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By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission under the Great Seal, and in obedience to Her Majesty's Commands, Parliament was prorogued on the above-mentioned day to Tuesday the Thirtieth day of this instant October, to be then here holden.
A MESSAGE from Her Majesty, by
Lieutenant-General Sir Brian Horrocks,
K.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., Gentleman Usher
of the Black Rod.

Mr. Speaker,
The Queen commands this Honourable
House to attend Her Majesty immediately, in
the House of Peers.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker, with the House,
went up to attend Her Majesty:—And having
returned;
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair at half an
hour after Two of the clock.

Ordered, That all Members who are returned
for two or more places in any part of the
United Kingdom do make their Election for
which of the places they will serve, within one
week after it shall appear that there is no
question upon the Return for that place; and
if any thing shall come in question touching
the Return or Election of any Member, he is
to withdraw during the time the matter is in
debate; and that all Members returned upon
double Returns do withdraw till their Returns
are determined.

Resolved, That no Peer of the Realm, except
such Peers of Ireland as shall for the time being
be actually elected, and shall not have declined
to serve, for any county, city, or borough of
Great Britain, hath any right to give his vote
in the Election of any Member to serve in
Parliament.

Resolved, That if it shall appear that any
person hath been elected or returned a Mem­
ber of this House, or endeavoured so to be, by
Bribery or any other corrupt practices, this
House will proceed with the utmost severity
against all such persons as shall have been
wilfully concerned in such Bribery or other
corrupt practices.

Resolved, That if it shall appear that any
person hath been tampering with any Witness,
in respect of his evidence to be given to this
House, or any Committee thereof, or directly
or indirectly hath endeavoured to deter or
hinder any person from appearing or giving
evidence, the same is declared to be a high
crime and misdemeanour; and this House will
proceed with the utmost severity against such
offender.

Resolved, That if it shall appear that any
person hath given false evidence in any case
before this House, or any Committee thereof,
this House will proceed with the utmost
severity against such offender.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of the
Police of the Metropolis do take care that
during the Session of Parliament the passages
through the streets leading to this House be
kept free and open and that no obstruction be
permitted to hinder the passage of Members to
and from this House, and that no disorder be
allowed in Westminster Hall, or in the passages
leading to this House, during the Sitting of
Parliament, and that there be no annoyance
therein or thereabouts; and that the Serjeant
at Arms attending this House do communicate
this Order to the Commissioner aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Votes and Proceedings of
this House be printed being first 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.

Ordered, That a Committee of Privileges be
appointed.

A Bill for the more effectual preventing
Clandestine Outlawries was read the first time; and
ordered to be read a second time.
Ordered, That the Journal of this House, from the end of the last Session to the end of the present Session, with an Index thereto, be printed.

Ordered, That the said Journal and Index be printed by the appointment and under the direction of Thomas George Barnett Cocks, Esquire, C.B., O.B.E., the Clerk of this House.

Ordered, That the said Journal and Index be printed by such person as shall be licensed by Mr. Speaker, and that no other person do presume to print the same.

The following Papers, required by several Acts of Parliament to be laid before the House, and delivered to the Votes and Proceedings Office on the undermentioned dates pursuant to the Standing Order (Presentation of Statutory Instruments), were ordered to lie upon the Table:—

26th October 1962:—
Copy of Regulations, dated 23rd October 1962, entitled the Import Duty Drawbacks (No. 10) Order 1962.

Copy of Regulations, dated 16th October 1962, entitled the London Traffic (40 m.p.h. Speed Limit) (No. 10) Regulations 1962.

Copy of an Order, dated 23rd October 1962, entitled the Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 5) Order 1962.

Copy of an Order, dated 23rd October 1962, entitled the Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 5) Order 1962.


Copy of Regulations, dated 18th October 1962, entitled the London Traffic (40 m.p.h. Speed Limit) (No. 11) Regulations 1962.

Copies of Orders, dated 22nd October 1962, entitled—

(1) the County of Bedford (Advance Payments for Street Works) Order 1962, and
(2) the Shropshire Rural District (Advance Payments for Street Works) Order 1962.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report by the Lord Privy Seal on the meeting relating to the European Economic Community held at Brussels from the 23rd to the 27th day of October 1962.

Copy of a Convention signed at Paris on the 12th day of October 1955 establishing an International Organisation of Legal Metrology.

Copy of Notes exchanged at Amman on the 25th day of May 1962 concerning a Loan by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom to the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan during the financial year ending on the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Notes exchanged at Amman on the 22nd day of October 1962, entitled the Oil in Navigable Waters (Convention Countries) (Australia) Order 1962.

Copies of Orders in Council,—

(1) dated 2nd October 1962, approving an Admiralty Memorial praying sanction to increased maximum rates of pension for Petty Officers, Non-commissioned Officers, Men and Women of the Naval and Marine Forces and of Queen Alexandra’s Royal Naval Nursing Service,
(2) dated 2nd October 1962, approving an Admiralty Memorial praying sanction to changes in titles of ratings in the Communication Branch of the Royal Navy, and
(3) dated 24th October 1962, approving an Admiralty Memorial praying sanction to rates of pay and allowances payable to Medical and Dental Students recruited into the Royal Naval Reserve.

Copy of an Amending Scheme made by the University of Oxford for administering certain funds of the University.

Copy of a Scheme made by Jesus College, Cambridge, for administering certain funds of the College.

Copies of Statutes—

(1) made by the University of Oxford on the 8th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the University,
(2) made by the University of Oxford on the 22nd day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College,
(3) made by the Governing Body of Corpus Christi College, Oxford, on the 10th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College,
(4) made by the Governing Body of Exeter College, Oxford, on the 14th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College,
(5) made by the Governing Body of Exeter College, Oxford, on the 17th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College,
(6) made by the Governing Body of Oxford College, Oxford, on the 22nd day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College.
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(7) made by the Governing Body of Jesus College, Oxford, on the 9th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College,
(8) made by the Governing Body of Magdalen College, Oxford, on the 21st day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College,
(9) made by the Governing Body of Merton College, Oxford, on the 11th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College,
(10) made by the Governing Body of Pembroke College, Oxford, on the 5th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College,
(11) made by the Governing Body of The Queen's College, Oxford, on the 16th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College,
(12) made by the Governing Body of Trinity College, Oxford, on the 16th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College, and
(13) made by the Governing Body of Christ's College, Cambridge, on the 16th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of Regulations, entitled the Cinematograph Films (Collection of Levy) Amendment No. 2 Regulations 1962.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of a Report on Safety, Health, Welfare and Wages in Agriculture for the period ended the 30th day of September 1961.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Hale presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 23rd October 1962, entitled—

(1) the Slaughterhouses (No. 1) Regulations 1962.
(2) the Slaughterhouses (No. 2) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 19th October 1962, entitled the London Traffic (40 m.p.h. Speed Limit) Amendment No. 2 Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Reports for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962—

(1) of the Bristol Avon River Board,
(2) of the Cheshire River Board,
(3) of the Cornwall River Board,
(4) of the Cumberland River Board,
(5) of the Dee and Clwyd River Board,
(6) of the Devon River Board,
(7) of the East Suffolk and Norfolk River Board,
(8) of the Glamorgan River Board,
(9) of the Great Ouse River Board,
(10) of the Gwyddilian River Board,
(11) of the Hampshire River Board,
(12) of the Hull and East Yorkshire River Board,
(13) of the Isle of Wight River Board,
(14) of the Mersey River Board,
(15) of the Nene River Board,
(16) of the Severn River Board,
(17) of the Somerset River Board,
(18) of the South-West Wales River Board,
(19) of the Wear and Tees River Board,
(20) of the Welland River Board,
(21) of the West Sussex River Board,
(22) of the Wye River Board, and
(23) of the Yorkshire Ouse River Board.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table:—


Ordered, That the said Paper be printed.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—


Accounts of the Transactions of the Iron and Steel Realisation Account and of the receipt and disposal of Securities coming into the hands of the Treasury or their nominees for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; together with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of a Measure, was also laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Scheme for authorising the taking down of Benefices of Peers, when Her Majesty was pleased to make a most Gracious Speech from the Throne.
particularly concerned, they will use every effort to bring the current negotiations to a conclusion acceptable to Parliament.

In pursuance of the plan for the proposed new Federation of Malaysia, detailed discussions are proceeding and in due course legislation will be laid before you.

You will be asked to make provision for extending the present powers of the Colonial Development Corporation.

My Ministers will encourage men and women from this country to offer their services for work in developing countries overseas, whether in the service of the other Governments concerned, as specialist advisers, or under schemes of voluntary recruitment.

Members of the House of Commons:

Estimates for the public services will be laid before you.

My Lords and Members of the House of Commons:

My Ministers will continue to promote efficient and sound expansion of the national economy, with a high and stable level of employment.

My Ministers will pursue their aim of improving the balance of overseas payments and maintaining the strength of sterling. In cooperation with other Governments they will give constant attention to means of sustaining a rising level of world trade.

My Government are resolved to maintain a stable, efficient and prosperous agricultural industry. They will lay before you proposals on certain miscellaneous questions affecting agriculture. The fishing industry will continue to receive help and support.

My Government will promote further improvements in the social conditions and in the housing, health and welfare of My People. Plans will be laid before you for the development in England and Wales over the next decade of the health and welfare services of the local authorities, in parallel with the development of the hospitals. A Bill will be introduced to extend the powers of local authorities in connection with the care of children, and to give effect to other recommendations which have been made by the Committee on Children and Young Persons.

Fresh provision will be made for securing the health, safety and welfare of persons employed in shops and offices. A Bill will be introduced to increase the pensions of retired members of the public services and their dependants.

The position of war pensioners and those who are receiving national insurance benefits will be kept under close review.

My Government will continue to give attention to measures for the further protection of consumers. They will introduce legislation to bring up to date and extend the Weights and Measures Acts and they will establish a Consumer Council to represent and promote the interests of consumers.

My Government propose to introduce a Bill which will require employers to give their employees written statements about terms of employment and will prescribe minimum periods of notice.
Continued attention will be given to improving the supply of teachers for the schools. The expansion of university and technical education will continue.

Legislation will be proposed for the re-organisation of local government in Greater London.

Legislation will be required to amend and continue the operation of the Telecommunication Act, 1954.

A Bill will be introduced to provide for the conservation and development of water resources in England and Wales.

Bills will be laid before you to amend the criminal law of Scotland and make provision regarding legal aid in criminal cases, to revise the arrangements for paying grants to Scottish local authorities and to amend the law relating to education in Scotland.

Other measures will be laid before you.

My Lords and Members of the House of Commons,

I pray that the blessing of Almighty God may rest upon your counsels.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Majesty for the Gracious Speech which Your Majesty has presented to Her Majesty, as followeth:

Proposed, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, as followeth:

We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Majesty for the Gracious Speech which Your Majesty has addressed to both Houses of Parliament—(Mr. Aitken):—And a Debate arising thereupon.

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

—(Mr. Chichester-Clark.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till one minute after Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the election of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for South Dorset in the room of the Right Honourable Sir Reginald Edward Manningham-Buller, Baronet, Q.C., called up to the House of Peers.-(Mr. Redmayne.)

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the election of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for Chippenham in the room of the Right Honourable Sir David McAdam Eccles, K.C.V.O., called up to the House of Peers.-(Mr. Redmayne.)

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the election of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for Central Norfolk in the room of Group Captain Richard Charles Marler Collard, D.S.O., D.F.C., deceased.—(Mr. Redmayne.)

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command.—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 30th October 1962, concerning a proposal by the Iron and Steel Holding and Realisation Agency to sell its holding of second debenture stock in the Steel Company of Wales Ltd. Bank Notes.

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Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 12th September 1962, relative to the Fiduciary Note Issue.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Paper relating to Bank Notes be printed.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command.—Copy of a Housing Return for Scotland, dated 30th September 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Paper relating to Local Government (Scotland) be printed.

Mr. Secretary Noble also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Report on the Result of a Third Investigation into the Equalisation Grant in Scotland.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Paper relating to Local Government (Scotland) be printed.

Copies of University Court Ordinances—University (Scotland).

(1) No. 404 (University of Aberdeen No. 80 (Regulations as to Examinations)), and
(2) No. 405 (University of St. Andrews No. 60 (Regulations as to Management of Libraries)).

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Paper relating to Local Government (Scotland) be printed.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the Agriculture, directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of an Order, dated 30th October 1962, entitled the Farm Improvements Grants (Aggregate Amount) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Maples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 29th October 1962, entitled the Traffic Signs (Speed Limits) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Housing Return for England and Wales, dated 30th September 1962.

Mr. Boyd-Carpenter, supported by the Prime Minister, Mr. Rippon, Mr. Attorney General, Mr. du Cann, and Mr. Freeth, presented a Bill to alter the composition of the Trustees of the British Museum, to provide for the separation from the British Museum of the British Museum (Natural History), to make new provision with respect to the regulation of the two Museums and their collections in place of that made by the British Museum Act 1753 and enactments amending or supplementing that Act, and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Secretary Sandys, supported by Mr. Hiney, presented a Bill to make provision as to the operation of the law upon Tanganyika becoming a Republic within the Commonwealth: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Secretary Sandys, supported by Sir Edward Boyle and Mr. Vosper, presented a Bill to amend the Commonwealth Scholarships (Amendments) Act 1959: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Amery, supported by Mr. Attorney General and Mr. Barber, presented a Bill to make further provision with respect to the borrowing powers of the British Overseas Airways Corporation and the British European Airways Corporation, and with respect to the power of the Minister of Aviation to make advances to those corporations; to make further provision with respect to the payment of pension benefits in the case of employees who become members of those corporations, and to provide in certain cases for compensating members of those corporations for loss of office; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Boyd-Carpenter, supported by Mr. Secretary Noble, Sir Keith Joseph, Mr. Vosper, and Mr. Barber, presented a Bill to provide for increases or supplements in respect of certain pensions: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Secretary Fraser, supported by Mr. Barber and Mr. Ridsdale, presented a Bill to extinguish certain rights of common, private rights of way and other rights in respect of lands forming part of Towyn Trewan Common in the county of Anglesey, and to enable certain work to be done on other lands forming part of the Common; to provide for compensation in respect of the extinguishment of, or interference with, the said rights of common and private rights of way; to provide for the use by the public of a track across part of the Common; to extend the powers of the Conservators of the Common; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Soames, supported by Mr. Secretary Brooke, Mr. Secretary Noble, Sir Keith Joseph, Mr. Barber, Mr. Scott-Hopkins, and Mr. Vosper, presented a Bill to make further provision as to grants and contributions for agricultural and certain horticultural purposes and otherwise to amend the law relating to the Agriculture (Crown Lands) (Pensions) (Increase) Bill.

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to agriculture, agricultural produce and agricultural land; to provide for the purchase by the Sugar Board of sugar from the Republic of Ireland; to make new provision as to the charging of certain fees; and for purposes connected with those matters: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Erroll, supported by Mr. Secretary Noble, Mr. Wood, Mr. David Price, Mr. Braine, and Mr. Freeth, presented a Bill to make amended provision with respect to weights and measures and for connected purposes: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Secretary Noble, supported by Mr. Barber and Mr. Leburn, presented a Bill to extend the borrowing powers of the South of Scotland Electricity Board: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Secretary Noble, supported by Mr. Barber, and Mr. Leburn, presented a Bill to continue, with amendments, the provisions relating to the payment of Exchequer Equalisations and Transitional Grants to local authorities in Scotland; to increase the limit of contributions payable to such authorities under the Rural Water Supplies and Sewerage Act 1944; to alter the basis of apportionment among such authorities of certain sums (including the aggregate amount of the General Grants payable under the Local Government and Miscellaneous Financial Provisions (Scotland) Act 1958); and to amend the law of Scotland with respect to valuation for rating of industrial and weight transport lands and heritages and to other matters relating to valuation, rating, and local authorities' financial administration; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Heath, supported by Mr. Barber and Mr. Peter Thomas, presented a Bill to provide for the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of additional compensation in respect of claims arising in connection with certain events in Egypt, to require the Foreign Compensation Commission to pay sums into the Exchequer in respect of deductions made in meeting such claims, and to make provision in relation to pensions and other payments to or in respect of members, officers and servants of the Commission: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Ordered, That—

(1) save as provided in this Order, Government Business shall have precedence at every Sitting for the remainder of the Session;

(2) Public Bills other than Government Bills shall have precedence over Government Business on the following Fridays, namely, the 7th day of December next, the 25th day of January next, the 8th and 22nd days of February next, the 8th and 22nd days of March next, the 5th day of April next, the 3rd and 17th days of May next, and the 21st day of June next;

(3) on and after Friday the 5th day of April next, Public Bills other than Government Bills shall be arranged on the Order Paper in the following order:—Consideration of Lords Amendments, Third Readings, Consideration of Reports not already entered upon, adjourned Proceedings on Consideration, Bills in progress in Committee, Bills appointed for Committee, and Second Readings;

(4) the ballot for unofficial Members' Bills shall be held on Thursday the 8th day of November next, under arrangements to be made by Mr. Speaker, and the Bills shall be presented at the commencement of Public Business on Wednesday the 21st day of November next;

(5) unofficial Members' Notices of Motions and unofficial Members' Bills shall have precedence in that order over Government Business on the following Fridays, namely, the 30th day of November next, the 14th day of December next, the 1st and 15th days of February next, the 1st, 15th and 29th days of March next, the 26th day of April next, and the 10th and 24th days of May next;

(6) on Wednesdays the 12th day of December next and the 29th day of May next, unofficial Members' Notices of Motions shall have precedence over Government Business;

(7) on Mondays the 18th day of February next and the 1st day of July next, Government Business shall have precedence until Seven of the clock and if the Business has not been concluded earlier Mr. Speaker shall at that hour proceed to interrupt the Proceedings thereon and the House shall then proceed with unofficial Members' Notices of Motions; and the Proceedings on Business interrupted at Seven of the clock shall be resumed either after unofficial Members' Notices of Motions have been disposed of or after the Question on any Motion made in accordance with paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Exemptions from the Standing Order (Sittings of the House)) has been decided, as the case may be:

(8) ballots for precedence of unofficial Members' Notices of Motions shall be held after Questions on the following Wednesdays, namely the 14th and 28th days of November next, the 23rd and 30th days of January next, the 13th and 27th days of February next, the 13th day of March next, the 3rd day of April next, and the 1st and 8th days of May next for the following Fridays, the 30th day of November next, the 14th day of December next, the 1st and 15th days of February next, the 1st, 15th and 29th days of March next, the 26th day of April next, and the 10th and 24th days of May next, respectively, and on Tuesdays the 27th day of November next, the 5th day of February next, the 14th day of May next.
The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.  

PRAYERS.  

Mr. Speaker made the following communication to the House:—  

I regret to have to inform the House of the death of John Henry Jones, Esquire, Member for Rothwell, and I desire on behalf of the House to express our sense of the loss we have sustained and our sympathy with the relatives of the honourable Member.  

Mr. Secretary Profumo presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order in Council, entitled the Army Act 1955 (Continuance) Order 1962.  

Ordered, That the said Paper lie upon the Table.  

Mr. Secretary Fraser presented, pursuant to Air Force Act 1955 (Continuance) Order 1962, an Address.  

Ordered, That the said Paper lie upon the Table.  

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Committee on the Generation and Distribution of Electricity in Scotland.  

Ordered, That the said Papers lie upon the Table.  

Mr. Secretary Noble also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of University Court Ordinance No. 406 (University of Edinburgh No. 130 (Foundation of the James Mackenzie Chair of Medicine in relation to General Practice)).  

Ordered, That the said Papers lie upon the Table.  

Towy Trewan Common Bill.  

Ordered, That the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills do examine the Towny Trewan Common Bill with respect to the applicability thereto of the Standing Orders relating to Private Business.  

Mr. Hare, supported by Mr. Secretary Butler, Mr. Secretary Brooke, Mr. Iain Macleod, Mr. Murples, Mr. Secretary Noble, Sir Keith Joseph, and Mr. Whitehead, presented a Bill to make fresh provision for securing the health, safety and welfare of persons employed to work in office or shop premises and provision for securing the health, safety and welfare of persons employed to work in certain railway premises; to amend certain provisions of the Factories Act 1961; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid:—And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time tomorrow and to be printed.  

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question proposed yesterday, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, as followeth:—  

Most Gracious Sovereign,  

We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Majesty for the Gracious Speech which your Majesty has addressed to both Houses of Parliament;  

And the Question being again proposed:—  

The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.  

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stand adjourned.  

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed tomorrow.  

Approbation.  

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.  

—(Mr. Chichester-Clark.)  

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till half an hour after Ten of the clock, adjourned till tomorrow.  

[No. 3.]  

Thursday, 1st November, 1962.  

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.  

PRAYERS.  

Death of a Member.  

Mr. Speaker made the following communication to the House:—  

I regret to have to inform the House of the death of John Henry Jones, Esquire, Member for Rothwell, and I desire on behalf of the House to express our sense of the loss we have sustained and our sympathy with the relatives of the honourable Member.  

Mr. Secretary Profumo presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order in Council, entitled the Army Act 1955 (Continuance) Order 1962.  

Ordered, That the said Paper lie upon the Table.
Memorandum.
Thursday, 1st November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Public Bills relating exclusively to Scotland) Mr. Speaker this day certified that, in his opinion, the provisions of the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill and the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill relate exclusively to Scotland.

[No. 4.]

Friday, 2nd November, 1962.
The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the election of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for Glasgow, Woodside, in the room of the Right Honourable William Grant, T.D., Q.C., who since his election for the said Constituency had accepted the Office of Her Majesty’s Justice Clerk and President of the Second Division of the Court of Session in Scotland.—(Mr. Redmayne.)

Selection.

The Committee of Selection was nominated of Sir Peter Agnew, Sir Herbert Butcher, Sir Norman Balbert, Sir Kenyon, Sir Hendrie Oakshott, Mr. Oliver, Sir Otto Prior-Falmer, Mr. Short, Sir Spencer Summers, Mr. Wilkins and Mr. Woodburn.—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Isle of Man.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament—Account of Her Majesty’s Commissioners of Customs and Excise with the Government of the Isle of Man for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Account do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament—Accounts of the National Wool Textile Export Corporation for the year ended the 30th day of September 1961, with the Report of the Auditors thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Return to an Order made upon the 31st day of October last relating to Nationalised Industries.

Mr. Wood, supported by Mr. Barber and Mr. John Wyne Penson, presented a Bill to make further provision with respect to temporary advances to, and temporary borrowings by, the National Coal Board, and to make provision for altering the financial year of the Board; and for purposes connected therewith:

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a second time upon Monday next and to be printed.

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question proposed upon the 30th day of October last, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, as followeth:

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, Your Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Majesty for the Gracious Speech which Your Majesty has addressed to both Houses of Parliament; and the Question being again proposed:—

The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

Ordered, That the Debate be now adjourned.—(Mr. Peel.)

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed upon Monday next.

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to assist Mr. Speaker in arrangements for the reporting and publishing of Debates and in regard to the form and distribution of the Notice Papers issued in connection with the Business of the House; and to inquire into the expenditure on stationery and printing for the House and the public services generally:—And the Committee was nominated of Mr. Batsford, Mr. Driberg, Mr. Hollman, Mr. Godman Irvine, Mr. Robert Jenkins, Mr. Kirk, Mr. Mathew, Mr. Norman Pannell, Sir Leslie Plummer, Dr. Stross, and Mr. George Thomson.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to report from time to time.

Ordered, That Three be the Quorum of the Committee.—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)
Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to whom shall be referred all Petitions presented to the House, with the exception of such as are deposited in the Private Bill Office, and that such Committee do classify and prepare abstracts of the same in such form and manner as shall appear to them best suited to convey to the House all requisite information respecting their contents, and do report the same from time to time to the House; and that the Reports of the Committee do set forth, in respect of each Petition, the number of signatures which are accompanied by addresses, and which are written on sheets headed in every case by the prayer of the Petition, or on the back of such sheets provided that on every sheet after the first the prayer may be reproduced in print or by other mechanical process; and that such Committee do have power to direct the printing in extenso of such Petitions, or of such parts of Petitions, as shall appear to require it:—And the Committee was nominated of Mr. Barter, Sir Walter Bromley-Davenport, Mr. Deer, Mr. David Greville, Mr. Heneage, Mr. Hector Hughes, Mr. Jenning, Dr. King, Mr. Laidler, Colonel Lancaster, Sir Harry Legge-Bourke, Sir Hugh Lucas-Trotter, Mr. Morrison, Mr. Partridge and Mr. Watkins.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.

Ordered, That Three be the Quorum of the Committee. (Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to control the arrangements for the Kitchen and Refreshment Rooms in the department of the Serjeant at Arms attending this House:—And the Committee was nominated of Mr. Burden, Sir Herbert Butcher, Mrs. Callen, Mr. Garden, Mr. Hill, Mr. Irving, Mr. Jeger, Mr. Loughlin, Mr. McLaren, Sir Thomas Moore, Mr. Oswald, Mr. Partridge and Sir Gerald Williams.

Ordered, That Four be the Quorum of the Committee.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records; and to sit notwithstanding any Adjournment of the House.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to appoint Sub-committees and to delegate to such Sub-committees any of the powers upon them conferred for controlling the arrangements for the Kitchen and Refreshment Rooms in the department of the Serjeant at Arms attending this House.

Ordered, That Three be the Quorum of every such Sub-committee.

Ordered, That every such Sub-committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records; and to sit notwithstanding any Adjournment of the House. (Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to consider every Statutory Instrument, every Scheme, or Amendment of a Scheme requiring approval by Statutory Instrument, and every Draft of such an Instrument, Scheme or Amendment, being an Instrument, Scheme, Amendment or Draft which is laid before the House and upon which proceedings may be or might have been taken in the House in pursuance of any Act of Parliament, and every Order which is subject to Special Parliamentary Procedure, with a view to determining whether the special attention of the House should be drawn to it on any of the following grounds:

(i) that it imposes a charge on the public revenues or contains provisions requiring payments to be made to the Exchequer or any Government Department or to any local or public authority in consideration of any licence or consent, or of any services to be rendered, or prescribes the amount of any such charge or payments;

(ii) that it is made in pursuance of an enactment containing specific provisions excluding it from challenge in the courts, either at all times or after the expiration of a specified period;

(iii) that it appears to make some unusual or unexpected use of the powers conferred by the Statute under which it is made;

(iv) that it purports to have retrospective effect where the parent Statute confers no express authority so to provide;

(v) that there appears to have been unjustifiable delay in the publication or in the laying of it before Parliament;

(vi) that there appears to have been unjustifiable delay in sending a notification to Mr Speaker under the proviso to subsection (1) of section four of the Statutory Instruments Act, 1946, where an Instrument has come into operation before it has been laid before Parliament;

(vii) that for any special reason its form or purport calls for elucidation;

and, if they so determine, to report to that effect:—And the Committee was nominated of Mr. Allaun, Mr. Bell, Sir Beresford Craddock, Commander Donaldson, Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Hector Hughes, Mr. Jenkins, Mr. Kershaw, Dr. King, Mr. Graham Page and Mr. Joseph Price.

Ordered, That the Committee shall have the assistance of the Clerk to Mr. Speaker.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to sit notwithstanding any Adjournment of the House, to report from time to time, and to report the Minutes of their Proceedings from time to time.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to require any Government Department concerned to submit a Memorandum explaining any Instrument or other Document which may be under their consideration or to depute a representative to appear before them as a Witness for the purpose of explaining any such Instrument or other Document.

Ordered, That Three be the Quorum of the Committee.

Ordered, That it be an Instruction to the Committee that before reporting that the special attention of the House be drawn to any Instrument or other Document the Committee do afford to any Government Department concerned therewith an opportunity of furnishing orally or in writing such explanations as the Department think fit.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to report to the House from time to time any
Memoranda submitted or other evidence given to the Committee by any Government Department in explanation of any Instrument or other Document.

Ordered, That the committee have power to take evidence, written or oral, from Her Majesty’s Stationary Office, relating to the printing and publication of any Instrument or other Document.—(Mr. Hughes-Yeo.)

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Poots); and it being Four of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed without a Question being put.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Batsford.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till ten minutes after Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

[No. 51]
The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Copy of a Statement concerning the National Incomes Commission.

Purchase Tax.

Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 25th October 1962, entitled the Purchase Tax (No. 6) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Statistics of Trade.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Horticulture.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 29th October 1962, entitled the Horticultural Marketing Council (Dissolution) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 25th October 1962, entitled—

(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Wandsworth) (No. 4) Regulations 1962, and
(2) the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Buckland, Surrey) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:


Summary of Accounts of Loan Societies in England and Wales furnished to the Registrar of Friendly Societies for 1961.

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a Return of the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Sub-committee C appointed by the Estimates Committee in the last Session of Parliament, and so much of the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Sub-committees A, D and F appointed by the Estimates Committee in the last Session of Parliament as relates to the Form of Supplementary Estimates, Military Expenditure Overseas, and Local Employment, respectively, together with the relevant Appendices.—(Sir Godfrey Nicholass.)

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question (Motion for an Address).

That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, as followeth:

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, Your Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Majesty for the Gracious Speech which Your Majesty has addressed to both Houses of Parliament:

And the Question being again proposed:—

The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by adding, at the end thereof, the words ‘‘ but humbly regret that the Gracious Speech proposes no adequate policies for lifting Great Britain out of the prolonged industrial stagnation from which the country is still suffering, or for getting rid of the heavy and growing unemployment especially in Scotland, the North of England, Wales, and Northern Ireland ’’—(Mr. Calilghan.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there added:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Short; Mr. Chichester-Clark; Mr. Finlay:

227. Noes, Mr. George Rogers, 230.

And so it passed in the Negative.

And the Main Question being put;

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, as followeth:

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, Your Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Majesty for the Gracious Speech which Your Majesty has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.
Ordered, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty by such Members of this House as are of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council or of Her Majesty's Household.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.—(Mr. Redmayne.)

Ways and Means.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

Income Tax.

Resolved, That the Post-War Credit (Income Tax) Amendment Regulations 1962, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 30th day of October last, be approved.—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Scottish Grand Committee.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Scottish Grand Committee.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

House of Lords Reform.

Resolved, That it is expedient that a Joint Committee of both Houses of Parliament be appointed to consider whether any, and if so what, changes should be made in the rights of Peers of England, Scotland, Ireland, Great Britain, or of the United Kingdom, and of Peersness in their own right, to sit in either House of Parliament, or to vote at Parliamentary elections, and whether, and if so under what conditions, a Peer should be enabled to surrender a peerage permanently or for his lifetime or for any less period having regard to the effects and consequences thereof.—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Ordered, That the said Resolution be communicated to the Lords: And that the Clerk do communicate the same and desire their concurrence.

Ordered, That the Committee of Privileges do consist of Twelve Members:—The Committee was accordingly nominated of Mr. Attorney General, Mr. George Brown, Mr. Ede, Mr. Gilmour, Mr. W. Grimond, Mr. Geoffrey Lloyd, Mr. Iain Macleod, Mr. Mitchison, Sir Richard Nugent, Sir Hendrie Oakshott, Sir Kenneth Pickthorn, and Mr. Turton.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to examine the Reports and Accounts of the Nationalised Industries established by Statute whose controlling Boards are appointed by Ministers of the Crown and whose annual receipts are not wholly or mainly derived from moneys provided by Parliament or advanced from the Exchequer.—And the Committee was nominated of Mr. Albu, Sir John Barlow, Mr. Blyton, Sir Henry d’Avigdor-Goldsmid, Mr. Fitch, Mr. Holt, Sir Donald Kaberry, Colonel Lancaster, Mr. Leaver, Sir Richard Nugent, Mr. Steele, and Dame Irene Ward.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Evidence taken before the Select Committee on Nationalised Industries in the last Session of Parliament and not then reported to the House, together with the relevant Appendices, be referred to the Committee.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to report from time to time.

Ordered, That Five be the Quorum of the Committee.—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Finlay.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty minutes before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

[No. 6.]

Tuesday, 6th November, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

P R A Y E R S.

The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household reported to the House, That Her Majesty, having been attended with their Address of yesterday, was pleased to receive the same very graciously, and to give the following Answer:—

I have received with great satisfaction the loyal and dutiful expression of your thanks for the Speech with which I opened the present Session of Parliament.

A Public Petition from Carlisle for the alleviation of traffic congestion by the construction of a by-pass was presented and read; and ordered to lie upon the Table.

A Public Petition from Knockholt against the inclusion of Knockholt in the proposed Greater London Authority was presented and read; and ordered to lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Treaty Series Command.—Copy of Notes exchanged at Tegucigalpa on the 26th and 30th days of April 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Republic of Honduras agreeing to the Abolition of Viasa.

amending the Agreement concerning Financial Arrangements constituted by the Notes exchanged on the 9th day of December 1960.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

British Guiana.

Mr. Secretary Sandus presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the British Guiana Independence Conference, held at London October-November 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes No. 7. of the Proceedings of the Committee.

Message from Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, that the Lords had been brought from the Lords by the Clerk of the House:—


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 26th October 1962, entitled—

1) the London Traffic (40 m.p.h. Speed Limit) (No. 13) Regulations 1962, and
2) the London Traffic (Prohibition of Driving) (Orpington) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Return to an Order made yesterday, for a Return relating to Estimates.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was also laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—


Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table:—

Return to an Order made yesterday, for a Return relating to Estimates.

Foreign Compensation.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 24th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.

Mr. Margets presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 24th day of May 1962, amending the Statutes of the College.

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Expenditure Overseas, and Local Employment, respectively, together with the relevant Appendices, be referred to the Estimates Committee.

—(Sir Geoffrey Nicholson.)

Resolved, nemine contradicente. That this House entertains a just sense of the exemplary manner in which the late Major-General Ivor Hughes, K.C.V.O., C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., uniformly discharged the duties of the office of Sergeant at Arms,—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

The Air Corporations Bill was, according Air Corporations bill, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee, pursuant to the Standing Order (Committal of Bills).

Mr. Secretary Amery, by Her Majesty's Air Corporations (Money).

Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Air Corporations (Money) proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees) in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved. That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make further provision with respect to the borrowing powers of the British Overseas Airways Corporation and the British European Airways Corporation, and with respect to the power of the Minister of Aviation to make advances to those Corporations, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the issue out of the Consolidated Fund, raising by borrowing or payment into the Exchequer of such sums as may be required to be so issued, raised or paid in consequence of provisions of the said Act of the present Session whereby (in substitution for any power of the said Minister to make advances under section 42 of the Finance Act 1956, as amended) the said Minister may advance sums to those Corporations, subject to the limitation—

(i) in the case of the British Overseas Airways Corporation, that the aggregate amount outstanding in respect of the principal of any moneys borrowed by that Corporation shall not at any time exceed three hundred million pounds, and

(ii) in the case of the British European Airways Corporation, that the aggregate amount outstanding in respect of the principal of any moneys borrowed by that Corporation shall not at any time exceed one hundred and twenty-five million pounds;

(b) such increases in the sums which by or under any enactment are to be the may be charged on and issued out of the Consolidated Fund or paid into the Exchequer, being sums required for fulfilling guarantees given by the Treasury or sums received by way of repayment of, or payment of interest on, sums so required, as may result from provisions of the said Act of the present Session increasing, subject to the limitation specified in the case of
Adjournment.

The Tananyika Republic Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Rees).

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and that the said Account be printed.

Mr. Erroll also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—
(1) dated 29th October 1962, entitled the London Traffic (40 m.p.h. Speed Limit) Regulations 1962, and

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Mynars presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Accounts of the Independent Television Authority for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

No. 71

Wednesday, 7th November, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Tananyika Case.

Mr. Prime Minister presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of an Interim Report by the Committee of Enquiry into the Tananyika Case.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Public Investment.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement on Public Investment in Great Britain, October 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Road Traffic.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 31st October 1962, entitled the Control of Dogs on Roads Orders (procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, by Her Majesty's Statistical Abstracts of Commonwealth and the Sterling Area.

Mr. Erroll also presented, pursuant to the directions of a Statutory Instrument,—Account of the sums recovered under Article 9 of the Clothing Industry Development Council (Dispensation) Order, 1952, and of their disposal for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the said Account be printed.

Mr. Mynars also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Accounts of the Independent Television Authority for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Beveridge presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Accounts of the Independent Television Authority for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act, 1945, That no Motion has been presented against—

(1) the Portsmouth Corporation Act 1959 (Extension of Time) Order 1962, and
(2) the City of Sheffield (St. John's Churchyard) Compulsory Purchase Order 1961.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee A in respect of the Air Corporations Committee A.

Bill, viz.: Mr. Amery, Mr. Buttsford, Mr. Cronin, Mr. Diamond, Mr. Grey, Sir Arthur Harvey, Mr. Hunter, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Eric Johnson, Commander Kerans, Mr. Lee, Mr. Maddan, Mr. Maxwell-Hyslop, Mr. Neave, Sir Leslie Plummer, Mr. Rankin, Mr. Anthony Royle, Mr. Ridsdale, Mr. Shepherd, and Mr. Sheffington.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Scottish Grand Committee, That they had nominated Fifteen Members to serve on the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill, viz.: Mr. Barrer, Mr. Berkeley, Brigadier Clarke, Mr. Drayson, Mr.
Eden, Mr. Forrest, Mr. Goodhart, Lieutenant-Colonel Grosvenor, Mr. Harrison, Mr. Harvey, Sir John Langford-Holt, Mr. Henry Price, Mr. Edwin Taylor, Mr. Woollam, and Mr. William Yates.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had nominated Fifteen Members to serve on the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill, viz.: Mr. Barter, Mr. Berkeley, Brigadier Clarke, Mr. Drayson, Mr. Eden, Mr. Forrest, Mr. Goodhart, Lieutenant-Colonel Grosvenor, Mr. Harrison, Mr. Harvey, Sir John Langford-Holt, Mr. Henry Price, Mr. Edwin Taylor, Mr. Woollam, and Mr. William Yates.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:—That, after a Bill has been under consideration in a Standing Committee, no application for changes in the composition of that Committee in respect of that Bill will be entertained by this Committee, except where a Member is incapacitated from attendance by illness or where he has been appointed or ceased to be a member of the Government or has changed his office for another.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords concur with the Commons in the Resolution communicated to them yesterday, viz.: That it is expedient that a Joint Committee of both Houses of Parliament be appointed to consider whether any, and if so what, changes should be made in the rights of Peers of England, Scotland, Ireland, Great Britain or of the United Kingdom, and of Peersesses in their own right, to sit in either House of Parliament, or to vote at Parliamentary elections, and whether, and if so under what conditions, a Peer should be enabled to surrender a peerage permanently or for his lifetime or for any less period having regard to the effects and consequences thereof.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House re-affirms its Resolution to the end of the Question and adding the words "would support the entry of Great Britain into the European Economic Community provided that guarantees safeguarding British agriculture, the vital interests of the Commonwealth and the European Free Trade Association countries are obtained and that Great Britain retains her present freedom to conduct her own foreign policy and to use public ownership and economic planning to ensure social progress within the United Kingdom; it regrets however that the terms so far provisionally negotiated do not satisfy either these conditions or the binding pledge given by Her Majesty's Government; and therefore calls upon Her Majesty's Government to negotiate terms which secure these essential conditions and fulfil the Government's own pledges."—(Mr. Gaitskell)—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—And a Debate arising thereupon.

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed tomorrow.

Mr. John Hill reported from the Committee Air on Air Corporations (Money), a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make further provision with respect to the borrowing powers of the British Overseas Airways Corporation and the British European Airways Corporation, and with respect to the power of the Minister of Aviation to make advances to those Corporations, it is expedient to authorize—

(a) the issue out of the Consolidated Fund, raising by borrowing or payment into the Exchequer of such sums as may be required to be so issued, raised or paid in consequence of provisions of the said Act of the present Session whereby an substitution for any power of the said Minister to make advances under section 42 of the Finance Act 1956, as amended the said Minister may advance sums to those Corporations, subject to the limitations—

(i) in the case of the British Overseas Airways Corporation, that the aggregate amount outstanding in respect of the principal of any moneys borrowed by that Corporation shall not at any time exceed three hundred million pounds, and

(ii) in the case of the British European Airways Corporation, that the aggregate amount outstanding in respect of the principal of any moneys borrowed by that Corporation shall not at any time exceed one hundred and twenty-five million pounds;

(b) such increases in the sums which by or under any enactment are to be or may be charged on and issued out of the Consolidated Fund or paid into the Exchequer, being sums required for fulfilling guarantees given by the Treasury or sums received by way of repayment of, or payment of interest on, sums so required, as may result from provisions of the said Act of the present Session increasing, subject to the limitation specified in the case of each of the said Corporations in paragraph (a) of this Resolution, the amounts which may be borrowed by those Corporations temporarily or by the issue of stock.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House was moved, That the Resolution House of Lords of this House of the 5th day of this instant November relating to the appointment of a
Joint Committee on House of Lords Reform, which Resolution was ordered to be communicated to the Lords, and the Lords Message this day signifying their concurrence in the said Resolution might be read: and the same being read:

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to join with a Committee to be appointed by the Lords to consider whether any, and if so what, changes should be made in the rights of Peers of England, Scotland, Ireland, Great Britain or of the United Kingdom, and of Peeresses in their own right, to sit in either House of Parliament, or to vote at Parliamentary elections, and whether, and if so under what conditions, a Peer should be enabled to surrender a peerage permanently or for his lifetime or for any less period having regard to the effects and consequences thereof.—And the Committee was nominated of Mr. Frederick Bennett, Mr. du Cann, Mrs. Emmett, Mr. Gordon Walker, Mr. Hale, Mr. Longden, Mr. Mitchell, Sir Charles Mort-Raddcliffe, Mr. Charles Pannell, Sir Kenneth Pickthorn, and Mr. Wade.

Ordered, That the Memoranda reported from the Joint Committee on House of Lords Reform in the last Session of Parliament be referred to the Committee.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records, and to report from time to time.

Ordered, That Five be the Quorum of the Committee.—(Mr. John Hill.)

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them that this House had appointed a Committee of Eleven Members, of whom Five shall be a Quorum, with power to send for persons, papers, and records and to report from time to time, to be joined with a Committee to be appointed by their Lordships on House of Lords Reform, and to request them to appoint an equal number of Lords to join with the Committee appointed by this House: And that the Clerk do carry the said Message.

The Committee of Public Accounts was nominated of Mr. Arbuthnot, Mr. Barber, Sir George Benson, Mr. Cantain, Sir Oliver Crathwate-Eyre, Mr. Hall, Mr. Hony, Mr. Chadwell Hughes, Mr. Jennings, Sir Geoffrey Nicholson, Sir Samuel Storey, Sir Colin Thornton-Kemsley, Mr. Thorson, Mr. Whitlock, and Mr. Harold Wilson.—(Mr. John Hill.)

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. John Hill.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-eight minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDA.

Wednesday, 7th November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (4) of the Standing Order (Deputy Speaker and Chairman) Mr. Speaker this day nominated Mr. Arbuthnot, Mr. Blackburn, Mr. Bowles, Sir Herbert Butler, Commandant Donaldson, Sir James Duncan, Mr. Grant-Ferris, Sir Norman Hulbert, Sir Henry Hynd, Dr. King, Sir Harry Legge-Bourke, Mr. McNees, Mr. Malcolm MacPherson, Mr. Charles Ryle, Mr. Russell, Sir Samuel Storey, Mr. George Thomas, and Mr. William Richard Williams to be the Chairman’s Panel during this Session.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Air Corporations Bill to Standing Committee A.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairman of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. William Richard Williams, Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the Air Corporations Bill and Commander Donaldson, Chairman of the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill.

[No. 8.]

Thursday, 8th November, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, a Draft of Regulations, entitled the Local Government Superannuation (Benefits) (New Towns Staffs) Regulations 1962.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the Pensions, directions of several Acts of Parliament, to the Home Department and the Secretary of State for Scotland on the State Management of the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the Air Corporations Bill and Commander Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the Air Corporations Bill and Commander Donaldson, Chairman of the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from the Lords, and the Lords Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as follows:

The Lords have appointed a Committee of Twelve Lords to join with a Committee of the Commons as a Joint Committee to consider whether any, and if so what, changes should be made in the rights of Peers of England, Scotland, Ireland, Great Britain or of the United Kingdom, of Peeresses in their own right, to sit in either House of Parliament, or to vote at Parliamentary elections, and whether, and if so under what conditions, a Peer should be enabled to surrender a peerage permanently or for his lifetime or for any less period having regard to the effects and consequences thereof pursuant to the
Commons Message of this day; that they have ordered that such Committee have power to agree with the Committee of the Commons in the appointment of a Chairman; that the Memoranda reported from the Joint Committee on House of Lords Reform in the last Session of Parliament be referred to the Committee; that Five be the Quorum; and that leave be given to the Committee to send for persons, papers and records and to report from time to time; and that they propose that the Joint Committee do meet in Committee Room C on Wednesday next at Eleven of the clock.

The House proceeded to take the said Message into consideration.

Ordered, That the Committee appointed by this House do meet the Lords Committee as proposed by their Lordships.—(Sir Kenneth Pickthorn.)

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them therewith: And that the Clerk do carry the said Message.

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Amendment which was proposed to be made to the Question proposed yesterday, That this House reaffirms its decision of the 2nd day of August 1961, and urges Her Majesty's Government to use every effort to bring the negotiations to a conclusion acceptable to Parliament;—The House resumed consideration—(Mr. Kenneth Pickthorn)

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to consider any matters which may be referred to them by the House relating to the procedure in the public business of the House:—And the Committee was nominated of Mr. Arbuthnot, Mr. Blackburn, Mr. George Brown, Mr. Grimond, Sir Lionel Heald, Mr. Longden, Sir Hugh Lucas-Tooth, Mr. Iain Macleod, Sir Kenneth Pickthorn, Sir Samuel Storrey, Mr. Wigg, and Mr. William Richard Williams.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to report from time to time.

Ordered, That Five be the Quorum of the Committee.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Ordered, That the Lords Message of the Consolidation, 6th day of thisinstant November communicating the Resolution, That it is desirable that, in the present Session, all Consolidation Bills (whether public or private), Statute Law Revision Bills and Bills prepared pursuant to the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedure) Act, 1949, be referred to a Joint Committee of both Houses of Parliament, be now taken into consideration.—(Mr. Hughes-Young):—The House accordingly proceeded to take the said Message into consideration.

Resolved, That this House doth concur with the Lords in the said Resolution.—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them therewith: And that the Clerk do carry the said Message.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjourned, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—Mr. John Hill:—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then a quarter of an hour before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

[No. 91]

Friday, 9th November, 1962.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

P R A Y E R S .

M R. BARBER presented, by Her Majesty's University Command,—Copy of Returns from the Universities and University Colleges in receipt of Treasury Grant for the Academic Year 1960-61.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the London Traffic directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 30th October 1962, entitled—

(1) the London Traffic (40 m.p.h. Speed Limit) (No. 10) Regulations 1962;

(2) the London Traffic (40 m.p.h. Speed Limit) (No. 15) Regulations 1962, and
The Pensions (Increase) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Peel.)

