bill No. 57 The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 58 The Dependent Adults Amendment Act, 1980 Dr. Paproski

- Bill No. PR 2 The Edmonton Research and Development Park Authority Act Mr. Pahl
- Bill No. PR 6 The Prairie Bible Institute Amendment Act, 1980 Mrs. Osterman
- Bill No. PR 8 The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act Dr. Carter

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# **12.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Diachuk:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the report of the Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly on Workers' Compensation be concurred in.

A debate followed.

Dr. Reid moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

His Honour, the Lieutenant-Governor, having entered the Assembly and being seated on the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

The Legislative Assembly has, at its present sitting, passed certain Bills to which, and in the name of the Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request your Honour's assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed as follows:

- 1 The University Hospital Foundation Amendment Act, 1980
- 2 The Consumer and Corporate Affairs Statutes Amendment Act, 1980
- 3 The Attorney General Statutes Amendment Act, 1980
- 4 The Department of Government Services Amendment Act, 1980
- 7 The Radiation Protection Amendment Act, 1980
- 9 The Electric Power and Pipe Line Assessment Amendment Act, 1980
- 10 The Colleges Amendment Act, 1980
- 11 The Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 1980
- 12 The University of Alberta Hospital Amendment Act, 1980
- 13 The Municipal Taxation Amendment Act, 1980
- 14 The Municipal Election Amendment Act, 1980
- 16 The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Act, 1980

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- 17 The Motor Vehicle Administration Amendment Act, 1980
- 18 The Hospitals and Medical Care Statutes Amendment Act, 1980
- 19 The Off-highway Vehicle Amendment Act, 1980
- 20 The Libraries Amendment Act, 1980
- 21 The Department of Culture Act
- 22 The Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 1980
- 23 The Wildlife Amendment Act, 1980
- 24 The Gas Utilities Amendment Act, 1980
- 25 The Public Utilities Board Amendment Act, 1980
- 26 The Land Agents Licensing Act
- 27 The Social Care Facilities Review Committee Act
- 28 The Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee Amendment Act, 1980
- 29 The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Amendment Act, 1980
- 31 The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1980
- 32 The Livestock and Livestock Products Amendment Act, 1980
- 35 The Commissioners for Oaths Amendment Act, 1980
- 36 The Notaries Public Amendment Act, 1980
- 37 The Unfair Trade Practices Amendment Act, 1980
- 38 The Alberta Property Tax Reduction Amendment Act, 1980
- 39 The Companies Amendment Act, 1980
- 40 The Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 1980
- 41 The Alberta Corporate Income Tax Act
- 42 The Alberta Income Tax Amendment Act, 1980
- 43 The Universities Amendment Act, 1980
- 44 The Department of Municipal Affairs Amendment Act, 1980
- 45 The School Election Amendment Act, 1980
- 46 The Societies Amendment Act, 1980
- 47 The Appropriation Act, 1980
- 48 The Election Amendment Act, 1980
- 49 The Trust Companies Amendment Act, 1980

- 50 The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980
- 51 The Alberta Emblems Amendment Act, 1980
- 52 The Amusements Amendment Act, 1980
- 53 The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2)
- 54 The Defamation Amendment Act, 1980
- 55 The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Amendment Act, 1980
- 56 The Individual's Rights Protection Amendment Act, 1980
- 57 The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980
- 58 The Dependent Adults Amendment Act, 1980
- PR 2 The Edmonton Research and Development Park Authority Act
- PR 6 The Prairie Bible Institute Amendment Act, 1980
- PR 8 The Stockmen's Memorial Foundation Act

To these Bills the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

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

His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to deliver the following speech:

# "MR. SPEAKER:

# MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

I can see by the hurry that you all want to get away on this recess, so I'm not going to say very much. But I want to thank you for your efforts. By the number of Bills, I can see you've had a very busy session.

I hope you have some time for recreation and play during your summer recess, but I imagine you will be fairly busy even then. So I want to thank you very much.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly was adjourned for the summer recess at 10:10 p.m.

# **FALL SITTING**

OCTOBER 20, 1980 TO MARCH 30, 1981

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### PRIVILEGE:

Mr. Sindlinger, Honourable Member for Calgary-Buffalo rose on a point of privilege regarding the recent termination of his membership in the Progressive Conservative caucus and outlined to the Assembly certain views relating to that event.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

On motion by Hon. Mr. Johnston, Minister of Federal and Intergovernmental Affairs unanimous consent of the Assembly was given for the introduction of a bill S.O. 36(1)(8) notwithstanding.

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been waived by unanimous consent:

Bill No. 60 — The Referendum Act — Hon. Mr. Johnston

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Leitch, Minister of Energy and Natural Resources:

— Alberta's "Energy Package" Proposal Including Commitments for Canadian Energy Self-Sufficiency, July 25, 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 316/80)

Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on April 10, 1980 showing:

All submissions from 1975 onwards to the Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care from municipalities, public interest groups and interested individuals concerning the relocation of the Berwyn Hospital from Berwyn to Grimshaw subject to the concurrence of the correspondents.

(Sessional Paper No. 109/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

## **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**15.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Lougheed:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly approve in general the operations of the government since the adjournment of the Spring Sitting.

A debate followed.

Mr. R. Clark moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader the Assembly adjourned at 5:05 p.m. to Tuesday, October 21, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, Minister of Culture, pursuant to Chapter 14, Section 10(2) of The Alberta Art Foundation Act:

— Alberta Art Foundation Annual Report 1979-80.

(Sessional Paper No. 19/80)

Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, Minister of Culture, pursuant to Chapter 35, Section 20(2) of The Glenbow-Alberta Institute Act:

— Glenbow-Alberta Institute Fourteenth Annual Report, 1980. (Sessional Paper No. 22/80)

Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, Minister of Culture:

— Second Annual Report, Alberta Library Board, 1979-80. (Sessional Paper No. 317/80)

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### WITHDRAWAL OF MOTION:

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given the following motion standing on the Order Paper in the name of Mr. R. Clark was withdrawn:

Motion No. 206 — Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to assist those Albertans facing hardship as a result of the renegotiation of the mortgage on their principal residence at substantially increased interest rates.

Adjourned debate: Mr. Knaak.

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE AGREED TO:

**1 2 2** . Moved by Dr. Buck:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The total number of full-time permanent female employees of the Government of Alberta as at March 31, 1980.
- (2) The average salary for all employees referred to in (1).
- (3) The total number of full-time permanent male employees of the Government of Alberta as at March 31, 1980.
- (4) The average salary for all employees referred to in (3).

# **1 2 4** . Moved by Dr. Buck:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

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- (1) The total number of full-time permanent female employees of the Government of Alberta as at March 31, 1979.
- (2) The average salary for all employees referred to in (1).
- (3) The total number of full-time permanent male employees of the Government of Alberta as at March 31, 1979.
- (4) The average salary for all employees referred to in (3).

## THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

## 123. Moved by Dr. Buck:

That an Order of Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (1) The number of parcels of land within the boundaries of the Edmonton Restricted Development Area purchased or optioned during the period between April 1, 1979 and March 31, 1980 by or on behalf of the Government of Alberta.
- (2) The legal description of land enumerated in (1), and the names of the vendors of such parcels.
- (3) The amount paid for each parcel of land enumerated in (1).

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. Cookson, was agreed to:

That the words "or optioned" be deleted from section (1) following "purchased".

# THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS DEFEATED:

# 121. Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all correspondence between the Minister of Labour and Robert Lundrigan, Chairman of the Human Rights Commission since February 5th, 1980 regarding the proposed amendments to The Individual's Rights Protection Act.

A debate followed and the question being put the motion was declared defeated. The names being called for were taken as follows:

## Against the Motion — Total 58

C. Anderson Kowalski D. Anderson Koziak Batiuk Kroeger Bogle Kushner Borstad Lysons Bradley Mack Campbell Magee Carter McCrae Chambers McCrimmon Chichak Miller L. Clark Musgreave Cook Oman Cookson Osterman

Pahl Crawford Paproski Cripps Pengelly Diachuk Purdy **Embury** Fjordbotten Reid Fyfe Russell Gogo D. Schmidt Shaben Harle Stewart Hiebert Horsman Thompson Topolnisky Hyland Hyndman Webber Weiss Islev

Johnston Wolstenholme

King Woo Knaak Young

For the Motion — Total 6

Buck Notley
R. Clark R. Speaker
Mandeville Sindlinger

## MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

Motion No. 202 — Moved by Mr. Sindlinger:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, The Legislative Assembly urge the Government to establish a scholarship fund for students playing a sport for any university or college intercollegiate team, in order to encourage highly skilled young athletes to remain in Alberta, to develop a high level of recreational competence and expertise, and to provide a rich resource of skills and leadership for Alberta's recreation and leisure industry.

A debate followed.

Mrs. Embury moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

Motion No. 210 — Moved by Mr. Hiebert:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to undertake a study to determine the feasibility of establishing a Science Centre for Alberta.

A debate followed.

Dr. Buck moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Wednesday, October 22, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 59	<ul> <li>The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Special Appropriation Act, 1981-82 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman</li> </ul>
Bill No. 72	<ul> <li>The Department of Transportation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Kroeger</li> </ul>

# Notice having been given:

Notice having been given:	
Bill No. 61	<ul> <li>The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Fyfe</li> </ul>
Bill No. 64	<ul> <li>The Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Harle</li> </ul>
Bill No. 66	<ul> <li>The Students Loan Guarantee Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Hiebert</li> </ul>
Bill No. 70	<ul> <li>The Agricultural Statutes Amendment Act, 1980</li> <li>Mr. Campbell</li> </ul>

Upon the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bills were placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 61	<ul> <li>The Reciprocal Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Fyfe</li> </ul>
Bill No. 66	<ul> <li>The Students Loan Guarantee Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Hiebert</li> </ul>
Bill No. 70	<ul> <li>The Agricultural Statutes Amendment Act, 1980</li> <li>Mr. Campbell</li> </ul>

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 68, Section 10 of The Co-operative Marketing Associations and Rural Utilities Guarantee Act:

— Annual Report, The Co-operative Marketing Associations and Rural Utilities Guarantee Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 59/80)

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

# **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**15.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Lougheed:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly approve in general the operations of the government since the adjournment of the Spring Sitting.

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Bogle moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday, October 23, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 65 — The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Shaben

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 62	<ul> <li>The Petroleum Marketing Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Leitch</li> </ul>
Bill No. 63	<ul> <li>The Natural Gas Price Administration Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Leitch</li> </ul>
Bill No. 67	— The Students Finance Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Knaak
Bill No. 69	— The Irrigation Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Thompson

Upon the motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the following Bills were placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 67	<ul> <li>The Students Finance Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Knaak</li> </ul>
Bill No. 69	<ul> <li>The Irrigation Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Thompson</li> </ul>

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture, outlining plans for the construction of a \$7.7 million food processing development center to be located in Leduc, with completion scheduled for the summer of 1983.

(Sessional Paper 318/80)

# ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**125.** Mr. R. Clark to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

The cost of the eleven-day tour taken by Mrs. Chichak, Mr. Hyland and Mr. Batiuk to study European irrigation facilities in September 1980.

**126.** Mr. R. Clark to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return Showing:

- (a) A copy of the agreement between the Law Society of Alberta and the Attorney General regarding the establishing of the Legal Aid Plan.
- (b) A copy of the agreement between the Government of Alberta and the Law Society of Alberta regarding Legal Aid which came into effect on February 13, 1979.

# **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

Motion No. 221 — Moved by Mr. R. Speaker:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly express its commitment to the public, private and non-profit quality day care facilities by urging the Government to:

- (a) provide support services to day care centres;
- (b) provide incentives to encourage more quality day care services;
- (c) cooperate with local authorities to develop a day care policy that would leave more control in the hands of the communities represented by the local authorities; and
- (d) promote day care service as a preventive measure.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to temporary Sub Order 3(f) of Standing Order 8 debate was adjourned with Mrs. Fyfe speaking.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill now be read a Second time: Bill No. 215 — The Home Energy Conservation Act — Mr. Cook A debate followed.