Resolved, That this House will, upon Monday next, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Boyd-Carpenter, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Pensions (Increase) (Money) proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to provide for increases or supplements in respect of certain pensions, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any expenditure incurred by a Government department under or by virtue of any provision of the said Act of the present Session:

(a) providing for increases of pensions described in the Schedule to the Pensions (Increase) Act 1959 and certain other pensions, being increases at percentage rates of the annual rates of the pensions after any relevant increase within the meaning of the said Act of 1959, varying by reference to the dates on which the pensions began, or of fixed amounts related to those dates and the age of the persons in receipt of the pensions;

(b) authorising the Secretary for Technical Co-operation to supplement certain pensions payable in respect of service under the governments of overseas territories, and certain pensions payable in respect of service in any of the armed forces of the Crown raised in an overseas territory, not being pensions payable under any warrant or other instrument made by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative in respect of such forces;

(c) amending the Pensions (India, Pakistan and Burma) Act 1955, so as to enable the said Act of the present Session and previous Pensions (Increase) Acts to be applied to additional Indian Pension Funds;

(d) extending the benefit of increases under the Pensions (Increase) Act 1944, and subsequent Pensions (Increase) Acts to persons undergoing full-time education or training;

(e) authorising the increase under the said Act of the present Session and under previous Pensions (Increase) Acts of certain local government gratuities granted by way of periodical payments or annuities;

(f) enabling the said Act of the present Session and previous Pensions (Increase) Acts to be applied to certain pensions payable in respect of service with the Raw Cotton Commission and in connection with its dissolution;

(g) applying or extending for the purposes of the said Act of the present Session any of the provisions of sections 2 to 6 of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1959;

and any increase attributable to any such provision of the said Act of the present Session in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under any other enactment.—(Mr. Barber.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received upon Monday next.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, pursuant to the London Traffic, R. directions of an Act of Parliament,—

And the Question having been proposed after Four of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-six minutes before Five of the clock, till Monday next.

[No. 10.]

Monday, 12th November, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the London Traffic, R. directions of an Act of Parliament,—

Copy of Regulations, dated 31st October 1962, entitled the London Traffic (40 m.p.h. Speed Limit) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 1962.
The Expiring Laws Continuance Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Rees.)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Erroll, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Expiring Laws Continuance [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon, upon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to continue certain expiring laws, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of such expenses as may be occasioned by the continuance until the thirty-first day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty-four, of the Rent of Furnished Houses Control (Scotland) Act 1943, the Furnished Houses (Rent Control) Act 1946, and Part II of the Licensing Act 1953, being expenses which under any Act are to be provided out of such moneys.—(Mr. Barber.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Rees):—And it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Rees):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed at Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Monday, 12th November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (l) of the Standing Order (Public Bills relating exclusively to Scotland), Mr. Speaker this day certified that, in his opinion, the provisions of the Education (Scotland) Bill relate exclusively to Scotland.
Tuesday, 13th November, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command, Report of the Crown Estate Commissioners for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Report by the Chairman of Ways and Means, on the Leader's Panel, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:

1. That if, during the consideration of a Bill before one of the Standing Committees, it shall appear that the business would be expedited by postponing the further consideration of the Bill in hand until the Bill next on the list has been reported, and if the Member in charge of the Bill rises and makes a Motion to that effect, the Chairman will be in order in proposing such a Question.

2. That whenever the Chairman of a Standing Committee adjourns the Committee without Question put, the Debate on any Question then under discussion or further consideration of the Bill shall be resumed at the next sitting of the Committee.

Mr. William Richard Williams reported Standing Committee A, That they had considered the Air Corporations Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from the Lords had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as follow:

The Lords have appointed Three Lords to Bolton Water Order 1962 to Bolton Water Order 1962 Committee to consider the Petition of the Irwell Valley Water Board against the Bolton Water Order 1962, a Petition for Amendment of the Order, and two 

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act, 1945, That no Petitions have been presented against—

(1) the West Dorset Water Order 1962, and
(2) the Wandle Valley Main Drainage Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Copy of the Report of the Crown Estate Commissioners for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker presented the following Paper, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, was laid upon the Table:

Copy of Regulations, dated 1st November 1962, entitled the Road Vehicles (Registration and Licensing) Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

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Counter-Petitions, which stand referred to a Joint Committee.

The Foreign Compensation Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee, pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills).

Mr. Secretary Sandys, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Foreign Compensation [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committee) in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to provide for the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of additional compensation in respect of claims arising in connection with certain events in Egypt, to require the Foreign Compensation Commission to pay sums into the Exchequer in respect of deductions made in meeting such claims, and to make provision in relation to pensions and other payments to or in respect of members, officers and servants of the Commission, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of sums required for the making of payments to the Foreign Compensation Commission under the said Act in respect of claims arising in connection with events in Egypt;

(b) the payment into the Exchequer under the said Act of amounts which, in making payments in respect of claims so arising, the Foreign Compensation Commission has deducted in respect of loans made by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom;

(c) any increase attributable to the said Act in the sums which, in respect of the expenses of the Foreign Compensation Commission, are to be or may be paid out of moneys provided by Parliament or paid into the Exchequer under section 7 (2) of the Foreign Compensation Act 1950.

(Mr. Peter Thomas.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House approves the policy set out in the White Paper on the Accession of Aden to the Federation of South Arabia—

(Mr. Secretary Sandys); An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "House," to the end of the Question and adding the words "regrets the decision of Her Majesty's Government to compel Aden Colony to accede to the Federation of South Arabia without first obtaining the consent of the colony's inhabitants"—(Mr. Healey),—instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

Tellers for the [Mr. Chichester-Clark,]

259. Yees,

[Mr. Finlay;]

185. Noes,

[Dr. Broughton;]

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Main Question being put;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the [Mr. Chichester-Clark,]

253. Yees,

[Mr. Finlay;]

181. Noes,

[Dr. Broughton;]

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Resolved, That this House approves the policy set out in the White Paper on the Accession of Aden to the Federation of South Arabia.

Mr. Campbell reported from the Committee Weights and Measures [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make amended provision with respect to weights and measures, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament—

(i) of any expenses incurred by any government department under that Act other than expenses incurred by the Postmaster General;

(ii) of any increase attributable to the provisions of that Act in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under any other enactment;

(b) the payment into the Exchequer of any sums received by the Board of Trade under that Act.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

(Mr. Campbell.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till ten minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.
MEMORANDUM.

Tuesday, 13th November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Weights and Measures Bill to Standing Committee B.

[No. 12]

Wednesday, 14th November, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—Report from one of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, pursuant to the Order made upon the 1st day of this instant November, That, in the case of the Town Lyne Common Bill, the Standing Orders which are applicable thereto have been complied with.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Appropriation Accounts of the sums granted by Parliament for Revenue Departments for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon, and upon Revenue and certain Store Accounts.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table ; and be printed.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Treaty of Commerce, Establishment and Navigation signed at London on the 14th day of November 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Japan (with Protocols) (Ratifications have not been exchanged).

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of a Statute made by the University of Oxford on the 19th day of June 1962 amending the Statutes of the University.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Soumes presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 11th November 1962, authorising the landing at Liverpool of two Shorthorn heifers and one Shorthorn bull from Canada.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Wood presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report on the causes of, and circumstances attending, the explosion which occurred at Tower Colliery, Glamorganshire, on the 12th day of April 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That, in pursuance of subsection (3) of Section 1 of the Parliament Act, 1911, they had appointed sixteen Members to be the Panel Mr. Arbuthnot and Mr. Bowles to be the two Members whom Mr. Speaker shall consult, if practicable, before certifying a Bill to be a Money Bill.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had appointed sixteen Members to serve on the Committee on Unopposed Bills under the Standing Order relating to Private Business (Reference to Committees of Opposed and Unopposed Bills), viz.: Mr. Arbuthnot, Mr. Blackburn, Mr. Boyd, Sir David Campbell, Mr. Deer, Major Hicks Beach, Mr. Holt, Mr. Godman Irvine, Mr. Kerash, Mr. Key, Mr. Langden, Mr. Loughlin, Mr. Orwell, Mr. Leonard Roper, Mr. Llywelyn Williams, and Mr. Wise.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had nominated eight Members to serve on the Standing Orders Committee under the Standing Order relating to Private Business (Appointment of Standing Orders Committee), viz.: Mr. Blackburn, Sir Herbert Butcher, Sir David Campbell, Sir Robert Cory, Mr. Howman, Sir Leonard Roper, Mr. Steele, and Mr. Trewan.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That, in pursuance of the Standing Order relating to Private Business (Parliamentary Panell), they had selected twenty-five Members to form the Parliamentary Panel of Members of this House to act as Commissioners under the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act, 1936, viz.: Mr. Brewis, Mr. Dalrymple, Commander Donaldson, Sir James Duncan, Sir William Duthie, Sir Myer Gaspere, Mr. Grimond, Mr. Hannon, Mr. John Henderson, Mr. Hendry, Mr. Hutchison, Mr. McNair, Sir Fitzroy Maclean, Mr. McLean, Mr. John MacLeod, Mr. Malcolm MacPherson, Mr. Manuel, Mr. Millan, Sir Thomas Moore, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Small, Sir Colin Thornton-Kenley, Lady Tweedsmuir, and Mr. Wolrige-Gordon.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee A in respect of the Foreign Compensation Bill, viz.: Mr. Emery, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Lipton, Mr. McCann, Mr. Mason, Mr. Mawby, Mr. Mills, Mr. Mitchison, Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Charles Mont-Kadiylle, Mr. Harmar Nicholls.
Adjournment.

Tribunals of Inquiry

Mr. Norman Pannell, Mr. Peel, Mr. Pentland, Mr. Percyval, Dame Edith Pitt, Mr. William Rodgers, Mr. Stones, Mr. Peter Thomas, and Mr. Wooff.

Standing Committee B.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had nominated Forty Members to serve on Standing Committee B in respect of the Weights and Measures Bill, viz.: Mr. Aspress, Lord Balfour, Mr. Bell, Mr. Bence, Mr. Frederick Bennett, Mr. Bigg, Mr. Bosson, Mr. Herbert Butler, Mr. Cordie, Mrs. Cullen, Mr. Darling, Mr. Elford Davies, Mr. de Ferranti, Mr. Erroll, Mr. Freeth, Mr. Hall, Mr. Michael Hamilton, Mrs. Hill, Mr. Hirst, Mr. Hocking, Mr. Hollingworth, Mr. Holt, Mr. Arthur Irvine, Mr. Irving, Mr. Jay, Mr. Jennings, Dr. Johnson, Mr. Kelley, Mr. Kenneth Lewis, Mr. Mackle, Mr. Marion, Mr. Milne, Mr. Oram, Mr. Popplewell, Mr. David Price, Mr. Proctor, Mrs. Satter, Mr. Frank Taylor, Mr. Wainwright, and Mr. William Wells.

Selection (Bolton Water Order 1962) (Petition of General Objection, Petition for Amendment and Counter-Petition) (Joint Committee). Bolton Water Order 1962 (Petition of General Objection, Petition for Amendment and Counter-Petitions). Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them that this House had nominated Three Members to serve on the Joint Committee on the Bolton Water Order 1962 (Petition of General Objection, Petition for Amendment and Counter-Petitions), viz.: Mr. Hoyman, Mr. Lagden, and Mr. Swain.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Lords Message yesterday relating to the Joint Committee on the Bolton Water Order 1962 (Petition of General Objection, Petition for Amendment and Counter-Petitions).

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them that this House had nominated Three Members to serve on the said Committee: And that the Clerk do carry the said Message.

Resolved, That it is expedient that a tribunal be established for enquiring into a definite matter of urgent public importance, viz., the circumstances in which offences under the Official Secrets Acts were committed by William John Christopher Vassall, and in particular:

(1) the allegations made that the presence of another spy inside the Admiralty was known to the First Lord and his Service chiefs after the Portland case eighteen months ago;
(2) any other allegations which have been or may be brought to their attention reflecting similarly on the honour and integrity of persons who, as Ministers, naval officers and civil servants, were concerned in the case;
(3) any breaches of security arrangements which took place; and
(4) any neglect of duty by persons directly or indirectly responsible for Vassall's employment and conduct, and for his being treated as suitable for employment on secret work.—(The Prime Minister.)

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. —(Mr. Chichester-Clark.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes after Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.
Premises Bill.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of a Motion, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Copy of an Order, dated 8th November 1962, entitled the Parochial Fees Order 1962.

Standing Committee A.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee, That they had discharged from Standing Committee A Sir Harman Nicholls (nominated in respect of the Foreign Compensation Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Richard Thompson.

Standing Committee B.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had discharged from Standing Committee B Mr. Bell, Mr. Bidgood, Mrs. Hill, and Mr. Proudfoot (nominated in respect of the Weights and Measures Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Shaw, Mr. Steward, Mr. Edwin Taylor, and Mr. John Wells.

The Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Commitment of Bills).

Mr. Hare, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Offices, Shops and Railway Premises [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Commitment), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—

Resolved, That the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make fresh provision for securing the health, safety and welfare of persons employed to work in office or shop premises and provision for securing the health, safety and welfare of persons employed to work in certain railway premises, it is expedient to authorise—

(1) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of—

(a) any expenses incurred by the Minister of Labour in carrying the Act into effect;

(b) any increase attributable to the Act in the expenses of the Minister of Power, which, by virtue of section 3 (3) of the Ministry of Fuel and Power Act 1945, are defrayed out of moneys so provided;

(c) any increase attributable to the Act in the sums payable by way of General Grant, Rate-Deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland;

(2) the payment into the Exchequer of any sums received under the Act by the Minister of Labour.—(Mr. Whiteley.)

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received tomorrow.

Mr. Francis Pearson reported from the Committee on Foreign Compensation [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to provide for the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of additional compensation in respect of claims arising in connection with certain events in Egypt, to require the Foreign Compensation Commission to pay sums into the Exchequer in respect of deductions made in meeting such claims, and to make provision in relation to pensions and other payments to or in respect of members, officers and servants of the Commission, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of sums required for the making of payments to the Foreign Compensation Commission under the said Act in respect of claims arising in connection with events in Egypt;

(b) the payment into the Exchequer under the said Act of amounts which, in making payments in respect of claims so arising, the Foreign Compensation Commission has deducted in respect of loans made by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom;

(c) any increase attributable to the said Act in the sums which, in respect of the expenses of the Foreign Compensation Commission, are to be or may be paid out of moneys provided by Parliament or paid into the Exchequer under section 7 (2) of the Foreign Compensation Act 1950.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Francis Pearson.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-four minutes after Nine of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

[No. 14.]

Friday, 16th November, 1962.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Twenty-fourth Report of the Royal Commission on Historical Manuscripts, 1960-62.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 8th November 1962, entitled the National Assistance (Registration of Homes) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Lincolnshire River Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged Mr. Aitken and Mr. Shaw nominated in respect of the Weights and Measures Bill; and had appointed in substitution Mr. Holland and Mr. Turner.

Mr. Campbell reported from the Committee on Pensions (Increase) (Money), a Resolution, which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to provide for increases or supplements in respect of certain pensions, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any expenditure incurred by a Government department under or by virtue of any provision of the said Act of the present Session—

(a) providing for increases of pensions described in the Schedule to the Pensions (Increase) Act 1959 and certain other pensions, being increases at percentage rates of the annual rates of the pensions after any relevant increase within the meaning of the said Act of 1959, varying by reference to the dates on which the pensions began, or of fixed amounts related to those dates and the age of the persons in receipt of the pensions;

(b) authorising the Secretary for Technical Co-operation to supplement certain pensions payable in respect of service under the governments of overseas territories and certain pensions payable in respect of service in any of the armed forces of the Crown raised in an overseas territory, not being pensions payable under any warrant or other instrument made by virtue of Her Majesty’s prerogative in respect of such forces;

(c) amending the Pensions (India, Pakistan and Burma) Act 1955, so as to enable the said Act of the present Session and previous Pensions (Increase) Acts to be applied to additional Indian Pension Funds;

(d) extending the benefit of increases under the Pensions (Increase) Act 1944, and subsequent Pensions (Increase) Acts to persons undergoing full-time education or training;

(e) authorising the increase under the said Act of the present Session and under previous Pensions (Increase) Acts of certain local government gratuities granted by way of periodical payments or annuities;

(f) enabling the said Act of the present Session and previous Pensions (Increase) Acts to be applied to certain pensions payable in respect of service with the Raw Cotton Commission and in connection with its dissolution;

(g) applying or extending for the purposes of the said Act of the present Session any of the provisions of sections 2 to 6 of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1959;

and any increase attributable to any such provision of the said Act of the present Session in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under any other enactment.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved Pensions itself into a Committee on the Pensions (Increase) Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 1 (Increase of certain United Kingdom pensions).

Amendment proposed, in page 1, line 10, at the end, to insert the words—

"(a) if the pension began not later than 1st April 1950, eighteen per cent.;

(b) if the pension began after the last mentioned date and not later than 1st April 1952, sixteen per cent.;

(c) if the pension began after the last mentioned date but not later than 1st April 1954, fourteen per cent."—(Mr. Houghton.)

Question, That those words be there inserted, put and negatived.

Clause agreed to.

Clause No. 2 (Additional increase for pensioners over seventy years of age).

Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 6, after the word “years”, to insert the words “or has retired on account of physical or mental infirmity from the office or employment in respect of which, or on retirement from which, the pension is payable, and has attained the age of sixty years”—(Mr. Redhead.)

Question, That those words be there inserted, put and negatived.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 22, to leave out subsection (2).—(Mr. Houghton.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses Nos. 3 to 9 agreed to.

Clause No. 10 (Interpretation).
Amendment proposed, in page 6, line 41, to leave out from the second word "the" to the end of line 43 and insert the words "1st July 1962"—(Mr. Houghton.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause:—

Debate arising:

And it being Four o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, upon Monday next, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Campbell):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Four of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-nine minutes before Five of the clock, till Monday next.

MEMORANDUM.

Friday, 16th November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph 2 of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill to Standing Committee D.

[No. 15.]


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Statement of a Guarantee given by the Treasury on the 31st day of October 1962 on loans proposed to be raised by the Electricity Council.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Profumo presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement showing the financial position of Territorial and Auxiliary Forces Associations on the 31st day of March 1961.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 13th November 1962, entitled the Borough of Dunstable (Claimed County Roads) (Defence of Dates) Order 1962.

Copy of Regulations, dated 9th November 1962, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes (Southwark) (No. 3)) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged Mr. Kenneth Lewis (nominated in respect of the Weights and Measures Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Goodhew, Mr. Maginnis, Mr. Osborn, and Mr. Tiley.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Tanganyika Republic Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 to 3 agreed to.

Preamble agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time.—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Commonwealth Scholarships (Amendment) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. McLaren.)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Thorneycroft, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Commonwealth Scholarships (Amendment) (Money) proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session to amend the Commonwealth Scholarships Act 1959, it is expedient to authorise any amendments of that Act which, within the limit for the time being imposed by or under section 1 (3) or (4) of the Commonwealth Teachers Act 1960, increase the amount payable out of moneys provided by Parliament under section 2 of the said Act of 1959.—(Mr. Tilney.)

Resolution to be reported.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

**Nuclear Tests.**

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That this House regrets the decision of Her Majesty's Government to proceed in the near future with the testing of a British nuclear device thus endangering the prospects of an early international agreement to ban nuclear tests—(Mr. George Brown);

The House divided.

The 'Aye' side had it;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the 'Aye' side—Mr. Short, 224; Mr. George Rogers, 299; Mr. Finlay.

So it passed in the Negative.

Resolved, That the Cinematograph Films (Collection of Levy) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1962, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 30th day of October last, be approved—(Mr. David Price.)

Mr. Francis Pearson reported from the Committee on Offices, Shops and Railway Premises [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make fresh provision for securing the health, safety and welfare of persons employed to work in office or shop premises and provision for securing the health, safety and welfare of persons employed to work in certain railway premises, it is expedient to authorise—

1. the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of—

(a) any expenses incurred by the Minister of Labour in carrying the Act into effect;

(b) any increase attributable to the Act in the expenses of the Ministry of Power which, by virtue of section 3 (3) of the Ministry of Fuel and Power Act 1945, are defrayed out of moneys so provided;

(c) any increase attributable to the Act in the sums payable by way of General Grant, Rate-Deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the management relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland;

2. the payment into the Exchequer of any sums received under the Act by the Minister of Labour.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Francis Pearson):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour. Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then eleven minutes before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.
Commander Donaldson reported from the Scottish Grand Committee, That they had considered the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill in relation to the principle of the Bill and had directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

No. 15. Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have appointed a Committee of Six Lords to join with a Committee of the Commons as a Joint Committee on Consolidation Bills (whether public or private), Statute Law Revision Bills and Bills prepared pursuant to the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedural Act, 1949); they request the Commons to appoint an equal number of their Members to be joined with the said Lords; and they have ordered that any Memoranda laid pursuant to the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedural Act, 1949), and representations made with respect thereto, be referred to the Joint Committee.

Bolton Water Order 1962 (Petition of General Objection, Petition for Amendment and Counter-Petitions) do meet in Committee Room No. 4 on Tuesday the 4th day of December next, at Eleven of the clock.

Sir Keith Joseph, supported by Mr. Secretary Brooke, Mr. Iain Macleod, Mr. Marples, Mr. Powell, and Sir Edward Boyle, presented a Bill to make provision with respect to local government and the functions of local authorities in the metropolitan area; to assimilate certain provisions of the Local Government Act 1933 to provisions for corresponding purposes contained in the London Government Act 1939; to make an adjustment of the metropolitan police district; and for connected purposes: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

The Lords propose that the Joint Committee on the Bolton Water Order 1962 (Petition of General Objection, Petition for Amendment and Counter-Petitions) do meet in Committee Room No. 4 on Tuesday the 4th day of December next, at Eleven of the clock.

The Coal Industry Bill was, according to order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committal of Bills).

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Pensions (Increase) Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Chichester-Clark.)

Mr. Wood, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Coal Industry [Money] proposed to be moved under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make further provision with respect to temporary advances to, and temporary borrowings by, the National Coal Board (in this Resolution referred to as " the Board "), it is expedient to authorise—

(a) such increases in the sums which by or under any enactment are to be or may be issued out of the Consolidated Fund, raised by borrowing or paid into the Exchequer as may result from provisions of the said Act of the present Session whereby the Minister of Power (in this Resolution referred to as " the Minister ") may advance temporarily to the Board such sums as they may require to borrow temporarily from him for financing any temporary deficit of the Board on revenue account, and

(b) the charging on and issue out of the Consolidated Fund or payment into the Exchequer of such sums as may be required to be so charged, issued or paid in consequence of provisions of the said Act of the present Session whereby the Treasury may guarantee the repayment of, and the payment of any interest on, sums borrowed temporarily by the Board, otherwise than from the Minister, for financing any such deficit or otherwise for meeting their obligations and discharging their functions, subject to the limitation that the aggregate amount outstanding in respect of the principal of sums borrowed, as mentioned in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this Resolution, shall not at any time exceed twenty million pounds.—(Mr. Barber.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Pensions (Increase) Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 10 (Interpretation).

Amendment proposed, in page 6, line 41, to leave out from the second word " the " to the end of line 43 and insert the words " 1st July 1962 ".

Question again proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause.

Clause agreed to.

Clause No. 11 agreed to.

A Clause (Pensions Review Board)—(Mr. Wade)—brought up, and read the first time. Motion made, and Question put. That the Clause be read a second time. The Committee proceeded to a Division.
Adjournment.

Resolution, That the House do now adjourn. 

(No. 17.)

Wednesday, 21st November, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker explained that the House would rise at a quarter to Three of the clock, and accordingly the House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before One of the clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

MEMORANDUM.

Tuesday, 20th November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Blackburn Chairman of the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill.

(2) Petitions have been presented against the Bolton Water Order 1962:—Petition of General Objection, Petition for Amendment, and Counter-Petition.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

The House proceeded to take into consideration upon Tuesday next and to be printed:—The Bolton Water Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Members appointed to serve on the said Committee do meet the Lords appointed to serve therein as proposed by their Lordships.—(Mr. Hayman.)

Ordered, That a Special Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Members appointed to serve on the said Committee do meet the Lords appointed to serve therein as proposed by their Lordships.—(Mr. Hayman.)

Ordered, That a Special Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Members appointed to serve on the said Committee do meet the Lords appointed to serve therein as proposed by their Lordships.—(Mr. Hayman.)
reconciliation in such causes; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid:
And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of February next and to be printed.

Mr. Lipton, supported by Mr. Allen, Mr. Dodds, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. William Griffith, Mr. Hilton, Mr. Hoy, Miss Lee, Mr. Pavis, Sir Leslie Plummer, Mrs. White, and Mr. Victor Yates, presented a Bill to increase the tenureship of widows, and to amend the law regarding earnings of widows in receipt of pensions: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second upon Friday the 25th day of January next and to be printed.

Mr. Spear, supported by Wing Commander Biggs-Davison, Sir Gerald Wills, Mr. Stephen Davies, Miss Herbert Butcher, Mr. Mellish, Mr. Digby, Mr. Temple, Mr. Ainsley, Mr. Slater, and Mr. Probert, presented a Bill to extend the powers of local authorities to defray expenses incurred by their members and officers, or by other members of their committees or sub-committees, and to contribute or subscribe to other local authorities and to bodies having activities connected with local government; to authorise certain expenditure by local authorities for the benefit of their areas or inhabitants but not otherwise authorised; to make further provision with respect to borrowing by local authorities, the management of local authority debt, the application by local authorities of capital funds, renewal and repair funds, unexpended balances of loans and capital money received by way of financial assistance; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 25th day of January next and to be printed.

Mr. Cooke, supported by Sir Peter Agnew, Lord Balniel, Mr. Ede, Lady Megan Lloyd George, Lord John Hopo, Sir Hamilton Kerr, Mr. Moore, Mr. Renton, Dr. Strauss, Sir Colin Thornton-Kemsley, and Mr. Thorpe, presented a Bill to amend the law relating to the granting of permission to develop land in the vicinity of historic buildings: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of February next and to be printed.

Miss Vickers, supported by Mrs. Emmet, Mrs. Bradock, Sir Godfrey Nicholston, and Mr. Johnson Smith, presented a Bill to amend the law with respect to the guardianship and custody of infants: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of February next and to be printed.

Mr. Biggs-Davison, supported by Mr. Renton, Mr. Ewlyn Jones, and Mr. Wade, presented a Bill to authorise the administration of oaths and the performance of notarial acts by representatives of, and other persons empowered by the authorities of, countries overseas; and by representatives of Her Majesty in post overseas; and to amend the Foreign Tribunals Evidence Act 1856 and the Evidence (Foreign, Dominion and Colonial Documents) Act 1933: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 7th day of December next and to be printed.

Sir Harry Legge-Bourke, supported by Sir Cyril Black, Mr. Bowen, Mr. Percy Browne, Sir Richard Glynn, Sir Anthony Hard, Sir Charles Mott-Radclyffe, Mr. Moyle, Sir Fargier, Sir Colin Thornton-Kemsley, Mr. Fane, and Mr. van Straubenzee, presented a Bill to make provision with respect to persons who negotiate for or otherwise act in relation to the acquisition or disposal of estates, interests or rights in or over land, and for purposes connected therewith: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of March next and to be printed.

Mr. Alan Brown, supported by Lord Balniel, Mr. Brockway, Lieutenant-Colonel Cordeaux, Mr. Carran, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. James, Mr. Daniel Jones, Sir Hugh Lineside, Mr. Weitzman, and Mr. John Welle, presented a Bill to authorise the Minister of Health to make regulations as to the conduct of nursing homes; and to repeal section 192 of the Public Health Act 1936 and section 246 of the Public Health (London) Act 1936: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 7th day of December next and to be printed.

Sir Charles Mott-Radclyffe, supported by Sir Cora Revance, Anthony Hurd, Mr. Gibson-Watt, and Mr. Prior, presented a Bill to make further provision for the apportionment and redemption of corn rents and other payments wholly or partly payable in lieu of tithes and for the extinguishment thereof in certain cases; to transfer to the Treasury the functions of the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food under subsection (2) of section 30 of the Tithe Act 1936; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 25th day of January next and to be printed.

Mr. Henry Price, supported by Mr. Callaghan, Mr. Gower, Mr. Mawby, Mr. Mellish, and Sir Otho Prior-Falmer, presented a Bill to enable effect to be given to certain arrangements of the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea by Oil 1954, and otherwise to extend the Oil in Navigable Waters Act 1955: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of February next and to be printed.

Mr. More, supported by Mr. Burden, Mr. Deere (England and Wales), Mr. Dugdale, Mr. James, Mr. Kimball, Dr. King, Mr. Cordile, Mr. Morrison, Sir Godfrey Nicholston, Mr. Spear, Sir Henry Studholme, and Sir Gerald Wills, presented a Bill to provide close seasons for deer; to prohibit the killing and taking of deer by certain devices and at certain times and to restrict the use of vehicles in connection with the killing and taking of deer; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of March next and to be printed.


Guardianship of Infants Bill.  Bill 23.

Oaths and Evidence (Overseas and Colonies) Bill.  Bill 24.


Oil in Navigable Waters Bill.  Bill 28.

Deer (England and Wales) Bill.  Bill 29.
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Limitation Bill. Bill 30.
Mr. Buck, supported by Sir Lionel Heald, Mr. Arthur Irvine, Mr. Finch, Mr. Charles Royle, Mr. Walder, Mr. van Straubenzee, Mr. Tavener, Mr. Hooson, and Mr. Brewis, presented a Bill to extend in certain cases the time-limit for bringing legal proceedings where damages are claimed which consist of or include damages or solatium in respect of personal injuries (including any disease or impairment of a person's physical or mental condition) or in respect of a person's death; to limit the time within which proceedings for contribution may be brought under section 6 of the Law Reform ( Married Women and Their Property) Act 1953 or section 3(2) of the Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Act 1940; and for purposes connected therewith: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 25th day of January next and to be printed.

Drugs Advisory Board Bill. Bill 31.
Mr. Emery, supported by Sir Peter Ainsworth, Mr. William Clark, Dame Patricia Hornsby-Smith, Mr. Tiley, Dame Irene Ward, Mr. Dance, Mr. Walder, Mr. Mathew, Mr. Biffen, Mr. Walker, and Sir Peter Roberts, presented a Bill to provide for the establishment of a Drugs Advisory Board; and for purposes connected therewith: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of February next and to be printed.

Local Authorities (Land) Bill. Bill 32.
Sir Geoffrey Nicholson, supported by Sir Beresford Craddock, Mr. Hornby, Sir Anthony Hard, Sir John Maitland, Sir Richard Nugent, and Mr. Skeet, presented a Bill to make amendments of the law relating to functions of local authorities in relation to land to the like effect as those commonly made in local Acts; to enable local authorities to provide accommodation for keeping motor vehicles; to amend the provisions of the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949 relating to the treatment of derelict land; to amend the law with respect to the power of municipal boroughs to use the general rate fund and borrow for non-statutory purposes; to apply Part II of the Town and Country Planning Act 1959 to corporate land; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of February next and to be printed.

Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill. Bill 33.
Mr. Malcolm MacPherson, supported by Mr. Georlly, Mr. McInnes, Mr. Small, Mr. Woodburn, Mr. Willis, Mr. Hannan, Commander Donaldson, Sir John Gilmour, Mr. Hendry, Mr. Hutchison, and Mr. John Henderson, presented a Bill to increase the amount by reference to which actions are classified as summary causes in the sheriff court in Scotland; to increase the amount by reference to which the small debt jurisdiction of the sheriff is limited; to amend the law with regard to the bringing of actions between spouses for inter alimony of small amounts in the sheriff's small debt court and with regard to the jurisdiction of the sheriff in such actions brought as aforesaid; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of February next and to be printed.

Sir Hugh Linstead, supported by Mr. Gordon and Miss Gammans, and Mr. Brewis, presented a Bill to regulate the sale of reptiles: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of March next and to be printed.

Mr. Frederick Bennett, supported by Sir Animal Boarding Establishments Bill. Bill 34.
Mr. Hayman, Mr. Russell, Mr. Shee, Mrs. Emmet, Mr. David Griffiths, Lady Hannan, Mr. Beaney, Mr. William Clark, and Mr. Hooson, presented a Bill to regulate the keeping of boarding establishments for animals; and for purposes connected therewith: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 7th day of December next and to be printed.

Sir James Dunlop, supported by the Earl of Dalkeith, Sir John Gilmour, Mr. Hannan, Mr. Kinell, and Sir Colin Thornton-Kemwel, presented a Bill to extend the power conferred on the Secretary of State by paragraph (c) of subsection (7) of section 4 of the Forestry Act 1945 to sell land vested in or acquired by him by or under the said section 4: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 7th day of December next and to be printed.

Mr. Hutchison, supported by Mr. John With Bill. Bill 37.
Sir, Mr. Hendry, Mr. Oswald, Mr. Wolrige-Gordon, Mr. Woodburn, and Mr. Brewis, presented a Bill to repeal the Wills Act 1851 and make new provision in lieu thereof; and to provide that certain testamentary instruments shall be admissible of probate for the purpose of the conveyance of heritable property in Scotland: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of February next and to be printed.

The Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills). Ordered, That the Proceedings on Governmental Business of the House be suspended, the time being 9.30 o'clock, until the proceedings on the Bill are resumed.

The Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Money) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills).

The Motion relating to Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) proposed to be made, under the Standing Order (Money Committees)—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.
Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session relating to agriculture, it is expedient to authorise—

A. The payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of—

(1) grants towards the cost of constructing, enlarging or adapting buildings for occupation and use by farmers' machinery syndicates and of providing such buildings with such services, means of access and other works as are reasonably required, being grants of an amount not exceeding one-third of the cost of or of a specified amount treated as that cost;

(2) grants to bodies of persons engaged in organising, promoting or developing co-operation in agriculture or horticulture (including any activities carried on in connection therewith) or co-operation in the marketing of agricultural or horticultural produce;

(3) grants towards the cost of carrying out approved proposals for promoting the efficient marketing of agricultural or horticultural produce, for carrying out research connected therewith, for making the result of such research available to producers of such produce, or for the formation of bodies carrying on agricultural or horticultural producers' marketing businesses, and contributions to the expenses incurred in connection with the examination of proposals by persons whose support is required as a condition of approval;

(4) grants in respect of land used for growing crops for the winter feeding of livestock;

(5) grants in respect of land under grass or similar crops which is rendered available to the carrying out of operations thereon;

(6) compensation for things seized for the purpose of preventing the spread of certain diseases of animals and poultry or of things which could be so seized but are destroyed, buried or disposed of without being seized;

(7) any expenses incurred in making arrangements for making vaccines against fowl pest available at prices designed to encourage its use;

(8) any sums necessary to enable any Minister of the Crown to make payments to persons who are displaced from land used by them for the purposes of agriculture, being land which is so used by way of a trade or business; and

(9) any expenses of administration incurred by a Minister of the Crown by virtue of the said Act of this Session;

B. Any increase in the sums payable out of moneys provided by Parliament under any enactment attributable to any provision of the said Act of this Session—

(1) increasing to thirty million pounds the maximum amount that may be paid in the aggregate by way of grants under section 1 of the Hill Farming Act 1946;

(2) adding four years to the periods by reference to which or days in which the making of subsidy payments is authorised by section 13 of the said Act of 1946;

(3) increasing to ninety million pounds the maximum amount that may be paid in the aggregate by way of grants under Part II of the Agriculture Act 1957;

(4) extending contributions under the Agriculture (Fertilisers) Act 1952 to fertilisers used by growers of mushrooms, and to fertilisers applied to the crop instead of to the soil;

C. Any increase attributable to the said Act of this Session in the sums which may be or are to be issued out of the Consolidated Fund or raised by borrowing under the Sugar Act 1956;

D. Any increase attributable to the said Act of this Session in the sums payable out of moneys provided by Parliament by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland;

E. Any increase attributable to the said Act of this Session in the sums payable into the Exchequer under any other enactment.—(Mr. Soames.)

Resolution to be reported.
Agriculture. 

Resolved, That the Farm Improvements Grants (Aggregate Amount) Order 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 31st day of October last, be approved—(Mr. Sowrey.)

Pensions. 

Resolved, That the Local Government Superannuation (Benefit) (New Towns Staffs) Regulations 1962, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 8th day of this instant November, be approved.—(Mr. Corfield.)

Procedure. 

Ordered, That the matter of the rule relating to reference in this House to matters considered as sub judice, being a matter relating to the procedure in the public business of the House, be referred to the Select Committee on Procedure.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Coal Industry [Money].

Mr. Francis Pearson reported from the Committee on Coal Industry [Money], a Resolution ; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make further provision with respect to temporary advances to, and temporary borrowings by, the National Coal Board (in this Resolution referred to as "the Board"), it is expedient to authorise—

(a) such increases in the sums which by or under any enactment are to be or may be issued out of the Consolidated Fund raised by borrowing or paid into the Exchequer as may result from provisions of the said Act of the present Session whereby the Minister of Power (in this Resolution referred to as "the Minister") may advance temporarily to the Board such sums as they may require to borrow temporarily from him for financing any temporary deficit of the Board on revenue account, and

(b) the charging on and issue out of the Consolidated Fund or payment into the Exchequer of such sums as may be required to be so charged, issued or paid in consequence of provisions of the said Act of the present Session whereby the Minister of Power (in this Resolution referred to as "the Minister") may guarantee the repayment of, and the payment of any interest on, sums borrowed temporarily by the Board, otherwise than from the Minister, for financing any such deficit or otherwise for meeting their obligations and discharging their functions, subject to the limitation that the aggregate amount outstanding in respect of the principal of such sums borrowed, as mentioned in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this Resolution, shall not at any time exceed twenty million pounds.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Consolidation, Statute Law Revision Bills and Bills prepared pursuant to the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedure) Act 1949 be now taken into consideration—(Mr. Francis Pearson):—The House accordingly proceeded to take so much of the said Message into consideration.

Ordered, That a Select Committee of Six Members be appointed to join with the Committee appointed by the Lords to consider all Consolidation Bills, Statute Law Revision Bills and Bills prepared pursuant to the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedure) Act 1949 in the present Session.

Ordered, That any Memoranda laid pursuant to the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedure) Act 1949 and any representations made with respect thereto be referred to the Committee.

The Committee was accordingly nominated of Mr. Bell, Mr. Doughty, Sir Barnet Janner, Sir Hugh Linstead, Mr. Oliver, and Mr. Oram.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records ; and to sit notwithstanding any Adjournment of the House.

Ordered, That Three be the Quorum of the Committee.—(Mr. Francis Pearson)

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them that this House hath appointed a Committee of Six Members, of whom Three shall be a Quorum, with power to send for persons, papers, and records and to sit notwithstanding any Adjournment of the House, to join with the Committee appointed by the Lords to consider the Bills aforesaid ; and hath ordered that any Memoranda laid pursuant to the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedure) Act 1949 be referred to the Committee: And that the Clerk do carry the said Message.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Francis Pearson):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then eleven minutes before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDA.

Wednesday, 21st November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Coal Industry Bill to Standing Committee A.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Russell Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the Coal Industry Bill and Mr. Henry Hynd Chairman of Standing Committee D in respect of the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill.
The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

Mr. Soomer presented, pursuant to the Animals, directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 15th November 1962, entitled the Atrophic Rhinitis (Compensation) (Revocation) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the London Traffic, directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations dated 12th November 1962, entitled—

1. the London Parking Zones (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 1962,
2. the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (City of London) (No. 3) Regulations 1962, and
3. the London (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) (Amendment) (No. 10) Regulations 1962.

Copy of an Order, dated 12th November 1962, entitled the Parking Places and Restriction of Waiting and Loading (Brighton) (No. 1) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee A in respect of the Coal Industry Bill, viz.: Mr. Buttsford, Mr. Bishop, Mr. Blyton, Mr. Box, Mr. Henry Clark, Mr. Thomas Fraser, Mr. Grey, Mr. Harper, Mr. James Hill, Mr. Iremonger, Mr. Johnson Smith, Mr. Lilley, Mr. John Wynne Peyton, Mr. Pym, Mr. Ridley, Mr. Albert Roberts, Mr. Skeet, Mr. Torver Thomas, Mr. Warby, and Mr. Wood.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Forty Members to serve on Standing Committee D in respect of the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill, viz.: Mr. Allason, Mr. Atkins, Dr. Bennett, Mr. Bourne-Arton, Mr. Bradley, Mr. Robert Curr, Mr. Cleaver, Mr. Cooke, Mr. Costain, Mr. Craddock, Mr. Farr, Dr. Glyn, Mr. Gunter, Mr. Hare, Mr. Frederic Harris, Mr. Hiley, Mr. Hocking, Mr. Denis Howell, Mr. Hunter, Mr. John Hynd, Mr. Carol Johnstone, Sir Donald Kohnery, Mr. Kenneth Lewis, Mr. Loveys, Mr. MacDermot, Mr. Marsh, Mr. Mulley, Mr. Padley, Mr. Graham Page, Mr. Prentice, Mr. Francis Pearson, Mr. Joseph Price, Mr. Redhead, Sir David Robertson, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Dudley Smith, Mr. van Straubenzee, Mr. Whiteleaf, Mr. Whitlock, and Mr. Winterbottom.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee E in respect of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill, viz.: Mr. Brooman-White, Mr. Percy Browne, Mr. Bullard, Mr. Dalyell, Mr. Hor Davies, Mr. Hilton, Mr. Hoy, Mr. Kitson, Mr. Laughlin, Mr. MacArthur, Mr. McLaren, Mr. Morris, Mr. Peart, Mr. Prior, Mr. Scott-Hopkins, Mr. Soames, Mr. Stoddart, Mr. Turton, Mr. Watkins, and Mr. Dudley Williams.
The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Air Corporations Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time.—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Towny Trewan Common Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Select Committee of Eight Members, Four to be nominated by the House and Four by the Committee of Selection.

Ordered, That there shall stand referred to the Select Committee—

(a) any Petition against the Bill presented by being deposited in the Private Bill Office at any time not later than the tenth day after this day, and

(b) any Petition which has been presented by being deposited in the Private Bill Office and in which the Petitioners complain of any Amendment as proposed in the filled-up Bill or of any matter which has arisen during the progress of the Bill before the said Committee,

being a Petition in which the Petitioners pray to be heard by themselves, their Counsel or Agents.

Ordered, That if no such Petition as is mentioned in sub-paragraph (a) above is presented, or if all such Petitions are withdrawn before the meeting of the Committee, the Order for the committal of the Bill to a Select Committee shall be discharged and the Bill shall be committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Ordered, That any Petitioner whose Petition stands referred to the Select Committee shall, subject to the Rules and Orders of the House and to the Prayer of his Petition, be entitled to be heard by himself, his Counsel or Agents upon his Petition provided that it is prepared and signed in conformity with the Rules and Orders of the House, and the Member in charge of the Bill shall be entitled to be heard by his Counsel or Agents in favour of the Bill against that Petition.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to report from day to day the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them.

Ordered, That Three be the Quorum of the Committee.—(Mr. Secretary Fraser.)

Mr. Secretary Fraser, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Towny Trewan Common [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees) in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.
relating exclusively to Wales and Monmouthshire as may be referred to them and to consist of all Members sitting for constituencies in Wales and Monmouthshire, together with not more than twenty-five other Members to be nominated by the Committee of Selection, who shall have regard in such nomination to the approximation of the balance of parties in the Committee to that in the whole House, and shall have power from time to time to discharge the Members so nominated by them and to appoint others in substitution for those discharged;

(2) A Motion may be made by a Minister of the Crown at the commencement of public business, to be decided without amendment or debate, to the effect that a specified matter or matters relating exclusively to Wales and Monmouthshire be referred to the Welsh Grand Committee for their consideration, and if, on the Question thereupon being put, not less than ten Members rise in their places and signify their objection thereto, Mr. Speaker shall declare that the Noes have it;

(3) If such a Motion be agreed to, the Welsh Grand Committee shall consider the matter or matters referred on not more than four days in a Session, and shall report only that they have considered the said matter or matters.—(Mr. McLaren.)

Mr. McLaren reported from the Committee on Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session relating to agriculture, it is expedient to authorise—

A. The payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of—

(1) grants towards the cost of constructing, enlarging or adapting buildings for occupation and use by farmers' machinery syndicates and of providing such buildings with such services, means of access and other works as are reasonably required, being grants of an amount not exceeding one-third of that cost (or of a specified amount treated as that cost);

(2) grants to bodies of persons engaged in organising, promoting or developing co-operation in agriculture or horticulture including any activities carried on in connection therewith or co-operation in the marketing of agricultural or horticultural produce;

(3) grants towards the cost of carrying out approved proposals for promoting the efficient marketing of agricultural or horticultural produce, for carrying out research connected therewith, for making the result of such research available to producers of such produce, or for the formation of bodies carrying on agricultural or horticultural producers' marketing businesses, and contributions to the expenses incurred in connection with the examination of proposals by persons whose support is required as a condition of approval;

(4) grants in respect of land used for growing crops for the winter feeding of livestock;

(5) grants in respect of land under grass or similar crops which is renovated by the carrying out of operations thereon;

(6) compensation for things seized for the purpose of preventing the spread of certain diseases of animals and poultry or of things which could be so seized but are destroyed, buried or disposed of without being seized;

(7) any expenses incurred in making arrangements for making vaccine against fowl pest available at prices designed to encourage its use;

(8) any sums necessary to enable any Minister of the Crown to make payments to persons displaced from land used by them for the purposes of agriculture, being land which is so used by way of a trade or business; and

(9) any expenses of administration incurred by a Minister of the Crown by virtue of the said Act of this Session;

B. Any increase in the sums payable out of moneys provided by Parliament under any enactment attributable to any provision of the said Act of this Session—

(1) increasing to thirty million pounds the maximum amount that may be paid in the aggregate by way of grants under section 1 of the Hill Farming Act 1946;

(2) adding four years to the periods by reference to which or days in which the making of subsidy payments is authorized by section 13 of the said Act of 1946;

(3) increasing to ninety million pounds the maximum amount that may be paid in the aggregate by way of grants under Part II of the Agriculture Act 1957 and

(4) extending contributions under the Agriculture (Fertilisers) Act 1952 to fertilizers used by growers of mushrooms, and to fertilizers applied to the crop instead of to the soil;

C. Any increase attributable to the said Act of this Session in the sums which may be or are to be issued out of the Consolidated Fund or raised by borrowing under the Sugar Act 1956;

D. Any increase attributable to the said Act of this Session in the sums payable out of moneys provided by Parliament by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland;

E. Any increase attributable to the said Act of this Session in the sums payable into the Exchequer under any other enactment.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.
Mr. McLaren reported from the Committee of Ways and Means yesterday, a Resolution, which was read, as follows:

Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions).

That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session relating to agriculture it is expedient to authorise any increase—

(a) in the rate of any surcharge payable to the Sugar Board by virtue of section 7 of the Sugar Act 1956; or

(b) in the amount of any distribution repayment payable by virtue of section 15 of the said Act of 1956;

which is attributable to any provision of the said Act of this Session requiring the Sugar Board to purchase sugar to be used as an ingredient of goods to be exported from the Republic of Ireland.