Mr. Notley moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to. On motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Friday, October 24, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1980

#### **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 234 — An Act to Amend the Child Welfare Act — Mr. R. Speaker

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon Mrs LeMessurier Minister of Culture pursuant to Chapter 82, Section 18 (2) of The Cultural Development Act:

— The Alberta Cultural Heritage Foundation Annual Report 1979-80. (Sessional Paper No. 21/80)

Hon. Mr. Shaben, Minister of Utilities & Telephones pursuant to Chapter 83, Section 34 (7) of The Rural Gas Act:

— Gas Alberta Operating Fund Financial Statements March 31, 1980. (Sessional Paper No 89/80)

Hon. Mr. Shaben, Minister of Utilities & Telephones, pursuant to Chapter 83, Section 34 (7) of The Rural Gas Act:

— Supplemental Report Gas Alberta Operating Fund March 31, 1980. (Sessional Paper No. 89A/80)

Hon. Dr. Webber, Associate Minister of Telephones:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Speaker on May 13, 1980 showing:

Copies of all tenders submitted for the most recently concluded contract to train Alberta Government Telephones drivers, and the name of the company that was awarded the contract.

(Sessional Paper No 116A/80)

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, delivered certain messages from His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor:

Mr. Speaker read the messages to the Assembly (the Members standing) as follows:

"The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required from The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund for the twelve months ended March 31, 1982, for the purpose of making investments pursuant to section 6(1)(a) of The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act in projects which will provide long-term economic or social benefits to the people of Alberta, but which will not by their nature yield a return to the Trust Fund, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly."

"The Lieutenant Governor transmits supplementary estimates of certain additional sums, not otherwise provided for, required from The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund for the twelve months ended March 31, 1981 for the purpose of making investments pursuant to section 6(1)(a) of The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act in projects which will provide long-term economic or social benefits to the people of Alberta, but which will not by their nature yield a return to the Trust Fund, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly."

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, tabled therewith a copy of The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Capital Projects Division, 1981-82 Estimates of Proposed Investments (Sessional Paper 319/80) and a copy of The Alberta Savings Trust Fund Capital Projects Division, Supplementary Estimates of Investment (A) 1980-81.

(Sessional Paper No 320/80)

# **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# **15.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Lougheed:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly approve in general the operations of the government since the adjournment of the Spring Sitting. A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Horsman moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader that it be called 1:00 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 12:55 p.m. to Monday, October 27, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 71 — The Natural Gas Rebates Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Shaben

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 75	— The Liquor Control Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Harle
Bill No. 76	— The Rural Gas Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Batiuk
Bill No. 223	— The Small Business Development Corporation Act — Mr. Zaozirny
Bill No. 233	<ul> <li>An Act to Amend the Child Welfare Act (No 2)</li> <li>Mr. R. Speaker</li> </ul>

Upon the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 76 — The Rural Gas Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Batiuk

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, on behalf of the President of the Executive Council, Hon. Mr. Lougheed, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 59(1.2)of the Legislative Assembly Act:

— Report Pursuant to Section 59(1.2) of The Legislative Assembly Act Year Ended 31-Mar.-80.

(Sessional Paper No. 5/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 45, Section 14(4) of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— Report Pursuant to Section 14(4) of The Legislative Assembly Act Year Ended 31-Mar.-80.

(Sessional Paper No. 65/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Clark on May 15, 1980 showing:

With respect to every trip made outside of Canada by employees or other persons acting on behalf of a Government of Alberta department, board, commission or agency which was paid for by public money during the fiscal year 1979-80:

- (1) The date of each trip;
- (2) The destination of each trip;
- (3) The purpose of each trip;
- (4) The name of each government employee or other person acting on behalf of the government who went on each trip; and
- (5) The total cost of each trip.

(Sessional Paper No. 119/80)

Hon. Mr. Leitch, Minister of Energy and Natural Resources, pursuant to Chapter 96, Section 11(2) of The Petroleum Marketing Act and Chapter 38, Section 15(10) of the Natural Gas Pricing Agreement Act:

— Annual Report 1979 Alberta Petroleum Marketing Commission. (Sessional Paper Nos. 32/80 & 34/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Lougheed, Premier, regarding the history of efforts made to negotiate an Energy Agreement for Canada with the Federal Government. In the course of his statement Hon. Mr. Lougheed read into the record a letter written by him to the Prime Minister on October 17, 1980, on this subject and summarized for the Assembly the Prime Minister's telephoned reply. Following his statement Hon. Mr. Lougheed filed a copy of his letter of October 17th.

(Sessional Paper No 548/80)

A statement was made by Hon Mr Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture announcing that the week of October 27 - 31, 1980 has been designated Agriculture Week in Alberta.

(Sessional Paper No 321/80)

# **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# **15.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Lougheed:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly approve in general the operations of the government since the adjournment of the Spring Sitting.

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Johnston moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Tuesday, October 28, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Bill No. 68 — The Agricultural Societies Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Schmidt

Bill No. 74 — The Planning Amendment Act, 1980—Hon. Mr. Moore

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Young, Minister of Labour, pursuant to Chapter 272, Section 9(2) of The Pension Benefits Act:

— Report of The Pension Benefits Branch For the Period 1 April 1979 to 31 March 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 52/80)

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

## **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE AGREED TO:

**125.** Moved by Dr. Buck (on behalf of Mr. R. Clark):

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

The cost of the eleven-day tour taken by Mrs. Chichak, Mr. Hyland and Mr. Batiuk to study European irrigation facilities in September 1980.

#### **126.** Moved by Dr. Buck (on behalf of Mr. R. Clark):

That an Order of the Assembly to issue for a Return showing:

(a) A copy of the agreement between the Law Society of Alberta and the Attorney General regarding the establishment of the Legal Aid Plan. (b) A copy of the agreement between the Government of Alberta and the Law Society of Alberta regarding Legal Aid which came into effect on February 13, 1979.

#### THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**127.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly to issue for a Return showing:

Copies of any and all applications for injunctions or for an injunction or similar court proceeding filed by or on behalf of any and all Departments or Agencies of Departments of the Government of the Province of Alberta between September 1, 1980 and September 26, 1980 inclusive.

**128.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

An assessment by the Minister of Energy and Natural Resources for the House of the total monetary value, from January 1, 1975 to date, of all cash grants, tax rebates, tax credits, exemptions, Royalty deductions and other incentives instituted under the Alberta Petroleum Exploration Plan of December 1974, said assessment to be given by year and by item.

# **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

Motion No. 211 — Moved by Mr. Zaozirny:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider the establishment of the office of Commission Counsel to the Law Enforcement Appeal Board, such Commission Counsel to be entitled to attend at any and all internal disciplinary hearings into alleged wrongdoings by peace officers against private citizens for the purpose of monitoring the evidence presented at such hearings, and such Commission Counsel to advise the Law Enforcement Appeal Board as to specific disciplinary charges, if any, which should be laid against a peace officer before the Law Enforcement Appeal Board, and of which such peace officer would be advised prior to being required to give evidence before such Board.

A debate followed.

Mr. Knaak moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

Motion No. 213 — Moved by Mrs. Cripps:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to consider a review of regulations governing well-head locations to permit greater flexibility, and to ensure maximum efficient use of the land by the owner of the surface rights.

A debate followed.

Mr. M. Clark moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

# THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

Motion No. 203 — Moved by Mr Isley

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to have an independent study carried out to determine what impact

- (a) the appointment of Superintendents of Schools by local school boards has had on classroom education, in general, and curriculum implementation, in particular, and
- (b) the Alberta Education Regional Offices have had on education in the Province.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Wednesday, October 29, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **NOTICE OF MOTION:**

Hon. Mr. Hyndman on Friday next to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Legislative Assembly condemns the Federal Government for the provisions of the Federal Budget and energy program of October 28, 1980 and for those of its constitutional measures:

- which directly attack and undermine the historic ownership rights of Albertans with respect to their depleting non-renewable natural resources.
- which take away from Albertans the opportunity to obtain fair compensation for the sale of the depleting non-renewable natural resources which they own.
- which will weaken the national economy and jeopardize Canada's opportunity of reaching oil self-sufficiency by 1990.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Bill No. 82 — The Alberta Government Telephones Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Dr. Webber

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— Annual Report 1978-79 Alberta Social Services and Community Health.

(Sessional Paper No. 77/80)

# ORDERS OF THE DAY:

A debate followed.

# MOTION FOR ADJOURNMENT FOR AN EMERGENCY DEBATE:

Mr. Notley, Honourable Member for Spirit River-Fairview rose under Standing Order 29, to request leave to move to adjourn the Assembly to discuss a matter of urgent public importance, namely the impact of the Federal Budget on Alberta. Mr. Speaker, having allowed debate on the request, ruled that the request for leave was not in order and gave the reasons for his ruling in detail.

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 61	<ul> <li>The Reciprocal Enforcement Of Maintenance Orders Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Fyfe</li> </ul>
Bill No. 64	— The Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Harle
Bill No. 65	<ul> <li>The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Shaben</li> </ul>
Bill No. 66	— The Students Loan Guarantee Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Hiebert
Bill No. 67	— The Students Finance Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Knaak
Bill No. 69	— The Irrigation Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Thompson
Bill No. 70	<ul> <li>The Agricultural Statutes Amendment Act, 1980</li> <li>Mr. Campbell</li> </ul>
Bill No. 76	— The Rural Gas Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Batiuk
On the motion	on that the following Bill be now read a Second time:
Bill No. 75	— The Liquor Control Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Harle

Hon. Mr. Harle moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader that be called 5:30 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 5:24 p.m. to Thursday, October 30, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Bill No. 83 — The Court of Queen's Bench Amendment Act,

1980 — Hon. Mr. Crawford

Bill No. 84 — The Health Occupations Act — Hon. Mr. Bogle

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

# **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**127.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of any and all applications for injunctions or for an injunction or similar court proceeding filed by or on behalf of any and all Departments or Agencies of Departments of the Government of the Province of Alberta between September 1, 1980 and September 26, 1980 inclusive.

**128.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

An assessment by the Minister of Energy and Natural Resources for the House of the total monetary value, from January 1, 1975 to date, of all cash grants, tax rebates, tax credits, exemptions, Royalty deductions and other incentives instituted under the Alberta Petroleum Exploration Plan of December 1974, said assessment to be given by year and by item.

**129.** Dr. Buck to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all documents in the government's possession relating to the specific aims and provisions of the government's eight-year program for research and education in the area of worker's health and safety, together with a detailed breakdown showing how the \$10 million budget will be allocated.

**130.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- 1. The results of all surveys and studies conducted by the ERCB, Department of Environment, Department of Agriculture into the presence or effects of sulphur emissions from the Esso Resources Gas Conservation Plant at Joffre for the past five years.
- 2. Copies of all correspondence between the ERCB, Departments of Environment and Agriculture and Joffre area farmers regarding the impact of the plant's emissions for the same period.
- 3. All correspondence between the ERCB and Esso Resources regarding the plant's emission levels for the same period.

4. The dates and times when government monitors indicate that emission standards were exceeded by the plant

#### **1:31.** Dr. Buck to propose the following motion to this Assembly

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing

All correspondence between the Departments of Agriculture and Environment, and the Federal Government regarding the use, distribution and hazards of the herbicide 2,4,5-T.

#### MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

Motion No 223 — Moved by Dr. Buck

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to increase its commitment to the protection and enhancement of our environment to ensure that hazardous chemicals and wastes, and air and water pollution do not endanger the people of this province together with a rigorous and consistent application of the law.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to temporary Sub Order 3(f) of Standing Order 8 debate was adjourned with Mr. Woo speaking.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 201 — An Act to Amend the Individual's Rights Protection Act — Mr. R. Speaker

A debate followed.

Mr. Woo moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

#### THE FOLLOWING BILL WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

Bill No. 211 — The Temporary Rent Regulation Measures Act, 1980 — Mr. Notley

On motion by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House: Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:25 p.m. to Friday, October 31, 1980 att 10:00 o'clock.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

#### **NOTICE OF MOTION:**

Hon. Mr. Leitch, on Monday next, to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, because of the discriminatory and punitive provisions against the people of Alberta in the Federal Budget and the proposed energy program of October 28, 1980, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta recommend to the Lieutenant Governor in Council that it is in the public interest to make regulations pursuant to The Mines and Minerals Act fixing the maximum amount of petroleum that may be produced under Crown agreements and recommending that

- (a) any limitation on the maximum amount of production of petroleum be only implemented after a minimum of three months' notice; and
- (b) the initial limitation be approximately 60,000 barrels per day and the maximum limitation be approximately 180,000 barrels per day; and
- (c) the limitation of production be in effect only during such time as the Lieutenant Governor in Council is satisfied that replacement barrels of oil can be purchased by the Federal Government, its boards or agencies or anyone on its behalf in the international oil market.

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Lougheed, Premier:

 Transcript of Premier Lougheed's Address to the Province of Alberta in reaction to the Federal Budget — Thursday, October 30, 1980 (Sessional Paper No 322/80)

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

## **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

19. Moved by Hon. Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Legislative Assembly condemns the Federal Government for the provisions of the Federal Budget and energy program of October 28, 1980 and for those of its constitutional measures:

- which directly attack and undermine the historic ownership rights of Albertans with respect to their depleting non-renewable natural resources.
- which take away from Albertans the opportunity to obtain fair compensation for the sale of the depleting non-renewable natural resources which they own.
- which will weaken the national economy and jeopardize Canada's opportunity of reaching oil self-sufficiency by 1990.

A debate followed.

Dr. Buck moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, that it be called 1:00 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 12:53 p.m. to Monday, November 3, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act::

— Annual Report for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1980 Alberta Treasury.

(Sessional Paper No. 64/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer:

— Government of Alberta — Treasury — 1905 to 1980

(Sessional Paper No. 323/80)

Hon. Mr. Leitch, Minister of Energy and Natural Resources, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act::

— Annual Report March 31, 1980 Alberta Energy and Natural Resources.

(Sessional Paper No. 30/80)

Hon. Mr. Cookson, Minister of Environment, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act::

— Annual Report For the Year Ended March 31, 1980 Alberta Environment.

(Sessional Paper No. 40/80)

Hon. Mr. Cookson, Minister of Environment, pursuant to Chapter 34, Section 29.3 of The Land Surface Conservation and Reclamation Act:

— Surface Reclamation Fund Annual Report April 1, 1979 to March 31, 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 39/80)

## ORDERS OF THE DAY:

# **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**21.** Moved by Hon Mr Leitch:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, because of the discriminatory and punitive provisions against the people of Alberta in the Federal Budget and the proposed energy program of October 28, 1980, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta recommend to the Lieutenant Governor in Council that it is in the public interest to make regulations pursuant to The Mines and Minerals Act fixing the maximum amount of petroleum that may be produced under Crown agreements and recommending that

(a) any limitation on the maximum amount of production of petroleum be only implemented after a minimum of three months' notice; and

- (b) the initial limitation be approximately 60,000 barrels per day and the maximum limitation be approximately 180,000 barrels per day; and
- (c) the limitation of production be in effect only during such time as the Lieutenant Governor in Council is satisfied that replacement barrels of oil can be purchased by the Federal Government, its boards or agencies or anyone on its behalf in the international oil market.

During the course of the debate, Hon. Mr. Leitch tabled the following:

— O.C. under section 135.1(1) of The Mines and Minerals Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 324/80)

— A letter from the Petroleum Marketing Commission to Hon. Mr. Leitch dated October 23, 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 325/80)

- New Proposal Reference Price System For Non-Conventional Oil. (Sessional Paper No. 326/80)
- Federal Oil and Gas Pricing Proposals.

(Sessional Paper No. 327/80)

— Press Release from the Office of the Prime Minister dated October 31, 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 328/80)

— Assessment of Energy Pricing and Revenue Distribution Proposals. (Sessional Paper No. 329/80)

A debate followed.

Mr. R. Speaker moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to. It being 5:30 o'clock the Speaker left the Chair.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# 21. Moved by Hon. Mr. Leitch:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, because of the discriminatory and punitive provisions against the people of Alberta in the Federal Budget and the proposed energy program of October 28, 1980, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta recommend to the Lieutenant Governor in Council that it is in the public interest to make regulations pursuant to The Mines and Minerals Act fixing the maximum amount of petroleum that may be produced under Crown agreements and recommending that

- (a) any limitation on the maximum amount of production of petroleum be only implemented after a minimum of three months' notice; and
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- (c) the limitation of production be in effect only during such time as the Lieutenant Governor in Council is satisfied that replacement barrels of oil can be purchased by the Federal Government, its boards or agencies or anyone on its behalf in the international oil market.

A debate followed.

The question being put, the Speaker declared the motion agreed to. The names being called tor were taken as follows:

# For the Motion — Total 58:

Adair D. Anderson Batiuk Bogle Borstad Bradlev Buck Chambers L. Clark Cook Crawford Diachuk **Embury** Fjordbotten Fyfe Gogo Harle Hiebert Horsman Hyland Hyndman Isley Johnston King Knaak Kowalski Koziak Kroeger Kushner

Leitch Le Messurier Little Lougheed Magee McCrae McCrimmon Miller Moore Musgreave Osterman Pahl Paproski Pengelly Planche Purdy Reid Russell H. Schmid D. Schmidt Shaben R. Speaker Stevens Stewart Stromberg Thompson Webber Wolstenholme Young

Examiner 1

Against the Motion — Total 1:

Notley

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 11:00 p.m. to Tuesday, November 4, 1980, at 2:30 o'clock.

# TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS:**

Bill No. 79 — The Labour Relations Act — Hon. Mr. Young
Bill No. 80 — The Employment Standards Act — Hon. Mr. Young

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

**129.** Moved by Dr. Buck:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue tor a Return showing:

Copies of all documents in the government's possession relating to the specific aims and provisions of the government's eight-year program for research and education in the area of worker's health and safety, together with a detailed breakdown showing how the \$10 million budget will be allocated.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. Diachuk, was agreed to:

A list of the specific aims and provisions of the government's eightyear program for research and education in the area of worker's health and safety, together with projection showing how the \$10 million budget is proposed to be allocated.

#### THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS WITHDRAWN:

**128.** Mr Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing An assessment by the Minister of Energy and Natural Resources for the House of the total monetary value, from January 1, 1975 to date, of all cash grants, tax rebates, tax credits exemptions, Royalty deductions and other incentives instituted under the Alberta Petroleum Exploration Plan of December 1974, said assessment to be given by year and by item.

# THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**127.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of any and all applications for injunctions or for an injunction or similar court proceeding filed by or on behalf of any and all Departments or Agencies of Departments of the Government of the Province of Alberta between September 1, 1980 and September 26, 1980 inclusive

**130.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- The results of all surveys and studies conducted by the ERCB, Department of Environment, Department of Agriculture into the presence or effects of sulphur emissions from the Esso Resources Gas Conservation Plant at Joffre for the past five years.
- Copies of all correspondence between the ERCB, Departments of Environment and Agriculture and Joffre area farmers regarding the impact of the plant's emissions for the same period.
- All correspondence between the ERCB and Esso Resources regarding the plant's emission levels for the same period.

- 4. The dates and times when government monitors indicate that emission standards were exceeded by the plant.
- **131.** Dr. Buck to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All correspondence between the Departments of Agriculture and Environment, and the Federal Government regarding the use, distribution and hazards of the herbicide 2,4,5-T.

# MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

Motion No. 203 — Moved by Mr. Isley:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to have an independent study carried out to determine what impact

- (a) the appointment of Superintendents of Schools by local school boards has had on classroom education, in general, and curriculum implementation, in particular, and
- (b) the Alberta Education Regional Offices have had on education in the Province.

A debate followed.

Mr. Pengelly moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

Motion No. 212 — Moved by Dr. Buck:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly support in principle the movement away from mandatory retirement and urge the Government to abolish mandatory retirement for public employees and consult with industry to develop alternatives for extended employment in the private sector.

A debate followed.

Mr. D. Anderson moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

Motion No. 215 — Moved by Mrs. Fyfe:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider expanding public health programmes to ensure that handicapped children be identified at the earliest possible time and that all children so identified be referred to appropriate remedial programmes.

A debate followed.

Dr. C. Anderson moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly ad|ourned at 5:25 p.m. to Wednesday, November 5, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Payne, Chairman of the Select Standing Committee on The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act, presented the report relating to the 1979-80 fiscal year for consideration by the Legislative Assembly.

(Sessional Paper No. 330/80)

#### **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS:**

Bill No. 239 — The Environment Protection Authority Act — Mr. Mandeville

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Crawford, Attorney General, pursuant to Chapter 203, Section 107(2) of The Legal Profession Act:

— Alberta Law Foundation Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 1980

(Sessional Paper No. 14/80)

Mr. R. Clark, Honourable Leader of the Official Opposition:

— Thinking About The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund

(Sessional Paper No. 331/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

# **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**20.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the messages of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, the 1981-82 Estimates, the Supplementary Estimates (A) 1980-81, and all matters connected therewith, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bill was read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 75 — The Liquor Control Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Harle

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until Thursday, November 6, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

#### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2 30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 86 — The Pension Fund Act — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 81 — The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1980 (No 2) — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

# **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Leitch, Minister of Energy and Natural Resources, advising the Assembly that the Order in Council contemplated by Resolution No. 21 relating to the reduction in oil production from Crown lands, agreed to on November 3, 1980, was approved on this date.

(Sessional Paper No 332/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

**III.** Moved by Dr. Buck:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All correspondence between the Departments of Agriculture and Environment, and the Federal Government regarding the use, distribution and hazards of the herbicide 2,4,5-T.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. Cookson, was agreed to:

— add to the Motion the following words:

"providing that the Federal Government gives consent to releasing such correspondence as the Federal Government may have originated".

# THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**1 2 7.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of any and all applications for injunctions or for an injunction or similar court proceeding filed by or on behalf of any and all Departments or Agencies of Departments of the Government of the Province of Alberta between September 1, 1980 and September 26, 1980 inclusive.

**130.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- 1. The results of all surveys and studies conducted by the ERCB, Department of Environment, Department of Agriculture into the presence or effects of sulphur emissions from the Esso Resources Gas Conservation Plant at Joffre for the past five years.
- 2. Copies of all correspondence between the ERCB, Departments of Environment and Agriculture and Joffre area farmers regarding the impact of the plant's emissions for the same period.
- 3. All correspondence between the ERCB and Esso Resources regarding the plant's emission levels for the same period.
- 4. The dates and times when government monitors indicate that emission standards were exceeded by the plant.

# MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

Motion No. 224 — Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to restructure the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund in order to better meet its objectives.

A debate followed.

At 4:30 p.m., unanimous consent of the Assembly was given to suspension of Standing Order 8, temporary sub-order 3(e), "for a few minutes", to allow Mr. Notley to conclude his participation in the debate and to allow Mr. Payne to participate therein today.

Hon. Mr. King moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 211 — The Temporary Rent Regulation Measures Act, 1980 — Mr. Notley

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was defeated.

On motion by Hon. Mr. King, Acting Government House Leader, the Assembly, adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until Friday, November 7, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock..

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 241 — An Act to Amend The Alberta Income Tax Act
— Mr. Notley

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture, pursuant to Chapter 5, Section 9(2) of The Agricultural Development Act:

 — Annual Report 1979-80 Alberta Agricultural Development Corporation.

(Sessional Paper No 9/80)

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**23.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Horsman (on behalf of Hon. Mr. Crawford):

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, when the House rises at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, November 7, 1980, it shall stand adjourned until 2:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 12th, 1980.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

**22.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Hyndman:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Assembly do resolve itself into Committee of Supply, when called, to consider the Supplementary Estimates of Investments (A) 1980-81 and the 1981-82 Estimates of Proposed Investments, of the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Capital Projects Division.

The question being put the motion was agreed to.

# **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration the following resolutions and reports the same.

RESOLVED that from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund sums not exceeding the following be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1982, for the purpose of making investments in the following projects to be administered by:

The Minister of Agriculture:

\$ 830,000 — FOOD PROCESSING DEVELOPMENT CENTRE PROJECT

\$ 3,500,000 — FARMING FOR THE FUTURE PROJECT \$17,107,000 — IRRIGATION REHABILITATION AND EXPANSION PROJECT

The Minister of Economic Development \$15,930,000 — NEW RAIL HOPPER CARS PROJECT

RESOLVED that from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund sums not exceeding the following be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981, for the purpose of making further investments in the following projects to be administered by

The Minister of Agriculture \$ 2,186,000 — THE IRRIGATION REHABILITATION AND EX-PANSION PROJECT

The Minister of Economic Development \$32,790,000 — NEW RAIL HOPPER CARS PROJECT

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 1:00 p.m. until Wednesday, November 12, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 12, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, Minister of Culture, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— Annual Report 1979/80 Alberta Culture.