The said Resolution, being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. McLaren.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till nineteen minutes after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till tomorrow.

MEMORANDA.

Thursday, 22nd November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Sir James Duncan Chairman of Standing Committee E in respect of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairman of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Sir James Duncan Chairman of Standing Committee E in respect of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill.

[No. 19.]

Friday, 23rd November, 1962.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament—Copy of Rules, dated 16th November 1962, entitled the Carbon Dioxide (Conveyance by Road) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament—Copy of Rules, dated 15th November 1962, entitled the Pensions Appeal Tribunals (Scotland) (Amendment) Rules 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Attorney General, supported by Mr. Sir County Courts (Jurisdictions) Keith Joseph, Mr. Barber, and Mr. Solicitor General, presented a Bill to increase the amounts by reference to which jurisdiction is conferred on county courts by the County Courts Act 1959 is limited, and a right of appeal from such courts on questions of fact is by that Act conferred, in certain proceedings in which land is concerned, and make to that Act amendments consequential on the increase; to amend the provisions of that Act with respect to the confirmation of references to net annual value for rating; and to increase the amount by reference to which is determined the question whether the High Court or a county court has jurisdiction to entertain proceedings under certain other enactments: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Monday next and to be printed.

Mr. Graham Page, supported by Mr. Stock Transfer William Clark, Mr. Barter, Mr. Graham Cooke, Mr. Norman Pannell, and Mr. Woodnutt, presented a Bill to amend the law with respect to the transfer of securities: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 25th day of January next and to be printed.

Mr. Iremonger, supported by Mr. Skeet, Public Order Wing-Commander Bullius, Lady Gammans, Act 1958 (Amendment) Bill; Mrs. Bill, Sir Barnet Janner, Mr. Eric John - son, Sir Donald Kaberry, Mr. Percival, Mr. Russell, Sir Wavell Wakefield, and Mr. Weitzman, presented a Bill to amend the Public Order Act 1956: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of March next and to be printed.

Resolved, That the Army Act 1955 (Con- Army, Adjourn- (Continuation) Order 1962, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 1st day of this instant November, be approved.—(Mr. Secretary Pannell.)

Resolved, That the Air Force Act 1955 Air Force. Adjournment (Continuation) Order 1962, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 1st day of this instant November, be approved.—(Mr. Secretary Fraser.)

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Redmayne):—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Mr. Campbell reported from the Committee on Towny Trewan Common [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as follows:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to extinguish certain rights of common, private rights of way and other rights in respect of lands forming part of Towny Trewan Common in the county of Anglesey, and to enable certain works to be carried out
on other lands forming part of the Common, and for other purposes, it is expedient to authorize the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any expenses incurred by the Secretary of State in consequence of the provisions of that Act.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Marples):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed at Four of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till Monday next.

PRAYERS.

SEVERAL Public Petitions from London and other places for legislation against racial discrimination were presented and read; and ordered to lie upon the Table.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament.—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 20th November 1962, relative to the Fiduciary Note Issue.

Statement of a Guarantee given by the Treasury on the 14th day of November 1962, on loans proposed to be raised by the Gas and Water Premises Bill; and had appointed in substitution Mr. Cole, Mr. Matthews, and Mr. Webster.

Mr. Secretary Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee D Mr. Robert Carr, Mr. Cleaver, and Mr. Dudley Smith ( nominated in respect of the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Cole, Mr. Matthews, and Mr. Webster.

Mr. Secretary Agnew further reported from the Standing Committee, That they had discharged from Standing Committee E Mr. MacArthur ( nominated in respect of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Maxwell-Hyslop.

Ordered, That this day Business other than Business of the House (Supply) may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Ordered, That the matter of Education in Welsh Affairs, Wales and Monmouthshire, being a matter relating exclusively to Wales and Monmouthshire, be referred to the Welsh Grand Committee for their consideration.—(Sir Keith Joseph.)

The House, according to Order, resolved Supply [as allotted Day).

(resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

Motion made, and Question, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again.—(Mr. Redmun)—put and agreed to.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House calls for an early and substantial improvement in all social benefits and allowances payable to the sick; those disabled in war and industry; the unemployed; widows and widowed mothers; and old age pensioners—(Mr. Houghton);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "House" to the end of the Question and adding the words "welcomes the assurance in Her Majesty's most Gracious Speech at the opening of the present Session of Parliament that the position of war pensioners and of those who are receiving National Insurance benefits will be kept under close review"—(Mr. Niall MacPherson)—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Copy of Rules, dated 19th November 1962, entitled the Supreme Court Funds (Amendment) Rules 1962.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee D Mr. Robert Carr, Mr. Cleaver, and Mr. Dudley Smith ( nominated in respect of the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Cole, Mr. Matthews, and Mr. Webster.
Mr. Bowden rose in his place and claimed to move, That the Question be now put.

And the Question being put, That the Question be now put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being accordingly put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas—Mr. Charles Howell, 199; Mr. McConnell, 199.
Tellers for the Noes—Mr. Chichester-Clark, 269; Mr. Finlay.

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being put, That the proposed words be added after the word "House" in the Main Question:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the Main Question, so amended, being put;

Resolved, That this House welcomes the assurance in Her Majesty's most Gracious Speech at the opening of the present Session of Parliament that the position of war pensioners and of those who are receiving National Insurance benefits will be kept under close review.

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the provisions of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945 be applied to Orders hereafter to be made under any of the enactments specified in the following table (which relate to the authorisation by the Minister of Transport of new routes along which trolley vehicles may be used), in substitution for the provisions of any such enactment providing that such Orders shall be provisional only and shall not have effect until confirmed by Parliament:—

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The Kingston upon Hull Corporation Act 1936, Section 13.

The Stalybridge Hyde Mossley and Dukinfield Transport and Electricity Board Act 1936, Section 18.—(Mr. Hay.)

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty by such Members of this House as are of Her Majesty’s Most Honorable Privy Council or of Her Majesty's Household.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put (pursuant to the Standing Order (Public Bills relating exclusively to Scotland), That the Bill be committed to the Scottish Standing Committee.—(Mr. Secretary Noble):—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill (deemed to have been read a second time) was committed to the Scottish Standing Committee.

Mr. Secretary Noble, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

In the Committee.

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to extend the borrowing powers of the South of Scotland Electricity Board, it is expedient to authorise such increases in the sums which by or under any enactment are to be or may be charged on or issued out of the Consolidated Fund, raised by borrowing or paid into the Exchequer, as may result from increasing to one hundred and seventy-five million pounds the limit imposed on the Board by Section 1 (1) (b) (ii) of the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) Act 1939.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means
Adjournment. Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. (Mr. Francis Pearson.)

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

PRAYERS.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow Confirmation Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time upon Thursday next.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement on Children in the care of Local Authorities at Vienna on the 14th day of July 1961 between Her Majesty in respect of the United Kingdom and the Federal President of the Republic of Austria for the Reciprocal Recognition and Enforcement of Judgments in Civil and Commercial Matters.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Convention signed at Vienna on the 14th day of July 1961 between Her Majesty in respect of the United Kingdom and the Federal President of the Republic of Austria for the Reciprocal Recognition and Enforcement of Judgments in Civil and Commercial Matters.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies—(1) of a Statute made by the University of Oxford on the 3rd day of July 1962 amending the Statutes of the University,
(2) of a Statute made by the Governing Body of Brasenose College, Oxford, on the 5th day of September 1962 amending the Statutes of the College,
(3) of a Statute made by the Governing Body of Corpus Christi College, Oxford, on the 13th day of July 1962 amending the Statutes of the College,
(4) of a Statute made by the Governing Body of Lincoln College, Oxford, on the 29th day of June 1962 amending the Statutes of the College,
(5) of a Statute made by the Governing Body of Magdalen College, Oxford, on the 29th day of June 1962 amending the Statutes of the College,
(6) of a Statute made by the Governing Body of Pembroke College, Oxford, on the 21st day of August 1962 amending the Statutes of the College,
(7) of a Statute made by the Governing Body of The Queen's College, Oxford, on the 25th day of June 1962 amending the Statutes of the College,
(8) of Statutes made by the Governing Body of Wadham College, Oxford, on the 9th day of July 1962 amending the Statutes of the College, and
(9) of a Statute made by the Governing Body of Corpus Christi College, Cambridge, on the 29th day of June 1962 amending the Statutes of the College.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 21st November 1962, entitled the Drainage Rates (Forms) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the London Traffic directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 16th November 1962, entitled the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Hornchurch) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Harold Wilson reported from the Committee of Public Accounts, That they had agreed to a Special Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Russell reported from Standing Committee A, That they had gone through the Coal Industry Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That Message from the Lords had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords propose that the Joint Committee on Consolidation, Bills do meet &c., Bills in Committee Room No. 4 on Wednesday the 5th day of December next, at half an hour after Four of the Clock.

The House proceeded to take the said Message into consideration.

Ordered, That the Committee appointed by this House do meet the Lords Committee as proposed by their Lordships.—(Mr. Oliver.)
Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them therewith: And that the Clerk do carry the said Message.

New Members make Affirmation required by Law.

Neil George Carmichael, Esquire, Member for Glasgow, Woodside, made the Affirmation required by law.

Nicholas Guy Barnett, Esquire, Member for South Dorest, made the Affirmation required by law.

New Members sworn.

Daniel Edmund Awdry, Esquire, Member for Chippenham, was sworn.
Albert Arthur Jones, Esquire, Member for South Northants, was sworn.

Ian Hedworth John Little Gilmour, Esquire, Member for Central Norfolk, was sworn.

Employment of Women Bill. Bill 42.

Public Investment.

Resolved, That this House takes note of the Command Paper on Public Investment in Great Britain.—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill and Mr. George Thomas Chairman of the Welsh Grand Committee in respect of the matter of Education in Wales and Monmouthshire referred to the Committee for their consideration.

Lord Balniel presented a Bill to regulate the employment of women for reward during the period following childbirth: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 25th day of January next and to be printed.

Mr. Rees reported from the Committee on Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Money, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to extend the borrowing powers of the South of Scotland Electricity Board, it is expedient to authorise such increases in the sums which by or under any enactment are to be or may be charged on or issued out of the Consolidated Fund, raised by borrowing or paid into the Exchequer, as may result from increasing to one hundred and seventy-five million pounds the limit imposed on the Board by section I (i) (ii) (b) (c) of the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) Act 1959.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the University and Other Awards Regulations 1962, dated 1st August 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 10th day of August last, in the last Session of Parliament be annulled.—(Mrs. White):—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Finlay):—And a Debate arising there upon:

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then seven minutes before Twelve of the clock, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Tuesday, 27th November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Commander Donaldson Chairman of the Scottish Standing Committee in respect of the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill and Mr. George Thomas Chairman of the Welsh Grand Committee in respect of the matter of Education in Wales and Monmouthshire referred to the Committee for their consideration.

[No. 22.]

Wednesday, 28th November, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

MR. Barber presented, pursuant to the Bank Notes, directions of an Act of Parliament,—Return of the amount of Notes of £10 and upwards issued for more than forty years and outstanding on the 31st day of October 1962, which have been written off from the total amount of Notes issued from the Issue Department of the Bank of England.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Profumo presented, by Her Kuwait, Majesty's Command,—Copy of Letters relating to the Kuwait Operation, July 1961.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, by Her Federation of Majesty's Command,—Copy of Financial Arrangements for the Army of the Federation of South Arabia.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the Veterinary directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 21st November 1962, entitled the Veterinary Surgery (Exemptions) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the Transport directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Draft of Regulations, entitled the British Transport Reorganisation Compensation to Employees Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Wood presented, by Her Majesty's Coal Miss. Command,—Copy of a Report on the causes
of, and circumstances attending, the Explosion at Hapton Valley Colliery, Lancashire, on the 22nd day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Housing Summary dated 31st October 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Copy of an Order, dated 21st November 1962, entitled the Watermark Disease (Bedfordshire) Order 1962.

Six Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had agreed to a Special Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

No. 25. Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged Standing Committee D Mr. Cole and Mr. Frederic Harris (nominated in respect of the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Awdry and Sir Richard Pilkington.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had nominated Thirty Members to serve on the Scottish Standing Committee, in respect of the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill, viz.: Mr. Brewis, Mr. Campbell, the Earl of Dalkeith, Mr. Dalzell, Mr. Thomas Fraser, Sir John Gilmour, Mrs. Hart, Miss Harvie Anderson, Mr. John Henderson, Mr. Hendry, Mr. James Hill, Lord John Hope, Mr. Hoy, Mr. Hutchison, Mr. Lawson, Mr. Leburn, Mr. MacArthur, Sir Fitzroy Maclean, Mr. John MacLeod, Mr. Manuel, Mr. Millan, Sir Thomas Moore, Mr. Rankin, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Ross, Mr. Steele, Mr. Stodart, Sir Colin Thornton-Kemal, Lady Tweedsmuir, and Mr. Wolrige-Gordon.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had nominated Twenty-Five Members to serve on the Welsh Grand Committee in respect of the matter of Education in Wales and Monmouthshire, viz.: Mr. Biffen, Mr. Bishop, Sir Edward Boyle, Mr. Buck, Mr. Henry Clark, Lieutenant-Colonel Cordenax, Mr. Corfield, Mr. Digby, Mr. Gilmour, Mr. Reeder Harris, Mr. Hirst, Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Iremonger, Mr. Johnson Smith, Mr. Arthur Jones, Sir Keith Joseph, Mrs. McLaughlin, Mr. Proudfoot, Mr. Ridley, Mr. John Rodgers, Mr. Skeet, Mr. Kenneth Thompson, Sir William Teeling, Mr. Paul Williams, and Sir Gerald Wills.

Mr. Campbell reported, from the Committee on Expiring Laws Continuance (Money), a Resolution, which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to continue certain expiring laws, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of such expenses as may be occasioned by the continuance until the thirty-first day of March, nineteen hundred and sixty-four, of the Rent of Furnished Houses Control (Scotland) Act 1943, the Furnished Houses (Rent Control) Act 1946, and Part II of the Licensing Act 1953, being expenses which under any Act are to be provided out of such moneys.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Expiring Laws Continuance Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 and 2 agreed to.

Schedule.

Amendment proposed, in page 3, to leave out lines 7 and 8.—(Mr. Sydney Silverman.)

Question put. That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Yeas, {Mr. Ian Fraser: 152.

Tellers for the Noes, {Mr. Michael Foot: 15.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 3, to leave out lines 9 and 10.—(Miss Herbison.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule:— Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 3, to leave out lines 11 and 12.—(Mr. MacColl.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule:— Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 3, to leave out lines 17 to 27.—(Mr. Innes.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule:— Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 3, to leave out lines 28 to 36.—(Mr. MacColl.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule:— Debate arising:

And it being Ten o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Expiring Laws Continuance Bill be resumed at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Chichester-Clark.)

The House again resolved itself into a Committee on the Expiring Laws Continuance Bill.
Schedule. (No. 23.)

Question again proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule.

Whereupon Motion made, and Question proposed, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again.—(Mr. Stewart):

Motion, by leave, withdrawn.

Original Question again proposed.

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Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 3, to leave out lines 37 and 38.—(Mr. Darling.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule:—

Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Schedule agreed to.

Preamble agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 26th November 1962, entitled the Birmingham Municipal Bank (Amendment) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order in Council, entitled the Summer Time Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 28th November 1962, authorising advances of pay and allowances to members of the Naval and Marine Forces proceeding abroad who are accompanied by their families.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 29th November 1962, entitled the Anti-Dumping Duty (No. 2) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of Orders, dated 27th November 1962, entitled—

(1) the General Grant Order 1962, and
(2) the General Grant (Increase) (No. 3) Order 1962.

Copy of Regulations, dated 27th November 1962, entitled the Grants and Rates (Transitional Adjustments) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of Orders, dated 27th November 1962, entitled—

(1) the General Grant Order 1962, and
(2) the General Grant (Increase) (No. 3) Order 1962.

Reports of the Minister of Housing and Local Government relating to—

(1) the General Grant Order 1962, and
(2) the General Grant (Increase) (No. 3) Order 1962.

MEMORANDUM.

Wednesday, 28th November, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Public Bills relating exclusively to Scotland) Mr. Speaker this day certified that, in his opinion, the provisions of the Forestry (Sale of Land) (Scotland) Bill relate exclusively to Scotland.
Copy of the Report of the East Sussex River Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the said Reports of the Minister of Housing and Local Government be printed.

The following Account, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Account prepared pursuant to subsection (7) of section 42 of the Finance Act 1956 of the Sums received by the Minister of Power from the Consolidated Fund and from the Electricity Council and the Gas Council in respect of Interest and Repayment of Advances, and of the Disposal of those Sums, respectively, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Account be printed.

Mr. Blackburn reported from the Scottish Grand Committee, That they had considered the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill in relation to the principle of the Bill and had directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House takes note of the Report and Accounts of the British Transport Commission for 1961—(Mr. Hay);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by adding, at the end thereof, the words " but views with deep concern the proposed large-scale closure of railway workshops and the withdrawal of unprofitable branch line services ".—(Mr. Strauss.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there added:—And a Debate arising thereupon:

Mr. Redmayne rose in his place and claimed to move, That the Question be now put.

And the Question being put, That the Question be now put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being accordingly put, That the proposed words be there added:

The House divided,
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Ifor Davies, Mr. Whitlock; 174.
Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Chichester-Clark; 231.

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Main Question being put:


Ordered, That Mr. Leaver be discharged from the Select Committee on Nationalised Industries; and that Mr. Ridley be added to the Committee.—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Ian Fraser):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then nineteen minutes before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.
Copies of Orders, dated 26th November 1962, entitled—
(1) the Aldridge Urban District (Amendment of Local Acts) Order 1962, and
(2) the Blackpool (Amendment of Local Acts) Order 1962.

Rating and Valuation.

Copy of Rules, dated 27th November 1962, entitled the Valuation Lists Rules 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

National Parks Commission.

Resolved, That this House congratulates the National Parks Commission on their progress over the past thirteen years in furthering the purposes set out in the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949; considers that time has shown the need for amendment of the Act in a number of respects, so as to facilitate the extension and diversification of the activities of the Commission and, particularly, with regard to the existing financial arrangements relating to Industrial Training; and urges Her Majesty's Government to introduce amending legislation accordingly.—(Mr. Thorpe.)

Security Service.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House, whilst concerned to maintain the highest possible security of the State, believes that the procedure of the existing security service is unsatisfactory in achieving that object, and is lacking in adequate provision for the defence of civil liberty—(Mr. William Griffiths):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Rees.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till one minute after Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

[No. 25]


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, —Copy of the Report of the Charity Commissioners for England and Wales for 1961.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Hare presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement of Government proposals relating to Industrial Training.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged a Standing Committee B Mr. Marten nominated in respect of the Weights and Measures Bill; and had appointed in substitution Mr. St. Clair.

The Order made upon the 22nd day of November last, That the Towny Trewan Common Bill be committed to a Select Committee, was read and discharged, pursuant to the said Order, no Petition against the Bill having been deposited in the Private Bill Office.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order for reading a second time, upon Friday next, the Oaths and Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of February next.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House regrets the failure of Her Majesty's Government to revise its policies in Central Africa in accordance with the wishes of the population, and calls upon Her Majesty's Government to dissolve the present Federation and to promote constitutional reforms in the three territories so that they may achieve early independence under representative democratic governments—(Mr. Healey);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "House" to the end of the Question and adding the words "welcomes the further constitutional progress in Nyasaland as reflected in the agreed Report of the Nyasaland Constitutional Conference, notes that elections under new Constitutions are pending in Northern and Southern Rhodesia, and endorses Her Majesty's Government's continuing efforts to promote a constructive solution to the problem of the future association of the territories in Central Africa"—(Mr. Secretary Butler), instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the {Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Whitlock: 180.
Tellers for the {Mr. Chichester-Clark, Mr. Finlay: 261.

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being put, That the proposed words be added after the word "House" in the Main Question;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the {Mr. Chichester-Clark, Mr. Finlay: 256.
Tellers for the {Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Whitlock: 178.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.
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Then the Main Question, so amended, being put:—

Resolved, That this House welcomes the further constitutional progress in Nyasaland as reflected in the agreed Report of the Nyasaland Constitutional Conference, notes that elections under new Constitutions are pending in Northern and Southern Rhodesia, and endorses Her Majesty's Government's continuing efforts to promote a constructive solution to the problem of the future association of the territories in Central Africa.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the Handicapped Pupils and Special Schools Amending Regulations 1962, dated 17th September 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 25th day of September last, in the last Session of Parliament, be annulled—(Mr. White):—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Finlay):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then five minutes before Twelve of the clock, till to-morrow.

[No. 26.]

Tuesday, 4th December, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Edinburgh Corporation Order Confirmation Bill. Bill 44.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented a Bill to confirm a Provisional Order under Section 7 of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1936, relating to Edinburgh Corporation: And the same was ordered to be taken into consideration upon Tuesday next and to be printed.

Paisley Corporation Order Confirmation Bill. Bill 45.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented a Bill to confirm a Provisional Order under Section 7 of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1936, relating to Paisley Corporation: And the same was ordered to be taken into consideration upon Tuesday next and to be printed.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a European Agreement signed at Geneva on the 19th day of January 1962 concerning the Work of Crews of Vehicles engaged in International Road Transport (with Protocol of Signatures) this Agreement has not been ratified by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom).

Copy of an Amendment to Annexes I and II to the European Convention on Social and Medical Assistance signed at Paris on the 11th day of December 1953.

Copy of Amendments, agreed at Paris on the 9th day of May 1962, to Articles XIV and XV of the Convention for the Establishment of the European and Mediterranean Plant Protection Organisation of the 18th day of April 1951, approved by the 12th Session of the Council of the Organisation.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


(1) the Eastern Africa Court of Appeal (Revocation) Order in Council 1962, and
(2) the Kenya (Constitution) (Amendment) Order in Council 1962.

Copies of Orders in Council, dated 28th Judicial Committee.

(1) the Kenya (Procedure in Appeals to Privy Council) Order in Council 1962, and
(2) the Court of Appeal for Eastern Africa (Appeal to Privy Council) Order in Council 1962.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the direction—London Traffic, London Regulations of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations.—

(1) dated 21st November 1962, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Lewisham) (No. 3) Regulations 1962,
(2) dated 21st November 1962, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Harpenden) (No. 2) Regulations 1962,
(3) dated 22nd November 1962, entitled the London Parking Zones (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) (Amendment) (No. 6) Regulations 1962,
(4) dated 22nd November 1962, entitled the London (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) Amendment (No. 11) Regulations 1962,
(5) dated 23rd November 1962, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (St. Albans) (No. 2) Regulations 1962, and

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.
The following Account, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:


Ordered, That the said Account be printed.

Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, That they had directed him to report to the House, together with a Memorandum: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the said Memorandum, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Commander Donaldson reported from the Scottish Standing Committee, That they had gone through the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Hale accordingly presented a Bill to make further provision for rehearing of applications for service disability pensions, for amending the law in connection with onus of proof and limitation of time in relation to service disability pensions, and for matters in connection therewith: And that Mr. Hale, Mr. Broekway, Mr. Fernyhough, Mr. Dingle Foot, Mr. Michael Foot, Mr. Loughlin, Mr. Mapp, and Mr. Monslow do prepare and bring it in.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Scottish Grand Committee.—(Lady Tweeds-muir)

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the Purchase Tax (No. 6) Order 1962, dated 1st November 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 5th day of November last, be annulled—(Mr. Joys):—It passed in the Negative.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Hastings):—It passed in the Negative.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment,—(Mr. Rees)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to penalise fraudulent inducements to invest on deposit, to restrict and regulate the issue of advertisements for deposits and to make special provision with respect to the accounts to be delivered by and the supervision of companies which issue such advertisements, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any administrative expenses incurred by the Board of Trade in consequence of the provisions of that Act; and

(b) the payment into the Exchequer of fees paid to the Registrar of Companies under that Act.—(Mr. Erroll.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Coal Industry Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Education (Scotland) Bill; Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Scottish Standing Committee.—(Mr. Erroll.)

The Protection of Depositors Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committal of Bills).

Mr. Erroll, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Protection of Depositors [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.
[No. 27.]

Wednesday, 5th December, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

THE Order made upon the 22nd day of November last, That the Paper relating to Police do lie upon the Table, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Paper be withdrawn.

Air Force.

Mr. Secretary Fraser presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 14th November 1962, amending the Regulations appended to Her Majesty's Orders, dated 19th December 1956, 21st June 1957, 10th January and 14th November 1958, 16th December 1959, and 17th February 1961, and included in a volume entitled the Queen's Regulations and Air Council Instructions for the Royal Air Force (Fourth Edition).

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Nurses and Midwives.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Air Force (Reserve).

Copy of an Order, dated 14th November 1962, further amending in certain respects the Regulations appended to the Order of His late Majesty King George the Sixth, dated 21st June 1950, providing for the government, discipline and pay of the Royal Air Force Reserve and included in a volume entitled the Queen's Regulations and Air Council Instructions for the Royal Air Force Reserve of Officers and Airmen of the Royal Air Force Reserve, and Officers and Airmen of the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, excluding Officers appointed for service with the Air Training Corps.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Friendly Societies.

Mr. George Thomas reported from the Welsh Grand Committee, that they had considered the matter of Education in Wales and Monmouthshire, referred to them on the twenty-sixth day of November last, and had directed him to report accordingly to the House.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Stand.-Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as follows:—

The Lords have agreed to the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow Order Confirmation Bill, without any Amendment.

Mr. Oliver reported from the Select Committee appointed to join with a Committee of the House of Lords on Consolidation, &c., Bills, to whom the Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Bill (Lords), now pending in the House of Lords, was referred, That they had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Oliver reported from the Select Committee appointed to join with a Committee of the House of Lords on Consolidation, &c., Bills, to whom the Betting Duties Bill (Lords), now pending in the House of Lords, was referred, That they had gone through the Bill and made no Amendment thereunto, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Charles Mott-Radcliffe reported from the Select Committee appointed to join with a Committee of the House of Lords on House of Lords Reform, That they had considered the matter to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Oliver reported from the Select Committee appointed to join with a Select Committee of the House of Lords on Consolidation, &c., Bills, to whom the Betting Duties Bill (Lords), now pending in the House of Lords, was referred, That they had gone through the Bill and made no Amendment thereunto, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Select Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee A in respect of the Protection of Depositors Bill, viz.: Mr. Albu, Mr. Batsford, Mr. William Clark, Sir Henry Avigdor-Goldsmid, Mr. Diamond, Mr. du Cann, Mr. Ian Fraser, Mr. Green, Mr. Grey, Mr. Holman, Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Harold Lever, Mr. Millan, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Joseph Price, Mr. Pym, Mr. Temple, Mr. Walker, Mr. Geoffrey Wilson, and Mr. Woodnutt.

No. 35.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as follows:—

The Lords have agreed to the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow Order Confirmation Bill, without any Amendment.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Select Committee, That they had nominated Fifteen Members to serve on the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the Education (Scotland) Bill, viz.: Wing-Commander Bullus, Mr. Cooper, Sir Neil Cooper-Kay, Mr. Critchley, Mr. Farey-Jones, Major Hicks-Beach, Captain Kerby, Colonel Lancaster, Sir Jocelyn Lucas, Mr. Marshall, Sir Alexander Spearman, Mr. Stevens, Mr. Stanley, Mr. Talbot, and Sir Charles Taylor.
The House proceeded to a Division.

Mr. Dingle Foot and Mr. Thorpe were appointed Tellers for the Yeas, and Mr. Rees-Davies and Mr. William Clark for the Noes; but, it appearing that Members who had not been appointed had acted as Tellers, Mr. Speaker directed the House to proceed again to a Division.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Dingle Foot; 77. Mr. Thorpe;
Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Rees-Davies; 134. Mr. William Clark:

So it passed in the Negative.

**Anglo-Japanese Treaty.**

Resolved, That this House takes note of the Treaty of Commerce, Establishment and Navigation between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Japan.—(Mr. Green.)

**Income Tax.**

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that on the ratification by the Government of Japan of the Convention set out in the Schedule to an Order entitled the Double Taxation Relief (Taxes on Income) Japan Order 1962, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 15th day of November last, an Order may be made in the form of that draft.—(Mr. Barber.)

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty by such Members of this House as are of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council or of Her Majesty's Household.

Mr. Ian Fraser reported from the Committee on Protection of Depositors (Money), a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to penalise fraudulent inducements to invest on deposit, to restrict and regulate the issue of advertisements for deposits and to make special provision with respect to the accounts to be delivered by and the supervision of companies which issue such advertisements, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any administrative expenses incurred by the Board of Trade in consequence of the provisions of that Act; and
(b) the payment into the Exchequer of fees paid to the Registrar of Companies under that Act.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit until four minutes after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

**MEMORANDA.**

Wednesday, 5th December, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Protection of Depositors Bill to Standing Committee A.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Commander Donaldson Chairman of the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the Education (Scotland) Bill.

Thursday, 6th December, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

**PRAYERS.**

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pur-pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Draft of Regulations, entitled the Police Pensions Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
Ordered, That this day Business other than the Business of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

The Order of the day being read, for the Committee of Supply;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.—(Mr. Redmayne); An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "That" to the end of the Question and adding the words "this House takes note of the First, Second and Third Reports from the Committee of Public Accounts:"

—(Mr. Arbuthnoth, — instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:

A Message was delivered by Lieutenant-Royal Assent, General Sir Brian Horrocks, K.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:

Mr. Speaker,

The Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, desire the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the Commission read.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker, with the House, went up to the House of Peers:—And having returned;

Mr. Speaker reported, That the House, according to the desire of the Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, had been at the House of Peers, where a Commission under the Great Seal was read, giving, declaring, and notifying the Royal Assent to the several Acts therein mentioned; and that the Lords, thereby authorised, had declared the Royal Assent to the said Acts, as follow:


And the Question being put, That the words Supply, proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—It passed in the Negative.

And the Question being put, That the proposed words be added after the word "That" in the Main Question:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the Main Question, so amended, being put;

Resolved, That this House takes note of the First, Second and Third Reports from the Committee of Public Accounts in the last Session of Parliament, and of the Special Report from the Committee of Public Accounts.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.
A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the Nurses (Scotland) (Amendment) Rules 1962 Approval Instrument 1962, dated 28th September 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 8th day of October last, in the last Session of Parliament, be annulled—(Miss Herbison):—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. (Mr. Pym.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes before Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

Friday, 7th December, 1962.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,— Copy of a Statute made by the Governing Body of Clare College, Cambridge, on the 8th day of October 1962, amending the Statutes of the College.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,— Copy of an Order, dated 3rd December 1962, entitled the Anti-Dumping Duty (No. 3) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.— Copies of Orders, dated 4th December 1962, entitled—

(1) the Radioactive Substances (Fire Detectors) Exemption Order 1962,
(2) the Radioactive Substances (Civil Defence) Exemption Order 1962,
(3) the Radioactive Substances (Electronic Valves) Exemption Order 1962,
(4) the Radioactive Substances (Testing Instruments) Exemption Order 1962,
(5) the Radioactive Substances (Luminous Articles) Exemption Order 1962,
(6) the Radioactive Substances (Exhibitions) Exemption Order 1962,
(7) the Radioactive Substances (Storage in Transit) Exemption Order 1962,
(8) the Radioactive Substances (Irradiated Material) Exemption Order 1962,
(9) the Radioactive Substances (Phosphatic Substances, Rare Earths etc.) Exemption Order 1962, and
(10) the Radioactive Substances (Lead) Exemption Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The Order of the day being read, for the Leasehold Bill. Second Reading of the Leasehold Bill;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Bill be now read a second time;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Marsh, Mr. Taverne:

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Barter, Mr. Hocking:

So it passed in the Negative.

The Nursing Homes Bill was, according to Nursing Homes Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committal of Bills).

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Animal Boarding Establishments Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of February next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Forestry (Sale of Land) (Scotland) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Michael Hamilton):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Four of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty minutes before Five of the clock, till Monday next.

Monday, 10th December, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

A PUBLIC Petition from Coulsdon and Purley against the inclusion of Coulsdon and Purley in the proposed Greater London Authority was presented and read; and ordered to lie upon the Table.
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PRAYERS.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment. (Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till six minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Monday, 10th December, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Nursing Homes Bill to Standing Committee C.

[No. 31.]

Tuesday, 11th December, 1962.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

P R A Y E R S .

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Paisley Corporation Order Confirmation Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 3rd December 1962, entitled the Paisley Corporation Order Confirmation Bill.

Ordered, That the said Paper be printed.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Agreement signed at Lisbon on the 18th day of November 1954 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom acting on their own behalf and on behalf of the Government of the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland and the Government of Portugal regarding the Nyasaland—Mozambique Frontier (with Notes exchanged).

Copy of Notes exchanged at Stockholm on Treaty Series the 27th day of November 1961 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Sweden extending to Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland the Convention of the 28th day of July 1960 for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income.
Mr. Hare accordingly presented a Bill to make further provision for the definition of byssinosis and for the hearing and determination of cases relating to industrial disease: And that Mr. Hale, Mr. Allason, Mr. Brockway, Mr. Ferrynough, Mr. Dingle Foot, Mr. Michael Foot, Mr. Loughlin, Mr. Mapp, Mr. Mossow, and Mr. Sydney Silverman do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Hale accordingly presented a Bill to make further provision for the definition of byssinosis and for the hearing and determination of cases relating to industrial disease: And that Mr. Hale, Mr. Allason, Mr. Brockway, Mr. Ferrynough, Mr. Dingle Foot, Mr. Michael Foot, Mr. Loughlin, Mr. Mapp, Mr. Mossow, and Mr. Sydney Silverman do prepare and bring it in.

Soldier's Dependents (Canada) Bill

Tourism (Scotland) Bill

Treasury Board (Consolidation) Bill

Treaty Series

Tribunals of Inquiry (Emergency Powers) Act 1940

Tribunals of Inquiry (Emergency Powers) Act 1940

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Tellers for the

Yeas,  Mr. John Hill, 264.
Mr. Michael
Hannigan;
Tellers for the
Noes,  Mr. Charles Howell, 210.
Mr. McCann;

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and
the Chairman of Ways and Means reported,
that the Committee had come to a Resolution.
Ordered, That the Report be received to­
morrow.

Resolved, That the Police Pensions Regula­
tions 1962, a draft of which was laid before
this House on the 6th day of this instant
December, be approved.—(Mr. Woodhouse.)

Ordered, That the said Address be pre­
sented to Her Majesty by such Members of
this House as are of Her Majesty's Most
Honourable Privy Council or of Her Majesty's
Household.

A Motion was made, and the Question being
proposed, That this House do now adjourn—
(Mr. Finlay):—And a Debate arising there­
upon;

And the House having continued to sit till
after Twelve of the clock on Wednesday
morning;

Wednesday, 12th December, 1962:

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock on Tuesday
evening, and the Debate having con­
tinued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker
adjourned the House, without a Ques­
tion first put, pursuant to the Standing
Order, it being then two minutes after
Twelve of the clock on Wednesday
morning, till this day.

MEMORANDUM.

Tuesday, 11th December, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Stand­
ing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees),
Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. George
Thomas Chairman of Standing Committee A
in respect of the Protection of Depositors Bill.
Ordered, That part of the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Sub-Committee C appointed by the Estimates Committee in the last Session of Parliament, with Appendices, be printed.

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had made further Progress in the matter to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Sub-Committee A and reported by them to the Committee: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes, do lie upon the Table: and be printed.

Ordered, That so much of the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Sub-Committee A appointed by the Estimates Committee in the last Session of Parliament as relates to the form of Supplementary Estimates, with Appendices, be printed.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee on Clause No. 1 Bill.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Towyn Trewan Common Bill.

Resolved, That the Report, together with Form No. 40, be printed.

An Amendment was made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker certified that the Bill was a Mr. Speaker's Money Bill within the meaning of the Certificate, Parliament Act 1911.

The House, according to Order, resolved TowynTrewan Bill into a Committee on the Towyn Trewan Common Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Chauses Nos. 1 to 8 agreed to.

Preamble agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to terminate the agreement with the Government of the United States of America for the siting of a Polaris submarine base in Great Britain.—(Mr. Ennys Hughes);

And the Motion being opposed, after a brief explanatory statement from the Member who made the Motion and from a Member who opposed it, Mr. Speaker put the Question pursuant to the Standing Order (Motions for leave to bring in Bills and nomination of Select Committees at commencement of Public Business);

The House divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Ennys Hughes]

Yea, Mr. Baxter: 34.

Tellers for the [Mr. Kershaw]

Noes, Mr. Ridley: 177.

So it passed in the Negative.

Resolved, That this House, having regard to the excellent work of the organisations concerned with sending volunteers overseas to help in underdeveloped countries, urges Her Majesty's Government to give every assistance to ensure the expansion and development of this work.—(Sir John Maitland.)

The County Courts (Jurisdiction) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Rees.)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

An Amendment was made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords, and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker certified that the Bill was a Mr. Speaker's Money Bill within the meaning of the Certificate, Parliament Act 1911.

The House, according to Order, resolved TowynTrewan Bill into a Committee on the Towyn Trewan Common Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Chauses Nos. 1 to 8 agreed to.

Preamble agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Peck);

And it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment. (Mr. MacArthur)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till nineteen minutes after Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Wednesday, 12th December, 1962.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the London Government Bill (except Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1) to Standing Committee F.

Voluntary Overseas Services.

The London Government Bill.

Foreign Bases (Removal).

Order No. 40.

No. 41.

Order No. 41.

No. 40.

Order No. 41.

No. 40.

Order No. 41.

Order No. 40.
The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Private Bills.

The Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That, in accordance with the Standing Order relating to Private Business (Division of Bills between this House and the House of Lords), he had conferred with the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords, for the purpose of determining in which House of Parliament the respective Private Bills should be first considered, and they had determined that the Bills contained in the following list should originate in the House of Lords, viz.:

- Bath Corporation,
- Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority,
- Commonwealth Development Finance Company,
- Durham County Council,
- Factory Lane, Warrington (Level Crossing),
- Felixstowe Dock and Railway,
- Great Yarmouth Port and Haven,
- London County Council (General Powers),
- Marine Society,
- Port of London,
- Saint Nicholas Acocks Churchyard,
- Sunderland Corporation,
- Welsh Shipping Agency;

and that the Bills contained in the following list should originate in the House of Commons, viz.:

- BP Refinery (Kwinana),
- Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House),
- City of London (Various Powers),
- Dover Harbour,
- Essex Water,
- Killingholme Jetty,
- London County Council (Improvements),
- London Transport,
- Medway Conservancy,
- Mersey Docks and Harbour Board,
- Salvation Army,
- Shell Chemicals Distributing Company of Egypt,
- Universities of Durham and Newcastle upon Tyne,
- Watford Corporation.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Trading Accounts and Balance Sheets of Trading or Commercial Services conducted by Government Departments in the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Appropriation Account of the sum granted by Parliament for the Ministry of Defence for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Account of the Receipts and Payments of the Commissioners of the Royal Hospital, Chelsea (for services other than those voted by Parliament) in the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's South Africa Command,—Copy of Notes exchanged at Pretoria on the 8th day of August 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Republic of South Africa extending to South West Africa the Convention for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with regard to Taxes on Income signed at Cape Town on the 28th day of May 1962.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 3rd December 1962, entitled—

(1) the London Traffic (Parking Places) Consolidation (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 1962, and
(2) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Chigwell) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

- Account of the Hospital Endowments Fund Hospital Endowments, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

- Accounts of the Sums recovered under Industrial Orders made by the Board of Trade and of Organisation their disposal for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962, viz.:
  (1) the Lace Industry (Livery) Account,
  (2) the Lace Furnishings Industry (Export Promotion Levy) Account,
  (3) the Wool Textile Industry (Scientific Research Levy) Account,
  (4) the Wool Textile Industry (Export Promotion Levy) Account, and
  (5) the Cutlery and Stainless Steel Flatware Industry (Scientific Research Levy) Account;

Account of the Sums issued out of the Consolidated Fund and of Payments under the War Damage Act 1943, by the Board of Trade, in respect of War Damage to Goods, or in respect of Interest on such Payments, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

Sir Peter Arwyn reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged Standing Committee A Mr. Hopkins (incommoded in respect of the Protection of Depositors Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Pott.

Commander Donaldson reported from the Scottish Grand Committee, That they had considered the Education (Scotland) Bill in relation to the principle of the Bill and had directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Monday next.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

No 46.

The Order of the day being read for the Second Reading of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "That" to the end of the Question and adding the words "this House declines to give a Second Reading to a Bill the effect of which is to reduce considerably the total Exchequer Equalisation Grant paid to Scottish local authorities." -- (Miss Herbison), instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

Tellers for the [Mr. Chichester-Clark], 192.
Year,
Mr. Finlay.
Tellers for the [Mr. Redhead], 147.
Noes,
Mr. Ibor Davies.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Commitittal of Bills).

Mr. Secretary Noble, by Her Majesty's Command, acquitted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) (Money) proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House: — Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(Proceedings of the Committee.)

Resolved. That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to continue with amendment the provisions relating to the payment of Exchequer Equalisation and Transitional Grants to local authorities in Scotland, to increase the limit of contributions payable to such authorities under the Rural Water Supplies and Sewerage Act 1944, to amend the law of Scotland relating to valuation and rating, and for other matters, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of the amounts of the sums payable out of the sums so payable—

(a) by way of Exchequer Equalisation or Transitional Grant under the enactments relating to local government in Scotland;

(b) under the Rural Water Supplies and Sewerage Act 1944.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Redmayne); And it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Pensions (Increase) Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Redmayne.)

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments to the Pensions (Increase) Bill, made by the Lords to the Pensions (Increase) Bill: And the same were read.

The Lords Amendment, in page 2, line 44, after second "in", insert "or for" the first Amendment, being read a second time, and Special Entry, it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to make provision for cases not previously contemplated by the Commons, the same was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 3, line 23, after "in", insert "or for", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to make provision for cases not previously contemplated by the Commons, the same was agreed to.
The Lords Amendment, in page 11, line 11, leave out from "who" to end of line 16 and insert "in the opinion of the Secretary for Technical Co-operation, entered the service of that Government in a pensionable capacity before 17th July 1954", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to make provision for cases not previously contemplated by the Commons, the same was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 11, line 16, at the end insert—

"3. A pension in respect of service under the Egyptian Government by a person who, in the opinion of the Secretary for Technical Co-operation, entered the service of that Government in a pensionable capacity before 15th March 1922, and who was a British subject when he entered such service",

the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to make provision for cases not previously contemplated by the Commons, the same was agreed to.

Then the remaining Lords Amendment, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the Horticultural Marketing Council (Dissolution) Order 1962, dated 29th October 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 5th day of November last, be annulled—(Mr. Peart).—It passed in the Negative.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 1st day of February next.

The Forestry (Sale of Land) (Scotland) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee (Committee of Bills).

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Service Disability Pensions Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 1st day of February next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Industrial Diseases (Byssinosis) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 1st day of February next.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till eight minutes before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

[No. 34.]

Friday, 14th December, 1962.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Accounts prepared pursuant to subsection (7) of Section 2 of the House Purchase and
Civil Estimates

Mr. Barber, presented by Her Majesty's Command,—Estimate of a further Sum required to be voted for the Service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, No. 42.

Orderd, That the said Estimate be referred to the Committee of Supply, and be printed.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 7th December 1962, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (City of London) (No. 4) Regulations 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Summary of programmes for 1962 to 1966 submitted by local authorities for the establishment of Smoke Control Areas.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of Orders, dated 12th December 1962, entitled—

(1) the Radioactive Substances (Uranium and Thorium) Exemption Order 1962.
(2) the Radioactive Substances (Prepared Uranium and Thorium Compounds) Exemption Order 1962, and
(3) the Radioactive Substances (Geological Specimen) Exemption Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Paper relating to National Parks be printed.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Accounts of the Transactions of the Accountant General of the Supreme Court under the County Court Funds Rules for 1961, and Account of the National Debt Commissioners for the same year in respect of Funds held by them on behalf of the County Court Funds Investment Account; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Account of the Receipts and Expenditure of Supreme Court the High Court and Court of Appeal during the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Copy of an Order, dated 26th November 1962, made by the Governor in the Privy Council of Northern Ireland, relating to Winter Assize.

Ordered, That the Paper relating to County Courts be printed.

Ordered, That this day Business other than Business of the House (Supply) Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

The House, according to Order, resolved Supply [1st allotted Day].

(In the Committee.)

Motion made, and Question, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again.—(Mr. Redmayne)—put and agreed to.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again. Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Unemployment, proposed, That this House expresses its grave concern at the high and rising level of unemployment which is the result of the policies of Her Majesty's Government and calls upon the Government forthwith to adopt measures that will increase industrial production and ensure full employment throughout the United Kingdom.—(Mr. Gunter.)

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "House" to the end of the Question and adding the words "shares the concern of the Government at the recent rise in the level of unemployment and supports the actions of Her Majesty's Government to deal with the problems of certain areas particularly affected
and to promote general industrial expansion on a sound basis”—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

Mr. Redmayne rose in his place, and claimed to move, That the Question be now put.

And the Question being put, That the Question be now put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being accordingly put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas:
Mr. Redhead—235.
Mr. Short—315.

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being put, That the proposed words be added after the word “House” in the Main Question;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas:
Mr. Chichester-Clark—311.
Mr. Finlay—225.

Tellers for the Noes:
Mr. Short—235.
Mr. Redhead—315.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the Main Question, so amended, being put;

Resolved, That this House shares the concern of the Government at the recent rise in the level of unemployment and supports the actions of Her Majesty’s Government to deal with the problems of certain areas particularly affected and to promote general industrial expansion on a sound basis.

Resolved, That the Anti-Dumping Duty (No. 2) Order 1962, dated 29th November 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 29th day of November last, be approved.—(Mr. Green.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Ian Fraser):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-eight minutes after Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.
Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—
Copy of Regulations, dated 10th December 1962, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Deptford) (No. 2) Regulations 1962.

Mr. Bevin presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a further Memorandum on the Report of the Committee on Broadcasting, 1960.

Mr. Bevin presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of Rules, dated 11th December 1962, entitled the RestRICTIVE PRACTICES COURT (AMENDMENT) RULES 1962.

Copy of Rules, dated 11th December 1962, entitled the Rules of the Supreme Court (Procedural).

Colonel Lancaster reported from the Committee on Public Petitions, That they had examined the Petitions presented upon the 6th, 22nd and 26th days of November last, and the 10th day of this instant December, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Copy of Regulations, dated 10th December, and 22nd and 26th days of November last, and the 10th day of this instant December, and ordered to be printed. [Resolution: The Lords will make good the expenses attending the same.—(Mr. Iain Macleod).]

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to amend the law relating to the enforcement of warrants of arrest in Great Britain; to provide for the execution in Scotland of warrants issued by courts in the Isle of Man; to provide for the appointment of additional judges of the Court of Session; to make certain consequential amendments to the First Offenders Act 1958 and the Criminal Justice Act 1961; and for purposes connected with the aforesaid matters; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill [Lords], was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed. [Resolution: That this House will, tomorrow, Tanganyika, Adjournment (Christmas)].

The Lords have agreed to the Expiring Laws Continuance Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Coal Industry Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Foreign Compensation Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Electricity (Borrowing Powers) (Scotland) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Edinburgh Corporation Order Confirmation Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Paisley Corporation Order Confirmation Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to amend the law of Scotland relating to the imprisonment and detention of offenders and other persons; to make further provision as to the treatment of prisoners and other persons committed to custody, including provision for their supervision within the British Islands after discharge, for the management of approved schools and for the treatment of persons detained therein; to amend the law relating to the payment of fines and detention in default of payment thereof within Great Britain; to alter the law relating to the proceedings of criminal courts in Scotland and to legal aid in such proceedings; to alter the law relating to enforcement of warrants of arrest in Great Britain; to provide for the execution in Scotland of warrants issued by courts in the Isle of Man; to provide for the appointment of additional judges of the Court of Session; to make certain consequential amendments to the First Offenders Act 1958 and the Criminal Justice Act 1961; and for purposes connected with the aforesaid matters; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill [Lords], was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed. [Resolution: That this House will, tomorrow, Tanganyika, Adjournment (Christmas)].

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House, at its rising on Friday next, do adjourn till Tuesday the 22nd day of January next.—(Mr. Iain Macleod):—

And the Question being accordingly put, So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

That this day Business other than Gt. Brit. Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Redmayne.)
The Order of the day being read, for the Committee of Supply:

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair—(Mr. Redmayne);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "That" to the end of the Question and adding the words "this House takes note of the Estimates Committee in the last Session of Parliament relating to the War Office and of the Third Special Report of the Estimates Committee—(Mr. Robert Carr),—instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—It was resolved in the Negative.

And the Question being put, That the proposed words be added after the word "That" in the Main Question:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the Main Question, so amended, being put;

Resolved, That this House takes note of the Eighth Report of the Estimates Committee in the last Session of Parliament relating to the War Office and of the Third Special Report of the Estimates Committee.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the Committee of Supply:

Business of the House.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Bill [Lords] and the Betting Duties Bill [Lords] be exempted, at this day’s Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House.—(Mr. Redmayne.)

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Hughes-Young)

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

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Hughes-Young)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Resolved, That the British Transport Re-organisation (Compensation to Employees) Regulations 1962, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 28th day of November last, be approved.—(Mr. Hay.)

Education (Scotland) Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Education (Scotland) Bill;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put (pursuant to the Standing Order (Public Bills relating exclusively to Scotland)), That the Bill be committed to the Scottish Standing Committee.—(Mr. Hughes-Young):—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill (deemed to have been read a second time) was committed to the Scottish Standing Committee.

Mr. Secretary Noble, by Her Majesty’s Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Education (Scotland) [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committee), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session relating to education in Scotland, it is expedient to authorise—

A. The payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of—

(1) grants to any board established under that Act for the purpose of discharging functions relating to examinations;

(2) any increase attributable to the said Act in the sums so payable by way of general grant or of Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in Scotland;

(3) sums by way of the return to teachers or to their personal representatives of the whole or a part of contributions paid by such teachers to the Secretary of State for the purpose of supporting pensioners for the widows, widowers, children and dependants of teachers, and sums by way of interest on contributions so returned;

(4) any increase attributable to the said Act of the present Session in administrative expenses incurred by the Secretary of State.

B. The payment into the Exchequer by the Secretary of State of any sums which he may be authorised so to pay under the said Act of the present Session.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Mr. Hughes-Young reported from the Committee on Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as follows:—

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to continue with amendments the provisions relating to the payment of Exchequer Equalisation and Transitional Grants to local authorities in Scotland, to increase the limit of contributions payable to such authorities under the Rural Water Supplies and Sewerage Act 1944, to amend the law of Scotland relating to valuation and rating, and for other matters, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session in the sums so payable—

(a) by way of Exchequer Equalisation or Transitional Grant under the enactments relating to local government in Scotland;
The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household Income Tax, reported to the House, That their Address of the 5th day of this instant December relating to Income Tax had been presented to Her Majesty; and that Her Majesty had been pleased to receive the same very graciously and to give the following Answer:

I have received your Address praying that the Double Taxation Relief (Taxes on Income) (South West Africa) Order 1962 be made in the form of the draft laid before your House.

I will comply with your request.

The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household Income Tax, reported to the House, That their Address of the 5th day of this instant December relating to Income Tax had been presented to Her Majesty; and that Her Majesty had been pleased to receive the same very graciously and to give the following Answer:

I have received your Address praying that, on the ratification by the Government of Israel of the convention set out in the schedule to the draft of an Order entitled the Double Taxation Relief (Taxes on Income) (Israel) Order 1962, a copy of which was laid before your House, an Order may be made in the form of that draft.

I will comply with your request.

The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household Income Tax, reported to the House, That their Address of the 5th day of this instant December relating to Income Tax had been presented to Her Majesty; and that Her Majesty had been pleased to receive the same very graciously and to give the following Answer:

I have received your Address praying that, on the ratification by the Government of Japan of the convention set out in the schedule to the draft of an Order entitled the Double Taxation Relief (Taxes on Income) (Japan) Order 1962, a draft of which was laid before your House, an Order may be made in the form of that draft.

I will comply with your request.

The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household Immunities and Privileges, reported to the House, That their Address of the 10th day of this instant December relating to Immunities and Privileges had been presented to Her Majesty; and that Her Majesty had been pleased to receive the same very graciously and to give the following Answer:

I have received your Address praying that the International Coffee Organization (Immunities and Privileges) Order 1962, be made in the form of the draft laid before your House.

I will comply with your request.

The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household Summer Time, reported to the House, That their Address of the 11th day of this instant December relating to Summer Time had been presented to Her Majesty; and that Her Majesty had been pleased to receive the same very graciously and to give the following Answer:

I have received your Address praying that the Summer Time Order 1963 be made in the form of the draft laid before Parliament in pursuance of the provisions of Section 2 of the Summer Time Act 1947.

I will comply with your request.

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Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table.—Report from the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills. That in the case of the Petitions for the following Bills the Standing Orders have been complied with, viz.:—

BP Refinery (Kwinana).  
Bath Corporation.  
Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House).  
City of London (Various Powers).  
Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority.  
Commonwealth Development Finance Company.  
Dover Harbour.  
Durham County Council.  
Essex Water.  
Factory Lane, Warrington (Level Crossing).  
Felixstowe Dock and Railway.  
Great Yarmouth Port and Haven.  
Killingholme Jetty.  
London County Council (General Powers).  
London County Council (Improvements).  
London Transport.  
Marine Society.  
Medway Conservancy.  
Mersey Docks and Harbour Board.  
Port of London.  
Saint Dionis Backchurch Churchyard.  
Saint Nicholas Acons Churchyard.  
Salvation Army.  
Shell Chemicals Distributing Company of Egypt.  
Sunderland Corporation.  
Universities of Durham and Newcastle upon Tyne.  
Walford Corporation.  
Welsh Shipping Agency.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Accounts of the Income and Expenditure of the General Optical Council for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962, with the Report of the Auditors to the Council thereon.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament.—Copy of Rules, dated 13th December 1962, entitled the Designs (Amendment) Rules 1962.

Copy of Rules, dated 13th December 1962, entitled the Patents (Amendment) Rules 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the Transport directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of an Order, dated 13th December 1962, entitled the British Transport Reorganisation (Pensions of Employees) (No. 2) Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Account, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Account of the sums issued out of and received from the Consolidated Fund under subsection (1) of Section 11 of the Development of Inventions Act 1948, and of the Sums received under Section 8 of that Act from the National Research Development Corporation in respect of Interest and Repayment of Advances and of the Disposal of those Sums respectively for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Account be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, that they had nominated Fifty Members to serve on Standing Committee F in respect of the London Government Bill (except Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1), viz.:—Mr. Albu, Mr. Robert Allan, Mr. Barter, Mr. Bishop, Mr. Braine, Mr. Alan Brown, Mrs. Butler, Mr. Compton Carr, Mr. Cheetham, Mr. Cillies, Mrs. Corbet, Mr. Corfield, Commander Courtenay, Mr. Ede, Captain Elliot, Mr. Evans, Mr. Fletcher-Cooke, Lady Gammans, Dr. Glyn, Mr. Goodhart, Mr. Hay, Mr. John Hill, Dame Patricia Hornby-Smith, Mr. Hunter, Mr. Iremonger, Mr. Jenkins, Mr. Johnson-Smith, Sir Keith Joseph, Mr. Key, Sir Hugh Linstead, Mr. Lubbock, Sir Hugh Lucas-Tooth, Mr. Mellish, Mr. Oram, Mr. Fargher, Mr. Parker, Mr. Parkin, Mr. Partridge, Mr. Pavitt, Mr. Proudfit, Mr. Rees,
Mr. Reynolds, Mr. George Rodgers, Mr. Roots, Mr. Skeet, Mr. Skeffington, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Tomney, Sir John Vaughan-Morgan, and Mr. Weitzman.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Forty Members to serve on the Scottish Standing Committee in respect of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill, viz.: Mr. Biggs-Davison, Mr. Brewis, Mr. Campbell, Mrs. Cullen, Mr. Currie, the Earl of Dalkeith, Mr. Dempsey, Commander Donaldson, Sir William Dudie, Sir Myer Galden, Sir John Glimeur, Miss Harvie Anderson, Mr. John Henderson, Mr. Hendry, Lord John Hope, Mr. Hoy, Mr. Hutchison, Mr. Lawson, Mr. Leburn, Mr. Lilley, Dr. Mabon, Mr. Maclean, Sir John Maclean, Mr. McLean, Mr. John MacLeod, Mr. Malcolm MacMillan, Mr. Manuel, Mr. Main, Mr. Thomas Moore, Miss Quenell, Mr. Rankin, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Ross, Mr. Steele, Mr. Stodart, Sir Colin Thornton-Kemsley, Mr. Willis, and Mr. Wohlgemuth.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had designated Standing Committee C as the Committee on which Government Bills shall not have precedence.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, that a Message from the Lords, that the Message had been brought from the Lords by Mr. Speaker.

The Lords have agreed to the Air Corporations Bill, and the same was read the first time; and the same was again read, and committed to a Committee of the Whole House for Monday next.

The Lords have appointed Three Lords to serve on the Joint Committee to consider a Petition for the Amendment of the Northallerton and the Dales Water Board Order 1962, which stands referred to a Joint Committee.

Ordered, that the Bill to amend section 4 of the National Insurance Act 1957 in its application to sick or disabled persons, and for purposes in connection therewith: And that Mr. Hale, Mr. Allbon, Mr. Brookway, Mr. Fernyough, Mr. Dingle Foot, Mr. Michael Foot, Mr. Loughlin, Mr. Mapp, Mr. Monstow, and Mr. Sydney Silverman do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Hale accordingly presented a Bill to amend section 4 of the National Insurance Act 1957 in its application to sick or disabled persons, and for purposes in connection therewith; and the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 1st day of February next and to be printed.

Resolved, that the General Grant Order 1962, dated 27th November 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 29th day of November last, be approved.—(Sir Keith Joseph.)

Resolved, that the General Grant (Increase) Order 1962, dated 27th November 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 29th day of November last, be approved.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

Resolved, that the General Grant (Increase) Local Government (Scotland) Order 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 6th day of this instant December, be approved.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

The House, according to Order, resolved Tanganyika itself into a Committee on Tanganyika (Gift of a Speaker’s Chair).

(Resolved.)

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that Her Majesty will give directions that there be presented, on behalf of this House, a Speaker’s Chair to the National Assembly of Tanganyika, and assuring Her Majesty that this House will make good the expenses attending the same.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Resolution to be reported.

Resolved, That the Report be received tomorrow.

Mr. Peel reported from the Committee on Education (Scotland) [Money], a Resolution which was read, as followeth:

A. The payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of—

(1) grants to any board established under that Act for the purpose of discharging functions relating to examinations;

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(2) any increase attributable to the said Act in the sums so payable by way of general grant or of Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in Scotland;
(3) sums by way of the return to teachers or to their personal representatives of the whole or a part of contributions paid by such teachers to the Secretary of State for the purpose of supporting pensions for the widows, widowers, children and dependants of teachers, and sums by way of interest on contributions so returned;
(4) any increase attributable to the said Act of the present Session in administrative expenses incurred by the Secretary of State.
B. The payment into the Exchequer by the Secretary of State of any sums which he may be authorised so to pay under the said Act of the present Session.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Adjournment. Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.
(Mr. Peel.)
And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-seven minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.
Wednesday, 19th December, 1962.
In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Grant-Ferris Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Nursing Homes Bill.

[No. 38.]
Thursday, 20th December, 1962.
The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.
Mr. Speaker acquainted the House that he had received a copy of a Resolution adopted by the House of Representatives of the Federation of Nigeria on the 5th day of December 1962, which Resolution he read to the House, as follows:

This House approves and wholeheartedly confirms the expression of thanks to the House of Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland offered on its behalf by the Standing Orders Committee, for the gift of a Speaker's Chair on the 5th day of November 1962.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Abstract Account showing the issues made from the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom in the year ended the 31st day of March 1962, for the Interest and Management of the Debt and for the Civil List, and all other issues in the financial year for Services charged directly on the said Fund; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Account do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, pursuant to Commonwealth Scholarships, to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission for the year ended the 30th day of September 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to Agriculture, the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of a Scheme, dated 11th December 1962, entitled the Marginal Agricultural Production (Scotland) Scheme 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Statements of Salaries payable—
(1) to Members of the British Transport Docks Board,
(2) to a Member of the London Transport Board, and
(3) to Members of the Regional Railway Boards.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Three Members to serve on the Joint Committee on the Northallerton and the Dales Water Board Order 1962 (Petition for Amendment), viz.: Mr. Harper, Mr. Owen, and Mr. Leslie Thomas.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House that he had received a copy of a Message yesterday relating to the Joint Committee on the Northallerton and the Dales Water Board Order 1962 (Petition for Amendment), as relates to the Joint Committee on the Northallerton and the Dales Water Board Order 1962 (Petition for Amendment).

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them that this House hath appointed Three Members to serve on the said Committee: And that the Clerk do carry the said Message.

Mr. Bevin, supported by Mr. Secretary Television Bill, Butler, Mr. Barber, and Miss Pike, presented a Bill to extend the period for which the Independent Television Authority are to provide television services, to make further provision with respect to the control exercisable by the Authority over the programmes broadcast by them and over programme contractors, to
require payments from programme contractors reflecting the value of the public concessions enjoyed by them, and to amend in other respects the law relating to the Authority and broadcasting by the Authority, including relations between the Authority and the British Broadcasting Corporation: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the British Museum Bill And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time.

A Message was delivered by Lieutenant General Sir Brian Horrocks, K.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:

Mr. Speaker,
The Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, desire the immediate attendance and notifying the Royal Assent to the several Acts therein mentioned; and that the Lords, thereby authorised, had declared the Royal Assent to the said Acts, as follow:


Mr. Speaker reported, That the House, at the desire of the Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, had been at the House of Peers, where a Commission under the Great Seal was read, giving, declaring, and notifying the Royal Assent to the several Acts therein mentioned; and that the Lords, thereby authorised, had declared the Royal Assent to the said Acts, as follow:


And the Question being put:

Ordered, That the British Museum Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Select Committee of Eight Members, Four to be nominated by the House and Four by the Committee of Selection.

Ordered, That there shall stand referred to the Select Committee—

(a) any Petition against the Bill presented by being deposited in the Private Bill Office at any time not later than the 10th day of January 1963; and

(b) any Petition which has been presented by being deposited in the Private Bill Office and in which the Petitioners complain of any Amendment as proposed in the filled-up Bill or of any matter which has arisen during the progress of the Bill before the said Committee, being a Petition in which the Petitioners pray to be heard by themselves, their Counsel or Agents.

Ordered, That if no such Petition as is mentioned in sub-paragraph (a) above is presented, or if all such Petitions are withdrawn before the meeting of the Committee, the Order for the committal of the Bill to a Select Committee shall be discharged and the Bill shall be committed to a Standing Committee.

Ordered, That any Petitioner whose Petition stands referred to the Select Committee shall, subject to the rules and Orders of the House and to the Prayer of his Petition, be entitled to be heard by himself, his Counsel or his Agents upon his Petition provided that it is prepared and signed in conformity with the Rules and Orders of the House, and the Member in charge of the Bill shall be entitled to be heard by his Counsel or Agents in favour of the Bill against that Petition.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to report from day to day the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them.

Ordered, That Five be the Quorum of the Committee.—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

Mr. Boyd-Carpenter, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to British Museum (Money) proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to alter the composition of the Trustees of the British Museum, to provide for the separation from the British Museum of the British Museum (Natural History), to make new provision with respect to the regulation of the two Museums and their collections, in place of that made by the British Museum Act 1753 and enactments amending or supplementing that Act, and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) any increase in expenditure out of moneys provided by Parliament which is attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session enabling objects comprised in the collections of the British Museum or the British Museum (Natural History) to be kept in premises additional to those in which they were required to be kept immediately before the commencement of the Act; and

(b) the payment into the Exchequer of the net proceeds of any sale or other disposition of the property regulated by the British Museum (Purchase of Land) Act 1894.—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

Resolution to be reported.
Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received tomorrow.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Hughes-Young);

And it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Business of the House.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on any Motion for the Adjournment of the House moved by a Minister of the Crown be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House) for One Hour after Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Redhead):—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Mr. Hughes-Young reported from the Committee on Tanganyika (Gift of a Speaker's Chair), a Resolution; which was read, as follows:

That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that Her Majesty will give directions that there be presented, on behalf of this House, a Speaker's Chair to the National Assembly of Tanganyika, and assuring Her Majesty that this House will make good the expenses attending the same.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty by such Members of this House as are of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council or of Her Majesty's Household.

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to consider what arrangements should be made for dealing with applications from members of the Armed Forces for release in order to become candidates at parliamentary elections:—And the Committee was nominated of Mr. Secretary Brooke, Mr. Gordon Walker, Mr. Hall, Mr. Harrison, Sir Donald Kaberry, Captain Litchfield, Sir Hugh Lucas-Tydd, Mr. MacDermot, Mr. Redhead, and Mr. Wigg.

Ordered, That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers, and records; to sit notwithstanding any Adjournment of the House; and to report from time to time.

Ordered, That Four be the Quorum of the Committee.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-one minutes after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till tomorrow.
Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question being put.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table, Reports from one of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That, in the cases of the Petitions for the following Bills, the Standing Orders have not been complied with, viz.:—

British Railways.

Ordered, That the said Account be printed.

Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 3rd January 1963, concerning a proposal by the Iron and Steel Holding and Realisation Agency to sell its holding of securities in Barrow Ironworks Limited and Gears, Mills and Company Limited.


Copy of a Customs Convention signed at Brussels on the 6th day of December 1961 on the A.T.A. Carnet for the temporary admission of goods (this Convention has not been ratified by Her Majesty’s Government in the United Kingdom).


Copy of an Agreement signed at Paris on the Treaty Series 1st day of December 1954 concerning the International Institute of Refrigeration (this Agreement was ratified by Her Majesty’s Government in the United Kingdom on the 17th day of July 1962 and came into force for the United Kingdom on that date).

Copy of an Agreement signed at London on the 29th day of November 1962 between Her Majesty’s Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the French Republic regarding the development and production of a civil supersonic transport aircraft (the Agreement entered into force on the date of signature).

List of Exceptions to the Army Regulations Army, as to Pay, Non-effective Pay, and Allowances for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.


Copy of Letters exchanged at Kingston on Jamaica, the 7th day of August 1962 between Her Majesty’s Governments in the United Kingdom and in Jamaica concerning international rights and obligations.


Copy of the Report of the Standing Committee under the Merchandise Marks Act 1926 respecting percussion musical instruments.

Copy of the Report of the Standing Committee under the Merchandise Marks Act 1926 respecting certain flooring strips.
Copy of a Housing Summary, dated 30th November 1962.

Copies of Orders by Her Majesty, dated 19th December 1962,—

1. to amend the Orders of the 22nd day of August 1949 concerning Retired Pay, Pensions, and other Grants for Officers, Nurses, and Airmen disabled, and for the Widows and Children of Officers and Airmen deceased, in consequence of Service during the 1914 World War, and

2. to amend the Order of the 27th day of September 1949 concerning Retired Pay, Pensions, and other Grants for Members of the Air Forces and of the Nursing and Auxiliary Services thereof disabled, and for the Widows, Children, Parents, and other Dependents of such Members deceased, in consequence of Service after the 2nd day of September 1939.

Copies of Royal Warrants, dated 18th December 1962,—

1. to amend the Royal Warrant of the 30th day of May 1949, concerning Retired Pay, Pensions and other grants for Officers, Nurses and Soldiers disabled, and for the Widows and Children of Officers and Soldiers deceased, in consequence of Service during the 1914 World War, and

2. to amend the Royal Warrant of the 24th day of May 1949, concerning Retired Pay, Pensions and other grants for Members of the Military Forces and of the Nursing and Auxiliary Services thereof disabled, and for the Widows, Children, Parents and other Dependents of such Members deceased, in consequence of Service after the 2nd day of September 1939.


The following Papers, required by several Acts of Parliament to be laid before the House, and delivered to the Votes and Proceedings Office on the undermentioned dates, pursuant to the Standing Order (Presentation of Statutory Instruments), were ordered to lie upon the Table:—

27th December 1962:—

Copy of an Order, dated 12th December 1962, entitled the British Transport Reorganisation (Pensions of Employees) (No. 1) Order 1962.

28th December 1962:—

Copies of Orders,—

1. dated 14th December 1962, entitled the British Transport Commission (Continuation) Order 1962, and

2. dated 18th December 1962, entitled the British Transport Reorganisation (Pensions of Employees) (No. 3) Order 1962.

Copy of Rules, dated 19th December 1962, entitled the County Court Funds (Amendment) Rules 1962.

Copy of an Order, dated 28th December 1962, entitled the Purchase Tax (No. 7) Order 1962.

Copies of Orders, dated 18th December 1962, entitled—

1. the Radioactive Substances (Luminous Articles) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

2. the Radioactive Substances (Lead) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

3. the Radioactive Substances (Irradiated Material) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

4. the Radioactive Substances (Testing Instruments) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

5. the Radioactive Substances (Storage in Transit) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

6. the Radioactive Substances (Uranium and Thorium) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

7. the Radioactive Substances (Civil Defence) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

8. the Radioactive Substances (Exhibitions) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

9. the Radioactive Substances (Phosphatic Substances, Rare Earths etc.) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

10. the Radioactive Substances (Fire Detectors) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

11. the Radioactive Substances (Geological Specimens) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962,

12. the Radioactive Substances (Prepared Uranium and Thorium Compounds) Exemption (Scotland) Order 1962, and


Copy of Regulations, dated 20th December 1962, entitled the Special Constables (Pensions) (Scotland) Regulations 1962.


Copy of an Order in Council, dated 19th Land December 1962, entitled the Registration of Registration. Title (Berkshire) Order 1962.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 19th Police December 1962, entitled the Special Constables (Pension) Order 1962.

Copy of an Order, dated 19th December 1962, entitled the British Transport Reorganisation (Pensions of Employees) (No. 4) Order 1962.

Copy of a Scheme, dated 18th December 1962, entitled the Personal Injuries (Civilians) (Amendment) (No. 2) Scheme 1962.

2nd January 1963:—

Copies of Orders, dated 21st December 1962, Sugar, entitled—

1. the Sugar (Rates of Surcharge and Surcharge Repayments) Order 1962, and

2. the Composite Sugar Products (Surcharge—Average Rates) Order 1962.
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(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Chelsea) Regulations 1962, and
(2) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Westminster) (No. 2) Regulations 1962.


3rd January 1963:

(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (City of London and Stepney) (Amendment) Regulations 1962,
(2) the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Eton) Regulations 1962,
(3) the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Cambridge) Regulations 1962,
(4) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes and Prohibition of Driving) (Wandsworth) (No. 1) Regulations 1962,
(5) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes and Prohibition of Driving) (Wandsworth) (No. 2) Regulations 1962, and
(6) the London Traffic (Weight Restrictions) (Gray's) Regulations 1962.

4th January 1963:


7th January 1963:

Customs and Excise. Copies of Regulations, dated 1st January 1963, entitled—
(1) the Temporary Importation (Goods for Exhibition) Regulations 1963, and
(2) the Temporary Importation (Professional Effects) Regulations 1963.

Pipe-lines. Copy of Regulations, dated 22nd December 1962, entitled the Pipe-lines (Limits of Deviation) Regulations 1962.

8th January 1963:

Road Traffic. Copy of an Order, dated 20th December 1962, entitled the Parking Places and Controlled Parking Zone (Birmingham) (No. 1) Order 1962.

10th January 1963:


11th January 1963:


17th January 1963:

(1) the Federation of South Arabia (Accession of Aden) Order 1963,
Statement of a Guarantee given by the Treasury on the 20th day of December 1962, on Loans proposed to be raised by the Electricity Council.

Statement of a Guarantee given by the Treasury on the 20th day of December 1962, on Loans proposed to be raised by the Gas Council.

Hydro-Electric Development (Scotland) Nos. 79 and 80. Statements of Guarantees given by the Treasury on the 20th day of December 1962, on Loans proposed to be raised—
- (1) by the North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board,
- (2) by the South of Scotland Electricity Board.


Transport. Nos. 81 to 85. Statements of Guarantees given by the Treasury on the 20th day of December 1962, on Loans proposed to be raised—
- (1) by the British Transport Docks Board,
- (2) by the British Railways Board,
- (3) by the British Waterways Board,
- (4) by the London Transport Board, and
- (5) by the Transport Holding Company.

Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Papers relating to Air Navigation, Bank Notes, Development Commission, Electricity, Gas, Hydro-Electric Development (Scotland) and Transport be printed.


Ordered. That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Army. Mr. Secretary Profumo presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Amendments (No. 4) to the Army Pensions Warrant, 1960.

Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Army (Territorial Army). Copy of Amendments (No. 98) to Regulations for the Territorial Army 1952.

Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Air Force. Mr. Secretary Fraser presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of Particulars of Grants of Pay and Allowances, etc., sanctioned by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury during the year ended the 31st day of March 1962, under the Dispensing Order of the 14th day of January 1922, made under Section 2 of the Air Force (Constitution) Act 1917.

Air Force. Mr. Secretary Fraser also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 1st January 1963, amending the Regulations appended to Her Majesty's Orders dated 19th December 1958, 21st June 1957, 10th January and 14th November 1958, 16th December 1959, and 17th February 1961, and included in a volume entitled The Queen's Regulations and Air Council Instructions for the Royal Air Force (Fourth Edition).

Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of University Court Ordinance No. 469 (University of Aberdeen No. 83 (Office of Principal, Chairs in the University, and Composition of Faculties).

Ordered. That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Orders in Council, dated 19th December 1962, adjusting the allowances payable to unemployed pensioners who served—
- (1) in the 1914 World War, and
- (2) after the 2nd day of September 1939,

having regard so benefit payable under social security legislation.

Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 17th January 1963, entitled the Anti-Dumping Duty Order 1963.

Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of Orders, dated 16th January 1963, entitled—
- (1) the Pig Industry Development Authority (Functional) Order 1963, and
- (2) the Pig Industry Development Authority Levy Scheme (Approval) Order 1963.

Copy of the Report of the Pig Industry Development Authority for the year ended the 30th day of September 1962.


Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Statistics concerning Population, Dwellings, and Households in Glamorgan and Monmouthshire.

Ordered. That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Metropolitan Water Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.
River Boards.

Copy of the Report of the Avon and Dorset River Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Atomic Energy.

Mr. Freeth presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament — Statement by the Minister for Science with regard to the remuneration payable to Lord Geddes, Member of the United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Agricultural Land Commission.


Herring Industry.

Accounts of the Sums received into and paid out of the Herring Marketing Fund and of receipts and payments by the Herring Industry Board, with respect to grants under Section 6 of the White Fish and Herring Industries Act 1953, as amended by Section 1 of the White Fish and Herring Industry Act 1957, in the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon; and Audited Statements with respect to the Application of Moneys advanced to the Herring Industry Board.

Ironstone Restoration.

Account of the Ironstone Restoration Fund showing Receipts and Payments during the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Sugar.

Accounts of the Sugar Board, showing the Revenue and Expenditure attributable to the year ended the 30th day of June 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Schemes

(1) for authorising the taking down of the Church of Saint John the Evangelist, Macclesfield, in the Diocese of Chester and the sale of the site and materials thereof; for altering the boundaries of the parishes of Saint John the Evangelist, Macclesfield, and Macclesfield (Saint Michael) and for other purposes; and
(2) for uniting the benefices and parishes of Saint Hilda, South Shields, and Westoe in the Diocese of Durham.

The following Account, pursuant to the directions of a Statutory Instrument, was also laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Japanese Treaty of Peace.

Account of the Sums received and paid by the Administrator of Japanese Property for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

Prayers.

A Bill to make provision for the transfer of the British Museum (Kew) Bill to the State of Western Australia in the Commonwealth of Australia of the registered office of BP Refinery (Kwinana) Limited for the purpose of enabling that company to be deemed to be incorporated in such state, for the cheaper of application to that company of provisions of the Companies Act 1948, consequent thereon, and for other purposes incidental thereto, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to extend the powers conferred upon the lord mayor, aldermen and citizens of the city of Bradford by the Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House) Bill.

A Bill to make provision with respect to the City of London the closing of the Metropolitan Cattle Market at Islington; the acquisition of land for the extension of the Central Criminal Court and the payment out of the general rate of the city of London of costs in connection with the court; the making of charges for the use of the Billingsgate, Leadenhall, Central London and Spitalfields Markets; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to authorise the Dover Harbour Board to construct further works; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.
A Bill to incorporate the Essex Water Company, to transfer to that Company the undertakings of the South Essex Waterworks Company and the Southend Waterworks Company, and the water undertakings of the mayor, aldermen and burgesses of the borough of Chelmsford, the mayor, aldermen and burgesses of the borough of Maldon, the Burnham-on-Crouch Urban District Council, the Chelmsford Rural District Council and the Maldon Rural District Council; to authorise the Company to construct a work and to acquire lands; to confer powers upon the Company; to amend the memorandum of association of Hanningfield Housing Association Limited; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to empower the Central Oil Refinery Jetty Bill Company Limited to construct works and to acquire lands, to confer further powers on the Board; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to empower the London County Council to execute street and other works and to acquire lands; to confer powers upon the London County Council; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to empower the London Transport Board to construct works and to acquire lands; to confer further powers on the London County Council; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to empower the London Transport Board to extend the time for the compulsory purchase of certain lands, to confer further powers on the Board; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to alter the limits of the area within which the Conservators of the River Medway are entitled to exercise jurisdiction; to confer further powers upon the Conservators; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to authorise the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board to construct further works; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to establish a non-contributory pension fund for the Salvation Army and to provide for the transfer to the fund of certain existing funds and for contributions to the fund from the general funds of the Salvation Army and from its associated charities and companies; to establish a board to administer the fund; to confer powers on the board to make rules determining the terms and conditions on which pensions are to be payable and to prescribe the first rules of the fund; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to make provision for the transfer to the United Arab Republic of the registered office of Shell Chemicals Distributing Company of Egypt Limited; for the cessation of applications to that company of the provisions of the Companies Act, 1948; and for other purposes incidental thereto, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to dissolve the council of the Durham Colleges in the University of Durham and to transfer the property and liabilities of that council to the University of Durham, to enact further provisions with regard to the University of Newcastle upon Tyne, to dissolve the council of King's College Newcastle upon Tyne in the University of Durham and to transfer the property and liabilities of that council to the University of Newcastle upon Tyne, to enact provisions with regard to the University of Newcastle upon Tyne; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to provide for the removal of restrictions attaching to the Beechen Grove Chapel Burial Ground in the borough of Watford; to authorise the sale of the said burial ground and the use thereof for building or otherwise; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

Several Public Petitions from Wembley and Willesden against the London Government Bill were presented and read; and ordered to be laid upon the Table.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,— Appropriation Account of the Sums granted by Parliament for Air Services for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon, and upon other Air Services Accounts.

Appropriation Account of the Sums granted by Parliament for Army Services for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon, and upon other Army Services Accounts.

Appropriation Account of the Sums granted by Parliament for Navy Services for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon, and upon other Navy Services Accounts.

Appropriation Account of the Sums granted by Parliament for Navy Services for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Appropriation Account of the Royal Ordnance Factories and the Manufacturing Accounts for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Appropriation Account of the Royal Ordnance Factories (Appropriation Account).

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Appropriation Account of the Royal Ordnance Factories (Appropriation Account).

No. 91.

Ordered. That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table; and to be printed.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament, presented a Bill to increase ungraduated contributions and benefits under the National Insurance Acts 1946 to 1961, to modify, in connection with the increase of any such benefits, the method of computing national assistance grants for any period before all the increases have taken effect, to modify the widowed mother's allowance under the National Insurance Act 1946, to amend subsection 1 of section 24 of the National Insurance Act 1946 as respects conditions for payment of benefit under that section, to alter graduated contributions and benefits under the National Insurance Act 1959 by enlarging the amount of tax taken into account in fixing contributions and to amend that Act of 1959 as respects non-participating employments; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid. And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to make it an offence to discriminate to the detriment of any person on the grounds of colour, race or religion in the United Kingdom, and to incite publicly contempt or hatred of any person or persons because of their colour, race or religion: And that Mr. Brockway, Mr. James Griffiths, Mr. Creech Jones, Mr. Grimond, Sir Godfrey Nicholson, Mr. Tiley, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Critchley, Mr. Hale, Sir Leslie Plummer, Mrs. Castle, and Mr. Lubbock do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Brockway accordingly presented a Bill to make it an offence to discriminate to the detriment of any person on the grounds of colour, race or religion in the United Kingdom, and to incite publicly contempt or hatred of any person or persons because of their colour, race or religion: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of February next and to be printed.
Mr. John Hill reported from the Committee on London Government [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make provision with respect to local government and the functions of local authorities in the metropolitan area, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament—

(i) of any expenses incurred by any Minister under that Act; and

(ii) of any increase attributable to the provisions of that Act in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under any other enactment;

(b) the payment into the Exchequer of any sums received by any Minister under that Act;

and in this Resolution the expression "Minister" includes the Board of Trade.

The said Resolution being read a second time;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the (Mr. John Hill, Mr. McLaren): 240.
Tellers for the (Mr. Redhead, Mr. Lawson): 185.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the London Government Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 1 (London boroughs).

Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 9, to leave out the words "in the case of an outer London borough".—(Mr. Stewart.)

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the (Mr. John Hill, Mr. Rees): 267.
Tellers for the (Dr. Broughton, Mr. Redhead): 201.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 18, to leave out from "III" to the end of line 21.—(Mr. Skeffington.)

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "and" in line 27, stand part of the Clause.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the (Mr. Chichester-Clark, Mr. Rees): 222.
Tellers for the (Mr. Ifor Davies, Mr. Grey): 194.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 21, to leave out the word "sixty" and insert the word "seventy".—(Mr. Lubbock.)

Question put, That the word "sixty" stand part of the Clause.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the (Mr. Chichester-Clark, Mr. Rees): 218.
Tellers for the (Mr. Holt, Mr. Lubbock): 192.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 23, to leave out from the beginning to the end of line 30 and insert the words "a group of ten or more local government electors living in the area of the proposed London borough shall have the right to make representations to the Secretary of State about the provisions of the incorporation order, and the Secretary of State if satisfied that there is a prima facie case for an alteration of the provisions of the order may cause a local enquiry to be made, and such notice given as he thinks expedient, and if satisfied that such alteration is desirable may amend the order accordingly".—(Mr. Skeffington.)

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "and" in line 27, stand part of the Clause.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the (Mr. Peel, Mr. MacArthur): 229.
Tellers for the (Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. McLaren): 185.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 27, to leave out from the word "expedient" to the end of line 30.—(Mr. Evans.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 44, to leave out "1964" and insert "1967".—(Mr. Stewart.)

Question proposed, That "1964" stand part of the Clause:—Debate arising;

And it being Ten o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That the Proceedings on the London Government Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House) for One hour after Ten of the clock.—(Sir Keith Joseph.)

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the (Mr. Peel, Mr. Ian Fraser): 221.
Tellers for the (Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. McLaren): 173.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.
The House again resolved itself into a Committee on Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1 of the London Government Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 1 (London boroughs).

Question again proposed, That "1964" stand part of the Clause:—Debate resumed;

And it being Eleven o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mr. Ian Fraser reported from the Committee on British Museum [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to alter the composition of the Trustees of the British Museum, to provide for the separation from the British Museum of the British Museum (Natural History), to make new provision with respect to the regulation of the two Museums and their collections, in place of that made by the British Museum Act 1753 and enactments amending or supplementing that Act, and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) any increase in expenditure out of moneys provided by Parliament which is attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session enabling objects comprised in the collections of the British Museum or the British Museum (Natural History) to be kept in premises additional to those in which they were required to be kept immediately before the commencement of the Act;

(b) the payment into the Exchequer of the net proceeds of any sale or other disposition of the property regulated by the British (Museum (Purchase of Land) Act 1894.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Bill [Lords].

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 to 58 agreed to.

Schedules Nos. 1 to 8 agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, without Amendment.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Betting Duties Bill [Lords].

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 to 7 agreed to.

Schedules Nos. 1 to 3 agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, without Amendment.

Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Report by the Government Actuary on the financial provisions of the National Insurance Bill.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment. (Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-seven minutes before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Sir Samuel Storey Chairman of Standing Committee F in respect of the London Government Bill (except Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1).
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Account of the Sums issued out of and received from the Consolidated Fund, and of the Sums paid out of the Forestry Fund in the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Account of the Sums paid into and out of the Reserve Fund for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Account of Receipts and Payments by the National Debt Commissioners in respect of the Capital and Income of the Irish Land Purchase Fund in the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.


Account of the Nature Conservancy for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the Accounts relating to Cocon (Centralised Buying) and the Irish Land Purchase Fund be printed.

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, Accounts relating to Trade and Navigation of the United Kingdom for each month during the year 1963.—(Mr. Green.)

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee D Mr. Hiley (nominate in respect of the Offices, Shops and Rail premises Bill); and had appointed in sub-committee Mr. Box.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by the Lords' Messengers, That the Lords propose that the Joint Committee on the Northallerton and the Dales Water Board Order 1962 (Petition for Amendment) do meet in Committee Room No. 4 on Tuesday the 5th day of February next at Eleven o'clock.

The Lords propose that the Joint Committee on the Northallerton and the Dales Water Board Order 1962 (Petition for Amendment) do meet in Committee Room No. 4 on Tuesday the 5th day of February next at Eleven o'clock.

The House proceeded to take the said Message into consideration.

Ordered, That the Members appointed to serve on the said Committee do meet the Lords appointed to serve thereon as proposed by their Lordships.—(Mr. Wise.)

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them therewith: And that the Clerk do carry the said Message.

The Order for reading a second time, to Stock Transfer Bill, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be withdrawn.
The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the London Government Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 1 (London boroughs).
Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 44, to leave out "1964" and insert "1967".

Question again proposed, That "1964" stand part of the Clause.

Question put.
The Committee divided.
Tellers for the Mr. Peel, 215.
Yea, Mr. McLaren: 166.
No, Mr. Whitlock:

Question proposed, That the Clause stand part of the Bill: —Debate arising; Mr. Hughes-Young rose in his place and claimed to move, That the Question be now put.

Question put accordingly, That the Question be now put.
The Committee divided.
Tellers for the Mr. John Hill, 189.
Yea, Mr. McLaren: 125.
No, Mr. McCann:

Question put pursuant to S.O. (Closure of Debate). The Committee divided.
Tellers for the Mr. Michael Hamilton, 191.
Yea, Mr. Batsford: 124.
No, Mr. McCann:

And it being Eleven o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.
Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Resolved, That the Anti-Dumping Duty (No. 3) Order 1962, dated 3rd December 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 7th day of December last, be approved. —(Mr. Green.)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the County Courts Bill (Jurisdiction). Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Schedule No. 1.
Amendment proposed, in page 88, line 6, to leave out column 3.—(Mr. Lubbock.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out, to "4" in line 13, stand part of the Schedule: —Debate arising;

And it being Eleven o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Resolved, That the Bill be now read the third time: —The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till eleven minutes after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the British Museum Bill to Standing Committee A.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Return showing Transactions connected with the National Debt for the years 1938-39 and 1949-50 to 1961-62.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Orr-Ewing presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—List of Exceptions to the Queen's Regulations as to Pay, Non-effective Pay and Allowances during the year ended the 31st day of March 1962 which have been sanctioned by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, pursuant to the Order in Council dated 19th December 1881.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented,—Return to an Order yesterday for a Return relating to Trade and Navigation.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table: and be printed.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 16th January 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Greenwich) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table:—


Ordered, That the said Paper be printed.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Widows' Pensions Bill:

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

Mr. Lipton rose in his place and claimed to move, That the Question be now put.

And the Question being put, That the Question be now put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being accordingly put, That the Bill be now read a second time;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

So it passed in the Negative.

The Corn Rents Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Commital of Bills).

The Limitation Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Commital of Bills).

The Employment of Women Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Commital of Bills).

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment. (—Mr. Chichester-Clark.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-six minutes before Five of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

The BP Refinery (Kwinana) Bill was read a second time and referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

Ordered, That the Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House) Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Ordered, That the City of London (Various Powers) Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday the 5th day of February next.

The Dover Harbour Bill was read a second time and committed.

The Essex Water Bill was read a second time and referred to the Examiners of Petitions Bill for Private Bills.

Ordered, That the Kentish Town (Improvement) Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday the 5th day of February next.

The Killingholme Jetty Bill was read a second time and referred to the Examiners of Petitions Bill for Private Bills.

Ordered, That the London County Council (Improvement) Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday the 5th day of February next.

The London Transport Bill was read a second time and committed.

The Midway Conservancy Bill was read a second time and committed.
The Mersey Docks and Harbour Board Bill was read a second time and committed.

The Salvation Army Bill was read a second time and committed.

The Shell Chemicals Distributing Company of Egypt Bill was read a second time and referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

The Universities of Durham and Newcastle upon Tyne Bill was read a second time and committed.

Ordered, That the Watford Corporation Bill be read a second time tomorrow.

Mr. Hare presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of an Order, dated 21st January 1963, entitled the Hat, Cap and Millinery Wages Councils (Abolition and Establishment) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marmot presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of Regulations, dated 17th January 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Weight Restrictions) (Harrow) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Local Loans No. 98. Accounts of Receipts and Payments by the National Debt Commissioners in respect of the Capital and Income of the Local Loans Fund for the year ended 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

The National Insurance Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Peel.)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Commonwealth Scholarships (Amendment) Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Mr. Niall Macpherson, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to National Insurance [Money], proposed to move, under the Standing Order (Money Committee), a Committee of the whole House, recommending it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

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Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session to increase contributions and benefits under the National Insurance Acts 1946 to 1961 and the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts 1946 to 1961 it is expedient to authorise—

(a) any increase attributable to the new Act in the sums payable out of money provided by Parliament—

(b) under section 2(b) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1946 or section 3 (3) of the National Insurance Act 1959 (Exchequer supplements) or section 12 (4) of the said Act of 1959 (statutory superannuation schemes), or

(c) under section 60 of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1946 or section 38 of the National Insurance Act 1946 (administrative expenses) as amended or applied by any subsequent enactment, and

Ordered, That any payments into the Exchequer to be made in consequence of the new Act.—(Mr. Niall Macpherson.) Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received tomorrow.

Mr. Peel reported from the Committee on Commonwealth Scholarships (Amendment) Bill, a Resolution; which was read, as follows:

That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session to amend the Commonwealth Scholarships Acts 1959, it is expedient to authorise any amendments of that Act which, within the limit for the time being imposed by or under section 1 (3) or (4) of the Commonwealth Teachers Act 1960, increase the amount payable out of moneys provided by Parliament under section 2 of the said Act of 1959. The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Commonwealth Scholarships (Amendment) Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 1 (Power to select persons from Channel Islands and Isle of Man as candidates for Commonwealth Scholarships etc.)

Amendment proposed, in page 1, line 16, at the end, to add the words "and at the end of subsection (3) (which prescribes the composition of the Commission) there shall be added the words "and shall include a person highly qualified in the field of adult education, and a person highly qualified in the field of women's education ".—(Mr. Thomson.)

Question proposed, That those words be there added:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.
Another Amendment proposed, in page 1, line 16, at the end, to add the words—

"(2) To section 1 of the Commonwealth Scholarships Act 1959 there shall be added the following subsection:

'(10) The persons to be selected in pursuance of paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of this section shall include non-graduates of mature age who are held by the Commission to be capable of benefiting from a period of study at an adult education college or other appropriate establishment".—(Mr. Thomson.)

Question proposed, That those words be there added:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clauses Nos. 2 and 3 agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

—(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till nine minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Corn Rents Bill, the Limitation Bill, and the Employment of Women Bill to Standing Committee C.

[No. 45.]

Tuesday, 29th January, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

P R A Y E R S .

The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household reported to the House, That their Address of the 20th day of December last, relating to Tanganyika (Gift of a Speaker's Chair) had been presented to Her Majesty; and that Her Majesty had been pleased to receive the same very graciously and to give the following Answer:

I have received your Address praying that I will give directions for the presentation on behalf of your House of a Speaker's Chair to the National Assembly of Tanganyika, and assuring me that you will make good the expenses attending the same.

It gave me the greatest pleasure to learn that your House desires to make such a presentation and I will gladly give directions for carrying your proposal into effect.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Watford Corporation Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

A Public Petition from Sale for an enquiry into the existing law and practice relating to Rating and Valuation was presented and read; and ordered to lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Treaty Series Command,—Copy of the Eleventh Additional Amending Regulations signed at Geneva on the 19th day of May 1960 with respect to the Health Part of the Aircraft General Declaration of the International Sanitary Regulations.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, by Her Colombo Plan. Majesty's Command,—Copy of Additional Amending Report. of the Consultative Committee for Co-operative Economic Development in South and South-East Asia.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Hayman reported from the Joint Committee to whom a Petition of General Objection against the Bolton Water Order 1962, a Petition for the Amendment of the Order and two Counter-Petitions were referred, That they had considered the said Petitions and the said Counter-Petitions; and had directed him to report the Order, without Amendment, to the House, together with the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them.

Ordered, That the Order and the said Minutes do lie upon the Table.

The Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Standing Orders Committee, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:

1. That, in the case of the British Railways, Petition for Bill, the Standing Orders ought to be dispensed with:—That the Parties be permitted to proceed with their Bill.