(Sessional Paper No. 24/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Attorney General, referring to a statement made by the Hon. Mr. Lougheed on October 30th that the Government of Alberta intended to make a legal challenge to proposals by the Federal Government to tax the export of Alberta natural gas, as set out in the Federal Budget of October 28th. In the course of his statement Hon. Mr. Crawford advised the Legislative Assembly that an Order-in-Council had been issued today, the result of which will be to commence the necessary legal proceedings and to bring the question of the export tax to the Alberta Court of Appeal for decision.

(Sessional Paper No. 333/80)

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Diachuk, Minister responsible for Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation, regarding worker's compensation coverage for farm workers.

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

# (ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Purdy reported as follows:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration the following resolutions and reports the same.

RESOLVED that from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund sums not exceeding the following be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1982, for the purpose of making investments in the following projects to be administered by:

The Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower:

\$100,000,000 — ALBERTA HERITAGE SCHOLARSHIP FUND **PROJECT** 

3,288,000 — LIBRARY DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

The Minister of Energy and Natural Resources:

- \$ 41,000,000 ALBERTA OIL SANDS TECHNOLOGY AND RE-SEARCH AUTHORITY PROJECT
- \$ 20,000,000 CONVENTIONAL OIL ENHANCED RECOVERY PROGRAMME PROJECT
- 1,765,000 ALBERTA REFORESTATION NURSERY PROJECT
- 4,988,000 MAINTAINING OUR FORESTS PROJECT 8,755,655 GRAZING RESERVES DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

# The Minister of the Environment:

- 1,500,000 CAPITAL CITY RECREATIONAL PARK PROJECT
- 1,500,000 FISH CREEK PROVINCIAL PARK PROJECT
- \$ 24,376,500 IRRIGATION HEADWORKS IMPROVEMENT **PROJECT**
- 5,000,000 LAND RECLAMATION PROJECT
- 1,929,000 LESSER SLAVE LAKE OUTLET PROJECT
- 9,182,000 PADDLE RIVER BASIN DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

RESOLVED that from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund sums not exceeding the following be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1981, for the purpose of making further investments in the following projects to be administered by:

The Minister of Education:

1,150,000 — ALBERTA HERITAGE LEARNING RESOURCES **PROJECT** 

The Minister of the Environment:

\$ 4,500,000 — IRRIGATION HEADWORKS IMPROVEMENT **PROJECT** 

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions and reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until Thursday, November 13, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 87 — The Ground Water Development Act — Mr. Stewart

Upon the motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 87 — The Ground Water Development Act — Mr. Stewart

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Speaker on April 30, 1980, showing:
  - (1) The number of children that can be accommodated at the Branchaway Home.
  - (2) The number of children that were accommodated at the Home in each of 1977, 1978, and 1979.
  - (3) The vacancy rate, by month, at the Home in 1978 and 1979.
  - (4) The total payments made by the Province to the Branchaway Home, by month, for 1978 and 1979.
  - (5) The amount presently paid by the Province for each child at the Home.
  - (6) The rate paid by the Province for empty beds at the Home.
  - (7) A description of the selection process used for accommodation at the Home.

(Sessional Paper No. 115/80)

# **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. King, Minister of Education, outlining a policy developed by the Government of Alberta for the evaluation of student achievement in Alberta.

(Sessional Paper No. 334/80)

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

# **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

**1 2 7.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: Copies of any and all applications for injunctions or for an injunction or similar court proceeding filed by or on behalf of any and all Departments or Agencies of Departments of the Government of the Province of Alberta between September 1, 1980 and September 26, 1980 inclusive.

**130.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- 1. The results of all surveys and studies conducted by the ERCB Department of Environment, Department of Agriculture into the presence or effects of sulphur emissions from the Esso Resources Gas Conservation Plant at Joffre for the past five years.
- Copies of all correspondence between the ERCB, Departments of Environment and Agriculture and Joffre area farmers regarding the impact of the plant's emissions for the same period.
- 3. All correspondence between the ERCB and Esso Resources regarding the plant's emission levels for the same period.
- 4. The dates and times when government monitors indicate that emission standards were exceeded by the plant.

**133.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

Than an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

With regard to the speech made by the Honourable E. Peter Lougheed, Premier, taped at the facilities of CFCN Television in Calgary on the afternoon of Thursday, October 30, 1980, and broadcast later than same evening by the various television stations and some radio stations in Alberta, and itemized in all cases on the basis of individual companies contracted:

- 1) The "market value", in the sense of market value as the term is used in Section 19.(1) of the Election Expenses and Financial Contributions Disclosure Act (Statutes of Alberta, 1977, Chapter 18), of:
  - a) the production costs arising from the preparation for broadcast of the Premier's speech;
  - b) the costs of advertisements purchased for the purpose of informing Albertans of the date and time of the broadcasts in various areas of the Province:
  - c) the costs of air time booked and used for the purpose of broadcasting the Premier's speech; and,
- 2) The costs charged to the Government of the Province of Alberta for:
  - a) the production costs arising from the preparation tor broadcast of the Premier's speech;

- b) the costs of advertisements purchased tor the purpose of informing Albertans of the date and time of the broadcasts in various areas of the Province;
- c) the costs of air time booked and used for the purpose of broadcasting the Premier's speech.
- **134.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Any and all reports and statistical abstracts dealing with the location and distribution of students of The Alberta Correspondence School received by the Minister of Education or his Department since January 1, 1978, and specifically including any such material originally prepared by or for staff or officers of the School.

# THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS WITHDRAWN:

**132.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A statement by the Minister of Energy and Natural Resources of the total monetary value from January 1, 1975 to date, of all cash grants, tax rebates, tax credits, exemptions, Royalty deductions and other incentives instituted under the Alberta Petroleum Exploration Plan of December 1974, said statement to be given by year and by item.

## MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

Motion No 225 — Moved by Mr. R Speaker:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to implement additional policies and programs to reduce and prevent violence and violent crime in Alberta.

During the course of the debate, Mr. R. Speaker filed the following with the Legislature Library:

- Violent Crime in Alberta Paper #1 Background Statistics (Filing No. 551/80)
- Violent Crime in Alberta Paper #2 Sentencing Strategies and Violent Crime (Filing No. 552/80)
- Violent Crime in Alberta Paper #3 Parole and the Violent Offender (Filing No. 553/80)
- Violent Crime in Alberta Paper #4 Strategies for the Prevention of Violent Crime (Filing No. 554/80)

A debate followed.

Dr. C. Anderson moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be read a Second time

Bill No. 212 — The Utility Consumers' Advocate Act — Mr.

Zaozirny

A debate followed.

Dr. C. Anderson moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Young, Acting Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of Supply, and the Speaker left the Chair.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1980—8:00 P.M.

# **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration the following resolutions and reports the same.

RESOLVED that from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund sums not exceeding the following be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1982, for the purpose of making investments in the following projects to be administered by:

The Minister responsible for Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation:

\$ 1,000,000 — OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY RE SEARCH AND EDUCATION PROJECT

The Minister of Transportation:

\$ 4,646,000 — AIRPORT TERMINAL BUILDINGS PROJECT

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions reports progress thereon and requests leave to sit again.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:15 p.m. to Friday, November 14, 1980, at 10:00 o'clock.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):** 

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 92 — The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 3) — Hon. Mr. Leitch

Bill No. 238 — The Privacy Act — Dr. Buck

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— 1979 Annual Report Alberta Agriculture.

(Sessional Paper No. 10/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer:

- Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Commercial Investment Division — Guidelines for Investment in Equities of Canadian Companies. (Sessional Paper No. 335/80)
  - Government of Alberta Investment Management.
    (Sessional Paper No. 336/80)

Hon. Mr. Chambers, Minister of Housing and Public Works, pursuant to Chapter 26, Section 22 of the Alberta Home Mortgage Corporation Act:

— Alberta Home Mortgage Corporation — Annual Report March 31, 1980

(Sessional Paper No. 45/80)

Hon. Mr. Harle, Solicitor General:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Speaker on May 13, 1980, showing:
- (1) The number of former Alberta Health Care employees who transferred to the Solicitor General's Department during each fiscal year, 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.
- (2) From (1) above, the number who transferred to the Motor Vehicles Division in each fiscal year, 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.
- (3) The positions now held in the Solicitor General's Department by each former Alberta Health Care employee.
- (4) From (3) above, the positions now held in the Motor Vehicles Division by each former Alberta Health Care employee.
- (5) The annual turnover of employees in the Motor Vehicles Division for each fiscal year 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.
- (6) The ratio of temporary to permanent positions in the Motor Vehicles Division for each fiscal year 1977-78, 1978-79 and 1979-80.

(Sessional Paper No. 118/80)

Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, Minister of Culture:

— The Alberta Foundation For The Performing Arts Annual Report, March 31, 1980

(Sessional Paper No. 337/80)

# **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Chambers, Minister of Housing and Public Works, informing the Legislative Assembly that the Government will be allotting an additional \$250 million dollars from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund to the Alberta Home Mortgage Corporation.

# **ORAL QUESTION PERIOD:**

During the course of Oral Question Period, Dr. Buck filed the following booklet with the Legislature Library:

- About Your Farmers' Advocate

(Filing No. 560/80)

# ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 59	<ul> <li>The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Special Appropriation Act, 1981-82 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman</li> </ul>
Bill No. 62	<ul> <li>The Petroleum Marketing Amendment Act, 1980</li> <li>Hon. Mr. Leitch</li> </ul>
Bill No. 63	<ul> <li>The Natural Gas Price Administration Amendment Act. 1980 — Hon. Mr. Leitch</li> </ul>
Bill No. 68	<ul> <li>The Agricultural Societies Amendment Act, 1980</li> <li>Hon. Mr. Schmidt</li> </ul>
Bill No. 71	<ul><li>The Natural Gas Rebates Amendment Act, 1980</li><li>Hon. Mr. Shaben</li></ul>
Bill No. 72	— The Department of Transportation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Kroeger
Bill No. 79	— The Labour Relations Act, 1980—Hon. Mr. Young

The Assembly adjourned at 1:00 p.m. until Monday, November 17, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given

Bill No. 85 — The Business Corporations Act—Hon. Mr. Koziak

Bill No. 94 — The Alberta Health Care Insurance Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Russell

Bill No. 73 — The Public Inquiries Amendment Act 1980 (No. 2) — Mr. Zaozirny

Bill No. 216 — The Recreational Rivers Act — Dr. Buck

Upon motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders"

Bill No. 73 — The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2) — Mr. Zaozirny

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Trynchy, Minister of Recreation and Parks, pursuant to Chapter 49, Section 12(3) of The Recreation and Parks Foundation Act

Recreation Parks and Wildlife Foundation Third Annual Report

— Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Third Annual Report (Sessional Paper No. 72/80)

Hon. Mr. Diachuk, Minister responsible for Worker's Health, Safety and Compensation:

— Farmer's Safety Almanac

ORDERS OF THE DAY:

(Sessional Paper No. 338/80)

# **COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Appleby reported as follows:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration the following resolutions and reports the same.