2. That, in the case of the British Waterways, Petition for Bill, the Standing Orders ought to be dispensed with:—That the Parties be permitted to proceed with their Bill.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.
Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. John Hill and Dr. Broughston, the Tellers in the Yeas Division Lobby, in the Division of the 23rd day of this instant January, on the first Question, That the words (Committee) proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause, came to the Table and stated that they had erroneously reported the number of the Yeas as 277, instead of 267, which was the correct number;

Whereupon Mr. Speaker directed the Clerk to correct the number in the Journal accordingly.—Yea 267, Noes 201.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That the following provisions shall apply to the remaining Proceedings on the London Government Bill:

1.-(1) The remaining Proceedings in Committee of the whole House on Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the Bill shall be completed in two allotted days and shall be brought to a conclusion at Eleven of the clock on the second of those days; and the Business Committee shall report to the House their recommendations as to those Proceedings not later than the first day of February nineteen hundred and sixty-three;

(2) When the Order of the Day is read for the House to resolve itself into Committee on Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the Bill, Mr. Speaker shall leave the Chair without putting any Question, notwithstanding that notice of an Instruction has been given;

2. The Standing Committee to which the remainder of the Bill is allocated shall report the Bill except Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1 to the House on or before the twenty-first day of March nineteen hundred and sixty-three;

3.—(1) The Proceedings on Consideration and Third Reading of the Bill shall be completed in two allotted days and shall be brought to a conclusion at Eleven of the clock on the second of those days; and for the purpose of the Standing Order (Business Committee) the Order shall be taken to allot to the Proceedings on Consideration such part of those days as the Resolution of the Business Committee may determine;

(2) The Business Committee shall report to the House their recommendations as to the Proceedings on Consideration of the Bill, and as to the allocation of time between those Proceedings and Proceedings on Third Reading not later than the fourth day on which the House sits after the day on which the Chairman of the Standing Committee reports the Bill except Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1 to the House;

4. The recommendations in any Report made under the Standing Order (Business Committee) may be varied by a further Report so made, whether or not within the time specified in paragraph 1 (1) or (2) of this Order;

5.—(1) At a sitting of the Standing Committee at which any Proceedings on the Bill are to be brought to a conclusion under a Resolution of the Business Sub-committee the Chairman shall not adjourn the Committee under any Order relating to the sitting of the Committee until the Proceedings have been brought to a conclusion;

(2) No Motion shall be made in the Standing Committee relating to the sitting of the Committee except by a member of the Government, and the Chairman shall permit a brief explanatory statement of the reasons for the Motion from the Member who moves, and from a Member who opposes the Motion, and shall then put the Question thereon;

6. In any Committee on the Bill, no Motion shall be made to postpone any Clause, Schedule, new Clause or new Schedule but the recommendations of the Business Sub-committee may include alterations in the order in which Clauses, Schedules, new Clauses and new Schedules are to be taken in the Standing Committee;

7. On the conclusion of the Proceedings in any Committee on the Bill, the Chairman shall report the Bill (or such of its provisions as were committed or re-committed to that Committee) to the House without putting any Question;

8. No dilatory Motion with respect to, or in the course of, Proceedings on the Bill shall be made in the Standing Committee or on an allotted day except by a member of the Government, and the Question on any such Motion shall be put forthwith;

9.—(1) On an allotted day the Proceedings on the Bill shall be exempted from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House) for one hour after Ten of the clock;

(2) Any period for which Proceedings on the Bill are exempted under paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Adjournment on definite matter of urgent public importance) shall be in addition to the said period of one hour (or in addition to any longer period for which the Proceedings are exempted under the Standing Order (Exemption from the Standing Order (Sittings of the House)));

10. The Standing Order (Motion for the adjournment of proceedings in public business) shall not apply on an allotted day;

11.—(1) Any private business which has been set down for consideration at Seven of the clock on an allotted day shall, instead of being considered as provided by the Standing Orders, be considered at the conclusion of the Proceedings of the Bill on that day, and shall be exempted by this paragraph from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House) for a period of three hours from the conclusion of those Proceedings or, if the Proceedings on the Bill are concluded before Ten of the clock, for a period equal to the time elapsing between Seven of the clock and the completion of those Proceedings;

(2) The foregoing sub-paragraph shall not apply on a day on which a Motion is made under the Standing Order (Adjournment on definite matter of urgent public importance) and no opposed private business shall be taken on such an allotted day;

12.—(1) For the purpose of bringing to a conclusion any Proceedings which are to be
brought to a conclusion at a time appointed by this Order or a Resolution of the Business Committee or the Business Sub-Committee and which have not previously been brought to a conclusion, the Chairman or Mr. Speaker shall forthwith proceed to put the following Questions (but no others), that is to say—

(a) the Question or Questions already proposed from the Chair, or necessary to bring to a decision a Question so proposed (including, in the case of a new Clause or new Schedule which has been read a second time, the Question that the Clause or Schedule be added to the Bill);

(b) the Question on any Amendment or Motion standing on the Order Paper in the name of any Member, if that Amendment or Motion is moved by a member of the Government;

(c) any other Question necessary for the disposal of the business to be concluded;

and on an Amendment so moved, or a Motion so moved for a new Clause or a new Schedule, the Chairman or Mr. Speaker shall put only the Question that the Amendment be made, or that the Clause or Schedule be added to the Bill;

(2) Proceedings under sub-paragraph (1) of this paragraph shall not be interrupted under any Standing Order relating to the sittings of the House;

(3) If, at Seven of the clock on an allotted day, any Proceedings on the Bill which, under this Order or a Resolution of the Business Committee, are to be brought to a conclusion at or before that time have not been concluded, any Motion for the Adjournment of the House under the Standing Order (Adjournment on definite matter of urgent public importance) which, apart from this Order, would stand over to that time shall stand over until those Proceedings have been concluded;

(4) If, on an allotted day, a Motion is made under the Standing Order (Adjournment on definite matter of urgent public importance), the bringing to a conclusion of any Proceedings on the Bill which, under this Order or a Resolution of the Business Committee, are to be brought to a conclusion on that day at any time after Seven of the clock shall be deferred for a period equal to the duration of the Proceedings on the said Motion under the said Standing Order;

13.—(1) The Proceedings on any Motion moved in the House by a member of the Government for varying or supplementing the provisions of this Order (including anything which might have been the subject of a Report of the Business Committee or Business Sub-Committee) shall, if not previously concluded, be brought to a conclusion two hours after they have been commenced, and the last following paragraphs shall apply as if the Proceedings were Proceedings on the Bill on an allotted day;

(2) If any Motion moved by a member of the Government for varying or supplementing the provisions of this Order is under consideration at Seven of the clock on a day on which any private business has been set down for consideration at Seven of the clock, the private business shall stand over and be considered when the Proceedings on the Motion have been concluded, and shall be exempted from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House) for a period equal to the time for which it so stands over;

Provided that this paragraph shall not apply on a day on which a Motion is made under the Standing Order (Adjournment on definite matter of urgent public importance) and no opposing private business shall be taken on such a day;

(3) If on an allotted day on which any proceedings on the Bill are to be brought to a conclusion at a time appointed by this Order or a Resolution of the Business Committee the House is adjourned, or the sitting is suspended, before that time no notice shall be required of a Motion moved the following day by a member of the Government for varying or supplementing the provisions of this Order;

14. Nothing in this Order or in a Resolution of the Business Sub-Committee or the Business Committee shall—

(a) prevent any Proceedings to which the Order or Resolution applies from being taken or completed earlier than is required by the Order or Resolution, or

(b) prevent any business (whether on the Bill or not) from being proceeded with on any day after the completion of all such Proceedings on the Bill as are to be taken on that day;

15.—(1) References in this Order to Proceedings on Consideration or Proceedings on Third Reading include references to Proceedings at those stages respectively for, on or in consequence of re-commital;

(2) On an allotted day no debate shall be permitted on any Motion to re-commit the Bill (whether as a whole or otherwise, and Mr. Speaker shall put forthwith any Question necessary to dispose of the Motion, including the Question on any Amendment moved to the Question;

16. In this Order—

"allotted day" means any day (other than a Friday or the day on which this Order is agreed to) on which the Bill is put down as the first Government Order of the Day;

"the Bill" means the London Government Bill;

"Resolution of the Business Sub-Committee" means a Resolution of the Business Sub-Committee as agreed to by the Standing Committee;

"Resolution of the Business Committee" means a Resolution of the Business Committee as agreed to by the House—(Mr. Iain Macleod);

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

Tellers for the [Mr. Chichester-Clark], [Mr. Philip];

Yeas, 161.

Tellers for the [Mr. Charles Howell], [Mr. McCann];

Noes, 188.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.
Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

—(Mr. Peel.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-one minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDA.

Tuesday, 29th January, 1963.

In pursuance of the Standing Order (Business Committee) Mr. Speaker this day nominated Mr. Corfield, Mr. John Hill, Sir Keith Joseph, Mr. Mellish, and Mr. Stewart to be members of the Business Committee in respect of the London Government Bill (Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1).

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Business Sub-committee), Mr. Speaker this day nominated the following members of Standing Committee F to be members of the Business Sub-committee to consider so much of the Allocation of Time Order this day as relates to the London Government Bill (except Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1): Sir Samuel Stoney (Chairman), Mr. Cliffe, Mr. Corfield, Mr. John Hill, Sir Keith Joseph, Mr. Mellish, Mr. Rees, and Mr. Stewart.

[No. 46.]

Wednesday, 30th January, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs and Excise for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble, presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Housing Return for Scotland, dated 31st December 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Act of Sederunt, dated 22nd January 1963, entitled the Act of Sederunt (Alteration of Sheriff Court Fees) 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 23rd January 1963, entitled the Importation of Raw Vegetables Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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Poisons.

World Security Bill 60.

A Motion was made, and the Question being ordered to the United Kingdom to co-ordinate and inform accordingly presented Mr. with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Mr. Edward Mallalieu accordingly presented a Bill to set up a world security agency in the United Kingdom to co-ordinate and inform Her Majesty's Government's efforts to supplant the rule of force by the rule of law in world affairs and to provide impetus thereto; And that Mr. Edward Mallalieu, Mr. Strachey, Sir James Pitman, Mr. Thomson, Lady Gammons, Mr. Thorpe, and Mr. Daniel Jones do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Grant-Ferris Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Corn Rents Bill.


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

A BILL to empower the British Railways Board to construct works and to acquire lands; to extend the time for the compulsory purchase of certain lands; to confer further powers on the Board; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

A Bill to authorise the closing to navigation of portions of certain waterways; and for other purposes, was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Account of all Same received from and paid to Trustee Savings Banks and Savings Banks certified or having a department certified under Section 9 of the Finance Act 1956 during the year ended the 30th day of November 1962, with a Statement showing the aggregate amount of the Liabilities of the Government to those Savings Banks on the 30th day of November 1962, and the nature and nominal amount of the Securities held by the National Debt Commissioners to meet those Liabilities at that date.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Housing Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Return of Trustee Savings Banks.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant Prisons, to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of Rules, entitled the Prison Rules 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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The Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Business Committee, That they had agreed to a Recommendation in respect of the London Government Bill (Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1), which Recommendation they had directed him to report to the House:

MEMORANDUM.

Wednesday, 30th January, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees),
That the allotted days which under the Order of the 29th day of this instant January are given to the remaining Proceedings in Committee of the whole House on Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the London Government Bill shall be allotted in the manner shown in the Table set out below and, subject to the provisions of that Order, each part of the Proceedings shall, if not previously brought to a conclusion, be brought to a conclusion at the time specified in the third column of that Table.

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Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table.

The Yeas to the Right; The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Mr. Chichester-Clark, Yes, Mr. Finlay; Mr. Short, Noes, Mr. Redhead.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Main Question being put; The House divided.

Tellers for the Mr. Chichester-Clark, Yes, Mr. Finlay; Mr. Short, Noes, Mr. Redhead.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Resolved, That this House approves the Statement on Nuclear Defence Systems issued following the Bahamas Meeting in December 1962.

Resolved, That the Import Duties (General) Import Duties. (No. 14) Order 1962, dated 18th December 1962, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 21st day of December last, be approved. —(Mr. Green.)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment. —(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till one minute after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

Ordered, That the Paper relating to Public Accounts (Navy Votes) be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed; and that the Paper relating to Import Duties do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of an Order, dated 29th January 1963, entitled the Import Duties (General) (No. I) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the Paper relating to Public Accounts (Navy Votes) be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed; and that the Paper relating to Import Duties do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament.—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 28th January 1963.
1st February 1963., entitled the West Indies (Retirement and Compensation) (Amendment) Order in Council 1963.

East Africa.

Copies of Orders in Council, dated 28th January 1963, entitled—

(1) the Kenya (Adaptation of Laws) Order in Council 1963,
(2) the Kenya (Local Government) Order in Council 1963,
(3) the Kenya (Lower House Constituencies) Order in Council 1963,
(4) the Kenya (Regional Assembly Constituencies) Order in Council 1963, and
(5) the Kenya (Regions and Districts) Order in Council 1963.

Navy (Pay, Pensions, &c.).

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 17th January 1963, approving an Admiralty Memorial praying sanction to increased pensions and allowances payable to members of the naval and marine forces.

North Borneo.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 28th January 1963, entitled the North Borneo (Public Service Commission) Order in Council 1963.

Rhodesia and Nyasaland Federation.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 28th January 1963, entitled the Northern Rhodesia (Barotseland) (Amendment) Order in Council 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Census of Production.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Post Office.

Mr. Bevin presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament—Copy of Regulations, dated 28th January 1963, entitled the Inland Post Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Pipe-lines.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament—Copy of Regulations, dated 28th January 1963, entitled the Pipe-lines (Notices) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Public Health.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Account of the Amount of all Exchequer Bills, and other Government Securities, which have been purchased by the Governor and the Company of the Bank of England, or on which any Sum or Sums have been lent and advanced for the Public Service by the Governor and Company of the said Bank, in the year ended the 5th day of January 1963; showing what amount of such Bills, before the making up of this Account, has been paid off and discharged, and the Amount of such Exchequer Bills, or other Government Securities, which was in the hands of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England on the 5th day of January 1963.

Copy of all Applications made by the First Lord of the Treasury and the Chancellor of the Exchequer to the Governor and Deputy Governor of the Bank of England for Advances to Government authorised by Parliament from the 6th day of January 1962 to the 5th day of January 1963, with a copy of the Minutes of the Court of Directors thereon, and the Answers of the Court of Directors thereto.

Abstract Accounts of the Crown Estate Commissioners for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the Accounts relating to Crown Estate be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee C Sir Richard Glyn (nominated in respect of the Corn Rents Bill) and had appointed in substitution Sir John Mailland.

Resolved, That this House welcomes the Government's proposals for improving industrial training outlined in Command Paper No. 1892 and urges an expansion of the facilities for training and retraining adult workers to meet the changing requirements of industry and to enable men and women whose jobs become redundant to acquire a new skill.—(Mr. Proudfoot.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House considers that, in view of the great advantages to be obtained for industry and the people of this country from a supply of natural gas, early legislation should be introduced to carry out the provisions of the 1958 Geneva Convention on the Continental Shelf, followed by ratification of the Convention, and the speedy issue of licences to prospect and obtain oil and natural gas from the North Sea—(Mr. Doughty)—And a Debate arising thereon; and it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Service Disability Pensions Bill; Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the first day of March next.
Industrial Diseases (Byssinosis) Bill.  

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Industrial Diseases (Byssinosis) Bill;  

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the first day of March next.

National Insurance Act 1957 (Amendment) Bill.  

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the National Insurance Act 1957 (Amendment) Bill;  

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the first day of March next.

Adjournment.  

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.  

—(Mr. Peel)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-six minutes after Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

[No. 49.]  

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.  

P R A Y E R S.  

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Tate Gallery. Draft of an Order, entitled the National Gallery (Lending outside the United Kingdom) (No. 1) Order 1963.  

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Selection (Standing Committees). Standing Committee E.  

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee E Mr. Percy Brown, and Mr. Ritson (nominated in respect of the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Dance and Mr. Ridley.

Standing Committee F.  

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had discharged from Standing Committee F Mr. Albu (nominated in respect of the London Government Bill (except Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1)); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Irving.

Cyprus (Gift of a bookcase and a gavel).  

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of an humble Address to be presented to Her Majesty, praying that Her Majesty will give directions that there be presented, on behalf of this House, a bookcase containing parliamentary and constitutional reference books, together with a gavel, to the House of Representatives of Cyprus, and assuring Her Majesty that this House will make good the expenses attending the same.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Business of the House (Supply).  

Ordered, That this day Business other than the Business of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

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

(In the Committee.)  

Civil Estimates, Supplementary Estimates, 1962-63.  

Class II.  

Vote 2. Foreign Grants and Loans.  

1. £4,314,000 (Supplementary) for sundry grants and services connected with Her Majesty’s Foreign Service, including subscriptions to certain international organisations and certain grants in aid.  

Class IV.  

Vote 14A. Transport (British Transport Commission).  

2. £4,400,000 (Supplementary) (Revised sum), for the expenditure of the Ministry of Transport in grant to the British Transport Commission in respect of the Commission’s deficits on revenue account.  

Class VI.  

Vote 8. Ministry of Education.  

3. £13,177,000 (Supplementary), for the salaries and expenses of the Ministry of Education; for grants and grants in aid in connection with education, &c., for sundry services; and for subscriptions to certain international organisations.


4. £20,047,000 (Supplementary), for the provision of hospitals, &c., services under the national health services in England and Wales.  

Class VII.  

Vote 1. Universities and Colleges, &c., Great Britain.  

5. £5,880,000 (Supplementary), for grants in aid and a grant towards the expenses of, and for loans to, universities, colleges, &c., and for certain post-graduate scholarships.

Air Supplementary Estimate, 1962-63.  

6. £12,000,000 (Supplementary), for expenditure beyond the sum already provided in the grants for Air Services for the year.  

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Total, Air (Supplementary), 1962-63 £12,000,000.

Resolutions to be reported.
Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, the sum of £59,818,000 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.—(Mr. Barber.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That this House expresses its deep concern at the rise in the unemployment figures to 814,000; deplores those features of the Government economic policy which have condemned hundreds of thousands of British workers to unemployment and their families to hardship; and calls upon the Government immediately to initiate measures directed to a steady expansion in national production and to the promotion of industrial development in areas of heavy unemployment—(Mr. Jay);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word " House" to the end of the Question and adding the words " whilst expressing its deep concern at the rise in recorded unemployment, commends the measures already taken by the Government to stimulate expansion in national production and to promote sound long-term industrial developments in areas of heavy unemployment and emphasises the importance of the adoption by the nation as a whole of the objectives of more rapid economic growth and greater industrial efficiency and competitiveness "—(Mr. Hare),—instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the proposed words be added after the word " House " in the Main Question: —It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the Main Question, so amended, being put:—Resolved, That this House, whilst expressing its deep concern at the rise in recorded unemployment, commends the measures already taken by the Government to stimulate expansion in national production and to promote sound long-term industrial developments in areas of heavy unemployment and emphasises the importance of the adoption by the nation as a whole of the objectives of more rapid economic growth and greater industrial efficiency and competitiveness.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That the Anti-Dumping Duty Order 1963, Excise, dated 17th January 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 22nd day of January last, be approved—(Mr. Erroll);

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Rees, Mr. MacArthur: 123.

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Holt, Mr. Lubbock: 5.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till ten minutes before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the City of London (Various Powers) Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the London County Council (Improvements) Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

The House met half an hour after Two of the clock.

P R A Y E R S .
Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House) Bill.

The Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.

Watford Corporation Bill.

The Watford Corporation Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.


Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the Resolution of the House of the 4th day of March 1879,—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 1st February 1963, authorising the temporary Application of Surpluses on certain Army Votes for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962, to meet Deficits on other Army Votes for the same year.

Supreme Court. No. 106.

Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Account of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Accountant-General of the Supreme Court in respect of the Funds of Suitors of the Court in the year ended the 28th day of February 1962; a Statement of the Liability of the Consolidated Fund, and the Account of the National Debt Commissioners for the same period in respect of Funds held by them on behalf of the Supreme Court of Judicature; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Ordered, That the said Paper relating to Public Accounts (Army Votes) be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed; and that the said Account do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Prisons.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Draft of an Order in Council, entitled the Prison Commissioners Dissolution Order 1963.

Shops.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Treaty Series (Nos. 7 and 8, 1963).

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Copies of Notes exchanged at London on the 25th day of October 1962, between Her Majesty’s Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the United States of America concerning the establishment of a Peace Corps in Sarawak and North Borneo.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

University of Oxford and Cambridge.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Statutes, dated 6th November 1962,—(1) made by the University of Oxford amending the Statutes of the University, and (2) made by the Governing Body of Pembroke College, Cambridge, amending the Statutes of the College.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Statistical Review.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Registrar General’s Statistical Review of England and Wales for 1961—Part I, Tables, Medical.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Copy of an Explanatory Memorandum on the Draft National Assistance (Determination of Need) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Mr. Niall Macpherson also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of Regulations, dated 4th February 1963, entitled the National Assistance (Determination of Need) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945, That no Petition has been presented against the County of Glamorgan (Aberdare County Grammar School for Boys) Compulsory Purchase Order 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Account, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Account prepared pursuant to subsection (7) of Section 42 of the Finance Act 1956 of (Advances to Nationalised Industries and Undertakings) from the North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board and the South of Scotland Electricity Board in respect of Interest and Repayment of Advances, and of the Disposal of those Sums respectively, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of a Measure, was also laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Supplementary Scheme to give effect to the Ecclesiastical proposals of the Diocesan Reorganisation Areas (Re-organisation Committee in the Diocese of Rochester for—(1) the amendment of the Scheme relating to the appropriation of the Church of St. George, Gravesend, for use as a chapel of Unity as a memorial of Princess Pocahontas; and (2) the demolition of the Church of Holy Trinity, Gravesend, and the sale, letting or exchange of the site thereof.

Ordered, That the said Account be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from the Lords had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, Children and Young Persons (An Act to amend the law relating to children and young persons; and for purposes connected therewith; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.
The Children and Young Persons Bill (Lords) was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

The Children and Young Persons Bill Bill 63.

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to provide for the registration of travel agencies; and for purposes connected therewith: And that Mr. Milne, Mr. Loughlin, Mr. Robert Edwards, Mr. Owen, Mr. Edelman, Mr. Grey, Mr. Short, Mr. Darling, and Mr. Mabon do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Milne accordingly presented a Bill to provide for the registration of travel agencies; and for purposes connected therewith: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 5th day of April next and to be printed.

Mr. John Hill reported from the Committee on National Insurance [Money], a Resolution: which was read, as follows:

That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session to increase contributions and benefits under the National Insurance Acts 1946 to 1961 and the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts 1946 to 1961 it is expedient to insert the words—

(a) any increase attributable to the new Act in the sums payable out of money provided by Parliament—

(i) under section 2 (b) of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1946 or section 1 (3) of the National Insurance Act 1959 (Exchequer supplements) or section 12 (4) of the said Act of 1959 (incurancy superannuation schemes), or

(ii) under section 60 of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1946 or section 38 of the National Insurance Act 1946 (administrative expenses) as amended or applied by any subsequent enactment, and

(b) any payments into the Exchequer to be made in consequence of the new Act.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the National Insurance Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 1 (Higher contributions and benefits under National Insurance Act 1946).

Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 19, at the end, to insert the words—

"(5) (a) The amount of sickness benefit shall be increased by such amount as is hereinafter mentioned if as a result of loss of faculty the beneficiary requires constant attendance at home;

(b) the amount by which sickness benefit is to be increased under this section shall be determined in accordance with regulations by reference to the extent and nature of the attendance required by the beneficiary".—(Mrs. Castle.)

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. McCann, Yes, Mr. Redhead: ] 195.

Tellers for the [Mr. Peel, Noes, Mr. Ian Fraser: ] 257.

Clause agreed to.

Clause No. 2 (Amendment of National Insurance Act 1946).

Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 26, to leave out the word " 26 shillings " and insert the words " 82 shillings and sixpence".—(Mr. Houghton.)

Question put, That the word " 26 shillings " stand part of the Clause.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. John Hill, Yes, Mr. Rees: ] 218.

Tellers for the [Mr. Ifor Davies, Noes, Mr. Grey: ] 188.

Clause agreed to.

Clause No. 3 (Graduated contributions).

Amendment proposed, in page 3, line 17, to leave out the words " increased from £15 to £18 " and insert the word " abolished ".—(Mr. McKay.)

Question put, That the words " increased from £15 to £18 " stand part of the Clause, put and agreed to.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 3, line 19, at the end, to insert the words—

" (2) The lower limit on the amount of weekly pay taken into account under section 1 (1) (b) (iii) of the National Insurance Act 1959 (which fixes the graduated contributions payable by employees and employers) shall be increased from nine pounds to ten pounds ".—(Mr. Lawson.)

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Sydney Irving, Yes, Mr. McCann: ] 172.

Tellers for the [Mr. Peel, Noes, Mr. Rees: ] 213.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses Nos. 4 to 7 agreed to.

And it being Ten o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Report from the Committee of Supply yesterday be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)
Mr. Peel reported from the Committee of Supply yesterday, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:

Civil Estimates, Supplementary Estimates, 1962-63.

Class II.

Vote 2. Foreign Grants and Loans.

1. That a further Supplementary sum, not exceeding £4,314,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for sundry grants and services connected with Her Majesty’s Foreign Service, including subscriptions to certain international organisations and certain grants in aid.

Class IV.

Vote 14A. Transport (British Transport Commission) (Revised sum).

2. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £13,177,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for the expenditure of the Ministry of Transport in grant to the British Transport Commission in respect of the Commission’s deficits on revenue account.

Class VI.

Vote 8. Ministry of Education.

3. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £13,177,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for the salaries and expenses of the Ministry of Education; for grants and grants in aid in connection with education, &c., for sundry services; and for subscriptions to certain international organisations.

Vote 14. National Health Service (Hospitals, &c., Services England and Wales.

4. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £20,047,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for the provision of hospitals, &c., services under the national health services in England and Wales.

Class VII.

Vote 1. Universities and Colleges, &c., Great Britain.

5. That a further Supplementary sum, not exceeding £3,880,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for grants in aid and a grant towards the expenses of, and for loans to, universities, colleges, &c., and for certain post-graduate scholarships.

Air Supplementary Estimate, 1962-63.

6. That a further Supplementary sum, not exceeding £12,000,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for expenditure beyond the sum already provided in the grants for Air Services for the year.

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The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Mr. Peel reported from the Committee of Ways and Means yesterday, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, towards making good the Supply Consolidated granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, the sum of £59,818,000 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That a Bill be brought in upon Consolidated the said Resolution; and that the Chairman of Ways and Means, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Mr. Barber do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Barber accordingly presented a Bill to Consolidated apply a sum out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending 31st March 1963; and the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

The House, according to Order, resolved Cyprus (Gift of bookcase and a gavel.

(To the Committee.)

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that Her Majesty will give directions that there be presented on behalf of this House, a bookcase containing Parliamentary and Constitutional reference books, together with a gavel, to the House of Representatives of Cyprus and assuring Her Majesty that this House will make good the expenses attending the same.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.
Adjournment. A Motion was made, and the Question being put:—

Resolved, That the Foreign Compensation (Egypt) (Final Distribution) Order 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 22nd day of January last, be approved. (Mr. Peter Thomas)

And the House having continued to sit till Twelve of the clock on Wednesday morning;

Wednesday, 6th February, 1963:
And the Question being put:—

Resolved, That the Foreign Compensation (Egypt) (Final Distribution) Order 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 22nd day of January last, be approved.

Ordered, That Mr. Gibson-Watt be discharged from the Estimates Committee; and that Mr. Kershaw be added to the Committee. (Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Ordered, That Mr. Whitlock be discharged from the Committee of Public Accounts; and that Mr. Dalzell be added to the Committee. (Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Adjournment. A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—

And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock on Tuesday evening, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then nineteen minutes before One of the clock on Wednesday morning, till this day.

[No. 51.]
Wednesday, 6th February, 1963.
The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

ORDERED, That the Amendment to Standing Order 243 (Joint Committees on Petitions) relating to Private Business hereinafter stated in the Schedule be made.

SCHEDULE.

"Standing Order 243, line 43, at end add:—

"(4) If any member of the Committee of this House is prevented from continuing his attendance, the Joint Committee may, with the consent of all parties, continue its sittings in his absence, provided that the number of the Committee of this House be not less than two and that the Joint Committee report accordingly to this House at its next meeting; but if the consent of any party is withheld, the Joint Committee shall adjourn and shall not resume its sittings in the absence of such member without leave of this House."—(The Chairman of Ways and Means.)

Mr. Secretary Noble presented a Bill to confirm a Provisional Order under Section 7 of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1956, relating to Clyde Navigation:

And the same was ordered to be taken into consideration upon Tuesday next and to be printed.

The Order made yesterday, That the draft of the National Assistance (Determination of Need) Amendment Regulations 1963 do lie upon the Table, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the said Paper be withdrawn.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to Charities, to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 31st January 1963, entitled the Charities (Excepted Accounts) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of Letters exchanged at Port of Spain on the 31st day of August 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Trinidad and Tobago relating to the Inheritance of International Rights and Obligations by the Government of Trinidad and Tobago.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Edward Boyle presented, pursuant to Provisions, the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of a Scheme, entitled the Teachers Superannuation (Independent Schools) Scheme 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, pursuant to National Assistance, to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of Regulations, dated 4th February 1963, entitled the National Assistance (Determination of Need) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Wise reported from the Joint Committee to whom the Petition of the Northallerton and Dales Water Board Order 1962 was referred, pursuant to Section 4 of the Statutory Orders Special Procedure Act 1945, That they had considered the said Petition and had heard
Counsel in support thereof; and had directed him to report the Order, without Amendment, to the House, together with the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them.

Ordered, That the Order and the Minutes of Evidence do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke reported from the Select Committee on Parliamentary Elections, that they had made Progress in the matter to which they referred and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, that they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee C in respect of the Limitation Bill, viz.: Mr. Blyton, Dr. Bray, Mr. Breuil, Mr. Buck, Mr. Drayson, Mr. Finch, Mr. Grey, Mr. Hector Hughes, Mr. Arthur Irvine, Mr. Charles Royle, Mr. Solicitor General, Mr. Taverne, Sir William Teeling, Lady Tweedsmuir, Mr. van Straubenzee, Mr. Walder, Mr. Wall, Sir Gerald Willis, Mr. Woolam, and Mr. Worsley.

Mr. Grant-Ferris reported from Standing Committee C, that they had gone through the Corn Rents Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 5th day of April next.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to provide minimum terms for severance pay to workers dismissed through redundancy or other causes beyond their control: And that Mr. Diamond, Mr. Rankin, Sir Leslie Plummer, Mr. Herbert Butler, Mr. Ledger, Mr. Malcolm MacMillan, Mr. Parkin, Mr. Julius Silverman, and Mr. Stonehouse do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Diamond accordingly presented a Bill to provide minimum terms for severance pay for workers dismissed through redundancy or other causes beyond their control: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 3rd day of May next and to be printed.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the National Insurance Bill.

(In the Committee.)

A Clause (Extension of benefits to certain disabled persons)—(Mr. Finch)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—Motion and Clause, by leave, withdrawn.

Schedule No. 1.

Amendment proposed, in page 8, line 28, column 3, to leave out "8s. 8½d." and insert "8s. 24d."—(Mr. Spencer Summers.)

Question, That "8s. 8½d." stand part of the Schedule, put and agreed to.

Schedule agreed to.

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Standing Committee C. Committee C, That they had gone through Corn Rents Bill, and directed him to report the same, without Amendment. Parliamentary Elections.

Standing Committee, That they had made Progress in the matter to which they referred and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House.

Standing Committee C in respect of the Limitation Bill, accordingly presented a Bill to provide minimum terms for severance pay to workers dismissed through redundancy or other causes beyond their control: And the Bill was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time:

Amendment proposed, in page 11, line 18, to leave out columns 2 to 5 and insert "80 0 / 22 6 / 12 6 / 45 0".—(Mr. Houghton.)

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. MacArthur, 198. Tellers for the [Mr. Sydney Irving, 152.]

Another Amendment proposed, in page 12, line 19, column 2, to leave out "95 0" and insert "102 6."—(Dr. King.)

Question put, That "95 0" stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. MacArthur, 182. Tellers for the [Mr. Sydney Irving, 152.]

Another Amendment proposed, in page 12, line 24, at the end, to insert the words—

"6. Widow's basic pension payable by virtue of the National Insurance (Pensions, Existing Beneficiaries and Other Persons) (Transitional Regulations, 1948.

20 0 / — / — / — / —."

—(Miss Herbison.)

Question proposed, That those words be there inserted:—Debate arising;

And it being Ten o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on Government Business be exempted, at this day's the House. Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

The House again resolved itself into a Committee on the National Insurance Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Schedule No. 2.

Amendment proposed, in page 32, line 27, column 3, to leave out "8s. 8½d." and insert "115 shillings" and insert the word "120 shillings".—(Miss Herbison.)
Question put, That the word “115 shillings” stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the "Mr. Ian Fraser, Yeas, Mr. MacArthur: 151.46 shillings: " Mr. Grey, Noes, Dr. Broughton: 118.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 14, line 35, column 4, to leave out the word “46 shillings” and insert the word “60 shillings”.

—(Mr. Finch.)

Question put, That the word “46 shillings” stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the "Mr. Ian Fraser, Yeas, Mr. Pym: 148.75 shillings: " Mr. McLaren, Noes, Mr. Grey: 113.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 15, line 22, column 4, to leave out the word “75 shillings” and insert the word “90 shillings”.

—(Miss Herbison.)

Question put, That the word “75 shillings” stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the "Mr. Ian Fraser, Yeas, Mr. McLaren: 138.60 shillings: " Mr. Finlay, Noes, Mr. Grey: 96.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 15, line 25, at the end, to insert the words—

"section 20: Weekly rate of pension payable to a widow in cases other than those provided for in paragraphs (a), (b), and (c) of that subsection.

—(Mr. Bernard Taylor)

Question, That those words be there inserted, put and negatived.

Schedule agreed to.

Schedule No. 4.

Thursday, 7th February, 1963:

Amendment proposed, in page 17, line 13, after the word “appoint”, to insert the words “not being later than 1st February 1963 in the case of Section 1 (3) and (4), Schedule 2 and Schedule 3, Part II”.

—(Mr. Houghton.)

Question, That those words be there inserted, put and negatived.

Schedule agreed to.

Schedule No. 5 agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received this day.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Campbell):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock on Wednesday evening, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then six minutes before Two of the clock on Thursday morning, till this day.
Adjournment.

Fund Bill.

Consolidated Provisions) Bill. (Miscellaneous Agriculture Committee E.

Standing London Traffic.


Treaty Series No. 118.

Bill 66. presented, pursuant to the direction of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of a European Convention signed at Geneva on the 9th day of December 1960 on Customs Treatment of Pallets used in International Transport (this Convention was ratified by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom on the 1st day of October 1962).

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Succession to Succession to Rights of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—Copies of Regulations,—

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Orders, dated 28th January 1963, entitled—

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. James Duncan reported from Standing Committee E. That they had gone through the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

No. 118. Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.


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Consolidated Fund Bill.

The Consolidated Fund Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and was committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Peel); and it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Vol. 218 A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Pym):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed at Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDA.

Thursday, 7th February, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Russell Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Protection of Depositors Bill.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. William Richard Williams Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the Protection of Depositors Bill in place of Mr. George Thomas.

[No. 52.] Thursday, 7th February, 1963. The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

MR. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a European Convention signed at Geneva on the 9th day of December 1960 on Customs Treatment of Pallets used in International Transport (this Convention was ratified by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom on the 1st day of October 1962).

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Succession to Rights of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—Copies of Regulations,—

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Orders, dated 28th January 1963, entitled—

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

No. 118. Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Consolidated Fund Bill.

The Consolidated Fund Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and was committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Peel); and it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Vol. 218 A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Pym):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed at Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDA.

Thursday, 7th February, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Russell Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Protection of Depositors Bill.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. William Richard Williams Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the Protection of Depositors Bill in place of Mr. George Thomas.

[No. 53.] Friday, 8th February, 1963. The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

MR. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Estimate of the further sums required to be voted for the Service of the Army for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963. '1963—No. 117

Ordered, That the said Estimate be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Profumo presented, by Her Army Estimates (Supplementary Estimates), 1962-63. No. 109.

Ordered, That the said Estimate be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Fraser presented, by Her Air Services Estimates (Supplementary Estimates), 1962-63. No. 105.

Ordered, That the said Estimates be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Fraser presented, by Her Air Services Estimates (Supplementary Estimates), 1962-63. No. 117.

Ordered, That the said Estimates be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.

Mr. Orr-Ewing presented, by Her Majesty's Navy Estimates (Supplementary Estimates), 1962-63. No. 115.

Ordered, That the said Estimates be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Agricultural Research Fund. No. 121.

Account of the Receipts into, and issues out of, the Agricultural Research Fund in the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Cinematograph Fund. No. 122.

Account of the Cinematograph Fund showing the Receipts and Payments during the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.


Accounts prepared pursuant to subsection (6) of Section 64 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1954, and of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1954, of the Sums issued out of the Consolidated Fund under subsection (1) of Section 64, of Payments therefrom under Parts I and V, and of certain Sums received under Parts V and VI of the Acts, during the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill.

The Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills).

Guardianship of Infants Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Guardianship of Infants Bill;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Oil in Navigable Waters Bill.

The Oil in Navigable Waters Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills).

Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill.

The Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills).

Oaths and Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Oaths and Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

The Animal Boarding Establishments Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills).

The Local Government Act 1948 (Amendment) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills).

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Racial Discrimination and Incitement Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of this instant February.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

—(Mr. Campbell.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes before Five of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the Resolution of the House of the 4th day of March 1879,—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 2nd February 1963, authorising the temporary Application of Surpluses on certain Air Votes for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962, to meet Deficits on other Air Votes for the same year.

Ordered, That the said Paper be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of a Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 2 of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1936, That they have taken into consideration the Provisional Orders for which Petitions were presented to one of Her Majesty’s Principal Secretaries of State on or before the 27th day of November 1962, namely, the Glasgow Corporation Order and the Motherwell and Wishaw Burgh Extension, &c., Order, and are of opinion that the Orders be allowed to proceed, subject to such Recommendations as they may hereafter make with respect to the said Orders.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

Animals. Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Accounts of the financial results for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962 of the activities of the Board of Trade in the execution of Part I of the Local Employment Act 1960, and the activities of all the Industrial Estates Management Corporations; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Ministry of Defence (Supplementary Estimates) 1962-63. No. 119.
Mr. Thorneycroft presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Estimate of the further sums required to be voted for the Ministry of Defence for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963.
Ordered, That the said Paper be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.


Sugar. Copies of Orders, dated 6th February 1963, entitled—
(1) the Sugar (Rates of Surcharge and Surcharge Repayments) Order 1963, and
(2) the Composite Sugar Products (Surcharge—Average Rates) Order 1963.
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic. Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 30th January 1963, entitled—
(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Mitcham) Regulations 1963, and
(2) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Wandsworth) Regulations 1963.
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

European Economic Community (Brussels negotiations). A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House expresses its full confidence in the determination and ability of Her Majesty's Government to deal with the political and economic situation arising from the breakdown of the Brussels negotiations—(The Prime Minister);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "House" to the end of the Question and adding the words "has no confidence in the ability of Her Majesty's Government to formulate or to carry through a programme which would bring about the necessary changes in our policies for international trade and for economic and political co-operation; and does not believe that it has the capacity to arouse in Great Britain the sense of urgency and national purpose so necessary to meet the situation created by the breakdown in the negotiations in Brussels"—(Mr. Harold Wilson), instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—And a Debate arising thereon;
Ordered, That the Debate be now adjourned.—(Mr. Hughes-Young)
Ordered, That the Debate be resumed tomorrow.

Mr. Hughes-Young reported from the Committee on Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) [Money] (No. 2), a Resolution, which was read, as followeth:
That for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to continue with amendments the provisions relating to the payment of Exchequer Equalisation and Transitional Grants to local authorities in Scotland and for other matters, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under the Housing (Scotland) Act 1962.
The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Hughes-Young);
And it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Ian Fraser):—And a Debate arising thereupon;
And the Question having been proposed at Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDA.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill, the Oil in Navigable Waters Bill, the Animal Boarding Establishments Bill, and the Local Government Act 1948 (Amendment) Bill to Standing Committee C.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Public Bills relating exclusively to Scotland), Mr. Speaker this day certified that, in his opinion, the provisions of the Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill relate exclusively to Scotland.

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Tuesday, 12th February, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

British Railways Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the British Railways Bill;
Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time upon Thursday the 1st day of this instant February.

British Waterways Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the British Waterways Bill;
Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time upon Thursday the 21st day of this instant February.

City of London (Various Powers) Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the City of London (Various Powers) Bill;
Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

London County Council (Improvements) Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the London County Council (Improvements) Bill;
Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

Clyde Navigation Order Confirmation Bill.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Clyde Navigation Order Confirmation Bill.
Ordered. That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.


Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Convention signed at London on the 5th day of April 1946 for the Regulation of the Meshes of Fishing Nets and the Size Limits of Fish (including Amendments adopted by the Permanent Commission in 1960, 1961 and 1962);
Ordered. That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Universities of Oxford and Cambridge.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Statutes made by the Governing Body of Merton College, Oxford, on the 20th day of November 1962, amending the Statutes of the College.
Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Ministry of Defence Estimates, 1963-64. No. 120.

Mr. Thorneycroft presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Estimate for the Ministry of Defence for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964;
Ordered. That the said Estimate be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.

Animals.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 11th February 1963, authorising the landing at London of thirty-four Friesian cattle from the Netherlands.
Ordered. That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.
Ordered. That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Henry Hynd reported from Standing Committee D, That they had gone through the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill and made Amendments thereunto.
Ordered. That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.
Ordered. That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Towyn Trewan Common Bill, without any Amendment.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Consolidated Fund Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 to 3 agreed to.
Bill to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.
Ordered. That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.
Ordered. That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker certified that the Bill was a Mr. Speaker's Certificate, No. 7 (vi).

Mr. Speaker presented, pursuant to Local Government Act 1972, the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of

The Order of the day being read, for re- 

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

British Railways Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the British Railways Bill;
Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time upon Thursday the 1st day of this instant February.

British Waterways Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the British Waterways Bill;
Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time upon Thursday the 21st day of this instant February.

City of London (Various Powers) Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the City of London (Various Powers) Bill;
Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

London County Council (Improvements) Bill.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the London County Council (Improvements) Bill;
Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

Clyde Navigation Order Confirmation Bill.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Clyde Navigation Order Confirmation Bill.
Ordered. That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.


Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Convention signed at London on the 5th day of April 1946 for the Regulation of the Meshes of Fishing Nets and the Size Limits of Fish (including Amendments adopted by the Permanent Commission in 1960, 1961 and 1962);
Ordered. That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Universities of Oxford and Cambridge.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Statutes made by the Governing Body of Merton College, Oxford, on the 20th day of November 1962, amending the Statutes of the College.
Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Ministry of Defence Estimates, 1963-64. No. 120.

Mr. Thorneycroft presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Estimate for the Ministry of Defence for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964;
Ordered. That the said Estimate be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.

Animals.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 11th February 1963, authorising the landing at London of thirty-four Friesian cattle from the Netherlands.
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Ordered. That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.
Ordered. That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Towyn Trewan Common Bill, without any Amendment.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Consolidated Fund Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 to 3 agreed to.
Bill to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.
Ordered. That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.
Ordered. That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker certified that the Bill was a Mr. Speaker's Certificate, No. 7 (vi).

Mr. Speaker presented, pursuant to Local Government Act 1972, the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of

The Order of the day being read, for re-
to deal with the political and economic situation arising from the breakdown of the Brussels negotiations.

Which Amendment was, to leave out from the word "House" to the end of the Question and add the words "has no confidence in the ability of Her Majesty's Government to formulate or to carry through a programme which would bring about the necessary changes in our policies for international trade and for economic and political co-operation; and does not believe that it has the capacity to arouse in Great Britain the sense of urgency and national purpose so necessary to meet the situation created by the breakdown in the negotiations in Brussels"—instead thereof.

And the Question being again proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—The House resumed the debate.

And a Debate arising thereupon;

The Question being put:

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas,
Mr. Chichester-Clark,
Mr. Finlay:
Tellers for the Noes,
Mr. Short,
Mr. Redhead:

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Main Question being put:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas,
Mr. Chichester-Clark,
Mr. Finlay:
Tellers for the Noes,
Mr. Short,
Mr. Redhead:

Resolved, That this House expresses its full confidence in the determination and ability of Her Majesty's Government to deal with the political and economic situation arising from the breakdown of the Brussels negotiations.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question having been proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Rees):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question being put after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then five minutes before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Tuesday, 12th February, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Chairman of Standing Committee), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. George Thomas Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the Protection of Depositors Bill in place of Mr. William Richard Williams.

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Mr. Oliver reported from the Select Committee appointed to join with a Committee of the House of Lords on Consolidation, &c., Bills, to whom the Purchase Tax Bill [Lords], now pending in the House of Lords, was referred. That they had gone through the Bill and made no Amendment thereunto, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

No. 129.
Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Sir Peter Anson reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee C in respect of the Employment of Women Bill, viz.: Miss Bacon, Lord Balniel, Mr. Braine, Mrs. Castle, Miss Cullen, Mr. Gresham Cooke, Mr. Grey, Mrs. Hurt, Sir Arthur Harvey, Mr. Hornby, Mrs. McLaughlin, Mr. Neave, Mr. Pentland, Mr. Prentice, Sir William Robson-Brown, Mr. Shepherd, Mrs. Slade, Mr. Vane, Miss Vickers, and Mr. Walden.

Mr. Russell reported from Standing Committee C, That they had gone through the Limitation Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 26th day of April next; and be printed.

No. 130.
Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

The Committee divided.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 88, line 13, column 3, to leave out " 4 " and insert " 3 ".—(Mr. MacColl.)

Question proposed, That " 4 " stand part of the Schedule.

And it being a quarter past Six o’clock, the Chairman proceeded, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business Committee) and the Orders 29th January and this day, to put forthwith the Question already proposed from the Chair.

Question, That " 4 " stand part of the Schedule, put and agreed to.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 88, line 14, column 2, at the end, to insert the words " and the City of London ".—(Mr. Stewart.)

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Sydney Irving, Yeas, Mr. Grey: ], 186.
Tellers for the [Mr. McKellen, Noes, Mr. Rees: ], 236.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 88, line 21, column 3, to leave out " 2 " and insert " 3 ".—(Mr. Mellish.)

Question put, That " 2 " stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Finlay, Yeas, Mr. Rose: ], 237.
Tellers for the [Mr. Irwin, Noes, Mr. Grey: ], 177.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 88, line 23, column 2, to leave out the words " borough of Greenwich " and insert the words " boroughs of Greenwich and Deptford "—(Mr. Henry Price.)

Question put, That the words " borough of Greenwich " stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Rees, Yeas, Mr. MacArthur: ], 244.
Tellers for the [Mr. Henry Price, Noes, Mr. Russell: ], 24.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 88, line 29, column 2, to leave out the word " Bermondsey "—(Mr. Mellish.)

Question put, That the word " Bermondsey " stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Fraser, Yeas, Mr. MacArthur: ], 214.
Tellers for the [Mr. Charles Howell, Noes, Mr. McCann: ], 162.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 88, to leave out lines 31 to 38 and insert the words—

9 The metropolitan boroughs of Battersea and Lambeth.
10 The metropolitan borough of Wandsworth.

(Dr. Glyn.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 88, line 42, column 2, at the end, to insert the words " except so much of the metropolitan..."
Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table.—Report from one of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That, in the case of the following Bills, referred on the Second Reading thereof, the Standing Order not previously inserted into, which is applicable thereto, has been complied with, viz:—

BP Refinery (Kwinana) Bill.
Shell Chemicals Distributing Company of Egypt Bill.

Ordered, That the Bills be committed.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented a Bill to confirm a Provisional Order under Section 7 of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1936, relating to Scottish Pulp Mill (Water Supply) Order Confirmation Bill. Bill 69.

Ordered, That the Bill be continued.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command.—Estimates for Civil Departments for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

Ordered, That the said Estimates be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command.—Copy of an Agreement signed at London on the 21st day of January 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on Relations in the Scientific, Technological, Educational and Cultural Fields, 1963-65 (with Communique).

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the Animals,方向 of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 7th February 1963, entitled the Importation of Pedigree Animals (No. 1) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 6th February 1963, entitled the Sea Fishing Industry (Fishing Nets) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Accounts of Receipts and Payments of the Secretary of State for Commonwealth Relations and the Secretary of State for the Colonies during the year ended the 31st day of March 1962 in respect of loans for approved colonial development programmes; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Accounts of (a) the sums received into and paid out of the Tithe Redemption Annuities Account, (b) the Advances to that Account from the Consolidated Fund, (c) the Redemption stock issued, and (d) the Redemption Stock Sinking Fund, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.
Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Peel); and it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Adjournment. Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. —(Mr. Pym.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes after Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated one of their Clerks, as followeth:

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 5th February 1963, entitled the Planting of Potatoes (Redskin Variety) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic. Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—

1. dated 28th January 1963, entitled the London Parking Zones (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) Regulations 1963, and


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Electricity. Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 8th February 1963, entitled the Electricity (Kent and Surrey Undertakings) (Transfer) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Order for reading a second time, upon Friday next, the Drugs Advisory Board Bill, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 17th day of May next.

Resolved, That this House records its concern for those disabled through industrial injury or disease, and in particular calls the attention of Her Majesty’s Government to existing anomalies under the Industrial Injuries Acts, the limitations of the Schedule of industrial diseases, and the discrepancies in the treatment of the pre-1948 cases.—(Mr. Bottomley.)

A Motion was made, and the Question, Savings, being proposed, That this House, in view of the fact that economic survival of the nation depends on more investment, urges Her Majesty’s Government to introduce, as soon as possible, extra incentives to savers—(Mr. William Clark).—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

The Drainage Rates Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Kimball.)

Resolved, That this House will, upon Friday next, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the World Security Agency Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Oaths and Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

A Motion was made, and the Question, Savings, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. McLaren).—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed after Four of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-nine minutes before Five of the clock, till Monday next.

MEMORANDUM.

Friday, 15th February, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Contracts of Employment Bill to Standing Committee D.
HE following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Legal Aid (Scotland). No. 136.

Account of the Receipts and Expenses of the Law Society of Scotland paid into and out of the Legal Aid (Scotland) Fund for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Winterbottom, Sir Gerald Nabarro, Mr. d'Avigdor-Goldsmid; Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Edward Mallalieu, Mr. Niall Macpherson. So it passed in the Negative.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

THERE was a Motion made, and the Question being put, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The House divided. The Yeas to the Right; The Noes to the Left.

Two of the clock.

The London County Council (Improvements) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.

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Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of Regulations, entitled the Police Petitions (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Motion relating to Parliamentary Elections be resumed, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That it is expedient that an advisory Committee should be appointed by the Home Secretary to examine every application for release from the armed forces for the purpose of contesting a parliamentary election, and to report to the appropriate Service Minister, in each case, whether or not they are satisfied that it is a bona fide application.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning:

Tuesday, 19th February, 1963:

And the Question being put;

Resolved, That it is expedient that an Advisory Committee should be appointed by the Home Secretary to examine every application for release from the armed forces for the purpose of contesting a parliamentary election, and to report to the appropriate Service Minister, in each case, whether or not they are satisfied that it is a bona fide application.

Resolved, That one-tenth of the sums deducted or set aside in the current year from the salaries of Members of Parliament under Section 1 of the House of Commons Members' Fund Act 1939 and one-tenth of the contribution determined by the Treasury for the current year under Section 1 of the House of Commons Members' Fund Act 1948 be appropriated for the purposes of Section 4 of the House of Commons Members' Fund Act 1948.—(Mr. Wade.)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Chichester-Clark.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-six minutes before One of the clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

[No. 60.]

Tuesday, 19th February, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the City of London (Various Powers) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Thursday the 29th day of this instant February.

The London County Council (Improvements) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant Police, to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of Regulations, entitled the Police Petitions (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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Defence. Mr. Thorneycroft presented, by Her Majesty's Command.—Copy of a Statement on Defence, 1963, including Memoranda to accompany the Navy, Army, and Air Estimates, 1963-64.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Selection (Standing Committee). Standing Committee F.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee F Mr. Roots (nominated in respect of the London Government Bill (except Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 19)); and had appointed in substitution Captain Litchfield.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to consolidate the enactments relating to purchase tax; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Purchase Tax Bill (Lords). The Purchase Tax Bill (Lords) was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Limitation Bill. The Order for taking into consideration, upon Friday the 26th day of April next, the Limitation Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be taken into consideration upon Friday the 3rd day of May next.

Juries. A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to amend the law relating to the jury system—(Sir Barnett Janner);

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 13, page 9, line 33, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Soames—(Mr. Soames);

The Question was amended, by adding, at the end thereof, the words " and in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 10, page 8, line 12, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Turton ".—(Mr. Turton.)

And the Question, so amended, being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 13, page 9, line 33, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Soames; and in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 10, page 8, line 12, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Turton.

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 10 (Winter keep grants). Amendment proposed, in page 8, to leave out lines 12 to 15 and add the words " situated in an area consisting predominantly of mountains, hills, or heath, being land which is, or by improvement could be made, suitable for use for the breeding, rearing and maintenance of sheep or cattle but not to any material extent for the production of crops in quantity materially greater than that necessary to feed the number of sheep or cattle capable of being maintained on that land ".—(Mr. Turton.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause:

—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Clause No. 13 amended and agreed to.

Bill, as amended, to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made further Amendments to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Clause (Seed potatoes)—(Mr. Broome-White)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Protection of farm animals exposed for sale)—(Mr. Soames)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Extension of time limits in arbitration proceedings relating to agricultural holdings)—(Mr. Morris)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Then Amendments were made to the Bill.
A Motion being made, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. Soames, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And Notice being taken, that the interest of Her Majesty, in right of Her Duchy of Lancaster, is concerned therein;

Mr. Soames, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And Notice being taken, that the interest of the Prince of Wales, as Duke of Cornwall, is concerned therein;

Mr. Soames, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as the Prince of Wales' interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Broomar White.)

The Question being again proposed, That the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill be now read the third time to-morrow.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Criminal Procedure. Copy of an Order, dated 13th February 1963, entitled the Fixed Penalty (Areas) Order 1963. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Hydro-Electric Development. Copy of the Report and Statement of Accounts of the North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board for 1962. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Land Drainage. Copy of Regulations, dated 14th February 1963, entitled the General Drainage Charge (Ascertainment) Regulations 1963. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Land Drainage. Copy of Regulations, dated 14th February 1963, entitled the General Drainage Charge (Ascertainment) Regulations 1963. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Piers and Harbours (Provisional Orders). Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

PRAYERS.
Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, that they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee C in respect of the Oil in Navigable Waters Bill, viz.: Mr. Burden, Mr. Callaghan, Brigadier Clarke, Sir Neil Cooper-Key, Mr. Fell, Mrs. Pitch, Mr. Gower, Mr. Bayman, Mr. Greville Howard, Vice-Admiral Hughes-Hallett, Mr. Jeger, Captain Kerby, Dr. King, Mr. Marsden, Mr. Mawby, Mr. Henry Price, Sir Otho Prior-Palmer, Mr. Wainwright, Mr. Percy Wells, and Mr. Woodnutt.

Mr. McInnes reported from Standing Committee C, that they had gone through the Employment of Women Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 5th day of April next.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Ordered, That the matter of Industry and Employment in Wales and Monmouthshire, being a matter relating exclusively to Wales and Monmouthshire, be referred to the Welsh Grand Committee for their consideration.—(Sir Keith Joseph.)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the London Government Bill.

(10th February 1963)

Schedule No. 1.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 89, line 10, column 2, to leave out the words "The borough of Ilford" and insert the words "So much of the borough of Ilford as lies north and west of the boundary referred to in paragraph 8 of Part II of this Schedule".—(Mr. Parker.)

Question, That the words "The borough of Ilford" stand part of the Schedule, put and agreed to.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 89, column 2, to leave out lines 19 to 24 and insert the words "The borough of Barking including so much of the borough as lies west of the boundary referred to in paragraph 5 of Part II of this Schedule".—(Mr. Driberg.)

Another Amendment proposed, in page 89, line 32, to leave out from the beginning to the end of line 41 and insert the words—

18. The boroughs of Bexley and Erith and the urban district of Crayford.
19. The urban districts of Orpington and Chislehurst and Sidcup.
20. The boroughs of Beckenham and Bromley and the urban district of Penge".—(Mr. Lubbock.)

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. McLaren: 238.
Mr. Lawson: 185.

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Cliffe: 188.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 89, line 42, column 2, to leave out from the word "Croydon" to the end of line 43.—(Mr. Doughty.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule.

And it being a quarter past Seven o'clock, the Chairman proceeded, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business Committee) and the Orders [29th January and 13th February], to put forthwith the Question already proposed from the Chair.

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Pym: 210.
Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Doughty, Mr. Frederic Harris: 180.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 90, line 10, column 2, to leave out from the word "Surbiton" to the end of line 13.—(Mr. Ede.)

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. MacArthur, Mr. Pym: 203.
Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Grey, Mr. Jnr. Davies: 173.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 90, line 24, column 2, to leave out the words "boroughs of Wembley and" and insert the words "borough of".—(Mr. Pavitt.)

Question put, That the words "boroughs of Wembley" stand part of the Schedule.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. MacArthur, Mr. Pym: 208.
Tellers for the Noes, Wing-Commander Bullas, Mr. Russell: 167.
Another Amendment proposed, in page 90, line 27, to leave out the first word "Barnet".
—(Mr. Stewart.)

Question put. That the word "Barnet" stand part of the Schedule.
The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Ian Fraser.]
Yea, [Mr. MacArthur: 200.
Nae, [Mr. McCorrie: 168.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 90, line 29, column 2, to leave out the word "Tottenham" and insert the word "Southgate".—(Lady Gammans.)

Question. That the word "Tottenham" stand part of the Schedule, put and agreed to.

Question put. That this Schedule be the First Schedule to the Bill.
The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Ian Fraser.]
Yea, [Mr. McLaren: 175.
Nae, [Mr. Grey: 114.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, that the Committee had gone through Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the Bill and made no Amendment thereunto.

Ordered. That Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the Bill do lie upon the Table, pursuant to Order [29th January].

Then the Chairman left the Chair to report Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the Bill to the House, pursuant to Order [29th January].

Introduction.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair: and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, that the Committee had gone through Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the Bill and made no Amendment thereunto.

Ordered. That Clause No. 1 of, and Schedule No. 1 to, the Bill do lie upon the Table.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.
—(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-three minutes before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Sir Norman Hulbert Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Oil in Navigable Waters Bill and Mr. Malcolm MacPherson Chairman of Standing Committee D in respect of the Contracts of Employment Bill.
The Lords have agreed to the Clyde Navigation Order Confirmation Bill, without any Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of March next.

The Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill [Lords] was, according to Order, read a second time, and was referred to the Committee for their consideration.

Resolved, That for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to amend the law of Scotland relating to the imprisonment and detention of offenders and other persons, to make further provision as to the treatment of prisoners and other persons committed to custody, including provision for their supervision within the British Islands after discharge, to alter the law relating to legal aid in criminal proceedings and to provide for the appointment of additional judges of the Court of Session, it is expedient to authorize—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session in the sums payable under any other enactment out of the moneys so provided;

(b) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase that may arise in the sums required to meet payments out of the Legal Aid (Scotland) Fund by reason of any amendment altering the procedure under section 2 of the Legal Aid (Scotland) Act 1949 for determining financial eligibility for legal aid in criminal proceedings;

(c) the charging on and issue out of the Consolidated Fund, and the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament, of any increase in the sums required respectively to be charged on and issued out of that Fund, or to be paid out of moneys so provided, which is attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session increasing the maximum number of judges of the Court of Session who may be appointed.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution. Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjourned, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Peel):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed at Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Thursday, 21st February, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. George Thomas Chairman of the Welsh Grand Committee in respect of the matter of Industry and Employment in Wales and Monmouthshire referred to the Committee for their consideration.

[No. 63.]

Friday, 22nd February, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Attorney General presented, pursuant Watford to the Standing Order relating to Private Business (Bills affecting charities or educational foundations),—Report on the Watford Corporation Bill.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Historic Buildings Bill:

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Bill be now read a second time;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Rees-Davies, Mr. Goodhew;

Tellers for the Noes, Sir Hugh Lucas-Tooth, Mr. Temple;

So it passed in the Negative.

The Local Authorities (Land) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committal of Bills).

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Wills Bill:

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed upon Friday the 8th day of March next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Drainage Rates Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 and 2 agreed to. Bill to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the World Security Agency Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

The Oaths and Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committal of Bills).

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

—(Mr. Peel.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes before Five of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.
Television Bill. The Television Bill was, according to Order, Ways and Means, itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

Ordered, That the Proceedings of the Committee of Ways and Means be exempted, at this day’s Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee.)

Television.

Resolved, That it is expedient to authorize the inclusion, in any Act of this Session to extend the period for which the Independent Television Authority are to provide television services, of provisions authorizing or requiring the Authority to contract with programme contractors for payments to the Authority the amount and nature of which is determined by or under the Act, and provisions for any part of those payments to be remitted directly or indirectly, to the Exchequer.—(Mr. Barber.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Road Traffic.

Resolved, That the Motor Vehicles (Tests (Extension) Order 1963, dated 30th January 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 6th day of this instant February, be approved.—(Mr. Hay.)

Public Accounts.

Ordered, That Mr. Harold Wilson be discharged from the Committee of Public Accounts; and that Mr. Houghton be added to the Committee.—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. —(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twelve minutes after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.
### Business of the House (Supply).

Ordered, That this day Business other than Business of the Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Private House Bill to protect private house owners from the consequences of sub-standard building; to make compulsory the registration of all building firms; and to provide that such firms shall take out insurance policies to compensate private house owners for work not completed owing to bankruptcy: And that Mr. Robert Edwards accordingly presented a Bill to protect private house owners from (Protection) Bill 73.

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

### Civil Estimates and Estimate for the Ministry of Defence, 1963-64.

(Vote on Account.)

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding £1,654,095,100 be granted to Her Majesty, on account, for or towards defraying the charges for the following Civil Departments and the Ministry of Defence for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, viz.:

- **Civil Estimates.**
  - **Class I.**
    1. House of Lords ... ... 97,000
    2. House of Commons ... ... 580,000
    3. Treasury and Subordinate Departments ... ... 1,500,000
    4. Privy Council Office ... ... 17,000
    5. Post Office Ministers ... ... 2,500
    6. Customs and Excise ... ... 7,200,000
    7. Inland Revenue ... ... 21,000,000
    8. Exchequer and Audit Department ... ... 280,000
    9. Civil Service Commission ... ... 258,000
    10. Royal Commissions, &c. ... ... 250,000
  - **Class II.**
    1. Foreign Service ... ... 11,750,000
    2. Foreign Grants and Loans ... ... 12,500,000
    3. British Council ... ... 1,534,000
    4. Commonwealth Relations Office ... ... 7,530,000
    5. Commonwealth Grants and Loans ... ... 9,090,000
    6. Colonial Office ... ... 3,208,000
    7. Colonial Grants and Loans ... ... 5,900,000
    8. Development and Welfare (Colonial Office) ... ... 5,800,000
    9. Department of Technical Co-operation ... ... 12,000,000
    10. Central African Office ... ... 935,000
    11. Development and Welfare (Central African Office) ... ... 650,000
    12. Commonwealth War Graves Commission ... ... 405,000

The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Proceedings of the Committee.

- Standing Committee A.
  - Mr. George Thomas reported from Standing Committee A, that they had gone through the Protection of Depositors Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

- Standing Committee D.
  - Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, that they had discharged the Report of the Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.

- Standing Committee E.
  - Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the Committee.

- Standing Committee F.
  - Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

- Standing Committee G.
  - Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, that a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as follows:

- Standing Committee H.
  - The Lords have agreed to the Consolidated Fund Bill, without any Amendment.

- Standing Committee I.
  - The Lords have agreed to the National Insurance Bill, with Amendments; to which the House desire the concurrence of this House.

- Standing Committee J.
  - Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the National Insurance Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

- Standing Committee K.

- Standing Committee L.

### Consoliated Fund Bill.

- The Lords have agreed to the Consolidated Fund Bill, without any Amendment.

- National Insurance Bill.
  - The Lords have agreed to the National Insurance Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

- National Insurance Bill.
  - Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the National Insurance Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.
Class III.

1. Home Office ........................................ £2,600,000
2. Scottish Home and Health Department ................ 780,000
3. Home Office (Civil Defence Services) ................ 4,200,000
4. Scottish Home and Health Department (Civil Defence Services) ... 231,000
5. Police, England and Wales ................................ 24,650,000
6. Police, Scotland ....................................... 170,000
7. Prisons, England and Wales ................................ 800,000
8. Prisons, Scotland ....................................... 2,084,000
9. Child Care, England and Wales ......................... 200,000
10. Child Care, Scotland ................................... 200,000
11. Supreme Court of Judicature, &c., England and Wales ... 111,000
12. Scottish Supreme Court of Judicature .................. 31,000

Class IV.

1. Board of Trade ......................................... £2,230,000
2. Board of Trade (Promotion of Trade, Exports and Industrial Efficiency and Trading, &c., Services) ... 3,800,000
3. Board of Trade (Promotion of Local Employment) ......... 9,000,000
4. Export Credits ......................................... 100
5. Export Credits (Special Guarantees, &c.) ................ 8,900,000
6. Ministry of Labour ...................................... 90,000,000
7. Ministry of Aviation ..................................... 12,500,000
8. Civil Aeronautics and Air Navigational Services ......... 4,000,000
9. Ministry of Transport .................................... 1,599,000
10. Roads, &c., England and Wales ......................... 55,000,000
11. Roads, &c., Scotland ................................... 5,500,000
12. Transport (Shipping and Special Services) .............. 323,000
13. Transport (Railways and Waterways Board) .............. 60,000,000
14. Ministry of Power ...................................... 1,100,000

Class V.

1. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food ................ 7,800,000
2. Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland .... 3,000,000
3. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Grants and Subsidies) .................. 50,000,000
4. Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland (Agricultural Grants and Subsidies) ......... 4,300,000
5. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Price Guarantees) .................. 8,000,000
6. Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland (Agricultural Price Guarantees) ......... 74,000,000
7. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Price Guarantees) .................. 5,500,000
8. Food (Strategic Reserves) ................................ 800,000
9. Fishery Grants and Services ................................ 1,900,000
10. Fisheries (Scotland) and Herring Industry .............. 1,100,000
11. Forestry Commission ................................... 4,600,000

Class VI.

1. Ministry of Housing and Local Government ............... 4,500,000
2. Scottish Development Department ........................ 910,000
3. Housing, England and Wales ................................ 20,000,000
4. Housing, Scotland ...................................... 28,000,000
5. General Grants to Local Revenues, England and Wales .... 188,663,000
6. General Grants to Local Revenues, Scotland .............. 21,375,000
7. Rate Deficiency, &c., Grants to Local Revenues, England and Wales .................. 47,126,000
8. Equalisation and Transitional Grants to Local Revenues, Scotland .................. 6,948,000
9. Ministry of Education ................................... 45,000,000
10. Scottish Education Department ........................... 9,480,000
11. Ministry of Education (Teachers' Superannuation) ..... 100
12. Scottish Education Department (Teachers' Superannuation) .................. 100
13. Ministry of Health ..................................... 1,550,000
14. National Health Service ................................. 54,000,000
15. National Health Service (Executive Councils' Services), England and Wales ...... 156,300,000
16. Miscellaneous Health and Welfare Services, England and Wales .................. 14,079,000
17. National Health Service (Superannuation, &c.), England and Wales ...... 100
18. National Health Service, Scotland ....................... 29,000,000
19. National Health Service (Superannuation, &c.), Scotland ...... 100
20. Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance ............ 2,800,000
21. National Insurance ...................................... 73,250,000
22. Family Allowances ..................................... 49,500,000
23. National Assistance Board ................................ 77,500,000
24. War Pensions, &c. ..................................... 38,750,000

Class VII.

1. Universities and Colleges, &c., Great Britain ........ 36,000,000
2. Office of the Minister for Science ......................... 50,000
3. Atomic Energy ......................................... 40,000,000
4. Department of Scientific and Industrial Research .... 6,700,000
5. Medical Research Council ................................ 2,450,000
6. Agricultural Research Council ........................... 2,462,000
7. Nature Conservancy .................................... 138,000
8. Grants for Science ...................................... 175,000

Class VIII.

1. British Museum ......................................... 481,000
2. British Museum (Natural Subsidy) ......................... 220,000
3. Science Museum ........................................ 125,000
4. Victoria and Albert Museum ................................ 225,000
5. Imperial War Museum .................................... 27,000
6. London Museum ......................................... 20,000
7. National Gallery ........................................ 169,000
8. National Maritime Museum ................................ 40,000
9. National Portrait Gallery ................................. 15,000
10. Tate Gallery ............................................ 56,000
11. Wallace Collection ...................................... 20,000
12. Royal Scottish Museum .................................. 50,000
13. National Galleries of Scotland ......................... 47,000
14. National Library of Scotland ............................ 46,000
15. National Museum of Antiquities of Scotland .......... 13,000
16. Grants for the Arts ...................................... 2,000,000

Class IX.

1. Ministry of Public Building and Works .................. 8,780,000
2. Public Buildings, &c., United Kingdom ................ 13,663,000
3. Public Buildings Overseas ................................ 1,772,000
4. Works and Buildings for the Admiralty ................. 6,507,000
5. Works and Buildings for the War Office ................. 20,631,000

26th February 1963
The Order of the day being read, for the British
Second Reading of the British Railways Bill;
and a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out the word "now" and, at the end of the Question, adding the words "upon this day six months"—(Mr. Dugdale.)

And the Question being put, That the word "now" stand part of the Question:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was read a second time and committed.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. MacArthur);
and it being ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Michael Hamilton.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till sixteen minutes after Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Tuesday, 26th February, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Television Bill to Standing Committee B.

No. 66.]

Wednesday, 27th February, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for Colne Valley, in the room of the Right Honourable William George Glenvil Hall, deceased.—(Mr. Bowden.)

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Report by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food of proceedings for the year ended the 31st day of January 1963 under the General Pier and Harbour Acts 1861-1915.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
London Traffic.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 18th February 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes (Leyton) Regulations 1963. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Ancient Monuments.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of an Order, dated 15th February 1963, entitled the Waverley Abbey Preservation Order, 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Public Building and Works under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Acquisition of Land.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of an Order, dated 28th April 1960, entitled the Freebridge Lynn Rural District Council No. 1 (West Winch Compulsory Purchase Order) 1960, with a Certificate by the Minister of Housing and Local Government under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London County Council (Improvements) Bill.

Mr. Attorney General presented, pursuant to the Standing Order relating to Private Business (Bills affecting charities or educational foundations).—Report on the London County Council (Improvements) Bill.

Universities of Durham and Newcastle upon Tyne Bill.

Report on the Universities of Durham and Newcastle upon Tyne Bill. Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

BP Refinery (Kwinana) Bill.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the BP Refinery (Kwinana) Bill, That they had examined the allegations contained in the Preamble of the Bill, and amended the same so as to make it consistent with the facts as proved by the evidence adduced, and found the same, as amended, to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had amended the Title, as follows:—Title amended. A Bill to provide for the removal of restrictions attaching to the Beechen Grove Chapel Burial Ground in the borough of Watford; to authorise the use of the said burial ground for building or otherwise; and for other purposes; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read. Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table. Ordered, That the Report be printed.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House) Bill, That they had examined the allegations contained in the Preamble of the Bill, and amended the same so as to make it consistent with the facts as proved by the evidence adduced, and found the same, as amended, to be true; and had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Shell Chemicals Distributing Company of Egypt Bill.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Shell Chemicals Distributing Company of Egypt Bill, That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment; Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House) Bill, That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House) Bill, That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had made Fifth Report, further Progress in the matter to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report so much of the Minutes of the further Evidence taken before Sub-Committee G as had been reported by them to the Committee, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read. Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had made Fifth Report, further Progress in the matter to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Sub-Committee B and reported by them to the Committee, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read. Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Peter Ager reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee A in respect of the British Museum Bill, viz.: Sir Cyril Black, Mr. du Cann, Mr. Ede, Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Ian Fraser, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Irving, Sir Hamilton Kerr, Mr. MacDermot, Mr. Moon, Dr. Rees-Davies, Mr. Anthony Royle, Dr. Stross, Mr. Edwin Taylor, Mr. Frank Taylor, Mr. Temple, Sir Richard Thompson, Mrs. White, Mr. Woollam, and Mr. William Yates.
Standing Committee B.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Forty Members to serve on Standing Committee B, in respect of the Television Bill, viz.: Mr. Abel, Lord Balniel, Mr. Barnett, Mr. Bevis, Mr. Biffen, Mr. Box, Mr. Carmichael, Mr. Chancellor, Mr. Chapman, Mr. de Ferranti, Mr. Nest Edwards, Mr. Gibson-Watt, Mr. Goodhew, Mr. Hastings, Mr. Hirst, Mr. Holland, Mr. James, Mr. Johnson Smith, Mr. McLaren, Mr. Marsh, Mr. Mason, Mr. Matthews, Mr. Mills, Sir HarmanNicholls, Mr. Francis Noël-Baker, Captain Orr, Miss Pike, Sir Leslie Plumer, Mr. Goronwy Roberts, Mr. Spring, Mr. Thorpe, Mr. Tiley, Mr. Tomney, Sir Waynel Wakefield, Mr. John Wells, Mr. Wiles, Mr. Willey, Mr. Winterbottom, Mr. Worsley, and Mr. Victor Yates.

Standing Committee C.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Thirty-five Members to serve on Standing Committee C, in respect of the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill, viz.: Mr. Ainslie, Mr. Biggs-Davison, Sir Cyril Black, Mr. Bourne-Arton, Mr. Brine, Wing Commander Bulsara, Mr. Cordle, Mr. Doughty, Mr. Dugdale, Mr. Nest Edwards, Mr. Michael Foot, Mr. Glyn, Mr. Grey, Mr. Hendry, Mr. Iremonger, Mr. Lipson, Sir Hugh Lucas-Tooth, Sir Stephen Mc>Adden, Mr. Maginnis, Mr. Morris, Mr. Parker, Mr. Partridge, Mr. Probert, Mr. Ridley, Mr. Julius Silverman, Mr. Taverne, Mr. Ian Wakeham, Mr. van Straubenzee, Miss Pickers, Mr. Weitzman, Mrs. White, Mr. Dudley Williams, Mr. Llewelyn Williams, Sir Gerald Willis, and Mr. Woodhouse.

Standing Committee D.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had discharged from Standing Committee D Mr. Charles Pannell nominated in respect of the Contracts of Employment Bill; and had appointed in substitution Mr. Rankin.

Standing Committee C.

Sir Norman Hulbert reported from Standing Committee C, that they had gone through the Oil in Navigable Waters Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 17th day of May next.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Welsh Grand Committee.

Mr. George Thomas reported from the Welsh Grand Committee, that they had considered the matter of Industry and Employment in Wales and Monmouthshire, referred to them on the 20th day of this instant February, and had directed him to report accordingly to the House.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, that a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Scottish Pulp Mill (Water Supply) Order Confirmation Bill, without any Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of March next.

The Order for reading a second time, upon Friday next, the National Insurance Act 1957 (Amendment) Bill, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 8th day of March next.

The Children and Young Persons Bill was accordingly presented a Bill to make further provision with respect to the allowing of free travel or reduced fares on public service vehicles run by local authorities; and for purposes connected therewith: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of March next and to be printed.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on consideration of the Amendments made by the Lords to the National Insurance Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House)—(Mr. Secretary Brooke).

Mr. Secretary Brooke, by Her Majesty's Children and Young Persons Command, acquainted the House, that Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Children and Young Persons [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session to amend the law relating to children and young persons, it is expedient to authorize—
(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of—
(ii) any expenses incurred by the Secretary of State in conducting or assisting other persons in conducting research into any matter connected with
his functions or the functions of local authorities under the Children and Young Persons Acts 1933 to 1956, the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts 1937 and 1956, the Children Act 1948, the Children Act 1958 or the said Act of this Session, or any matter connected with the adoption of children; and

(ii) any administrative expenses incurred by the Secretary of State under the said Act of this Session;

(iii) any increase attributable to the said Act of this Session in the sums payable out of moneys provided by Parliament by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland; and

(c) any increase in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under the said enactments in respect of general grants which may arise—

(i) from the inclusion, in the expenditure relevant to the fixing of the aggregate amounts of those grants, of expenditure under the said Act of this Session; and

(ii) from any provision of that Act authorising the variation of any general grant order made before the commencement of that Act for a grant period ending after the commencement of that Act so as to take account of additional expenditure incurred or likely to be incurred by local authorities in consequence of the passing of that Act—

(Mr. Secretary Brooke)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Mr. Finlay reported from the Committee of Ways and Means of the 25th day of this instant February, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

Television.

That it is expedient to authorise the inclusion, in any Act of this Session to extend the period for which the Independent Television Authority are to provide television services, of provisions authorising or requiring the Authority to contract with programme contractors for payments to the Authority the amount and nature of which is determined by or under the Act, and provisions for any part of those payments to be remitted directly or indirectly, to the Exchequer.

The said Resolution being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

Mr. Finlay reported from the Committee on Criminal Justice (Scotland) (Money), a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to amend the law of Scotland relating to the imprisonment and detention of offenders and other persons, to make further provision as to the treatment of prisoners and other persons committed to custody, including provision for their supervision within the British Islands after discharge, to alter the law relating to legal aid in criminal proceedings and to provide for the appointment of additional judges of the Court of Session, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session in the sums payable under any other enactment out of the moneys so provided;

(b) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase that may arise in the sums required to meet payments out of the Legal Aid (Scotland) Fund by reason of any amendment altering the procedure under section 2 of the Legal Aid (Scotland) Act 1949 for determining financial eligibility for legal aid in criminal proceedings;

(c) the charging on and issue out of the Consolidated Fund, and the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament, of any increase in the sums required respectively to be charged on and issued out of that Fund, or to be paid out of moneys so provided, which is attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session increasing the maximum number of judges of the Court of Session who may be appointed.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Mr. Finlay reported from the Committee on Criminal Justice (Scotland) (Money), a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

Television.

That it is expedient to authorise the inclusion, in any Act of this Session to extend the period for which the Independent Television Authority are to provide television services, of provisions authorising or requiring the Authority to contract with programme contractors for payments to the Authority the amount and nature of which is determined by or under the Act, and provisions for any part of those payments to be remitted directly or indirectly, to the Exchequer.

The said Resolution being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.
Mr. Niall Macpherson, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Local Authorities (Land) [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committee), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make amendments of the law relating to functions of local authorities in relation to land to the like effect as those commonly made in local Acts; to enable local authorities to provide accommodation for keeping motor vehicles; to amend the provisions of the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949 relating to the treatment of derelict land; to amend the law with respect to the powers of municipal boroughs to use the general rate fund and borrow for non-statutory purposes; to apply Part II of the Town and Country Planning Act 1959 to corporate land; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under any other enactment.—Mr. Niall Macpherson.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till fourteen minutes before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Wednesday, 27th February, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (i) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Charles Royde Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the British Museum Bill, Mr. Arbuthnot Chairman of Standing Committee B in respect of the Television Bill, and Mr. Bowes Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Account, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Account of the Sums issued out of and received from the Consolidated Fund and of the Sums received from the National Coal Board in respect of Interest and Repayment of Advances and Recoupment of Crown Expenses and Liabilities, under the Coal Industry Nationalisation Act 1946, and of the Disposal of those Sums respectively, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Account be printed.

Six Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee B Mr. Biffen, Mr. Gibson-Watt and Mr. Holland (nominated in respect of the Television Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Bishop, Mr. Robert Cooke, and Mr. Partridge.

Six Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had discharged from Standing Committee C Sir Hugh Lucas-Tooth and Mr. Partridge (nominated in respect of the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Holland and Mr. James.

Six Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had discharged from Standing Committee D Mr. Robert Carr and Mr. Critchley (nominated in respect of the Contracts of Employment Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Rees-Davies and Mr. Dudley Smith.

Six Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had nominated Thirty Members to serve on the Scottish Standing Committee in respect of the Education (Scottish Home and Health Services) Bill, viz.: Mr. Baxter, Mr. James Bennett, Mr. Brewis, Mr. Campbell, the Earl of Dalkeith, Mr. Dempsey, Commander Donaldson, Sir Myer Gaifer, Sir John Gourley, Mr. Gourley, Mr. William Hamilton, Mr. Hannan, Miss Harvie Anderson, Mr. John Henderson, Mr. Hendry, Miss Herbon, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Lawson, Mr. Lilley, Mr. MacArthur, Sir Fitzroy Maclean, Mr. John MacLennan, Mr. Millan, Mr. Rose, Mr. Small, Mr. Stodart, Mr. Thomson, Sir Colin Thomson-Kemsley, Lady Tweedsmuir, and Mr. Wodrige-Gordon.

Ordered, That this day Business other than the Business of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Mr. Campbell reported from the Committee of Supply of the 26th day of this instant February, a Resolution; which was read, as Followeth:

Civil Estimates and Estimate for the Ministry of Defence, 1963-64.

(Vote on Account.)

That a sum not exceeding £1,654,095,100 be granted to Her Majesty, on account, for or towards defraying the charges for the following Civil Departments and the Ministry of Defence for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, viz.:

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2. House of Commons... ... 580,000
3. Treasury and Subordinate Departments ... ... 1,500,000
4. Privy Council Office... ... 17,000
5. Post Office Ministers... ... 2,500
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12. Commonwealth War Graves Commission ... ... 405,000

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| 1. Board of Trade  | £ 2,230,000 |
| 2. Board of Trade (Promotion of Trade, Exports and Industrial Efficiency and Trading Services) | £ 3,800,000 |
| 3. Board of Trade (Promotion of Local Employment) | £ 9,000,000 |
| 4. Export Credits | £ 1,000 |
| 5. Export Credits (Special Guarantees, &c.) | £ 100 |
| 6. Ministry of Labour | £ 8,904,000 |
| 7. Ministry of Aviation | £ 90,000,000 |
| 8. Ministry of Aviation (Purchasing (Repayment) Services) | £ 12,500,000 |
| 9. Civil Aviation and Air Navigational Services | £ 4,000,000 |
| 10. Ministry of Transport | £ 5,500,000 |
| 11. Roads, &c., England and Wales | £ 5,500,000 |
| 12. Roads, &c., Scotland | £ 5,500,000 |
| 13. Transport (Shipping and Special Services) | £ 323,000 |
| 14. Transport (Railways and Waterways Board) | £ 60,000,000 |
| 15. Ministry of Power | £ 1,100,000 |

### Class V.

| 1. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food | £ 7,800,000 |
| 2. Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland | £ 3,000,000 |
| 3. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Grants and Subsidies) | £ 50,000,000 |
| 4. Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland (Agricultural Grants and Subsidies) | £ 4,300,000 |
| 5. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Price Guarantees) | £ 74,000,000 |
| 6. Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland (Agricultural Price Guarantees) | £ 8,000,000 |
| 7. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural and Food Services) | £ 5,500,000 |
| 8. Food (Strategic Reserve) | £ 1,599,000 |
| 9. Fisheries Grants and Services | £ 1,900,000 |
| 10. Fisheries (Scotland) and Herring Industry | £ 1,100,000 |
| 11. Forestry Commission | £ 4,600,000 |

### Class VI.

| 1. Ministry of Housing and Local Government | £ 4,500,000 |
| 2. Scottish Development Department | £ 910,000 |
| 3. Housing, England and Wales | £ 28,000,000 |
| 4. Housing, Scotland | £ 9,000,000 |
| 5. General Grants to Local Revenues, England and Wales | £ 188,653,000 |
| 6. General Grants to Local Revenues, Scotland | £ 21,375,000 |
| 7. Rate Deficiency, &c., Grants to Local Revenues, England and Wales | £ 47,126,000 |
| 8. Equalisation and Transitional Grants to Local Revenues, Scotland | £ 6,940,000 |
| 9. Ministry of Education | £ 45,000,000 |
| 10. Scottish Education Department | £ 9,480,000 |
| 11. Ministry of Education (Teachers' Superannuation) | £ 100 |
| 12. Scottish Education Department (Teachers' Superannuation) | £ 100 |
| 13. Ministry of Health | £ 1,550,000 |
| 14. National Health Service, &c., (Hospital Services, &c.), England and Wales | £ 156,300,000 |
| 15. National Health Service (Executive Councils' Services), England and Wales | £ 54,000,000 |
| 16. Miscellaneous Health and Welfare Services, England and Wales | £ 14,079,000 |
| 17. National Health Service (Superannuation, &c.), England and Wales | £ 100 |
| 18. National Health Service, &c., Scotland | £ 29,000,000 |
| 19. National Health Service (Superannuation, &c.), Scotland | £ 100 |
| 20. Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance | £ 2,800,000 |
| 21. National Insurance | £ 73,250,000 |
| 22. Family Allowances | £ 49,500,000 |
| 23. National Assistance Board | £ 77,500,000 |
| 24. War Pensions, &c. | £ 38,750,000 |

### Class VII.

1. Universities and Colleges, &c., Great Britain | £ 36,000,000 |
2. Office of the Minister for Science | £ 50,000 |
3. Atomic Energy | £ 40,000,000 |
4. Department of Scientific and Industrial Research | £ 6,700,000 |
5. Medical Research Council | £ 2,450,000 |
6. Agricultural Research Council | £ 2,462,000 |
7. Nature Conservancy | £ 250,000 |
8. Grants for Science | £ 175,000 |

### Class VIII.

| 1. British Museum | £ 481,000 |
| 2. British Museum (Natural History) | £ 220,000 |
| 3. Science Museum | £ 125,000 |
| 4. Victoria and Albert Museum | £ 225,000 |
| 5. Imperial War Museum | £ 27,000 |
| 6. London Museum | £ 20,000 |
| 7. National Gallery | £ 169,000 |
| 8. National Maritime Museum | £ 40,000 |
| 9. National Portrait Gallery | £ 16,000 |
| 10. Tate Gallery | £ 56,000 |
| 11. Wallace Collection | £ 20,000 |
| 12. Royal Scottish Museum | £ 50,000 |
| 13. National Galleries of Scotland | £ 47,000 |
| 14. National Library of Scotland | £ 46,000 |
| 15. National Museum of Antiquities of Scotland | £ 13,000 |
| 16. Grants for the Arts | £ 2,000,000 |

### Class IX.

| 1. Ministry of Public Building and Works | £ 8,780,000 |
| 2. Public Buildings, &c., United Kingdom | £ 13,663,000 |
| 3. Public Buildings Overseas | £ 1,772,000 |
| 4. Works and Buildings for the Admiralty | £ 6,207,000 |
| 5. Works and Buildings for the War Office | £ 26,631,000 |
| 6. Works and Buildings for the Air Ministry | £ 15,815,000 |
| 7. Houses of Parliament Buildings | £ 158,000 |
| 8. Royal Palaces | £ 260,000 |
| 9. Royal Parks and Pleasure Gardens | £ 457,000 |
| 10. Historic Buildings and Ancient Monuments | £ 443,000 |
| 11. Rates on Government Property | £ 11,500,000 |
| 12. Stationery and Printing | £ 8,200,000 |
| 13. Central Office of Information | £ 2,050,000 |
| 14. Government Actuary | £ 19,000 |
| 15. Government Hospitality | £ 70,000 |
| 16. National Insurance | £ 90,000,000 |
| 17. Post Office Superannuation, &c. | £ 100 |
A Message was delivered by Lieutenant-General Sir Brian Horrocks, K.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., M.C.

Mr. Speaker reported from the Committee on Children and Young Persons (Money), a Resolution; which was read, as follows:

That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session, or any matter connected with the adoption of children and young persons, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of—

(i) any expenses incurred by the Secretary of State in conducting or assisting other persons in conducting research into any matter connected with his functions or the functions of local authorities under the Children and Young Persons Acts 1953 to 1956, the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts 1937 and 1956, the Children Act 1948, the Children Act 1958 or the said Acts of this Session, or any matter connected with the adoption of children; and

(ii) any administrative expenses incurred by the Secretary of State under the said Act of this Session;

(b) any increase attributable to the said Act of this Session in the sums payable out of moneys provided by Parliament by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland; and

(c) any increase in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under the said enactments in respect of general grants which may arise—

(i) from the inclusion, in the expenditure relevant to the fixing of the aggregate amounts of those grants, of expenditure under the said Act of this Session; and

(ii) from the inclusion, in the expenditure relevant to the fixing of the aggregate amounts of those grants, of expenditure under any other Act of this Session, or any other matter connected with the adoption of children and young persons;

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. John Hill)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Purchase Tax Bill [ Lords] was, according to Order, read a second time.

Resolved, That the Police Pensions (Amendment of Police Regulations) Act 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 19th day of this instant February, be approved.—(Mr. Woodhouse.)

Mr. Ian Fraser reported from the Committee on Children and Young Persons (Money), a Resolution; which was read, as follows:

That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session, or any matter connected with the adoption of children and young persons, it is expedient to authorise—

(a) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of—

(i) any expenses incurred by the Secretary of State in conducting or assisting other persons in conducting research into any matter connected with his functions or the functions of local authorities under the Children and Young Persons Acts 1953 to 1956, the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts 1937 and 1956, the Children Act 1948, the Children Act 1958 or the said Acts of this Session, or any matter connected with the adoption of children; and

(ii) any administrative expenses incurred by the Secretary of State under the said Act of this Session;

(b) any increase attributable to the said Act of this Session in the sums payable out of moneys provided by Parliament by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland; and

(c) any increase in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under the said enactments in respect of general grants which may arise—

(i) from the inclusion, in the expenditure relevant to the fixing of the aggregate amounts of those grants, of expenditure under the said Act of this Session; and

(ii) from the inclusion, in the expenditure relevant to the fixing of the aggregate amounts of those grants, of expenditure under any other Act of this Session, or any other matter connected with the adoption of children and young persons;
The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

M R. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 1st March 1963, relative to the gift of scientific equipment to certain British Universities and Colleges.

Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Statement of a Guarantee given by the Treasury on the 11th day of February 1963 on Loans proposed to be raised by the National Coal Board.

Copy of an Order, dated 26th February 1963, entitled the Import Duty Drawbacks (No. 1) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 26th February 1963, entitled the Import Duties (Temporary Exceptions) (No. 1) Order 1963.

Copy of Rules, dated 26th February 1963, entitled the Superannuation (Allocation of Pension) (Amendment) (No. 2) Rules 1963.

Statement of a Guarantee given by the Treasury on the 18th day of February 1963, on Loans proposed to be raised by the British Railways Board.

Ordered, that the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 20th February 1963, entitled the London Parking Zones (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, that the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, that they had discharged from the Scottish Standing Committee Commander Donaldson (nominated in respect of the Education (Scotland) Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Galbraith.

Resolved, that this House, believing that an efficient and modern horticultural industry is essential for the supply of high quality fresh and reasonably priced fruit and vegetables, calls upon Her Majesty's Government to assist the reorganisation of wholesale markets, to encourage standard grades and to reaffirm its determination to protect the industry from unfair competition by imports.—(Mr. John Wells.)

Resolved, that this House commends the Civil Defence work of the 600,000 men and women engaged in Civil Defence in Great Britain, believes they have a vital and effective part to play in the defence forces of these islands even in a nuclear age, and welcomes the reorganisation of the Civil Defence Corps as leading to a more efficient and balanced force.—(Mr. van Straubenzee.)

The Order of the day being read, for the World Security Agency Bill; and the Question having been proposed thereupon;

Ordered, that the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Francis Pearson):—And a Debate arising thereon;

And the Question having been proposed after Four of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-nine minutes before Five of the clock, till Monday next.

PRAYERS.


Ordered, that the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

M R. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Statement of a Guarantee given by the Treasury on the 18th day of February 1963, on Loans proposed to be raised by the British Railways Board.

Ordered, that the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Papers relating to Coal Industry and Transport be printed.
Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order in Council, entitled the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) Order 1963.  

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 22nd February 1963, entitled the Cycle Racing on Highways (Special Authorisation) Regulations 1963.  

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 1st March 1963, entitled the National Insurance Act 1963 (Commencement Order 1963).


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Attorney General presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Copy of the Seventh Report (Law of Domicile) of the Private International Law Committee.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Account, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Account prepared pursuant to subsection (7) of Section 42 of the Finance Act 1956, of the Sums received by the Minister of Aviation from the Consolidated Fund and from the British European Airways Corporation and the British Overseas Airways Corporation in respect of Interest and Repayment of Advances and of the disposal of those Sums respectively, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Controller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Account be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee B Lord Balniel and Miss Pike (nominated in respect of the Television Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Critchley and Mr. Mawby.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had discharged from Standing Committee C Mr. Maginnis (nominated in respect of the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Solicitor General.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had discharged from Standing Committee F Mr. Fletcher-Cooke (nominated in respect of the London Government Bill (except Clause No. 1 and Schedule No. 1)); and had appointed in substitution Miss Pike.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House approves the Statement on Defence, 1963, contained in Command Paper No. 1936—(Mr. Thorneycroft);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word “House” to the end of the Question and adding the words “has no confidence in a Government whose defence policies have collapsed repeatedly over eleven years and which now presents no policy to justify asking the taxpayers for the biggest defence expenditure in the peacetime history of Great Britain”—(Mr. Healey)—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.  

—(Mr. Peel).

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-eight minutes after Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Blackburn Chairman of the Scottish Standing Committee in respect of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill in place of Mr. Grant-Ferris.
The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Statement of the Sums required to be voted in order to make good Excesses on certain grants for Civil Services for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Statement of Excesses and the said Estimate be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copies of Orders by Her Majesty, dated 22nd February 1963,—

(1) to amend certain Orders concerning retired pay, pensions, and other grants for officers, nurses, and airmen disabled and for the widows and children of officers and airmen deceased, in consequence of service during the 1914 World War, and

(2) to amend the Order in Council of the 29th day of September 1949 concerning retired pay, pensions and other grants for members of the Naval Forces and of the Nursing and Auxiliary Services thereof disabled, and for the widows, children, parents and other dependants of such members deceased, in consequence of service after the 2nd day of September 1939.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 27th February 1963, entitled the Pitcairn (Amendment) Order in Council 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Enroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Review of the Report of the Trent River Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Trent River Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Census of Population.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Census of Production for 1958, Part 135, Summary Tables 12-19.