RESOLVED that from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund sums not exceeding the following be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1982, for the purpose of making investments in the following projects to be administered by:

The Minister of Hospitals & Medical Care:

\$ 9,200,000 — ALBERTA CHILDREN'S PROVINCIAL GENERAL HOSPITAL PROJECT

\$ 4,735,000 — APPLIED CANCER RESEARCH PROJECT

\$12,440,000 — APPLIED HEART DISEASE RESEARCH PROJECT

\$27,000,000 — SOUTHERN ALBERTA CANCER CENTRE& SPE-CIALTY SERVICES FACILITY PROJECT

\$46,000,000 — WALTER C MACKENZIE HEALTH SCIENCES CENTRE PROJECT

The Minister of Recreation and Parks:

\$11.000.000 — URBAN PARKS PROJECT

\$ 2,807,000 — FISH CREEK PROVINCIAL PARK PROJECT

\$60,321 000 — KANANASKIS COUNTRY RECREATION DEVE-

LOPMENT PROJECT

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given to revert to Introduction of Bills, and

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 77 — The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

Bill No. 78 — The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Supplementary Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

On motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 84 — The Health Occupations Act — Hon. Mr. Bogle A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Bogle moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

The following Bill was read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 81 — The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1980, (No. 2) — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

On motion by Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Acting Government House Leader that it be called 5:30, the Speaker left the Chair at 5:15 p.m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1980 — 8:00 PM

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

# **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 80 — The Employment Standards Act—Hon. Mr. Young

Bill No. 82 — The Alberta Government Telephones Amendment Act, 1980—Hon. Dr. Webber

Bill No. 83 — The Court of Queen's Bench Amendment Act 1980 — Hon. Mr. Crawford

Bill No. 86 — The Pension Fund Act — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

Bill No. 87 — The Ground Water Development Act — Mr. Stewart

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole:

# (ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 59 The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Special Appropriation Act, 1981-82 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 61 The Reciprocal Enforcement Of Maintenance Orders Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Fyfe
- Bill No. 64 The Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Amendment Act, 1980 Hon, Mr. Harle
- Bill No. 65 The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Shaben
- Bill No. 66 The Students Loan Guarantee Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Hiebert
- Bill No. 67 The Students Finance Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Knaak
- Bill No. 68 The Agricultural Societies Amendment Act, 1980 —Hon. Mr. Schmidt
- Bill No. 69 The Irrigation Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Thompson
- Bill No. 70 The Agricultural Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Campbell
- Bill No. 72 The Department of Transportation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Kroeger
- Bill No. 76 The Rural Gas Amendment Act, 1980—Mr. Batiuk

The following Bill was reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 71 — The Natural Gas Rebates Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Shaben

On motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:04p.m., to Tuesday, November 18, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 88 — The Election Act — Dr. Reid

Bill No. 236 — An Act to Amend the Individual's Rights Protection Act — Mr. R. Speaker

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 88 — The Election Act — Dr. Reid

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Crawford Attorney General:

 Legal Aid Alberta, The Legal Aid Society of Alberta Annual Report, 1980

(Sessional Paper No. 339/80)

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO:

**127.** Moved by Mr. Notley:

That an Order of the Assembly to issue for a Return showing:

Copies of any and all applications for injunctions or for an injunction or similar court proceeding filed by or on behalf of any and all Departments or Agencies of Departments of the Government of the Province of Alberta between September 1, 1980 and September 26, 1980 inclusive.

# THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

# **133.** Moved by Mr. Notley:

Than an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

With regard to the speech made by the Honourable E. Peter Lougheed, Premier, taped at the facilities of CFCN Television in Calgary on the afternoon of Thursday, October 30, 1980, and broadcast later than same evening by the various television stations and some radio stations in Alberta, and itemized in all cases on the basis of individual companies contracted:

- 1). The "market value", in the sense of market value as the terms is used in Section 19.(1) of the Election Expenses and Financial Contributions. Disclosure Act (Statutes of Alberta, 1977, Chapter 18), of:
  - a) the production costs arising from the preparation for broadcast of the Premier's speech;
  - b) the costs of advertisements purchased for the purpose of informing Albertans of the date and time of the broadcasts in various areas of the Province;
  - c) the costs of air time booked and used for the purpose of broadcasting the Premier's speech; and,
- 2) The costs charged to the Government of the Province of Alberta for:
  - a) the production costs arising from the preparation for broadcast of the Premier's speech;
  - b) the costs of advertisements purchased for the purpose of informing Albertans of the date and time of the broadcasts in various areas of the Province;

 c) the costs of air time booked and used for the purpose of broadcasting the Premier's speech.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. McCrae, was agreed to:

— by deleting sub-paragraph 1) and re-numbering sub paragraph 2) as sub-paragraph 1).

# THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

- **130.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
- 1. The results of all surveys and studies conducted by the ERCB, Department of Environment, Department of Agriculture into the presence or effects of sulphur emissions from the Esso Resources Gas Conservation Plant at Joffre for the past five years.
- 2. Copies of all correspondence between the ERCB, Departments of Environment and Agriculture and Joffre area farmers regarding the impact of the plant's emissions for the same period.
- 3. All correspondence between the ERCB and Esso Resources regarding the plant's emission levels for the same period.
- 4. The dates and times when government monitors indicate that emission standards were exceeded by the plant.
- **134.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Any and all reports and statistical abstracts dealing with the location and distribution of students of The Alberta Correspondence School received by the Minister of Education or his Department since January 1, 1978, and specifically including any such material originally prepared by or for staff or officers of the School.

**135.** Dr. Buck to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all (correspondence received by the Department of Education from organizations requesting that the Alberta Correspondence School be relocated in their communities.

## THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS WITHDRAWN:

**136.** Mr. R. Clark on Tuesday next to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A list of names and addresses of

 (a) all individuals and organizations who made written representation to or received correspondence from the Minister of Labour or officials of his department; and  (b) all individuals and organizations with whom the Minister of Labour or officials of his department held discussions

in respect to the form and content of Bills 79 and 80, presently standing on the Order Paper of the Legislative Assembly, prior to the introduction of the bills by the Honourable Minister on Tuesday, November 4th, 1980.

# MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

Motion No. 216 — Moved by Mr. Purdy:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to consider the development of an interdisciplinary environmental education curriculum for use in Alberta schools from kindergarten to grade 12.

A debate followed.

Mr. Payne moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

Motion No. 205 — Moved by Mr. R. Clark:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation to appropriate funds from the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund to build a Northern Alberta Children's Hospital as a lasting tribute to Alberta's first seventy-five years.

A debate followed.

Mr Gogo moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

On motion by Hon Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, it was unanimously agreed that, when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of the Whole.

At 5:30 p. m. the Speaker left the Chair.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

## **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole:

#### (ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill No. 79 — The Labour Relations Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Young A debate followed.

The following amendment was moved by Mr. Notley, Hon. Member for Spirit River-Fairview.

# AMENDMENT TO BILL 79 THE LABOUR RELATIONS ACT, 1980

The Bill is hereby amended as follows.

A. Section 2(2) is amended by striking out clauses (e) and (f).

- B. Section 24 is amended by striking out "is not required to divulge" and substituting "shall not divulge".
- C. Section 49 is struck out and the following is substituted:
  - 49(1) Notwithstanding anything in this Act where an application for
  - a) certification as a bargaining agent, or
  - b) revocation of the certification of a bargaining agent, or
  - c) a declaration that a bargaining agent is no longer entitled to bargain collectively, or
  - d) registration of an employers' organization or
  - e) cancellation of registration of an employers' organization,

has been refused by the Board, the applicant shall not without the consent of the Board, make the same or substantially the same application until after the expiration of three months from the date the previous application was made to the Board.

- (2) The date an application referred to in subsection (1) is received by the Board shall be deemed to be the date the application is made.
- D. Section 35 is amended by striking out "or with the consent of the trade union" where it occurs in subsections (1) and (2), and substituting "and with the consent of the trade union".

The question being put the amendment was defeated.

The debate continued and the following amendment was moved by Mr. R. Clark, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition:

# AMENDMENT TO BILL 79 THE LABOUR RELATIONS ACT, 1980

The Bill is hereby amended as follows:

- A. Section 147 is amended
  - a) in subsection (1) by adding after clause (b):

    "The Minister shall move in the Legislative Assembly a motion to
    the effect that the Assembly is of the opinion that a state of
    emergency exists, and if the motion is carried, then", and
  - b) by repealing subsection (5) and substituting:
    "(5) Upon the order being made, the Minister shall forthwith implement the procedure described in sections 148 and 149".

The question being put the amendment was defeated. The names being called for were taken as follows:

Against the motion — Total 47

Kushner Adair LeMessurier D. Anderson Little Batiuk **Borstad** Mack Magee Bradlev McCrae Campbell McCrimmon Carter Moore Chichak Oman L. Clark

#### **NOVEMBER 18**

Osterman Cook Pengelly Cookson Reid Crawford Russell Cripps D. Schmidt Diachuk Shaben **Embury** Fjordbotten Stevens Fyfe Stewart Stromberg Gogo Trynchy Harle Webber Horsman Weiss Hyndman Woo King Knaak Young Koziak

For the motion — Total 3

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R. Clark

The debate continued and on motion by Hon. Mr. Young the following Bill was reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 79 — The Labour Relations Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Young

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The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third Time:

- Bill No. 81 The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1980, (No. 2) Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 82 The Alberta Government Telephones Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Dr. Webber
- Bill No. 83 The Court of Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 86 The Pension Fund Act Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 87 The Ground Water Development Act Mr. Stewart

The following Bill was reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 80 — The Employment Standards Act — Hon. Mr. Young

During consideration of Bill No. 80 — The Employment Standards Act in Committee of the Whole, Hon. Mr. Young tabled the following documents:

— Proposed Regulations Under Bill 80 —

(Sessional Paper No. 340/80)

— A series of Orders of the Board of Industrial Relations under Alberta Regulation 57/80 —

(Sessional Paper No. 341/80)

# (SECOND READING)

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 74 — The Planning Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Moore

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:40 p.m. until Wednesday, November 19 at 2:30 o'clock.

#### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Zaozirny, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills presented the following report:

Mr. Speaker.

As Chairman of the Private Bills Committee, I hereby report that the Standing Committee on Private Bills has had under consideration the undermentioned Private Bills and begs to report the same with the recommendation that they be proceeded with:

- Bill No. PR 1 The La Fondation de l'Association Canadienne-Française de l'Alberta Act — Mr. Cook
- Bill No. PR 3 The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Lysons
- Bill No. PR 4 The Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act Mr. Musgreave

The Standing Committee on Private Bills has also had under consideration the undermentioned Private Bill and begs to report the same with the recommendation that it proceed with amendments:

Bill No. PR 5 — The Alberta Foundation Act — Mr. Knaak

## **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Leitch, Minister of Energy and Natural Resources, pursuant to Chapter 49, Section 18(2) of The Oil Sands Technology and Research Authority Act:

— Fifth Annual Report and Five-Year Review — Alberta Oil Sands Technology and Research Authority

(Sessional Paper No. 31/80)

Hon. Mr. Stevens, Minister responsible for Personnel Administration:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Dr. Buck on October 21, 1980 showing:
  - 1. The total number of full-time permanent female employees of the Government of Alberta as at March 31, 1979.
  - 2. The average salary for all employees referred to in (1).
- 3. The total number of full-time male employees of the Government of Alberta as at March 31, 1979.
- 4. The average salary for all employees referred to in (3). (Sessional Paper No. 124/80)
- Return to an Order to the Assembly asked for by Dr. Buck on October 21, 1980 showing:
  - 1. The total number of full-time permanent female employees of the Government of Alberta as at March 31, 1980.
- 2. The average salary for all employees referred to in (1).
- 3. The total number of full-time male employees of the Government of Alberta as at March 31, 1980.
- 4. The average salary for all employees referred to in (3). (Sessional Paper No. 122A/80)

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, Minister of Culture, in her capacity as Chairman of the 75th Anniversary Cabinet Committee, informing the Legislative Assembly of celebrations which have taken place in Alberta thus far in 1980.