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Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Census of Production for 1958, Part 135, Summary Tables 12-19.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Census of Population.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
of the Military Forces and of the Nursing and Auxiliary Services thereof disabled, and for the widows, children, parents and other dependants of such members deceased, in consequence of service after the 2nd day of September 1939.

Mr. Niall Macpherson also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, a copy of a Scheme, dated 25th February 1963, entitled the Personal Injuries (Civilians) (Amendment) Scheme 1963.

**Ordered.** That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of a Measure, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

**Scheme for effecting the union of the benefices and parishes of Sheerness and Saint Paul, Sheerness, in the Diocese of Canterbury, and for authorising the taking down of the Church of Saint Paul, Sheerness, and the sale of the site and materials thereof.**

Mr. Iain Macleod reported from the Select Committee on Procedure, that they had considered the matter of the rule relating to reference in this House to matters considered as sub judice, being a matter relating to the procedure in the public business of the House to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

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Ordered. That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

**Commonwealth Immigrants (Amendment).**

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to amend Sections 7 and 12 of the Commonwealth Immigrants Act 1962—(Mr. Norman Pannell);

And the Motion being opposed, after a brief explanatory statement from the Member who made the Motion and from a Member who opposed it, Mr. Speaker put the Question, pursuant to the Standing Order (Motions for leave to bring in Bills and nomination of Select Committees at commencement of Public Business);

The House divided, The Yeas to the Right; The Noes to the Left. Tellers for the (Mr. Chichester-Clark), Yes, {Mr. Finlay: 333.}

So it passed in the Negative.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Order, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, without Amendment.

Mr. Campbell reported from the Committee Local on Local Authorities (Land) [Money], a Authorities (Land) [Money], Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

**That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make amendments of the law relating to functions of local authorities in relation to land to the like effect as those commonly made in local Acts; to enable local authorities to provide accommodation for

Government whose defence policies have collapsed repeatedly over eleven years and which now presents no policy to justify asking the taxpayers for the biggest defence expenditure in the peacetime history of Great Britain";—instead thereof.

And the Question being again proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put:

The House divided. The Yea to the Right;
The Noe to the Left. Tellers for the (Mr. Chichester-Clark), Yes, {Mr. Finlay: 237.}

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Resolved, That this House approves the Statement on Defence, 1963, contained in Command Paper No. 1936.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Business of Purchase Tax Bill [Lords.] be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House)—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

The House, according to Order, resolved Purchase Tax itself into a Committee on the Purchase Tax Bill [Lords.]

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 to 42 agreed to. Schedules Nos. 1 to 5 agreed to. Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, without Amendment.

Mr. Campbell reported from the Committee Local on Local Authorities (Land) [Money], a Authorities (Land) [Money], Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

**That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make amendments of the law relating to functions of local authorities in relation to land to the like effect as those commonly made in local Acts; to enable local authorities to provide accommodation for...**
keeping motor vehicles; to amend the provisions of the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949 relating to the treatment of derelict land; to amend the law with respect to the powers of municipal boroughs to use the general rate fund and borrow for non-statutory purposes; to apply Part II of the Town and Country Planning Act 1959 to corporate land; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the provisions of the said Act of the present Session in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under any other enactment.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Campbell):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then one minute before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

[No. 71.1]

Wednesday, 6th March, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

A PUBLIC Petition from Blyth for the retention and expansion of the present hospital facilities was presented and read; and ordered to lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Copy of the Report of the Royal Commission on the Ancient and Historical Monuments and Constructions of England on Monuments Threatened or Destroyed, 1956-62.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Ancient Monuments (Scotland).

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Copy of the Report of the Royal Commission on the Ancient and Historical Monuments of Scotland, on the Ancient and Historical Monuments of Stirlingshire.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Ancient Monuments.

Mr. Thornycroft presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Account of the Disposal of Surplus United States Mutual Defence Programme Equipment for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Account do lie upon the Table.

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Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee B Mr. Marsh (re-nominated in respect of the Television Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. William Richard Williams.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Standing Committee C, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee D in respect of the Animal Boarding Establishments Bill, viz.: Mr. Bevans, Mr. Frederick Bewes, Mr. Commander Bullis, Mr. William Clark, Mrs. Emmet, Lady Gammans, Mr. Grey, Mr. David Griffiths, Mr. Hayman, Mr. Hutton, Mr. Kenyon, Mr. Kinball, Mr. Maddan, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Morris, Mr. Henry Price, Mr. Prior, Sir William Robson-Brown, Mr. Skeffington, and Mr. Woodhouse.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Standing Committee E, That they had nominated Thirty Members to serve on Standing Committee F in respect of the Children and Young Persons Bill (Lords), viz.: Miss Bacon, Mr. Bourne-Arton, Mr. Secretary Brooke, Mr. Brooman-White, Mr. Alan Brown, Mr. Dijevski, Mr. Stephen Davies, Mr. Farr, Mr. Fitch, Mr. Honan, Mr. Horrocks, Mr. Charles Howell, Sir Barnett Janover, Mr. Jeger, Mr. Jenkins, Dr. Johnson, Mr. Eric Johnson, Commander Kerans, Mr. Lovesey, Mr. MacColl, Mr. Maurice Macmillan, Mr. Mapp, Mr. Peel, Miss Pike, Sir Peter Roberts, Mr. Charles Royle, Mrs. Slater, Miss Vickers, Mr. Weitzman, and Sir Gerald Wiles.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by the Lord Chief Justice of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have appointed Three Lords to North Derbyshire Water Board Order 1962 (Petitions for Amendment of the North Derbyshire Water Bill Order 1962, which stand referred to a Joint Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to repeal section 330 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1947—(Mr. Wills); and the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker put the Question, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then one minute before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left;

Tellers for the [Mr. Steele, Mr. Mansell;]

Tellers for the [Mr. Galbraith;]

So it passed in the Negative.

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee;
Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 58, page 43, lines 19 and 21; and the proposed Clause (Provisions for securing discharge of local authorities’ duties in uniform manner), standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Hare.—(Mr. Hare.)

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 58 amended and agreed to.

A Clause (Provisions for securing discharge of local authorities’ duties in uniform manner)—(Mr. Hare)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, that the Committee had made further Amendments and added a Clause to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Clause (Sitting facilities)—(Mr. Hare)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Seats for sedentary work)—(Mr. Hare)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Eating facilities)—(Mr. Hare)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Accommodation for clothing)—(Mr. Hare)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Avoidance of exposure of young persons to danger in cleaning machinery)—(Mr. Hare)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Minister to report to Parliament)—(Mr. Hare)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Provision of means of escape in case of fire)—(Mr. Whitelaw)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Exclusion of application of certain provisions to certain fuel storage premises and modification thereof in relation to others)—(Mr. Hare)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Provision with respect to contiguous fuel storage premises in single ownership)—(Mr. Whitelaw)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Duty of appropriate authority, if not concerned with construction of buildings, to consult authority so concerned before requiring alterations to be made)—(Mr. Whitelaw)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Exclusion of application to premises occupied for transitory purposes)—(Mr. Whitelaw)—was twice read and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Appeal from refusal of court to make order)—(Mr. Temple); And the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—The said Motion and Clause were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 3, line 1, by leaving out the words "This Act" and inserting the words "The provisions of this Act (other than those contained in sections 15, 16, 17, 20, 25 to 34, 53 and 54)"—(Mr. Prestice); instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words "This Act" stand part of the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left;

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Rees; Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Grey: 
189.
150.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 4, by leaving out lines 18 to 21.—(Mr. Padley.)

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "a" in line 18, stand part of the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left;

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. MacArthur; Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Grey: 
185.
145.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then another Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 4, line 21, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words "and (c) shall not, in the case of a room comprised in or constituting premises of any class (being a room which at the passing of this Act is comprised in, or constitutes premises to which this Act applies), have effect until the expiration of the period of three years following the passing of this Act,"—(Mr. Hare.);

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill;

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the proposed Amendment, in line 8, by leaving out the words "three years" and inserting the words "one year"—(Mr. Padley),

—instead thereof.
And the Question being put, That the words "three years" stand part of the proposed Amendment; the House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the [Mr. Rees, 184.
Mr. MacArthur;]
Yeas,

Tellers for the [Mr. Charles Howell, 144.
Mr. McCann;]
Noes,

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the proposed words were there inserted in the Bill.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 9, line 5, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(2) Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing subsection, no dangerous part of any machinery shall be deemed to be securely fenced unless the fencing or guard provided is effective to prevent injury to every person working in the premises through the ejection of materials or of parts of the machinery or through clothing or tools or any other things attached to or held by persons working in the premises coming into contact with that part:

Provided that where the only risk of injury through the ejection of materials is a risk of injury to the eyes, the requirements of the foregoing subsection shall be deemed to be complied with so far as that risk is concerned if suitable goggles or effective screens are provided to protect the eyes of persons who are subject to that risk."—(Mr. MacDermot.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill;—

And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on Government Business be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Hare.)

The Question being again proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill:—

The House resumed the adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put;—

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the [Dr. Broughton, 133.
Mr. Grey;]
Yeas,

Tellers for the [Mr. John Hill, 180.
Mr. McLaren;]
Noes,

So it passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 13, by leaving out lines 35 to 42 and inserting the words "the person in charge of each first-aid-box or cupboard required to be provided in accordance with the provisions of this section must be trained in first-aid treatment and one such person must always be available during working hours in respect of not less than three of such first-aid boxes or cupboards required by this section to be provided in the said premises"—(Mr. Carol Johnson), instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 17, line 2, by leaving out from the word "and" to the end of line 4 and inserting the words "must be accompanied by such plans as the Minister shall, by regulation, prescribe"—(Mr. Carol Johnson), instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 18, line 27, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(2) Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing subsection, no dangerous part of any machinery shall be deemed to be securely fenced unless the fencing or guard provided is effective to prevent injury to every person working in the premises through the ejection of materials or of parts of the machinery or through clothing or tools or any other things attached to or held by persons working in the premises coming into contact with that part:

Provided that where the only risk of injury through the ejection of materials is a risk of injury to the eyes, the requirements of the foregoing subsection shall be deemed to be complied with so far as that risk is concerned if suitable goggles or effective screens are provided to protect the eyes of persons who are subject to that risk."—(Mr. MacDermot.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—

The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 34, line 17, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(2) Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing subsection, no dangerous part of any machinery shall be deemed to be securely fenced unless the fencing or guard provided is effective to prevent injury to every person working in the premises through the ejection of materials or of parts of the machinery or through clothing or tools or any other things attached to or held by persons working in the premises coming into contact with that part:

Provided that where the only risk of injury through the ejection of materials is a risk of injury to the eyes, the requirements of the foregoing subsection shall be deemed to be complied with so far as that risk is concerned if suitable goggles or effective screens are provided to protect the eyes of persons who are subject to that risk."—(Mr. MacDermot.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—

The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 35, line 35, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(6) The foregoing provision of this Act and regulations thereunder shall as regards premises licensed for public entertainment be enforceable by the authority which has licensed such premises for public entertainment"—(Mr. Graham Page.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.
And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Thursday morning:

Thursday, 7th March, 1963.

Other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 39, line 19, by inserting, after the word "any", the word "civil".—(Mr. MacDermot.)

And the Question being proposed, That the word "civil" be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 39, line 38, by inserting, after the word "particulars", the words "of any exemption granted under section 38 and the grounds thereof and":—(Mr. Prentice.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

A Motion being made, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. Hare, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Undertaking between the Secretary of State for Scotland and Messrs. Bremner and Company, Shipowners.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Statement on Exchequer Payments in aid of Schemes for Agriculture in Northern Ireland for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 1st March 1963, entitled the National Coal Board (Valuation) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Copy of an Order, dated 1st March 1963, entitled the National Coal Board (Valuation) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Account, pursuant to the directions of a Statutory Instrument, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Account of the Sums received and paid by the Administrator of German Enemy Property for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Account be printed.
Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received tomorrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Cheeseman-Clark);

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Friday morning;

Friday, 8th March, 1963:

And the Question being put;

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till seventeen minutes after Twelve of the clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.
Mr. Speaker rose in his place and claimed to move, That the Question be now put; but Mr. Speaker withheld his assent and declined then to put that Question:—Then the House resumed the Debate.

And the Question being put, That the Question be now put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being accordingly put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time:—The Bill was accordingly read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of this instant March.

The Order of the day being read, for the Public Order (Amendment) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of this instant March.

The Order of the day being read, for the Racial Discrimination and Incitement Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of this instant March.

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question proposed upon the 22nd day of February last, That the Wills Bill be now read a second time;

And the Question being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put:

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time:—The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills).

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Service Pensions Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 29th day of this instant March.

The Order of the day being read, for the Industrial Diseases (Byssinosis) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 29th day of this instant March.

The Order of the day being read, for the National Insurance Act 1957 (Amendment) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 29th day of this instant March.

Mr. Speaker withheld his assent and declined then to put that Question:—Then the House resumed the Debate.
The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the World Security Agency Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 22nd day of this instant March.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

—(Mr. McLaren.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-eight minutes before Five of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

[No. 74.]


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Watford Corporation Bill, as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Committee of the Scottish Advisory Council on Child Care on the Prevention of Neglect of Children.

Mr. Secretary Noble also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 7th March 1963, authorising the landing at Glasgow of three horned Hereford heifers from Canada.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Copy of the Report of the Essex River Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The House proceeded to take into consideration so much of the Lords Message of the 7th day of this instant March as relates to the place and time of meeting of the Joint Committee on the North Derbyshire Water Board Order 1962 (Petitions for Amendment).

Ordered, That the Members appointed to serve on the said Committee do meet the Lords appointed to serve thereon, as proposed by their Lordships.—(Sir Leslie Thomas.)

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Lords to acquaint them therewith: And that the Clerk do carry the said Message.
MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Bill, the Deer (England and Wales) Bill, and the Wills Bill to Standing Committee C.

(No. 75.)

Tuesday, 12th March, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

P R A Y E R S.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—Report of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That, in the case of the following Bill, referred on the Second Reading thereof, the Standing Orders not previously inquired into, which are applicable thereto, have been complied with, viz.:—

Essex Water Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—Report of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That, in the case of the Provisional Order (Bolton) Bill, originating in the Lords, the Standing Orders have not been complied with, viz.:—

Felixstowe Dock and Railway Bill (Lords).

Ordered, That the Report be referred to the Standing Orders Committee.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—Report of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That, in the case of the following Bill, referred on the First Reading thereof, no Standing Order is applicable thereto, viz.:—

Ministry of Housing and Local Government (Joint Provisional Order (Bolton)) Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The BP Refinery (Kwinana) Bill was read a second time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Accounts of Shipbuilding and Ship repairing in Her Majesty's Dockyards and by Contract and of other Dockyard transactions, and of production at other Establishments, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table; and be printed.


Copy of an Agreement signed at Ankara on Treaty Series the 9th day of November 1960 on the Status of the Central Treaty Organisation, National Representatives and International Staff, with Notes exchanged on the 23rd day of March 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Secretary-General of the Organisation.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sanders presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Joint Statement by the Secretary of State for the Colonies and the Chief Minister of Zanzibar on the Kenya Coastal Strip.

Copy of a Summary of the Proposed Constitution for Internal Self-Government for Kenya.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Paper relating to Electricity be printed.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Emergency Powers Order, dated 7th March 1963, entitled the Hire-Purchase and Credit Sale Agreements (Control Amendment No. 4) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of the Report by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, of proceedings in 1962 under Part III of the Sea Fisheries Act 1868 on Orders for Fishery Grants.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


(1) Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire,
(2) Essex and Middlesex, and
(3) Kent and Surrey.
Copy of Regulations, dated 5th March 1963, entitled the National Assistance (Charges for Accommodation) Regulations 1963. 

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Copy of an Order, dated 11th March 1963, entitled the Glasgow Corporation (Trolley Vehicles) Order 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Transport under Section 10 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945. 

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 24th January 1963, entitled the South West Devon Water Board Order 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Housing and Local Government under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945. 

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945, That no Petition has been presented against—

(1) the Waverley Abbey Preservation Order 1963, and
(2) the Freebridge Lyne Rural District Council No. 1 (West Winch) Compulsory Purchase Order 1960.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged Mr. Stones from the Joint Committee on the North Derbyshire Water Board Order 1962 (Petitions for Amendment); and had added Mr. Woof thereto.

Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee. 

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Charles Royle reported from Standing Committee A, That they had gone through the British Museum Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

The Town and Country Planning Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and committed.

Sir Keith Joseph, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Town and Country Planning (Money) proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make further provision with respect to development comprised in Schedule 3 to the Town and Country Planning Act 1962 and Schedule 3 to the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1947, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to any such provision of the said Act of the present Session in the amount payable out of moneys so provided under any enactment other than that Act on account of or in consequence of expenditure incurred by local authorities in the payment of compensation for the revocation or modification of planning permission or of other planning decisions which are treated for the purposes of compensation as the revocation or modification of such permission.—(Sir Keith Joseph.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution. 

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

The City of London (Various Powers) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and committed.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That the Prison Commissioners Dissolution Order 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 5th day of February last, be approved—(Mr. Secretary Brooke); 

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

The Noes to the Left:


So it was resolved in the Affirmative.
Mr. Speaker made the following communication to the House:—
I regret to have to inform the House of the death of the Right Honourable John Dugdale, Member for West Bromwich, and I desire on behalf of the House to express our sympathy with the relatives of the Right Honourable Member.

The Ministry of Housing and Local Government Provisional Order (Bolton) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Memorandum on the Estimates for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Royal Fine Art Commission from September 1960 to August 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Standing Committee under the Merchandise Marks Act 1926 respecting Watch Straps.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, that they had agreed to a Special Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table: and be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, that they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee A in respect of the Town and Country Planning Bill, viz.: Dr. Broughton, Mrs. Butler, Mr. Clift, Mr. Corfield, Mr. Emery, Mr. Evans, Sir Keith Joseph, Mr. Lebarn, Mr. MacColl, Sir Richard Nugent, Mr. Francis Pearson, Mr. Proudfoot, Mr. Skeffington, Mr. St. Clair, Dr. Stross, Mr. Tapscott, Mr. Turner, Mr. Wall, Mr. Paul Williams, and Mr. Willis.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Standing Committee E, that they had discharged from Standing Committee E Sir Barnett Janner and Mr. Weitzman (nominated in respect of the Children and Young Persons Bill (Lords)); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Craddock and Mr. James Hill.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Sunderland Corporation Bill (Lords).

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to exempt Commonwealth Development Finance Company Limited from the provisions of the Moneylenders Acts, 1900 to 1927, as from the incorporation of the Company until the sixth day of July, nineteen hundred and sixty-two, and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

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The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Weights and Measures Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, and a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 34, page 39, lines 32 and 43, and page 40, line 27, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Lord Balniel—(Lord Balniel);

The Question was amended, by adding, at the end thereof, the words "and in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 2, page 2, line 32, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Bence"—(Mr. Bence); and the words "and in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 43, page 46, line 11, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Darling".—(Mr. Darling.)

And the Question, so amended, being put; Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 34, page 39, lines 32 and 45, and page 40, line 27, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Lord Balniel; and in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 2, page 2, line 32, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Bence; and in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 43, page 46, line 11, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Darling.

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made further Amendments to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 9, line 6, by leaving out the word "extend".—(Mr. Arthur Irvine.)

And the Question being put, That the words "extend" stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 12, line 40, by leaving out from the beginning to the second word "and".—(Mrs. Slater.)

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 29, line 21, by inserting, after the word "person", the words "resident in Great Britain".—(Mr. Arthur Irvine.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, 
Mr. Redhead, 
Mr. Charles Howell: 170.

Tellers for the Noes, 
Mr. Barlow, 
Mr. Ian Fraser: 217.

So it passed in the Negative.

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(3) Any chief inspector or other inspector whose appointment is terminated for reasons of this Act and such additional inspectors as may be required for this purpose, and after two years from the commencement of this section no person holding office as an inspector of weights and measures shall act as an adjuster of weighing and measuring equipment except under the supervision of a chief inspector or deputy chief inspector and with the express authority in writing of the Board.—(Mr. Darling.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Bill, as amended, to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made further Amendments to the Bill.

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And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—

The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 48, line 37, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(d) stop at all reasonable times any vehicle carrying solid fuel for sale or delivery to a purchaser for the purpose of carrying out his duties under this Act."—(Mr. Wainwright)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Redhead;

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. MacArthur;

So it passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 72, line 30, by inserting, after the word "it", the word "either"—(Mr. Goodhew.)

And the Question being proposed, That the word "either" be there inserted in the Bill:—

The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 78, line 38, by leaving out the word "five" and inserting the word "three"—(Mr. Bence)—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the word "five" stand part of the Bill:—

The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

And it being Ten of the clock, further consideration of the Bill, as amended, stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the proceedings on Government Business be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

The House proceeded to take into further consideration the Weights and Measures Bill as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That Mr. Mawby be discharged from the Estimates Committee; and that Sir John Langford-Holt be added to the Committee.—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. McLaren)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till sixteen minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till tomorrow.

MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Town and Country Planning Bill to Standing Committee A.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time again; and be printed.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

[No. 77.]

Thursday, 14th March, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

THE Watford Corporation Bill was read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.


Copies of Regulations, dated 5th March Road Traffic, 1963, entitled—

(1) the Motor Vehicles (International Motor Insurance Card) Regulations 1963, and

(2) the Motor Vehicles (International Circulation) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.
The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Accounts of Receipts and Payments of the Secretary of State for Commonwealth Relations and the Secretary of State for the Colonies in respect of the Colonial Development Corporation for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee A Sir Richard Nugent (nominated in respect of the Town and Country Planning Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Shaw.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had discharged from the Scottish Standing Committee Mr. Godber (nominated in respect of the Education (Scotland) Bill); and had appointed in substitution Sir Thomas Moore.

Mr. Blackburn reported from the Scottish Standing Committee, That they had gone through the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Monday next; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

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

(Vote A. Number of Land Forces.)

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a number of Land Forces, not exceeding 241,000, all ranks, be maintained for the safety of the United Kingdom and the defence of the possessions of Her Majesty's Crown, during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, put and agreed to.

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received tomorrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Chichester-Clark):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Friday morning:—

Friday, 15th March, 1963:

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock on Thursday evening, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-nine minutes after Twelve of the clock on Friday morning, till this day.

MEMORANDUM.

Thursday, 14th March, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. George Thomas Chairman of Standing Committee E in respect of the Children and Young Persons Bill [Lords] and Commander Donaldson Chairman of the Scottish Standing Committee in respect of the Education (Scotland) Bill.

[No. 78.]

Friday, 15th March, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant Five Service, to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 5th March 1963, entitled the Fire Services (Appointments and Promotion) (Scotland) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Resolved, That this House resolves to maintain Parliament as the paramount forum of the nation and to bring its practices and procedures into harmony with this end and in accord with the needs of 1963.-(Mr. Charles Pannell.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till one minute before Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

Ordered, That this day Business other than Business of the House of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Campbell.)

The House, according to Order, resolved Supply (1st allotted Day).

Air Estimates, 1963-64.

1. £128,120,000 for pay, &c., of the Air Force.

Vote 2. Reserve and Auxiliary Services.
2. £689,000, for the reserve and auxiliary services (to a number not exceeding 6,040, all ranks, for the Royal Air Force Reserve, and 1,200 all ranks, for the Royal Auxiliary Air Force).

Vote 7. Aircraft and Stores.
3. £244,000,000, for aircraft and stores.

4. £510,000, for miscellaneous effective services, including certain grants in aid and a subscription to the World Meteorological Organisation.

Vote 11. Additional Married Quarters.
5. £1,000, for certain additional married quarters.

Air Supplementary Estimate, 1962-63.

6. £1,600,000 (Supplementary), for expenditure beyond the sum already provided in the grants for Air Services for the year.

Resolutions.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means referred; and moved, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received in the Committee.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means also acquainted the House, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Peel):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-nine minutes before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

[No. 801]

Tuesday, 19th March, 1963.
The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table.—Report from one of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That, in the case of the following Bills, originating in the Lords, and referred on the First Reading thereof, no Standing Order not previously inquired into is applicable thereto, viz.:

- Commonwealth Development Finance Company Bill [Lords].
- Coroners Bill [Lords].
- Army. Traffic.

Ordered, That the Bills be read a second time.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table; and that the said Report be printed.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Convention signed at London on the 4th day of July 1960 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Italian Republic for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Profumo presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Amendments (No. 30) to Army Emergency Reserve Regulations 1956.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Bevin presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement on Post Office Prospects, 1963-64.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Report by the Council for Wales and Monmouthshire on the Welsh Holiday Industry.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—List of exceptional awards of Pensions and Allowances sanctioned by the Treasury to serving members, disabled members, and the dependants of deceased members of the Armed Forces during the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Mr. Niall Macpherson also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Draft of Regulations, entitled the National Insurance (Earnings) Regulations 1963.

Report of the National Insurance Advisory National Committee on the preliminary draft of the National Insurance (Earnings) Regulations 1963, in accordance with subsection (4) of Section 77 of the National Insurance Act 1946, preceded by a Statement made by the Minister of Pensions and National Insurance in accordance with subsection (5) of that Act.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the said Report be printed.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Copy of the Report of the Law Society on Legal Aid and Advice Act 1949, with the comments and recommendations made by the Advisory Committee, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That this day Business other than Business of the Business of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.-(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to compensate those injured by certain criminal offences against the person; to provide for their dependants and for the dependants of those killed by criminal acts; and for purposes connected therewith: And that Mr. Prentice, Mr. Creech Jones, Mr. Jeger, Dr. Bray, Mr. Bradley, Mr. Carol Johnson, and Mr. Probert do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Prentice accordingly presented a Bill to Criminal Injuries (Compensation).
and Food in connection with sundry agricultural and food services including grants, grants in aid and certain subscriptions to international organisations.

Class VIII.

1. £355,000 (Supplementary) for grants in aid of certain institutions and bodies connected with the arts.

Class IX.

3. £24,000 (Supplementary) for expenditure on Houses of Parliament buildings.

4. £115,000 (Supplementary) for the salaries and expenses of the office of the Prison Commissioners and of prisons, borstal institutions, detention and remand centres in England and Wales.

Class IV.

Vote 13. Transport (Shipping and Special Services).
5. £342,000 (Supplementary) for miscellaneous services connected with shipping, seamen, inland transport and ports, including the repair of damage by flood and tempest and certain special and other services.

Vote 7. Ministry of Aviation.
6. £13,720,000 (Supplementary) for the salaries and expenses of the Ministry of Aviation for the administration of supply (including research, development and inspection), and of civil aviation; for contributions to two international organisations, a grant in aid, a conditional grant, and sundry other services.

Class I.

Vote 3. Treasury and Subordinate Departments.
7. Motion made, and Question proposed, That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £175,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the salaries and expenses of the Department of Her Majesty's Treasury and subordinate departments and of the First Secretary of State, the Lord Privy Seal, the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and the Minister without Portfolio.

And it being half-past Nine o'clock, the Chairman proceeded, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business of Supply), to put forthwith the Question necessary to dispose of the Vote under consideration.

Question put and agreed to.

The Chairman then proceeded forthwith to put severally the Questions, that the total amounts outstanding in such Estimates for the Navy and the Army Services for the coming financial year as have been put down on at least one previous day for consideration on an allotted day, and the total amounts of all outstanding Estimates supplementary to those of the current financial year as have been presented seven clear days and of all outstanding Excess Votes be granted for the Services defined in those Estimates, Supplementary Estimates and Statements of Excess:—

Navy Estimates, 1963-64.
8. That a sum, not exceeding £36,391,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for expenditure in respect of Navy Services, viz.:

Vote £
8. Lands, Buildings and Machinery 1,093,000
9. Miscellaneous Effective Services 11,610,000
10. Non-effective Services 21,687,000
11. Additional Married Quarters 1,000

£36,391,000

Question put and agreed to.

Army Estimates, 1963-64.
9. That a sum, not exceeding £213,511,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for expenditure in respect of Army Services, viz.:

Vote £
1. Pay, &c., of the Army 145,200,000
2. Reserve Forces, Territorial Army and Cadet Forces 26,710,000
8. Lands, Buildings and Machinery 5,760,000
10. Non-effective Services 34,850,000
11. Additional Married Quarters 1,000

£213,511,000

Question put and agreed to.

Civil Estimates, Supplementary Estimates, 1962-63.
12. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £81,500,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for expenditure in respect of the following Supplementary Estimates, viz.:

Civil Estimates.

Class I.

Vote £
1. House of Lords 4,000
2. House of Commons 29,000
5. Customs and Excises 454,000
7. Inland Revenue 1,581,000
8. Exchequer and Audit Department 12,000
9. Civil Service Commission 43,000
10. Royal Commissions, &c. 25,000

£1,746,000

13. That a sum, not exceeding £75,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for expenditure in respect of the following Supplementary Estimates, viz.:

Civil Estimates.

Class II.

Vote £
11. Additional Married Quarters 1,000
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Question put and agreed to.

Army.

Royal Ordinance Factories Estimate, 1963-64.
10. That a sum, not exceeding £3,600,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the expense of operating the Royal Ordinance Factories, which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

Question put and agreed to.

Army.

War Office Purchasing (Repayment) Services Estimate, 1963-64.
11. That a sum, not exceeding £6,000,000, be granted to Her Majesty, for expenditure incurred by the War Office on the supply of munitions, common-user and other articles for the Government service and on miscellaneous supply, which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

Question put and agreed to.

Army.

War Office and other Services, 1963-64.
12. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £81,500,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for expenditure in respect of the following Supplementary Estimates, viz.:

Civil Estimates.

Class I.
10. Tate Gallery ... ... ... 20,000
11. Wallace Collection ... ... ... 1,000
12. National Galleries of Scotland ... ... ... 2,000
13. National Portrait Gallery ... ... ... 1,000

14. Scottish National Portrait Gallery ... ... ... 1,000
15. National Museums of Scotland ... ... ... 300,000
16. National Museum of Wales ... ... ... 2,000
17. National Museum of Ireland ... ... ... 1,000
18. National Library of Scotland ... ... ... 1,000
19. National Library of Wales ... ... ... 1,000
20. National Museums of Northern Ireland ... ... ... 1,000
21. National Museum of Fine Arts of Turin ... ... ... 1,000
22. National Museum of Art, Lisbon ... ... ... 1,000
23. National Museum of Art, Athens ... ... ... 1,000

**Question put and agreed to.**

**Ministry of Defence Supplementary Estimate, 1962-63.**

13. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £1,000,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for the salaries and expenses of the Ministry of Defence; expenses in connection with International Defence Organisations, including international subscriptions; and certain grants in aid.

**Question put and agreed to.**

**Navy Supplementary Estimate, 1962-63.**

14. That a further Supplementary sum, not exceeding £11,000,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for expenditure beyond the sum already provided in the grants for Naval Services for the year.

**SCHEDULE**

| Class VI. | Ministry of Housing and Local Government | ... | 959,000 |
| Class VII. | General Grants to Local Governments | ... | 4,660,000 |
| Class VIII. | General Grants to Local Governments | ... | 1,995,000 |
| Class IX. | Forestry Commission | ... | 535,000 |
| Class X. | Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries, and Food | ... | 959,000 |
| Class XI. | National Debt Office | ... | 4,000,000 |
| Class XII. | Royal Irish Constabulary Pension Fund | ... | 2,000 |
| Class XIII. | Royal Irish Constabulary Pension Fund | ... | 2,000 |
| Class XIV. | Ministry of Defence | ... | 1,000 |
| Class XV. | Ministry of Defence | ... | 1,000 |
| Class XVI. | Ministry of Defence | ... | 1,000 |
| Class XVII. | Ministry of Defence | ... | 1,000 |
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| Class D. | Ministry of Defence | ... | 1,000 |

**Question put and agreed to.**

*Deficit.*
Army Supplementary Estimate, 1962-63.

15. That a further Supplementary sum, not exceeding £1,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for expenditure, including a grant in aid, beyond the sum already provided in the grants for Army Services for the year.

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Total, Army (Supplementary), 1962-63 £1,901,000

* Deficit.

Question put and agreed to.

Civil Estimates (Excesses), 1961-62.

16. That a sum, not exceeding £30, be granted to Her Majesty, to make good excesses on certain grants for Civil Services, for the year ending the 31st day of March 1962.

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Question put and agreed to.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(in the Committee.)

1. Resolved, That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ended the 31st day of March 1962, the sum of £30 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.—(Mr. Barber.)

2. Resolved, That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, the sum of £115,301,000 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.—(Mr. Barber.)

3. Resolved, That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, the sum of £2,388,393,100 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.—(Mr. Barber.)

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Resolved, That the National Coal Board (Valuation) Order 1963, dated 1st March 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 7th day of this instant March, be approved.—(Mr. Corfield.)

Mr. McLaren reported from the Committee on Town and Country Planning [Money], a copy of a Bill which was brought in by Mr. Corfield, and read, as follows:

That for the purpose of any Act of the present Session to make further provision with respect to development comprised in Schedule 3 to the Town and Country Planning Act 1962 and Schedule 3 to the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1947, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to any such provision of the said Act of the present Session in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under any enactment other than that Act on account of or in consequence of expenditure incurred by local authorities in the payment of compensation for the revocation or modification of planning permission or of other planning decisions which are treated for the purposes of compensation as the revocation or modification of such permission.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.
Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to extend the powers of local authorities to defray expenses incurred by their members or by other members of their committees or subcommittees, and to contribute to other local authorities and to bodies having activities connected with local government, to authorise certain expenditure by local authorities for the benefit of their areas or inhabitants but not otherwise authorised; and to make further provision with respect to the financial affairs of local authorities, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the provisions of the Act in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under any other enactment. (Mr. Corfield.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Procedure.

Ordered, That the Select Committee on Procedure do consider methods of expediting the passage of Bills containing provisions of the kinds which are usually included in Finance Bills, being a matter relating to the procedure in the public business of the House.

Ordered, That it be an Instruction to the Committee that they do consider what provision may be necessary to ensure the passage of such Bills within an appointed time. (Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Procedure.

Ordered, That Mr. Birch and Mr. Houghton be added to the Select Committee on Procedure. (Mr. Hughes-Young.)

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. (Mr. McLaren.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes after Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

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Mr. John Hill reported from the Committee of Supply yesterday, several Resolutions which were read, as follows:

Civil Estimates, Supplementary Estimates, 1962-63.

Class V.

Vote 7. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural and Food Services).

1. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £6,418,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for expenditure by the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food in connection with sundry agricultural and food services including grants in aid and certain subscriptions to international organisations.

Class VIII.


2. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £355,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for grants in aid of certain institutions and bodies connected with the arts.

Class IX.


3. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £24,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for expenditure on Houses of Parliament buildings.

Class III.

Vote 13. Transport (Shipping and Special Services).

5. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £342,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for miscellaneous services connected with shipping, seamen, inland transport and ports, including the repair of damage by flood and tempest and certain special and other services.

Vote 7. Ministry of Aviation.

6. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £13,750,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the
31st day of March 1963, for the salaries and expenses of the Ministry of Aviation for the administration of supply (including research, development and inspection), and of civil aviation; for contributions to two international organisations, a grant in aid, a conditional grant, and sundry other services.

### Class I.

#### Vote 3. Treasury and Subordinate Departments

7. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £175,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for the salaries and expenses of the Department of Her Majesty's Navy Services, viz.:—

8. That a sum, not exceeding £36,391,000, be granted to Her Majesty, for expenditure in respect of Army Services, viz.:—


9. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £81,500,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for expenditure in respect of the following Supplementary Estimates, viz.:—

#### Class I.

1. House of Lords
2. House of Commons
3. Foreign Service
4. Commonwealth Relations Office
5. Commonwealth Grants and Loans
6. Colonial Office
7. Colonial Granta and Loans
8. Prisons, Scotland
9. Fishery Grants
10. Royal Commissions, &c.

#### Class II.

1. Civil Service Commission
2. Foreign Grants and Loans
3. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food
4. Ministry of Transport
5. Ministry of Education
6. Ministry of Health
7. Ministry of Housing and Local Government
8. Ministry of Labour
9. Ministry of Transport
10. Ministry of Labour

#### Class III.

1. Home Office
2. Scottish Home and Health Department
3. Home Office (Civil Defence Services)
4. Police, England
5. Police, Scotland
6. Prisons, Scotland
7. Supreme Court of Judicature, &c., Northern Ireland

#### Class IV.

1. Board of Trade
2. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food
3. Ministry of Transport
4. Ministry of Transport
5. Ministry of Health
6. Ministry of Labour
7. Fishery Grants and Loans
8. Forestry Commission

#### Class V.

1. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food
2. Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland
3. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Grants and Subsidies)
4. Fishery Grants and Services
5. Forestry Commission

#### Vote 9.

1. Pay, &c., of the Army
2. Reserve Forces, Territorial Army and Cadet Forces
3. Lands, Buildings and Works
4. Miscellaneous Effective Services
5. Non-effective Services
6. Additional Married Quarters

#### Vote 10.

1. Pay, &c., of the Army
2. Reserve Forces, Territorial Army and Cadet Forces
3. Lands, Buildings and Works
4. Miscellaneous Effective Services
5. Non-effective Services
6. Additional Married Quarters

#### Vote 11.

1. Pay, &c., of the Army
2. Reserve Forces, Territorial Army and Cadet Forces
3. Lands, Buildings and Works
4. Miscellaneous Effective Services
5. Non-effective Services
6. Additional Married Quarters

#### Army Estimates, 1963-64.

9. That a sum, not exceeding £213,511,000, be granted to Her Majesty, for expenditure in respect of Army Services, viz.:—

#### Navy Estimates, 1963-64.

8. That a sum, not exceeding £36,391,000, be granted to Her Majesty, for expenditure in respect of Navy Services, viz.:—

#### Royal Ordinance Factories Estimate, 1963-64.

10. That a sum, not exceeding £3,600,000, be granted to Her Majesty, for expenditure in respect of the Royal Ordinance Factories, which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

#### War Office Purchasing (Repayment) Services Estimate, 1963-64.

11. That a sum, not exceeding £6,000,000, be granted to Her Majesty, for expenditure incurred by the War Office on the supply of munitions, common-user and other articles for the Government service and on miscellaneous supply, which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.
Supplements to Pensions, &c. (India, Pakistan and Burma)...

Civil Superannuation, &c. ...

Ordnance Survey...

Post Office Superannuation, &c. ...

Scottish Record Office...

Scottish Education Department...

Ministry of Health...

National Health Service (Hospital, &c., Services), England and Wales...

Miscellaneous Health and Welfare Services, England and Wales...

National Health Service (Supernumerary, &c.), Scotland...

Ministry of Pensions and Family Allowances...

Army Supplementary Estimate, 1962-63.

Navy Supplementary Estimate, 1962-63.

Civil Superannuation, &c. (... Overseas Services)...

Pensions, &c. (Overseas Services)...

Miscellaneous Health and Welfare Services, England and Wales...

National Health Service (Supernumerary, &c.), Scotland...

Family Allowances...

National Assistance Board...


13. That a Supplementary sum, not exceeding £1,000,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, for the salaries and expenses of the Ministry of Defence; expenses in connection with International Defen...
Civil Estimates (Excesses), 1961-62.

16. That a sum, not exceeding £30, be granted to Her Majesty, to make good excesses on certain grants for Civil Services, for the year ending the 31st day of March 1962.

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The first three Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

And the Fourth Resolution being read a second time:

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution;

And it being half an hour after Nine of the clock, Mr. Speaker proceeded, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business of Supply), to put forthwith the Question necessary to dispose of the Resolution under consideration.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in their Seventh Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in their Eighth Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in their Ninth Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in their Tenth Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in their Eleventh Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in their Twelfth Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in their Thirteenth Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in their Fourteenth Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in their Fifteenth Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Mr. Speaker then proceeded to put forthwith, with respect to each Resolution come to Questions on outstanding Resolutions reported from the Committee of Supply and not yet agreed to by the House, the Question, That this House doth agree with the Committee in that Resolution.

Air Estimates, 1963-64.

1. That a sum, not exceeding £125,120,000, Supply (18th March) be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the expense of the pay, &c., of the Air Force, for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

Vote 2. Reserve and Auxiliary Services.
2. That a sum, not exceeding £689,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the expense of the reserve and auxiliary services and cadet forces (to a number not exceeding 61,840, all ranks, for the Royal Air Force Reserve, and 1,200, all ranks, for the Royal Auxiliary Air Force), which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

Vote 7. Aircraft and Stores.
3. That a sum, not exceeding £244,000,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the expense of aircraft and stores, which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

4. That a sum, not exceeding £510,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the expense of miscellaneous effective services, including certain grants in aid and a subscription to the World Meteorological Organisation, which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

Vote A. Number of Land Forces.

Army Estimates, 1963-64.

Vote A. Number of Land Forces.

That a number of Land Forces, not exceeding 241,000, all ranks, be maintained for the safety of the United Kingdom and the defence of the possessions of Her Majesty’s Crown, during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

The said Resolutions were agreed to.

Mr. Peel reported from the Committee of Ways and Means yesterday, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:

1. That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ended the 31st day of March 1962, the sum of £30 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.

2. That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963, the sum of £115,301,000 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.

3. That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, the sum of £2,388,393,100 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.

The said Resolutions, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That a Bill be brought in upon the said Resolutions; and that the Chairman of Ways and Means, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Mr. Barber do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Barber accordingly presented a Bill to apply certain sums out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the years ending on the 31st days of March 1962, 1963 and 1964; and the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Resolved, That the Undertaking between the Secretary of State for Scotland and Messrs. Bremner and Company, Shipowners, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 7th day of this instant March, be approved.—(Mr. Brooman-White.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—[Mr. Ian Fraser]:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-four minutes before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of paragraph (i) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Dr. King Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the Town and Country Planning Bill.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 14th March 1963, entitled the Alkali, &c., Works Order 1963.

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Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 14th March 1963, entitled (1) the National Insurance (Contributions) Amendment Regulations 1963, and (2) the National Insurance (New Entrants Transitional) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the said Report be printed.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Accounts of the British Museum (Money) (No. 1). Two of the clock.

The Lords give leave to the Lord Douglas of Kirtleside to attend to be examined as a witness before Sub-Committee B appointed by the Estimates Committee, if his Lordship think fit.

Mr. Secretary Brooke, by Her Majesty’s Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to British Museum (Money) (No. 2) proposed to be moved under the Standing Order (Money Committees) in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(Resolutions in the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to alter the composition of the Trustees of the British Museum, to provide for the separation from the British Museum of the British Museum (Natural History), to make new provision with respect to the regulation of the two Museums and their collections in place of that made by the British Museum Act 1753 and enactments amending or supplementing that Act, and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid, it is expedient to authorise the making of any payment out of moneys provided by Parliament or out of the Consolidated Fund which falls to be so made in consequence of any provisions of the said Act of the present Session relating to the staff of the British Museum or the British Museum (Natural History).—(Mr. Secretary Brooke.)

Resolution to be reported.

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Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.
Friday, 22nd March, 1963:

And the Question being put;
Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and was committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Resolved, That this House will, this day, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. —(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till ten minutes after Three of the clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

[No. 83.]

Friday, 22nd March, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 19th March 1963, entitled the Companies Liquidation Account (Interest) Order, 1963.

Account of all Receipts into and Payments out of the Government Annuities Investment Fund in 1962, and statements of Payments and new Contracts made during the year, and of current Contracts at the end of the year, under the provisions of the Government Annuities Act 1929.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 13th March 1963, entitled—

(1) the London (Waiting and Loading) Restriction (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations, 1963, and


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The Order of the day being read for the Estate Agents Second Reading of the Estate Agents Bill;—And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

Sir Harry Legge-Bourke rose in his place and claimed to move, That the Question be now put.

And the Question being put, That the Question put

Tellers for the Yeas, Sir Harry Legge-Bourke, Mr. Bowen;
Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Hale, Mr. Brockway:

Whereupon Mr. Speaker declared that the Question not decided in the Affirmative, because it was not supported by the majority prescribed by the Standing Order (Majority for Closure).

And it being after Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed upon Friday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Public Service Second Read of the Public Service Vehicles (Travel Concessions) Act 1955 (Amendment) Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 3rd day of May next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Public Order Second Reading of the Public Order Act 1936 (Amendment) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 5th day of April next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Racial Discrimination and Incitement Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 5th day of April next.

The Order of the day being read, for the World Security Agency Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.
The Dog Racing (Appointed Days) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Rees-Davies.)

Resolved, That this House will, upon Friday next, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Campbell.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-three minutes before Five of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

[No. 84.]


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 20th March 1963, entitled the Eggs (Guaranteed Prices) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945, That no Petition has been presented against—

(1) the South West Devon Water Board Order 1963, and
(2) the Glasgow Corporation (Trolley Vehicles) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Summarised Accounts of Regional Hospital Boards, Boards of Governors of Teaching Hospitals, Hospital Management Committees, Executive Councils (including the Drug Accounts Committee), and the Dental Estimates Board, for England and Wales, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Summarised Accounts of Regional Hospital Boards, Boards of Management, Executive Councils (including the Drug Accounts Committee), and the Dental Estimates Board, for Scotland, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

The Order of the day being read, for the Third Reading of the Weights and Measures Bill;

And a Motion being made, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. Erroll, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Resolved, That the Postmaster General be Post Office authorised, as provided for in Section 5 of the Post Office Act 1961, to make payments out of the Post Office Fund for the financial year ending with the 31st day of March 1964.—(Mr. Bevins.)

Resolved, That the limit of the Postmaster Post Office General's indebtedness to the Exchequer under subsection (2) of Section 10 of the Post Office Act 1961 be increased from eight hundred and eighty million pounds to nine hundred and sixty million pounds.—(Mr. Bevins.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—

(Mr. Ian Fraser):—And a Debate arising thereon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then nine minutes after Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of the Standing Order (Business Committee) Mr. Speaker this day nominated Mr. Corfield, Mr. John Hill, Sir Keith Joseph, Mr. Mellish, and Mr. Stewarts members of the Business Committee in respect of the London Government Bill.
26th March 1963

Copies of Regulations, dated 20th March Telegraphs, 1963, entitled—

(1) the Telegraph (Inland Written Telegram) Regulations 1963, and
(2) the Telegraph (Inland Written Press Telegram) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 19th March 1963, entitled the Electricity (Essex Undertakings) (Variation of Areas and Transfer) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 28th January 1963, entitled the Kingston upon Hull Water Order 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Housing and Local Government under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Leslie Thomas reported from the Joint Committee to whom several Petitions for Amendment of the North Derbyshire Water Board Order 1962 were referred, pursuant to Section 4 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945, that they had considered the said Petitions and heard Counsel in support thereof; and had heard Counsel in favour of the said Order against the said Petitions; and had directed him to report the Order, without Amendment, to the House, together with the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them.

Ordered, That the Order and the Minutes of the Evidence do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Dr. King reported from Standing Committee on Town and Country Planning.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from the Lords had been brought from the Lords by the Lords, one of their Clerks, as follows:

The Lords have agreed to the Drainage Rates Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to confer further powers on The Bill (Lords), Marine Society; and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Telegraphs.

Copy of Regulations, dated 20th March 1963, entitled the Telephone Amendment (No. 1) Regulations 1963.