Hon. Mrs. LeMessurier, tabled copies of an Interim Report on the 75th Anniversary Celebrations, dated 19 November, 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 342/80)

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

# **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole:

# (ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third Time:

- Bill No. 62 The Petroleum Marketing Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 63 The Natural Gas Price Administration Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Leitch

The following Bill was reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 75 — The Liquor Control Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Harle

(SECOND READING)

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 73 The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980 (No.2) Mr. Zaozirny
- Bill No. 77 The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 78 The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Supplementary Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 84 The Health Occupations Act Hon. Mr. Bogle

#### **PRIVATE BILLS:**

(SECOND READING)

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. PR 3 — The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Lysons

Bill No. PR 5 — The Alberta Foundation Act — Mr. Knaak

# **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

(THIRD READING)

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill No. 59 The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Special Appropriation Act, 1981-82 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 61 The Reciprocal Enforcement Of Maintenance Orders Amendment Act, 1980 — Mrs. Fyfe
- Bill No. 64 The Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Harle
- Bill No. 66 The Students Loan Guarantee Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Hiebert
- Bill No. 67 The Students Finance Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Knaak
- Bill No. 68 The Agricultural Societies Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Schmidt
- Bill No. 69 The Irrigation Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Thompson
- Bill No. 70 The Agricultural Statutes Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Campbell
- Bill No. 76 The Rural Gas Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Batiuk
- Bill No. 79 The Labour Relations Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Young
- Bill No. 80 The Employment Standards Act Hon. Mr. Young

Bill No. 81	— The Financial Administration Amendment A 1980 (No. 2) — Hon. Mr. Hyndman	Act,
Bill No. 83	<ul> <li>The Court of Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 1</li> <li>Hon, Mr. Crawford</li> </ul>	.980

Bill No. 86 — The Pension Fund Act — Hon. Mr. Hyndman

Bill No. 87 — The Ground Water Development Act — Mr. Stewart

# **NOTICES OF MOTIONS:**

Unanimous consent having been given, the Assembly reverted to Notices of Motions:

With the unanimous consent of the Assembly, Hon. Mr. Horsman gave oral notice of the following Bill:

Bill No. 96 — The Engineering and Related Professions Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Chambers

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 o'clock, the Assembly adjourned at 5:10 until Thursday, November 20, 1980, at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Topolnisky, Chairman of the Select Standing Committee on Law and Regulations, presented the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Select Standing Committee on Law and Regulations has met and has given consideration to the need for the following regulations established pursuant to Section 5 of The Licensing of Trades and Businesses Act, being Chapter 207 of The Revised Statutes of Alberta 1970, as amended:

Alberta Regulation 190/78

Alberta Regulation 192/78

Alberta Regulation 195/78

Alberta Regulation 198/78

Alberta Regulation 199/78

Alberta Regulation 200/78

Alberta Regulation 204/78;

and has concluded that the regulations are no longer necessary and should be repealed, and accordingly recommends the same to the Assembly.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Upon the recommendation of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill No. 93 — The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Diachuk

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 90 — The Architects Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Chambers

Bill No. 95 — The Interpretation Act, 1980 — Mr. Wolstenholme

Bill No. 96 — The Engineering and Related Professions Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Chambers

Bill No. 237 — An Act to Amend the Public Service Employee Relations Act — Mr. R. Clark

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill No. 95 — The Interpretation Act, 1980 — Mr. Wolstenholme

#### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Cookson, Minister of Environment, informing the Assembly of three reports dealing with concerns of residents in the Pincher Creek area with air quality in that area.

Hon. Mr. Cookson filed the following reports in the course of his statement:

— Air Quality Monitoring Report — Pincher Creek Area March 1, 1980 to May 31, 1980.

(Filing No 566/80)

— A Preliminary Evaluation of Selenium Levels in the Pincher Creek -Waterton Area by M. T. Strosher.

(Filing No 567/80)

— A Report to the Environmental Council of Alberta Regarding Health Complaints of Families Living in the Pincher Creek-Waterton, Alberta Area.

(Filing No 568/80)

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

# **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

**135.** Moved by Mr. R. Clark (on behalf of Dr. Buck):

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all correspondence received by the Department of Education from organizations requesting that the Alberta Correspondence School be relocated in their communities.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. King, was agreed to:

— by adding the words, "subject to the concurrence of the author(s)", after the words " $\dots$  in their communities".

#### THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE ORDERED TO STAND:

- **130.** Mr. R. Speaker to propose the following motion to this Assembly: That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
  - 1. The results of all surveys and studies conducted by the ERCB, Department of Environment, Department of Agriculture into the presence or effects of sulphur emissions from the Esso Resources Gas Conservation Plant at Joffre for the past five years.
- 2. Copies of all correspondence between the ERCB, Departments of Environment and Agriculture and Joffre area farmers regarding the impact of the plant's emissions for the same period.
- 3. All correspondence between the ERCB and Esso Resources regarding the plant's emission levels for the same period.
- 4. The dates and times when government monitors indicate that emission standards were exceeded by the plant.

### **134.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Any and all reports and statistical abstracts dealing with the location and distribution of students of The Alberta Correspondence School received by the Minister of Education or his Department since January 1, 1978, and specifically including any such material originally prepared by or for staff or officers of the School.

# MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:

Motion No. 207 — Moved by Mr. Batiuk:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to offer more incentives to beginning farmers by establishing new or enhancing existing programs in order of offset some of the high costs of entering farming.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to temporary Sub Order 3(e) of Standing Order 8, debate was adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 206 — The Conflict of Interest Act — Mr. R. Clark

A debate followed.

Dr. Carter moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

At 5:30 p.m. the Speaker left the Chair.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

# **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

On the motion that the following Bills be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 88 — The Election Act, 1980 — Dr. Reid

A debate followed.

 $\mbox{Hon.}\mbox{ Mr.}\mbox{ Crawford moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.}$ 

Bill No. 94 — The Alberta Health Care Insurance Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Russell

A debate followed.

Mr. R. Clark moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

The following Bill was read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 92 — The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 3) — Hon. Mr. Leitch

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:19 p.m. to Friday, November 21, 1980, at 10:00 a.m.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 o'clock.

## PRESENTING PETITIONS:

Mr. Woo, Honourable Member for Sherwood Park, presented a petition of 11,285 residents of the County of Strathcona No. 20, expressing concern that approval of the present application by the City of Edmonton to annex the entire county or any portion thereof will result in a much increased financial burden to the residents.

# **NOTICES OF MOTIONS:**

Hon. Mr. Johnston, on Monday next, to propose the following motion to this Assembly:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta support patriation with appropriate safeguards for the protection of provincial rights, proprietary interests and jurisdiction;

AND THAT there be no amendments diminishing provincial rights, proprietary interests and jurisdiction without the consent of the provinces affected:

AND THAT the Legislative Assembly express its opposition to the unilateral action proposed by the Government of Canada;

AND THAT the Legislative Assembly urge the federal-provincial constitutional discussions be resumed as soon as possible in order to ensure that the federal government and all provincial governments may participate fully and equally in recommending constitutional changes which will decide the future of Canada.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 240 — An Act to Amend the Municipal Election Act — Mr. Oman

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

# **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

The following Bill was read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. 94 — The Alberta Health Care Insurance Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Russell

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole:

# (ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bill was reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 73 — The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2) — Mr. Zaozirny

The following Bill was reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 8 — The Service of Documents During Postal Interruptions Act — Mr. Kushner

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill No. 84 — The Health Occupations Act — Hon. Mr. Bogle

The Assembly adjourned at 1:00 p.m. until Monday, November 24, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 89 — The Legislative Assembly Amendment Act, 1980 —

Hon. Mr. Crawford

Bill No. 97 — The Police Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Harle

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Horsman, Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower

— Access Alberta — Seventh Annual Report 1980.

(Sessional Paper No. 7A/80)

#### **ORDERS OF THE DAY:**

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**24.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Johnston:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta support patriation of the British North America Act with appropriate safeguards for the protection of provincial rights, proprietary interests and jurisdiction;

AND THAT there be no amendments diminishing provincial rights, proprietary interests and jurisdiction without the consent of the provinces affected;

AND THAT the Legislative Assembly express its opposition to the unilateral action proposed by the Government of Canada;

AND THAT the Legislative Assembly urge the federal-provincial constitutional discussions be resumed as soon as possible in order to ensure that the federal government and all provincial governments may participate fully and equally in recommending constitutional changes which will decide the future of Canada.

A debate followed

During the course of debate, Mr. Notley, Hon. Member for Spirit River-Fairview moved the following amendment:

Amendment to Government Motion No. 24

The motion is hereby amended by adding after the first clause

"AND THAT the Legislative Assembly of Alberta support the entrenchment of Aboriginal Rights in the Canadian constitution, through the inclusion of the Royal Proclamation of 1763 as part of the constitution of Canada, through the inclusion of all Treaties between the Crown and the aboriginal peoples of Canada and through confirmation in the Con-

stitution of the principal that no aboriginal right or Treaty shall be diminished by any act of Parliament or any legislative assembly without negotiated agreement with those aboriginal peoples affected.

The question being put, the amendment was defeated.

Mrs. Cripps moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

At 5:30 p.m. the Speaker left the Chair.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# **24.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Johnston:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta support patriation of the British North America Act with appropriate safeguards for the protection of provincial rights, proprietary interests and jurisdiction;

AND THAT there be no amendments diminishing provincial rights, proprietary interests and jurisdiction without the consent of the provinces affected:

AND THAT the Legislative Assembly express its opposition to the unilateral action proposed by the Government of Canada;

AND THAT the Legislative Assembly urge the federal-provincial constitutional discussions be resumed as soon as possible in order to ensure that the federal government and all provincial governments may participate fully and equally in recommending constitutional changes which will decide the future of Canada.

A debate followed.

During the course of debate, Mr. Sindlinger, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, filed a copy of a letter, written by him to the Prime Minister of Canada, relative to rights, benefits and privileges of provincial governments.

(Filing No. 570/80)

The question being put, the Speaker declared the motion agreed to The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: Total — 70

Adair Little C. Anderson Lougheed D. Anderson Mack Appleby Magee Batiuk Mandeville McCrae Bogle Borstad McCrimmon Bradley Miller Buck Moore Campbell Musgreave Carter Oman Chambers Osterman

Chichak L. Clark R. Clark Cook Crawford Cripps Diachuk Embury Fjordbotten Fyfe Gogo Harle Hiebert Horsman Hyndman Isley Johnston King Knaak

Pahl Paproski Payne Pengelly Planche Purdy Reid Russell H. Schmid D. Schmidt Shaben Sindlinger R. Speaker Stevens Stewart Stromberg Thompson **Topolnisky** Webber Wolstenholme

Kowalski Wolstenh Kroeger Woo Kushner Young Leitch Zaozirny

Against the motion: Total — 1

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On the motion of Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:54 p.m. to Tuesday, November 25, 1980 at 2:30 p.m.

# TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# PRESENTING PETITIONS:

Mr. Gogo, Honourable Member for Lethbridge West, presented a petition of 18,000 residents of the Lethbridge and southern Alberta area requesting the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government of Alberta to permit and support the continued operation of St. Michaels Hospital in Lethbridge.

#### **READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS:**

On the motion by Mr. Woo, Honourable Member for Sherwood Park, the following petition was read and received:

TO THE HONOURABLE, THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA, IN LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED:

The petition of the undersigned residents of the County of Strathcona No. 20 humbly shows that they are greatly concerned that approval of the present application by the City of Edmonton to annex the entire county or

any portion thereof and bring it within the jurisdiction of the City of Edmonton will result in a much increased financial burden in relation to the cost of property taxes, utility services, and all other expenditures resulting from such annexation.

Wherefore your petitioners humbly pray that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to give consideration to any action possible on your part to prevent such annexation.

And as in duty bound your petitioners will ever pray.

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):**

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 242 — An Act to Amend The Surface Rights Act — Mr. R. Speaker

Bill No. 243 — The Travel Agents Licensing Act — Mr. Cook

Bill No. 245 — The Energy Conservation Building Standards Act — Mr. Cook

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. King, Minister of Education:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Dr. Buck on November 18, 980:

Than an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all correspondence received by the Department of Education from organizations requesting that the Alberta Correspondence School be relocated in their communities.

(Sessional Paper No. 135/80)

Hon. Mr. Moore, Minister of Municipal Affairs, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— Annual Report 1979/80 Alberta Municipal Affairs (Sessional Paper No. 53(a)/80)

## **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Horsman, Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower, informing the Assembly of continuation of the Priority Employment Program, a program designed to provide work for the unemployed during the winter months.

(Sessional Paper No. 343/80)

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. McCrae, Minister of Government Services, informing the Assembly of expansion of the RITE system.

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

## **QUESTIONS:**

THE FOLLOWING QUESTION WAS MADE AN ORDER FOR RETURN:

# **137.** Moved by Mr. R. Clark (on behalf of Mr. Notley):

What is the government's best estimate of the cost to the Alberta taxpayer, in terms of foregone revenue and direct payments to the oil industry, of the Alberta Petroleum Exploration Plan of December 1974 as follows:

- (a) From January 1, 1975 to March 31, 1975
- (b) For the 1975-76 Fiscal year
- (c) For the 1976-77 Fiscal year
- (d) For the 1977-78 Fiscal year
- (e) For the 1978-79 Fiscal year
- (0 For the 1979-80 Fiscal year
- (g) For the 1980-81 Fiscal year

Such estimate to be itemized as per the response of Alberta Treasury to Question No. 101 in Sessional Paper No 101/75, dated 11 December, 1975.

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

# **130.** Moved by Mr. R. Speaker:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- 1. The results of all surveys and studies conducted by the ERCB, Department of Environment, Department of Agriculture into the presence or effects of sulphur emissions from the Esso Resources Gas Conservation Plant at Joffre for the past five years.
- 2. Copies of all correspondence between the ERCB, Departments of Environment and Agriculture and Joffre area farmers regarding the impact of the plant's emissions for the same period.
- 3. All correspondence between the ERCB and Esso Resources regarding the plant's emission levels for the same period.
- 4. The dates and times when government monitors indicate that emission standards were exceeded by the plant.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. Leitch, was agreed to:

— on the condition that the correspondence referred to in paragraphs (2) and (3) of the motion be produced only with the concurrence of those who received or sent the correspondence outside of the government departments or agencies referred to in the motion.

# **134.** Moved by Mr. R. Clark (on behalf of Mr. Notley):

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Any and all reports and statistical abstracts dealing with the location and distribution of students of The Alberta Correspondence School received by the Minister of Education or his Department since January 1, 1978, and specifically including any such material originally prepared by or for staff or officers of the School.

To which the following amendment, moved by Hon. Mr. King, was agreed to:

— by adding the word "primarily" after "abstracts dealing"; by removing the words "and specifically including any such material originally prepared by or for staff or officers of the school.", and replacing them with the words "except such reports and abstracts as express the opinion, advice, or recommendations of the public service."

#### THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS ORDERED TO STAND:

- **138.** Mr. Notley to propose the following motion to this Assembly:
  - That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return Showing:
- (a) Copies of all correspondence received by the Department of Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation concerning the Report of The Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly on Workers' Compensation and
- (b) A list of all individuals and organizations with whom the Minister of Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation, or officials of his department, held discussions concerning the above Report from the date of its release to present.

#### **GOVERNMENT DESIGNATED BUSINESS:**

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

It was unanimously agreed by the Assembly to waive the provisions of temporary sub order (2) (e) of Standing Order 8.

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 77 The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 78 The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Supplementary Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. PR 3 The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Lysons

The following Bills were reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 33 The Medical Services Research Foundation Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Isley
- Bill No. 74 The Planning Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Moore
- Bill No. 84 The Health Occupations Act Hon. Mr. Bogle

(SECOND READING)

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

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Bill No. 88 — The Election Act — Dr. Reid
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Bill No. 90 — The Architects Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Chambers

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time

Bill No. 93 — The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Diachuk

A debate followed.

Dr. Reid moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

At 5:30 p.m. the Speaker left the Chair.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

#### **NOTICES OF MOTION:**

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given to revert to Notices of Motions the Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader gave oral notice of the following motion:

# BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- A Select Special Committee of this Assembly be established to explore constitutional and related issues with members of other provincial legislatures, to gain knowledge of the points of view in other jurisdictions and help convey the position taken by this Legislative Assembly as reflected in the resolution on Government Motion No. 24 dated November 24th, 1980 to other parts of Canada.
- 2. The Committee shall consist of the following members:

Honourable G. Amerongen, Chairman

- D. Anderson
- F. Bradley
- R. Clark
- I. Reid
- C. Stewart
- 3. Members of the Committee shall be paid in accordance with S.59(1) of The Legislative Assembly Act.
- 4. Reasonable disbursements by the Committee for staff assistance, equipment and supplies, public information needs, rent, travel and other expenditures necessary for the effective conduct of its responsibilities shall be paid, subject to the approval of the Chairman.
- In carrying out its responsibilities, the Committee may, with the
  concurrence of the head of a department, utilize the services of
  members of the Public Service employed in that department or of the
  staff employed by the Assembly.
- 6. The Committee may, without leave of the Assembly, sit during a period when the Assembly is adjourned or prorogued.

7. When its work has been completed, the Committee shall report to the Assembly if it is then sitting, and may release its report during a period when the Assembly is adjourned or prorogued by depositing a copy with the Clerk and forwarding a copy to each Member of the Assembly.

# **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

#### (SECOND READING)

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. 89 The Legislative Assembly Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Crawford
- Bill No. 93 The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Diachuk
- Bill No. 95 The Interpretation Act, 1980 Mr. Wolstenholme
- Bill No. 96 The Engineering and Related Professions Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Chambers
- Bill No. 97 The Police Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Harle

#### (COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE)

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole:

# (ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 92 The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980(No. 3) Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 94 The Alberta Health Care Insurance Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Russell

During consideration of Bill No. 94 — The Alberta Health Care Insurance Amendment Act, 1980, Hon. Mr. Russell tabled the following document:

Draft 1 — Proposed Regulation — Assessment Committee Regulation — The Alberta Health Care Insurance Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 345/80)

# (THIRD READING)

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill No. 8 The Service of Documents During Postal Interruptions Act Mr. Kushner
- Bill No. 62 The Petroleum Marketing Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 63 The Natural Gas Price Administration Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 65 The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Shaben

- Bill No. 71 The Natural Gas Rebates Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Shaben
- Bill No. 72 The Department of Transportation Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Kroeger
- Bill No. 75 The Liquor Control Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Harle

#### **PRIVATE BILLS:**

(SECOND READING)

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill No. PR 1 The La Fondation de l'Association Canadienne-Française de l'Alberta Act — Mr. Cook
- Bill No. PR 4 The Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act Mr. Musgreave

(COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE)

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole:

The following Bill was reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. PR 5 — The Alberta Foundation Act — Mr. Knaak

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader the Assembly adjourned at 10:10 p.m. until Wednesday, November 26, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS:**

On the motion by Mr. Gogo, Honourable Member for Lethbridge West the following petition was read and received:

TO THE HONOURABLE, THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA. IN LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED:

The petition of the undersigned citizens of the province of Alberta humbly shows that they earnestly request the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government of Alberta to permit and support the continued operation of St. Michaels Hospital in Lethbridge as a fully active treatment facility with no reduction in present bed capacity, services, nor medical specialists on staff.

# PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES:

Mr. Zaozirny, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the following report:

## Mr. Speaker:

As Chairman of the Private Bills Committee, I hereby report that the Standing Committee on Private Bills has had under consideration the undermentioned Private Bill and begs to report the same with the recommendation that it be proceeded with: —

Bill No. PR 7 — The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act — Mr. Cook

# INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (First Reading):

Notice having been given:

Bill No. 98 — The Personal Property Security Act — Hon. Mr. Crawford

# **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Agriculture:

— Farming for the Future, Progress Report 1980

(Sessional Paper No. 344/80)

Hon. Mr. Moore, Minister of Municipal Affairs, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of the Legislative Assembly Act:

- Annual Report 1979-1980 Alberta Disaster Services

(Sessional Paper No. 53(b)/80)

Hon. Mr. Young, Minister of Labour, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

- Annual Report 1979-1980 Alberta Labour

(Sessional Paper No. 51/80)

Hon. Mr. Russell, Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care, pursuant to Section 35.1 (10) of The Health Care Insurance Act:

— Annual Report For The Year Ended March 31, 1980, Alberta Hospitals and Medical Care Health Care Insurance Plan.

(Sessional Paper No. 43(a)/80)

### **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Johnston, Minister of Federal and Intergovernmental Affairs, informing the Assembly that the Government had reached certain decisions with respect to representations to the British Select Committee on Foreign Affairs and to the Canadian Special Joint Committee on the Constitution.

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services of Community Health, informing the Assembly of the formation of the Alberta Committee for the International Year of Disabled Persons.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY:

### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

# 17. Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Standing Orders of the Legislative Assembly be amended as follows:

Standing Order 79 is amended by striking out "as set out in the Second Schedule to The Companies Act (R.S.A. 1970)" and substituting "pursuant to The Companies Act,".

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

# **18.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Assembly receive the Report of the Select Standing Committee on The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act relating to the 1978-79 fiscal year, presented by Mr. Payne, Chairman, on Monday, November 5, 1979 and concur in the following recommendation as outlined on page 18 of the Report:

#### D. PROCEDURAL

1. That in light of indications by the Executive Council that necessary funding will be approved, the Committee implement its 1978 recommendation concerning the hiring of consultants on a project basis.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

# **25.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Standing Orders of the Legislative Assembly be amended as follows:

- Standing Order 46 (1) (g) amended by striking out "the Offices of the Auditor General and the Ombudsman" and substituting "Legislative Offices".
- Standing Order 46.1 (1) amended by striking out "the Offices of the Auditor General and Ombudsman" and substituting "Legislative Offices".

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole:

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. 89 — The Legislative Assembly Amendment Act, 1980 —Hon. Mr. Crawford

Bill No. 93 — The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Diachuk

Bill No. 95 — The Interpretation Act, 1980—Mr. Wolstenholme

- Bill No. 96 The Engineering and Related Professions Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Chambers
- Bill No. 97 The Police Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Harle
- Bill No. PR 1 The La Fondation de l'Association Canadienne-Française de l'Alberta Act — Mr. Cook
- Bill No. PR 4 The Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act Mr. Musgreave

The following Bills were reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

- Bill No. 88 The Election Act, 1980 Dr. Reid
- Bill No. 90 The Architects Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Chambers

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill No. 33 The Medical Services Research Foundation Amendment Act, 1980 Mr. Isley
- Bill No. 73 The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2) Mr. Zaozirny
- Bill No. 77 The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 78 The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Supplementary Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Hyndman
- Bill No. 82 The Alberta Government Telephones Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Dr. Webber
- Bill No. 84 The Health Occupations Act Hon. Mr. Bogle
- Bill No. 92 The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980(No. 3) Hon. Mr. Leitch
- Bill No. 94 The Alberta Health Care Insurance Amendment Act, 1980 Hon. Mr. Russell

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Third time:

Bill No. 74 — The Planning Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Moore

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. King moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

# **PRIVATE BILLS:**

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

Bill No. PR 3 — The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980 — Mr. Lysons

Bill No. PR 5 — The Alberta Foundation Act — Mr. Knaak

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given to waive the provisions of Standing Order 63, the following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

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— The Election Act, (1980) — Dr. Reid
Bill No. 88
            — The Legislative Assembly Amendment Act, 1980 —
Bill No. 89
               Hon. Mr. Crawford
            — The Architects Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Chambers
Bill No. 90
            — The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 1980
Bill No. 93
               —Hon. Mr. Diachuk
            — The Interpretation Act, 1980 — Mr. Wolstenholme
Bill No. 95
            — The Engineering and Related Professions Amend-
Bill No. 96
               ment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Chambers
           — The Police Amendment Act, 1980—Hon. Mr. Harle
Bill No. 97
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#### **PRIVATE BILLS:**

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given to waive the provisions of Standing Order 63, the following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

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Bill No. PR 1 — The La Fondation de l'Association Canadienne-
Française de l'Alberta Act — Mr. Cook
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Bill No. PR 4 — The Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act — Mr. Musgreave (SECOND READING)

The following Bill was read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill No. PR 7— The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act—Mr. Cook

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given to waive the provisions of Standing Order 63, in order that further consideration could be given to Bill No. PR 7, the Assembly resolved itself, according to Order, into Committee of the Whole

(ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE)

The following Bill was reported and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill No. PR 7 — The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act — Mr. Cook

Unanimous consent of the Assembly having been given to waive the provisions of Standing Order 63, the following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill No. PR 7 — The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act — Mr Cook

On the motion of Hon. Mr. Horsman, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 4:57 p.m. until Thursday, November 27, 1980 at 2:30 o'clock.

# THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1980

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Crawford, Attorney General:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Clark on Tuesday, October 28, 1980, showing:
- (a) A copy of the agreement between the Law Society of Alberta and the Attorney General regarding the establishment of the Legal Aid Plan.
- (b) A copy of the agreement between the Government of Alberta and the Law Society of Alberta regarding Legal Aid which came into effect on February 13, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 126/80)

Hon. Mr. McCrae, Minister of Government Services:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on Tuesday, November 18, 1980, showing:

With regard to the speech made by the Honourable E. Peter Lougheed, Premier, taped at the facilities of CFCN Television in Calgary on the afternoon of Thursday, October 30, 1980, and broadcast later that same evening by the various television stations and some radio stations in Alberta, and itemized in all cases on the basis of individual companies contracted:

- 1) The costs charged to the Government of the Province of Alberta for:
  - a) the production costs arising from the preparation of broadcast of the Premier's speech:
  - b) the costs of advertisements purchased for the purpose of informing Albertans of the date and time of the broadcasts in various areas of the Province;
  - c) the costs of air time booked and used for the purpose of broadcasting the Premier's speech.

(Sessional Paper No. 133/80)

# **MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS:**

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Lougheed, Premier, informing the Assembly of actions taken by the Government of Alberta since the Premier's telecast of October 30, 1980 regarding the consequences of implementation of the Ottawa energy proposals announced on October 28, 1980 During the course of his statement, Mr. Lougheed tabled a brochure entitled "Energy Issues for the People of Alberta".

(Sessional Paper No. 346/80)

A statement was made by Hon. Mr. Diachuk, in his capacity as Acting Minister of Culture, announcing that the Alberta Government is today advancing funds for relief for Italian earthquake victims.

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

#### **MOTIONS FOR RETURNS:**

THE FOLLOWING MOTION WAS AGREED TO AS AMENDED:

**138.** Moved by Mr. Notley:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return Showing:

- (a) Copies of all correspondence received by the Department of Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation concerning the Report of The Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly on Workers' Compensation and
- (b) A list of all individuals and organizations with whom the Minister of Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation, or officials of his department, held discussions concerning the above Report from the date of its release to present.
- to which the following amendment, moved by Mr. Diachuk, was agreed to:
- (a) Copies of all correspondence received by the Ministry of Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation concerning the Report of the Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly on Workers' Compensation subject to the consent of the originators of such correspondence.

Sub-paragraph (b) is deleted.

## **MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

Motion No. 226 — Moved by Mr. Notley:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, this Assembly declares unequivocally and without any reservation whatsoever that the historical, cultural and economic bonds which tie Alberta to the rest of Canada must never be severed; that separatism is not an option that will be considered for Alberta by this Assembly.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to temporary Sub Order 3 (f) of Standing Order 8, debate was adjourned with Dr. Reid speaking.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill No. 219 — The Tenancies of Mobile Home Sites Act — Mr. Zaozirny

A debate followed.

Mr. Purdy moved adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

At 5:30 p.m. the Speaker left the Chair.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1980 — 8:00 P.M.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

#### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**26.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. A Select Special Committee of this Assembly be established to explore constitutional and related issues with members of other provincial legislatures, to gain knowledge of the point of view in other jurisdictions and help convey the position taken by this Legislative Assembly as reflected in the resolution on Government Motion No. 24 dated November 24th, 1980 to other parts of Canada.
- 2. The Committee shall consist of the following members:

Honourable G. Amerongen, Chairman

- D. Anderson
- F. Bradley
- R. Clark
- I. Reid
- C. Stewart
- 3. Members of the Committee shall be paid in accordance with S.59(1) of The Legislative Assembly Act.
- 4. Reasonable disbursements by the Committee for staff assistance, equipment and supplies, public information needs, rent, travel and other expenditures necessary for the effective conduct of its responsibilities shall be paid, subject to the approval of the Chairman.
- In carrying out its responsibilities, the Committee may, with the
  concurrence of the head of a department, utilize the services of
  members of the Public Service employed in that department or of the
  staff employed by the Assembly.
- The Committee may, without leave of the Assembly, sit during a period when the Assembly is adjourned or prorogued.
- 7. When its work has been completed, the Committee shall report to the Assembly if it is then sitting, and may release its report during a period when the Assembly is adjourned or prorogued by depositing a copy with the Clerk and forwarding a copy to each Member of the Assembly.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

#### **GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS:**

(THIRD READING)

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill No. 74 — The Planning Amendment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Moore

### **GOVERNMENT MOTIONS:**

**27.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Crawford:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, when the Assembly adjourns it shall stand adjourned until such time and date prior to the commencement of the 1981 Session as is determined by Mr. Speaker after consultation with the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor, having entered the Assembly and being seated on the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:

# "MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

The Legislative Assembly has, at its present sitting, passed certain Bills to which, and in the name of the Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request your Honour's assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed as follows:

Bill No. 8	— The Service of Documents During Postal Inter-
	ruptions Act
Bill No. 22	The Medical Services Desearch Foundation Amend

Bill No. 33 — The Medical Services Research Foundation Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 59 — The Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Special Appropriation Act, 1981-82

Bill No. 61 — The Reciprocal Enforcement Of Maintenance Orders Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 62 — The Petroleum Marketing Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 63 — The Natural Gas Price Administration Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 64 — The Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 65 — The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 66 — The Students Loan Guarantee Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 67 — The Students Finance Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 68 — The Agricultural Societies Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 69 — The Irrigation Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 70 — The Agricultural Statutes Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 71 — The Natural Gas Rebates Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 72 — The Department of Transportation Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 73 — The Public Inquiries Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2)

Bill No. 74 — The Planning Amendment Act, 1980 (No. 2)

Bill No. 75 — The Liquor Control Act, 1980

Bill No. 76 — The Rural Gas Amendment Act, 1980

Bill No. 77 — The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Act, 1980

Bill No. 78	<ul> <li>The Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Supplementary Act, 1980</li> </ul>
Bill No. 79	— The Labour Relations Act

- Bill No. 80 — The Employment Standards Act
- The Financial Administration Amendment Act, Bill No. 81 1980 (No. 2)
- Bill No. 82 — The Alberta Government Telephones Amendment Act, 1980
- The Court of Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 1980 Bill No. 83
- The Health Occupations Act Bill No. 84
- The Pension Fund Act Bill No. 86
- Bill No. 87 — The Ground Water Development Act
- The Election Act, 1980 Bill No. 88
- The Legislative Assembly Amendment Act, 1980 Bill No. 89
- The Architects Act, 1980 Bill No. 90
- \_ The Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 1980 Bill No. 92 (No. 3)
- The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 1980 Bill No. 93 —Hon. Mr. Diachuk
- \_ The Alberta Health Care Insurance Amendment Bill No. 94 Act, 1980
- The Interpretation Act, 1980 Mr. Wolstenholme Bill No. 95
- The Engineering and Related Professions Amend-Bill No. 96 ment Act, 1980 — Hon. Mr. Chambers
- Bill No. 97 — The Police Amendment Act, 1980
- Bill No. PR 1 The La Foundation de l'Association Canadienne-Française de l'Alberta Act
- Bill No. PR 3 The Alberta Wheat Pool Amendment Act, 1980
- Bill No. PR 4— The Keith Dial Adoption Termination Act
- Bill No. PR 5— The Alberta Foundation Act
- Bill No. PR 7 The Warren Dean Boyd Adoption Act

To these Bills the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

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

His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to deliver the following speech:

Mr. Speaker, Mr. Premier, Members of the Legislative Assembly of the province of Alberta:

Notwithstanding the fact that you took me away from a helluva good party tonight, in order that you could get away for your holiday, I want to wish you all a very, very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

I think we all appreciate the efforts you've made. These are trying times in the province of Alberta, but we are sure that we will come out all right.

Thank you very, very much.

On motion by Hon. Mr. Crawford, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 8:45 p.m. until such time and date prior to the commencement of the 1981 Session as is determined by Mr. Speaker after consultation with the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

# MONDAY, MARCH 30, 1981

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

# **PRIVILEGE:**

Mr. R. Speaker, Hon Leader of the Official Opposition, rose on a point of privilege to pay tribute to the services of Mr. R. Clark to the Legislative Assembly and the people of Alberta while serving as Leader of the Official Opposition and throughout his career as a Member of the Legislative Assembly Hon. Mr. Lougheed, Premier, and Mr. Notley, Hon. Member for Spirit River-Fairview also paid tribute to Mr. Clark.

#### **TABLING RETURNS AND REPORTS:**

Hon. Mr. Bogle, Minister of Social Services and Community Health:

— Provincial Senior Citizens Advisory Council, Annual Report (Sessional Paper No. 347/80)

Hon. Mr. Cookson, Minister of Environment.

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Dr. Buck on Thursday, November 6, 1980, showing:

All correspondence between the Departments of Agriculture and Environment, and the Federal Government regarding the use, distribution and hazards of the herbicide 2,4,5-T, providing that the Federal Government gives consent to releasing such correspondence as the Federal Government may have originated.

(Sessional Paper No. 131/80)

Hon. Mr. Koziak, Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, pursuant to Chapter 204, Section 35.1 of The Legislative Assembly Act:

— Annual Report For The Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1980, Alberta Consumer and Corporate Affairs

(Sessional Paper No. 15/80)

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Hon. Mr. Koziak, Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs:

— Annual Report For The Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1980, Alberta Securities Commission

(Sessional Paper No. 348/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 68, Sections 77(2) and 78(2) of The Financial Administration Act:

— Public Accounts 1979-80, Volumes I and II (Sessional Paper No. 60A/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer:

— Amended Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. R. Clark on Thursday, May 15, 1980, showing:

With respect to every trip made outside of Canada by employees or other persons acting on behalf of a Government of Alberta department, board, commission or agency which was paid for by public money during the fiscal year 1979-80:

- (1) The date of each trip;
- (2) The destination of each trip;
- (3) The purpose of each trip;
- (4) The name of each government employee or other person acting on behalf of the government who went on each trip; and
- (5) The total cost of each trip.

(Sessional Paper No. 119/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 81, Section 37(2) of The Public Service Management Pension Act:

— Annual Report 1979/80, Public Service Management Pension Board

(Sessional Paper No. 67A/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 72, Section 34(2) of The Special Forces Pension Act:

— Annual Report 1979-80, Special Forces Pension Board (Sessional Paper No. 68/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer, pursuant to Chapter 36, Section 32(2) of the Universities Academic Pension Act:

— Annual Report 1979-80, Universities Academic Pension Board (Sessional Paper No. 69A/80)

Hon. Mr. Hyndman, Provincial Treasurer:

- Annual Report 1979/80, Public Service Pension Board (Sessional Paper No. 349/80)
- Annual Report 1979/80, Local Authorities Pension Board (Sessional Paper No. 350/80)

Hon. Mr. Amerongen, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

— The Third Annual Report of the Chief Electoral Officer, Admin-

istering The Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act for the Year 1980

(Sessional Paper No. 1B/80)

— Special Report of the Ombudsman

(Sessional Paper No. 351/80)

Hon. Mr. Crawford, Attorney General:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on

Tuesday, November 18, 1980, showing:

Copies of any and all applications for injunctions or for an injunction or similar court proceeding filed by or on behalf of any and ail Departments or Agencies of Departments of the Government of the Province of Alberta between September 1, 1980 and September 26, 1980 inclusive. (Sessional Paper No. 127/80)

Hon. Mr. Diachuk, Minister responsible for Workers' Health, Safety & Compensation:

— Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Dr. Buck on Tuesday, November 4, 1980, showing:

A list of the specific aims and provisions of the government's eightyear program for research and education in the area of worker's health and safety, together with projection showing how the \$10 million budget is proposed to be allocated.

(Sessional Paper No. 129/80)

Hon. Mr. Diachuk, Minister responsible for Workers' Health, Safety & Compensation:

- Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Notley on Thursday, November 27, 1980, showing:
  - (a) Copies of all correspondence received by the Ministry of Workers' Health, Safety and Compensation concerning the Report of the Select Committee of the Legislative Assembly on Workers' Compensation subject to the consent of the originators of such correspondence. (Sessional Paper No. 138/80)

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY:

# **PRIVILEGE:**

Hon. Mr. Lougheed, Premier, rose on a point of privilege to express concern over the attempted assassination of President Reagan. Mr. R. Speaker, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, rose to second the Premier's remarks.

The Provincial Secretary stated:

Mr. Speaker, it is His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's will and pleasure that the Legislative Assembly be now prorogued, and this Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

The Assembly prorogued at 3:33 p.m.