Post Office.

Mr. Bevin presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 20th March 1963, entitled—

(1) the Inland Post Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 1963.
(2) the Money Order Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1963.
(3) the British Commonwealth and Foreign Parcel Post Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 1963,
(4) the British Commonwealth and Foreign Postal Agencies (Commonwealth and Foreign Post) Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Commonwealth Development Finance Company Bill [Lords] was read a second time and committed.

The Sunderland Corporation Bill [Lords] was read a second time and committed.

Agriculture (Scotland).

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 19th March 1963, entitled the Hill Sheep Subsidy Payment (Scotland) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Orders, dated 19th March 1963, entitled—

(1) the Hill Sheep Subsidy Payment (England and Wales) Order 1963, and
(2) the Hill Sheep Subsidy Payment (Northern Ireland) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

British Waterways Bill.

The British Waterways Bill was read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Commonwealth Development Finance Company Bill [Lords] was read a second time and committed.

Agriculture.

Mr. Bevin presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 15th March 1963, entitled—

(1) the Inland Post Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 1963.
(2) the Money Order Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1963.
(3) the British Commonwealth and Foreign Parcel Post Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 1963,
(4) the British Commonwealth and Foreign Postal Agencies (Commonwealth and Foreign Post) Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Tuesday, 26th March, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

P R A Y E R S.

The British Waterways Bill was read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.
The Marine Society Bill [Lords] was read for the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

Ordered, That Standing Committee C be discharged from considering the Local Government Act 1948 (Amendment) Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be withdrawn.

Albert Edward Patrick Duffy, Esquire, Member for Colne Valley, was sworn.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to enable county councils, counties of cities and boroughs with a population of not less than 25,000 to have all the powers of companies under the Companies Acts—(Mr. William Hamilton);

Ordered, That the Motion be postponed, and the Bill to be reported.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Mr. Speaker certificated that the Bill was a Money Bill within the meaning of the Parliament Act 1911.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House regrets the further cuts in the school building programme and the failure to take adequate steps to recruit sufficient teachers—(Mr. Willey);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "House" to the end of the Question and adding the words "recognising the continuing problem of staffing the schools and the difficult physical conditions under which many schools still have to work, welcomes the notable progress made with the recruitment and supply of teachers and the implementation of the school building programme set out in the White Paper of 1958; and notes with approval the Government action in devoting a steadily rising proportion of the national resources to the public system of education"—(Mr. Chatway),—instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of Question:
The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

So it passed in the Negative.

The Question being put, That the proposed words be added after the word "House" in the Main Question:
The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the
Mr. Short, 154.
Mr. George Rogers:
Mr. Chichester-Clark,
Mr. Finlay:

Tellers for the
Mr. Ross,
Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Hendry:

216.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the Main Question, so amended, being put:

Resolved, That this House, recognising the continuing problem of staffing the schools and the difficult physical conditions under which many schools still have to work, welcomes the notable progress made with the recruitment and supply of teachers and the implementation of the school building programme set out in the White Paper of 1958; and notes with approval the Government action in devoting a steadily rising proportion of the national resources to the public system of education.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Business of Motion in the name of Mr. Harold Wilson in the House relating to Chief Enahoro be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House) for Two hours after Ten of the clock.—(The Prime Minister.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House regrets the action of Her Majesty's Government in refusing political asylum to Chief Enahoro—(Mr. George Brown);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "House" to the end of the Question and adding the words "mindful of Great Britain's tradition of granting political asylum here to persons who might otherwise be exposed to unjust or oppressive treatment in
their own country, is confident of the fair
and impartial administration of justice in
Nigeria and upholds the decision of the Sec-
cretary of State for the Home Department to
return Chief Enahoro to stand his trial there"—(Mr. Secretary Brooke), instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the
Question:—And a Debate arising thereupon;
Ordered, That the Debate be now ad-
journed.—(The Prime Minister.)
Ordered, That the Debate be resumed
to-morrow.

Adjournment.
Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.
—(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having con-
tinued to sit till eighteen minutes after
Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

[No. 861]

The House met at half an hour after
Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the
directions of an Act of Parliament,—
Report of the Inspection Committee of
Trustees of the Savings Banks for the year ended the
20th day of November 1962.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the
Table.

Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, pursuant to the
directions of an Act of Parliament,—
Copy of a Scheme, dated 22nd March 1963,
titled the Workmen's Compensation (Supple-
mentation) Amendment Scheme 1963.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the
Table.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the
directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the
Table by the Clerk of the House:

Public Health.
No. 177.

Accounts of the receipts and payments of the
Public Health Laboratory Service Board for the
period ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and
Auditor General thereon.
Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

Business Committee.
London Government Bill.

The Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Business Committee, That they had
agreed to a Recommendation in respect of
the London Government Bill, which Recom-
mandation they had directed him to report to
the House, as followeth:

That—
(a) the Proceedings on Consideration of the
London Government Bill shall be divided into
parts specified in the second column of the Table set out below;
(b) the two days which under the Order
made upon the 29th day of January last
are given to the Proceedings on Con-
sideration and Third Reading, and por-
tions of those days, shall be allotted in
the manner shown in that Table; and
c) subject to the provisions of the Order
made upon the 29th day of January last
each part of the Proceedings shall, if not
previously brought to a conclusion, be
brought to a conclusion at the time in
the third column of that Table.

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|                   | Parts IX, proposed Schedules and Schedule No. 1 | 6.30 |

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the
Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Commit-
tee of Selection, That forty Members shall serve on the Scottish Stand-
ing Committee in respect of the Criminal
Justice (Scotland) Bill (Lords), viz.: Mr. James
Bennett, Mr. Brewis, Mr. Campbell, Mrs.
Cullen, the Earl of Dalkeith, Commander
Donaldson, Mr. Gilbrough, Sir John Gilmour,
Mr. William Hamilton, Mrs. Hart, Miss Harvie
Anderson, Mr. John Henderson, Mr. Hendry,
Lord John Hope, Mr. Hoy, Mr. Ennys
Hughes, Mr. Hector Hughes, Mr. Hutchison,
Mr. Jennings, Mr. Lawson, Mr. Lilley, Mr.
McArthur, Mr. McNees, Mr. Macleay, Sir
Fitzroy Maclean, Mr. McLean, Mr. John
MacLeod, Mr. Manuel, Mr. Millan, Sir
Thomas Moore, Mr. Rankin, Mr. Ros.
Mr. Small, Mr. Steele, Mr. Stoddart, Sir
Colin Thornton-Kemsley, Lady Tweedsmuir,
Mr. Willis, Mr. Worrige-Gordon, and Mr.
Woodburn.

Mr. Bowles reported from Standing Com-
mittee C, That they had gone through the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill,
and made Amendments thereunto.
Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the
Standing Committee, be taken into considera-
tion upon Friday the 3rd day of May next,
be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceed-
ings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from
the Lords had been brought from the Lords by the Lords
one of their Clerks, as followeth.

The Lords have agreed to the Consolidated
Fund (No. 2) Bill, without any Amendment.
Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to provide compensation for owners of property near to gipsy camps provided or controlled by local authorities: And that Mr. John Wells, Sir Godfrey Nicholson, Mr. Bullard, Mr. Longden, Mr. Hocking, Mr. More and Mr. Kirk do prepare and bring in a Bill to provide compensation for owners of property near to gipsy camps provided or controlled by local authorities: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 3rd day of May next and to be printed.

Gipsy Camps (Compensation) Bill. Bill 87.

Mr. John Wells accordingly presented a Bill to provide compensation for owners of property near to gipsy camps provided or controlled by local authorities: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 3rd day of May next and to be printed.

Protection of Depositors Bill.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Protection of Depositors Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

A Clause was brought up, and read the first time; and ordered to be printed.

And the Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the — Mr. George Rogers, Mr. Lawson; Mr. Michael Hamilton; Mr. McLaren. 183. 220.

So it passed in the Negative.

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 16, by leaving out from the word “company” to the word “or” in line 17 and inserting the words “appearing in a list of such companies published from time to time by the Board of Trade”—(Mr. Mitchison),—instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the — Mr. Redhead, Mr. Davies; Mr. MacArthur: Mr. Redhead, Mr. Broughton. 195. 156.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 26, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

“Provided that no such advertisement shall be issued if, on consideration of the said accounts and of any further information prescribed by regulations for the purpose, the Board of Trade is satisfied that the company is in an unsound financial position.

(4) For the purposes of the last foregoing subsection the Board of Trade may from time to time make regulations in the form of statutory instruments (which shall be subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament) prescribing in formation to be furnished (whether generally or by any group or class of companies) and the form in which any such information shall be furnished or verified; and (without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing) such information may include particulars of the company’s membership, if any, of an Association and of any financial conditions compliance with which is required for such membership”—(Mr. Mitchison.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the — Mr. Redhead, Mr. Davies; Mr. Chichester-Clark, Mr. Francis Pearson. 125. 164.

So it passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 8, line 40, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

“Provided that any advertisement, to which by virtue of this subsection section 5 (1) does not apply, shall require deposits offered in response to the advertisement to be accompanied by a statement that they are so offered and shall include an undertaking by the company that no deposit so offered will be accepted after the expiration of a specified period not exceeding one year after the date of issue of the advertisement”—(Mr. Diamond.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the — Mr. Batsford, Mr. Lawson; Dr. Broughton; Mr. Redhead. 183. 156.

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 9, line 39, by leaving out from the word “any” to the end of line 42 and inserting the words “such company as aforesaid shall furnish a copy of the accounts or other document mentioned in subsection (1) on demand and without charge to any depositor with the company and to any other person who signifies to the company that he requires a copy of the accounts or document with a view to becoming a depositor with the company”—(Mr. du Cann),—instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill;

If in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in line 5, by leaving out from the word “any” to the end of line 9 and adding the word “person”—(Mr. Mitchison),—instead thereof.
And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the proposed Amendment:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the proposed words were there inserted in the Bill.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on Government Business be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

The Question being again proposed, That the Protection of Depositors Bill be now read the third time:—The House resumed the adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Peel reported from the Committee on British Museum [Money] (No. 2), a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to alter the composition of the Trustees of the British Museum, to provide for the separation from the British Museum of the British Museum (Natural History), to make new provision with respect to the regulation of the two Museums and their collections in place of that made by the British Museum Act 1753 and enactments amending or supplementing that Act, and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid, it is expedient to authorise the making of any payments out of moneys provided by Parliament or out of the Consolidated Fund which fails to be so made in consequence of any provision of the said Act of the present Session relating to the staff of the British Museum or the British Museum (Natural History).

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the British Museum Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee;

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 6, page 3, line 34, and Clause No. 12, page 5, line 28, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 6 and 12 amended and agreed to.

Bill, as amended, to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made further Amendments to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Transfer of certain manuscripts, &c., to Public Record Office)—(Mr. Fletcher); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:—It passed in the Negative.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 3, line 35, by leaving out Clause No. 7.—(Mr. Houghton.)

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

A Motion being made, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. Boyd-Carpenter, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment. proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Chichester-Clark);

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Thursday morning:

Thursday, 28th March, 1963:

And the Question being put;

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till nineteen minutes after Twelve of the clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

MEMORANDUM.


In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Blackburn Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Animal Boarding Establishments Bill.
[No. 87.]

Thursday, 28th March, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber, presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement on Government Expenditure below the Line, 1962-63.


Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Account of the Receipts and Disbursements of the Duchy of Cornwall in 1962.

Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Forestry Commissioners for the year ended the 30th day of September 1962.

Mr. Heath, presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Convention signed at Paris on the 17th day of December 1962, concerning the Liability of Hotel-Keepers concerning the Property of their Guests (this Convention has not been ratified by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom).

Copy of Notes exchanged at Paris on the 15th day of July and the 18th day of September 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the French Republic terminating the Convention respecting Postal Communications signed at London on the 30th day of August 1890.


Mr. Soames, presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 19th March 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Herford) Regulations 1963.

Mr. Marple, presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 22nd March 1963, entitled the Valuation Lists (Proposals for Alteration) Regulations 1963.

The Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Standing Orders Committee, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

The Order for reading a second time, to-morrow, the Secretary of State for Scotland (Indemnity) Bill, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be withdrawn.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House takes note of the Report of the Joint Committee on House of Lords Reform—[Mr. Iain Macleod];

A Message was delivered by Lieutenant-Royal Assent, General Sir Brian Horrocks, E.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:

Mr. Speaker,

The Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, desire the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the Commission read.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker, with the House, went up to the House of Peers:—And having returned;

Mr. Speaker reported, That the House, at the desire of the Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, had been at the L
Report of the Joint Committee on House of Lords Reform.

House of Peers, where a Commission under the Great Seal was read, giving, declaring, and notifying the Royal Assent to the several Acts therein mentioned; and that the Lords, thereby authorised, had declared the Royal Assent to the said Acts, as follow:

And the Question being put:

Resolved, That this House takes note of the Report of the Joint Committee on House of Lords Reform.

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the Location of Offices Bureau Order 1963 be made in the form of the draft laid before this House on the 21st day of this instant March. —(Sir Keith Joseph.)

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty by such Members of this House as are of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council or of Her Majesty's Household.

Mr. Finlay reported from the Committee on Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Money), a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to extend the powers of local authorities to defray expenses incurred by their members or by other members of their committees or subcommittees, and to contribute to other local authorities and to bodies having activities connected with local government; to authorise certain expenditure by local authorities for the benefit of their areas or inhabitants but not otherwise authorised; and to make further provision with respect to the financial affairs of local authorities, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the provisions of the Act in the sums payable out of moneys so provided under any other enactment.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That, for the remainder of the present Session, a second Standing Committee shall be constituted for the consideration of Bills certified by Mr. Speaker as relating exclusively to Scotland and committed to a Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the said second Committee shall, in respect of each Bill allocated to it, consist of not less than Twenty nor more than Fifty Members to be nominated by the Committee of Selection, of whom not less than Twenty Members shall represent Scottish constituencies; and in nominating such Members the Committee of Selection shall have regard to their qualifications and the composition of the House.

Ordered, That all Bills certified by Mr. Speaker as relating exclusively to Scotland and committed to a Standing Committee shall be distributed between the two Committees by Mr. Speaker.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

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A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—Mr. Campbell;—And it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Pym);—And a Debate arising thereupon;
And the Question having been proposed at Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till to-morrow.

Friday, 29th March, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock. P R A Y E R S.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the Resolution of the House of the 4th day of March 1879,—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 28th March 1963, regarding the application of Surpluses on certain Army Votes for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963 to meet Deficits on other Army Votes.

Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 29th March 1963, regarding the application of Surpluses on certain Navy Votes for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1963 to meet Deficits on other Navy Votes.

Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 25th March 1963, entitled the Hydrocarbon Oil Duties (Drawback) (No. 1) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 26th March 1963, entitled the Import Duty Drawbacks (No. 2) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 26th March 1963, entitled the Import Duties (General) (No. 2) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 26th March 1963, entitled the Import Duty Drawbacks (No. 2) (Drawback) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Papers relating to Public Accounts be printed.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 20th March 1963, entitled the Teachers' Salaries (Scotland) (Amendment No. 3) Provisional Regulations 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 20th March 1963, entitled the National Assistance (Charges for Accommodation) (Scotland) Regulations 1963.
Resolved, That this House, mindful of the fact that ever-improving communications are an absolute prerequisite for expanding trade both internal and external, and conscious of this country's past leadership in this vital field, calls upon Her Majesty's Government to announce plans for a general improvement in communications and in particular for the provision of a British and Commonwealth telecommunications satellite; and further calls upon the Government to treat this matter as one of great urgency, in order to maintain British leadership in communications, to prevent the dissipation of existing design staffs and to restore confidence in the future of British scientists.—(Mr. Farey-Jones.)

The Order of the day being read, for the Service Pensions Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Industrial Diseases (Byssinosis) Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the National Health Foundation for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963 ; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Copy of Regulations, dated 21st March 1963, entitled the National Health Service (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 21st March 1963, entitled the Stratheden and Associated Hospitals Endowments Amendment Scheme Confirmation Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Orr-Ewing presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, —Accounts of the Greenwich Hospital and Travers' Foundation for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963 ; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 28th March 1963, entitled the Sugar Beet (Research and Education) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 25th March 1963, entitled the British Transport Commission (Continuation No. 2) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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The Order of the day being read, for the Criminal Injuries (Compensation) Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Criminal Injuries (Compensation) Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the National Health Service (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Accounts of the Greenwich Hospital and Travers' Foundation for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963 ; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Kerr presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Accounts of the House of Commons Members' Fund for the year ended the 30th day of September 1962 ; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

Resumed, That this House will, upon Friday next, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

—(Mr. Rees.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till three minutes after Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.
The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

University of Durham and Newcastle upon Tyne Bill.

Civil List Pensions.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—List of the Pensions granted during the year ended the 31st day of March 1963, payable under subsection (1) of Section 13 of the Civil List Act 1952.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Civil Aviation.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 26th March 1963, entitled the Air Navigation (Third Amendment) Order 1963.

College Charters.

Copy of a Petition, Draft Charter and Statutes relating to the incorporation of the University of York.

Consular Rights and Privileges.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 26th March 1963, entitled the Consular Conventions (Spanish State) Order 1963.

East Africa.

Copies of Orders in Council, dated 26th March 1963, entitled—

(1) the Kenya (Constitution) (Amendment) Order in Council 1963, and

(2) the Kenya (Electoral Provisions) Order in Council 1963.

Fugitive Criminals.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 26th March 1963, entitled the Fugitive Offenders (South Africa) Order in Council 1963.

Income Tax.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 26th March 1963, entitled the Consular Conventions (Income Tax) (Kingdom of Denmark) Order 1963.

Judicial Committee.

Copies of Orders in Council, dated 26th March 1963, entitled—

(1) the Court of Appeal for Eastern Africa (Appeal to Privy Council) (Amendment) Order 1963, and

(2) the Kenya (Procedure in Appeals to Privy Council Amendment) Order 1963.

Merchant Shipping.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 26th March 1963, entitled the Merchant Shipping (Foreign Deserter) (Spanish State) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Bevin presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 26th March 1963, entitled the Telegraphs (Channel Islands) Amendment (No. 1) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement of the Distribution of Rateable Values between different classes of property in England and Wales.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of a Measure, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Scheme for effecting the union of the Benefices and Parishes of Attercliffe with Carbrook and Saint Clement, Newhall, in the Diocese of Sheffield, and for authorizing the taking down of the Church of Saint Clement, Newhall, and the sale of the site and materials thereof.

Ordered, That the Report which upon the 27th day of March last, was made from the Business Committee, relating to the London Government Bill, be now taken into consideration.—Mr. Iain Macleod.—The House accordingly proceeded to take the said Report into consideration.

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business Committee), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Report:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the London Government Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee:—And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 1, page 2, line 27, Clause No. 3, page 4, line 7, Clause No. 21, page 27, line 31, Clause No. 23, page 31, line 27, Clause No. 39, page 55, lines 24 and 27, Clause No. 58, page 74, line 18, Clause No. 62, page 80, lines 20 and 26, Clause No. 69, page 81, lines 4 and 6, Clause No. 82, page 92, line 13, Clause No. 84, page 94, lines 6 and 29, page 95, line 46, page 96, lines 5 and 8, Schedule No. 2, page 111, line 12, page 112, line 36, Schedule No. 4, page 126, lines 40 and 45, and Schedule No. 8, page 156, lines 20 and 36, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Sir Keith Joseph, the Amendments to Clause No. 17, page 23, line 4, and Schedule No. 6, page 144, line 41, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Hay, and the Amendment to Schedule No. 1, page 104, line 41, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Miss Pike.—Sir Keith Joseph:

The Question was amended, by adding, at the end thereof, the words "and in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 82, page 91, line 48, the proposed Clause (Subsidiary Functions of Greater London Council), the Amendment to Schedule No. 2, page 112, line 36, and..."
the proposed Schedule (Subsidiary functions of Greater London Council), standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Stewart. —(Mr. Skeffington.)

And the Question, so amended, being put:

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 1, page 2, line 27, Clause No. 3, page 4, line 7, Clause No. 21, page 27, line 31, Clause No. 23, page 31, line 27, Clause No. 39, page 55, lines 24 and 27, Clause No. 58, page 74, line 18, Clause No. 68, page 80, lines 20 and 26, Clause No. 69, page 81, lines 4 and 6, Clause No. 82, page 92, line 13, Clause No. 84, page 94, lines 6 and 29, page 95, line 46, page 96, lines 5 and 8, Schedule No. 2, page 111, line 12, page 112, line 36, Schedule No. 4, page 126, lines 40 and 45, and Schedule No. 8, page 156, lines 20 and 36, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Sir Keith Joseph, the Amendments to Clause No. 17, page 23, line 4, and Schedule No. 6, page 144, line 41, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Hay, and the Amendment to Schedule No. 1, page 104, line 41, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Miss Pike, and in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 82, page 91, line 46, the proposed Clause (Subsidiary functions of Greater London Council), the Amendment to Schedule No. 2, page 112, line 36, and the proposed Schedule (Subsidiary functions of Greater London Council), standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Stewart.

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1, 3, 17, 21, 23, 39, 58, 68, and 69 amended and agreed to.

Clause No. 82 (Transfer and compensation of officers).

Amendment proposed, in page 91, line 48, at the end, to insert the words—

“26. The Council shall pay, out of the general fund, such scale of salaries to its members as the Minister shall, from time to time, by order prescribe.”—(Mr. Stewart.)

Question proposed, That those words be there inserted:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Schedule, as amended, agreed to.

Schedules Nos. 4, 6, and 8 amended and agreed to.

Then the Chairman left the Chair to report Bill reported to the House, pursuant to Order (29th January).

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made further Amendments to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 3, line 7, by leaving out the word “aldermen”—(Mr. Mellish.)

And the Question being put, That the word “aldermen” stand part of the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. John Hill, 220.

Mr. McLaren;

Mr. Charles Howell, 151.

Dr. Broughton;

Mr. Noes:

Charles Howell,

Dr. Broughton;

Mr. Noes, 151.

And the Question being put, That the words “aldermen” stand part of the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. John Hill, 220.

Mr. McLaren;

Mr. Charles Howell, 151.

Dr. Broughton;

Mr. Noes:

Charles Howell;

Mr. Noes, 151.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill;

And it being Seven of the clock, Mr. Speaker put forthwith Questions put pursuant to Order, to Order.

Questions put pursuant to Order, to Order.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and the Orders made to the Bill, be reported, That the Committee had made Amendments to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 10, line 10, by leaving out from the word “satisfied” to the end of the subsection and inserting the words “that the Greater London Council have failed to carry out their functions in relation to the matters aforesaid”—(Mr. Mellish.)—Instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill;

And it being Seven of the clock, Mr. Speaker proceeded, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business Committee) and the Orders made to the Bill, upon the 29th day of January last and this day, to put forthwith the Question already proposed from the Chair.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. John Hill, 220.

Mr. McLaren;

Mr. Charles Howell, 151.

Dr. Broughton;

Mr. Noes:

Charles Howell;

Mr. Noes, 151.
Mr. Speaker then proceeded to put forthwith the Questions on Amendments, moved by a member of the Government, of which notice had been given, to that part of the Bill to be concluded at Seven of the clock.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 28, line 17, by inserting, after the word "exercise", the words "in any London borough".—(Mr. Reynolds.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 33, line 16, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(8) The Greater London Council, after consultation with the London borough councils and the Common Council, shall by regulations prescribe standards of plot ratio, density, car-parking, daylighting and such other matters of a like planning nature in relation to applications for planning permission under the Planning Act as the Greater London Council shall think fit.

(9) A substantial departure from the regulations to be made under the last foregoing subsection shall for the purposes of the Town and Country Planning (Development Plans) Direction 1954 be deemed to be a departure from the Development Plan".—(Mrs. Corbett.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill; The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, 
Mr. McLaren: 207.
Mr. George Rogers: 148.

Tellers for the Noes, 
Mr. Peet: 219.
Mr. McLaren: 147.

So it passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 43, line 1, by leaving out subsections (6) and (7).—(Mr. Stewart.)

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "to" in line 4, stand part of the Bill; 
The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, 
Mr. Irving: 136.
Mr. McLaren: 207.

Tellers for the Noes, 
Mr. Rees: 219.

So it passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 43, line 1, by leaving out subsections (6) and (7).—(Mr. Stewart.)

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "to" in line 4, stand part of the Bill; 
The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, 
Mr. Batsford: 216.
Mr. Rees: 148.

Tellers for the Noes, 
Mr. Charles Howell: 216.
Mr. Grey: 148.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 43, line 44, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"Provided that the Minister of Education may direct that any two or more outer London boroughs shall submit to him a joint restatement of the said scheme or schemes of further education so far as relating to those boroughs; and any such joint restatement when so submitted shall be deemed for the purposes of the said section 42, to be a scheme of further education which has been submitted to the Minister of Education under subsection (1) of that section".—(Mr. Stewart.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, 
Mr. Charles Howell: 147.
Mr. McLaren: 219.

Tellers for the Noes, 
Mr. George Rogers: 148.

So it passed in the Negative.

And it being after Ten of the clock, Mr. Speaker proceeded, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business Committee) and the Orders made upon the 29th day of January last and this day, to put forthwith the Questions on Amendments, moved by a member of the Government, of which notice had been given, to that part of the Bill to be concluded at Ten of the clock.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 61, line 42, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(3) In its application to Greater London, section 31 of the National Health Service Act 1946 (which provides for Executive Councils for General Medical and Dental Services and Supplementary Ophthalmic Services) shall have effect as if for any reference to the local health authority area there were substituted a reference to one of the areas provided for in the Schedule (Areas, etc. of Executive Councils for General Medical and Dental Services, Pharmaceutical Services and Supplementary Ophthalmic Services)".—(Mr. Pavitt.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—

And a Debate arising thereupon; 

And it being Eleven of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed to-morrow.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Ian Proctor)—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then half an hour after Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Monday, 1st April, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Dr. King Chairman of Standing Committee B in respect of the Television Bill in place of Mr. Arbuthnot.
The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Commonwealth Development Finance Company Bill (Lords). That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Dover Harbour Bill. That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee C in respect of the Local Authorities (Land) Bill, viz.: Mr. Bishop, Mr. Corfield, Mr. Beresford Craddock, Mr. Dodds, Mr. Donnelly, Captain Hewitson, Mr. Hornby, Mr. Denis Howell, Mr. Clewes Hughes, Sir Anthony Hard, Sir John Maitland, Sir Godfrey Nicholson, Sir Richard Nugent, Mr. Graham Page, Mr. Reynolds, Mr. Skeet, Sir Alexander Spearman, Dr. Stross, Mr. George Thomas, and Mr. John Well.

Commander Donaldson reported from the Scottish Standing Committee, That they had gone through the Education (Scotland) Bill, and made Amendments thereto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Bradford Bradford Corporation (Conditioning House) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Shell Chemicals Distributing Company of Egypt Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have passed a Bill intituled, An Stock Transfer Bill to amend the law with respect to the transfer of securities; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Stock Transfer Bill (Lords) was read Stock Transfer for the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Monday next and to be printed.

Brian Kevin O'Malley, Esquire, Member for Rotherham, was sworn.

Neil McBride, Esquire, Member for Swansea, East, was sworn.
Mrs. McLaughlin, supported by Dame Irene Ward and Mrs. Emmott, presented a Bill to make it the duty of local authorities to abolish turnstiles in public lavatories and sanitary conveniences: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday next and to be printed.

Mrs. Castle, supported by Mrs. Braddock, Mr. Brockway, Mrs. Butler, Mr. Cronin, Dr. Mabon, Dr. Stross and Mr. Thornton, presented a Bill to prohibit the restriction by any local authority of access to a public lavatory or sanitary convenience by means of a turnstile; and to provide for the removal of such turnstiles: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 26th day of April next and to be printed.

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Amendment proposed yesterday, on Consideration of the London Government Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal.

Which Amendment was, in page 61, line 42, at the end, to insert the words—

"(3) In its application to Greater London, section 31 of the National Health Service Act 1946 (which provides for Executive Councils for General Medical and Dental Services and Supplementary Ophthalmic Services) shall have effect as if for any reference to the local health authority area there were substituted a reference to one of the areas provided for in the Schedule (Areas, etc. of Executive Councils for General Medical and Dental Services, Pharmaceutical Services and Supplementary Ophthalmic Services)";—(Mrs. Castle).

And the Question being again proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And the said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 67, by leaving out the words "Greater London as a whole" and inserting the words "an area larger than the London borough or boroughs in which any such further park or open space is or is proposed to be, wholly or partly situated."—(Mr. Skeffington).—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words "Greater London as a whole" stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 73, line 24, by leaving out the words "the Performing Animals (Regulation) Act 1925".—(Mrs. Corbet.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 71, line 11, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words "and the Performing Animals (Regulation) Act 1925".—(Mrs. Corbet.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 73, line 24, by leaving out the words "Greater London as a whole" and inserting the words "an area larger than the London borough or boroughs in which any such further park or open space is or is proposed to be, wholly or partly situated."—(Mr. Skeffington).—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words "Greater London as a whole" stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 90, line 17, by leaving out Clause No. 81.—(Mr. Stewart.)

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 92, line 36, by inserting, at the beginning thereof, the words "carrying out the functions conferred on them by this section, and of".—(Mr. Skeffington.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right; The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Dr. Broughton, 195.
Yea, Mr. Redhead:
Tellers for the Mr. Michael 247.
Noes, Mr. Pym:

So it passed in the Negative.

Then another Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 98, line 22, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(2) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in sections 37 or 40 of this Act or the repeal of any enactment specified in the said Schedule 17, but without prejudice to the provisions of sections 81 and 84 of this Act, no such repeal as aforesaid shall affect the operation of—

(a) the provisions of any local Act which are deemed to be, or have effect as if, incorporated in, or are read or construed as one with, the enactment so repealed; or

(b) the enactment so repealed so far as it has effect for the purposes of any such local Act provisions as aforesaid or so far as it is applied for the purposes of, or deemed to be incorporated in, any local Act".—(Mr. Skeffington.)

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Adjournment.

Resolved, unant to orders Mr. Deputy Speaker proceeded, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business Committee) and the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill: —The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill. Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 100, by leaving out lines 31 to 38 and inserting the words:

" 9 The Metropolitan Borough of Lambeth and the Metropolitan Borough of Battersea.
10 The Metropolitan Borough of Wandsworth.

—(Sir Hugh Linstead) —instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill: —The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

A Motion being made, That the Bill do now pass the third reading; —The Committee of Ways and Means was appointed, to consider the Bill: —The said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Blackburn Chairman of the Scottish Standing Committee in respect of the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill (Lords).

(No. 91.)

MEMORANDA.

Tuesday, 22nd April, 1963.

In pursuance of the Order made upon the 28th day of March last, Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Forestry (Sale of Land) (Scotland) Bill (transferred from the Scottish Standing Committee) and the Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill (transferred from the Scottish Standing Committee) to Scottish Standing Committee A.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty minutes before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till tomorrow.

(Mr. Rest.)

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill: —The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the 'Mr. Ifor Davies,
Yea.
Mr. Greg.
Noes,
Mr. Pym.

So it passed in the Negative.

And it being after Eight of the clock, Mr. Deputy Speaker proceeded, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business Committee) and the Orders made upon the 29th day of January last and yesterday, to put forthwith the Questions on Amendments, moved by a member of the Government, of which notice had been given, to the remaining part of the Bill:

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

A Motion being made, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Sir Keith Joseph, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put, That the Bill be now read the third time;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Mr. Chichester-Clark,
Yea.
Mr. Finlay:
Noes,
Mr. George Rogers;

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 27th March 1963, entitled the Strategic Goods (Control) (Amendment) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 28th March 1963, entitled the Increase of Pensions (Modification) (No. 1) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 28th March 1963, entitled the Increase of Pensions (Modification) (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 27th March 1963, entitled the Increase of Pensions (Modification) (No. 3) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 28th March 1963, entitled the Increase of Pensions (Modification) (No. 4) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
Ordered, That there be laid before the House a Statement of Revenue and Expenditure, as laid before the House by Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer when opening the Budget. —(Mr. Barber.)
Mr. Barber accordingly presented the said paper.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

No. 184.

Mr. Moyle reported from the Committee on the London County Council (Improvements) Bill, that they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.
Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Selection Committee (Standing Committee). Scottish Standing Committee.

Standing Committee C. Animal Boarding Establishments Bill.

Mr. Blackburn reported from Standing Committee C, that they had gone through the Animal Boarding Establishments Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.
Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 3rd day of May next; and be printed.
Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by Mr. Moyle reporting from the Standing Committee on the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill (Lords) that they had examined the Bill and found the same to be true; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.
Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 3rd day of May next; and be printed.

The Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill (Lords) was read the first time.
Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

The House, according to Order, resolved Ways and Means itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee.)

Surcharges and Rebates in respect of Revenue Duties.

1. Motion made, and Question, That as from 4th April 1963 the duties of customs chargeable on imported spirits other than perfumed spirits shall in the case of spirits of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Association Act 1960) be charged as if the rates specified in Table I in Schedule 1 to the Finance Act 1962 were amended—
(a) by substituting a rate of £15 13s. 8d. for the rate of £15 15s. 4d. (the rate per gallon for liqueurs, cordials, mixtures and other preparations in bottle, entered in such manner as to indicate that the strength is not to be tested); and
(b) by substituting a rate of £11 12s. 3d. for the rate of £11 13s. 6d. (the rate per proof gallon for other imported spirits not being perfumed spirits);

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer), —put and agreed to.

Beer (Customs).

3. Motion made, and Question, That as from 4th April 1963 the duties of customs and drawbacks of those duties chargeable or allowable on beer (other than black beer of an original gravity of 1200 degrees or more) shall in the case of beer of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Association Act 1960) be charged or allowed as if the rates specified in Schedule 2 to the Finance Act 1962 were amended—
(a) by substituting a rate of 6d. 3s. 5d. for the rate of 6d. 3s. 2d. (the rate of duty per 36 gallons); and
(b) by substituting a rate of 6d. 3s. 2d. for the rate of 6d. 2s. 7d. (the rate of drawback per 36 gallons);

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer), —put and agreed to.
Tobacco (Customs).

4. Motion made, and Question, That as from 4th April 1963 the duties of customs chargeable on tobacco (other than unmanufactured tobacco) shall in the case of tobacco of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Association Act 1960) be charged as if the rates per pound specified in Table 1 in Schedule 4 to the Finance Act 1962 were amended by substituting for a rate specified in the second column of the following Table the corresponding rate specified in the third column thereof:

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And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Mechanical Lighters (Customs).

5. Motion made, and Question, That as from 4th April 1963 the duty of customs charged on mechanical lighters by Section 6 of the Finance Act 1928 shall in the case of mechanical lighters of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Association Act 1960) be charged at rates equal to the rates of duties of customs charged for the year 1961-62; and it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Matches (Customs and Excise).

6. Motion made, and Question, That—
(a) as from 4th April 1963 the duties of customs charged on matches by Section 4 of the Finance Act 1931 shall in the case of matches of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Association Act 1960) be charged at rates equal to the rates of duties of excise charged on matches by that section; and
(b) as from 1st September 1963 the duties of customs and excise charged on matches by that section shall be charged at the same rates for matches in containers holding not more than 30 matches as are charged by that section for matches in containers holding more than 30 matches; and
(c) as from 1st September 1963 the duties of excise charged on matches by that section shall, instead of being charged on matches manufactured in the United Kingdom, be charged on matches sent out from the premises of a manufacturer of matches;

and it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Customs and Excise (goods conveyed by pipeline).

7. Motion made, and Question, That provision shall be made for securing that, in certain cases where goods chargeable with a duty of customs or excise are conveyed by a pipeline, the duty shall be paid by the owner of the line—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (charge and rates for 1963-64).

8. Motion made, and Question, That income tax for the year 1963-64 shall be charged at the standard rate of 7s. 9d. in the pound, and, in the case of an individual whose total income exceeds £2,000, at such higher rates in respect of the excess as Parliament may hereafter determine;

and it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.


9. Motion made, and Question, That income tax for the year 1962-63 shall be charged, in the case of an individual whose total income exceeded £2,000, at the same higher rates in respect of the excess as were charged for the year 1961-62;

and it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (personal etc. reliefs).

10. Motion made, and Question, That—
(a) the personal reliefs under Section 210 of the Income Tax Act 1952 be increased by substituting £320 for £240 in subsection (1) of section 211 and £140 for £140 in subsection (1) of that Act; and
(b) in Section 211 (2) and (3) of that Act for £800 (maximum income qualifying for old age relief) there be substituted £900;
the child allowance under Section 212 of that Act, be increased by substituting £165, £140 and £115 respectively for the amounts of £150 (children over sixteen), £125 (children between eleven and sixteen), and £100 (children not over eleven) in subsection (1A), and the £100 specified in subsection (4) (maximum income of child if claimant not to be disqualified for relief) be increased to £115;
(d) the amounts of £220 and £155 (total income of dependent relative) specified for the purposes of Section 216 of the said Act be each increased by £25;
(e) the following Table be substituted for the Table set out in Section 220 (1) of the said Act (reduced rate relief):

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(f) in Section 15 of the Finance Act 1952 (small income relief) for £400 in subsection (1) (maximum income for full relief) and in subsection (2) (marginal relief) there be substituted £450, and for £550 (limit for marginal relief) in subsection (2) there be substituted £680;
| (g) in Section 13 of the Finance Act 1957 (relief for persons over sixty-five with small incomes) subsection (1) (a) (i) be amended by substituting for £300 (maximum income for full relief to a single man) £325, subsection (1) (a) (ii) be amended by substituting for £480 (maximum income for full relief to a married man) £520, and subsection (1) (b) (marginal relief) be amended corresponding;y; |
(h) Schedule 3 to the Finance Act 1960 (relief for National Insurance contributions) be amended by increasing—

(i) the amounts specified in paragraphs 1, 3 (a) and 5 (a) of the Table set out in Part I of the Schedule by £4,
(ii) the amounts specified in paragraphs 3 (b) and 5 (b) of the Table by £3,
(iii) the remaining amounts specified in the Table by £2, and
(iv) each of the amounts of £5 specified in paragraph 2 of Part II to the Schedule by £2;
Provided that the amounts of tax deductible or repayable under Section 157 (pay as you earn) of the Income Tax Act 1952 before 6th July 1963 shall be the same as if no such changes had been made as are above provided, but this provision shall not prevent the resulting over deductions and under repayments from being adjusted subsequently by means of diminished deductions or increased repayments under that section or, if need be, by an assessment;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (Pay as you earn: alterations connected with exoneration of owner-occupiers from Schedule A).

11. Motion made, and Question, That, in connection with the removal from the charge to income tax of the occupier's beneficial interest in land in the United Kingdom, the necessary consequential alterations be made in the amounts of tax deductible or repayable under Section 157 (pay as you earn) of the Income Tax Act 1952:

Provided that the amounts of tax so deductible or repayable before 6th July 1963 shall be the same as if no alterations had been required, the alterations being made by adjusting subsequent deductions or repayments or, if need be, by an assessment;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (Miscellaneous provisions connected with exoneration of owner-occupiers from Schedule A, and other provisions relating to land).

12. Motion made, and Question, That it is expedient to authorise such charges to income tax as arise from provisions connected with the removal from the charge to income tax of the occupier's beneficial interest in land in the United Kingdom and other provisions relating to land, and in particular from—

(a) the restrictions of claims under Section 101 of the Income Tax Act 1952 (maintenance claims);
(b) provision in respect of the payment of premiums and of other transactions relating to the amount of rent, or which can be carried out as an alternative to the charging of premiums or the letting of land, and for extending in relation to transactions in land the provisions of Chapter IV of Part XVIII of the said Act of 1952;
(c) provision for the collection of outstanding tax under Schedule A;
(d) provision as to woodlands;
(e) the disallowance of deductions in respect of the annual value of land occupied for purposes of a trade, profession or vocation, and amendments as to what amounts are to be treated as consideration for the grant of a tenancy, and what as rent, in computing the profits or gains of a trade of dealing in land.—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.
Income Tax (Quarries of sand or gravel etc.).

13. Motion made, and Question, That, so long as tax is chargeable under Schedule A, the concerns specified in the proviso to paragraph 1 of Schedule A (mining and other concerns the profits of which are charged under Case I of Schedule D) shall include quarries of sand or gravel, sandpits, gravelpits and brickfields;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (Scientific research allowances).

14. Motion made, and Question, That it is expedient to amend the provisions applying on the sale or destruction of an asset in respect of which a deduction has been made under Section 336 of the Income Tax Act 1952 in charging the profits or gains of a trade—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (Capital allowances etc. for vehicles).

15. Motion made, and Question, That it is expedient to amend the provisions of Sections 23 to 27 of the Finance Act 1961—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (Co-operative housing associations).

16. Motion made, and Question, That interest and other annual payments falling within Section 177 of the Income Tax Act 1952 (payments payable subject to deduction of tax) which are payable by certain approved housing associations be treated for tax purposes as payable severally by the members in specified proportions—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (Premises provided for holders of offices or employments).

17. Motion made, and Question, That provision be made for including in emoluments chargeable under Schedule E an amount in respect of premises occupied by, or by the wife or husband of, the holder of an office or employment (including any person who is a director within the meaning of s. 163 (1) of the Income Tax Act 1952) at no rent or a rent less than the annual value—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (Discontinuance of trades etc.).

18. Motion made, and Question, That where a trade, profession or vocation is permanently discontinued in 1964-5 or any subsequent year of assessment income tax for the two years of assessment immediately preceding shall in certain cases be charged by reference to the profits or gains of those years, and the provisions of the Income Tax Acts relating to the charging of tax where there is a discontinuance shall be amended accordingly—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (Dividends on bonds to bearer).

19. Motion made, and Question, That profits arising from certain public revenue dividends mentioned in Schedule C, being dividends paid by means of coupons in respect of bonds or certificates to bearer, be charged under the relevant paragraph of that Schedule, and not under Case III of Schedule D, whatever the amount of the half-yearly payments—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Income Tax (India, Pakistan and Burma Pensions).

20. Motion made, and Question, That the exemption from income tax conferred by Section 40 (1) of the Finance Act 1956 in respect of a pension which is paid under the authority of the Pensions (India, Pakistan and Burma) Act 1955 shall not apply to so much of any such pension as is paid by virtue of the application to the pension of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1959 or the Pensions (Increase) Act 1962;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Gifts in consideration of marriage (Estate duty and stamp duties).

21. Motion made, and Question, That provision be made, for the purposes of estate duty and stamp duties, for restricting the exemption from duty of gifts made in consideration of marriage and for treating dispositions made on or in contemplation of marriage by either of the parties thereto as gifts—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Estate Duty (Valuation by reference to Schedule A value of land).

22. Motion made, and Question, That any provision of the enactments relating to estate duty which provides for any value to be restricted by reference to the annual value of land for purposes of income tax under Schedule A shall cease to have effect—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Stamp Duties (Securities for annuities etc.).

23. Motion made, and Question, That further provision be made with respect to the stamp duty chargeable on securities for annuities or sums of money at stated periods or for the payment or repayment of money—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

Stamp Duties (Marketable securities etc.).

24. Motion made, and Question, That further provision be made with respect to the stamp duties chargeable in respect of, or on the transfer of,—
(a) marketable securities;
(b) share warrants, stock certificates to bearer, instruments to which section 6 of the Finance Act 1899 applies and other similar certificates and instruments;
Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

be repealed—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer),—put and agreed to.

and that Section 44 of the Finance Act 1944 duty arising from—

duty or stamp duties which may arise from provisions designed in general to afford relief from consequential charges to income tax, estate taxation—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer).

it is expedient to authorise charges to the revenue and to make further provision in respect to the national debt and the public chargeable goods of whatever description or amend­ments making the same provision for chargeable goods of whatever description or for all goods to which any of the several rates of tax at present applies.—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer.)

Whereupon Motion made, and Question, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again—(Mr. Peel),—put and agreed to.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

The Chairman of Ways and Means also acquainted the House, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Peel):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed at Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Wednesday, 3rd April, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Grant-Ferris Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Local Authorities (Land) Bill.

(No. 92.)

Thursday, 4th April, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

The Universities of Durham and Newcastle upon Tyne Bill was read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

A Petition of the Trustees of the British Museum being offered to be presented, Mr. Secretary Brooke, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the contents of the said Petition, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

Then the said Petition was brought up and read, setting forth, That the only Funds belonging to the Petitioners for the support of the British Museum and of the British Museum (Natural History) consist of Thirty thousand pounds two and a half per cent. Consolidated Annuities, the annual proceeds whereof amount to Seven hundred and fifty pounds; of a bequest of the eighth Earl of Bridgewater, the annual proceeds of which amount to about
Four hundred and one pounds; of a bequest of the late Henry Louis Florence, the annual proceeds of which amount to about Ninety-five pounds; of a bequest of the late Honourable Nathaniel Charles Rothschild, the annual proceeds of which amount to about Ninety-five pounds; of a bequest of the late James Rose Vallentin, the annual proceeds of which amount to about Six hundred and fifty-one pounds; of a bequest of the late George Bernard Shaw; that the Establishment is necessarily attended with an expense far beyond the annual produce of the above mentioned sums, and the Trust cannot with benefit to the Public be carried on without the aid of Parliament; and praying the House to grant them such further support towards enabling them to carry on the execution of the Trust reposed in them by Parliament for the general benefit of learning and useful knowledge as to the House shall seem meet.

Ordered, That the said Petition be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Land Registry.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Account of the Receipts and Payments in respect of Her Majesty's Land Registry for the year ending the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Account do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Copy of the Balance Sheet of the United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority as at the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.


Ordered, That the Paper relating to Atomic Energy be printed.

Mr. Goldman Irvine reported from the Private Bills Committee on the Essex Water Bill, That, for the convenience of Members, the Committee had adjourned till Tuesday next, at Eleven o'clock.

Mr. Robert Jenkins reported from the Committee on the Medway Conservancy Bill, That, for the convenience of Parties, the Committee had adjourned till Tuesday next, at Eleven o'clock.

Colonel Lancaster reported from the Committee on Public Petitions, That they had examined the Petitions presented upon the 23rd and 29th days of January last, the 13th day of February last, and the 5th day of March last, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from His Excellency the Lord Mayor of the city of London had been brought from the Lords by the Lords' one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the BP Refinery (Kwinana) Bill, without any Amendment.

Mr. Erroll, supported by Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Secretary Noble, and Mr. William Ready, presented a Bill to authorise the payment of a sum not exceeding One hundred thousand seven hundred pounds per annum from a fund, and about Ten thousand pounds per annum from a Bequest, both set up by the late Percy Thomas Brooke Sewell for the acquisition of certain classes of Oriental Antiquities; and a fund at present amounting to some Four hundred thousand pounds as a result of a legacy from the late Henry Louis Florence, the annual proceeds of which amount to about One hundred and ninety-three pounds; of a bequest of the late James Mew, the annual proceeds of which amount to about One hundred and eighty of the proceeds of the James Mew Will Trust, amounting to about One hundred and forty-four pounds; of a bequest of the late Mrs. Marjory Kathleen Coldwell, the annual proceeds of which amount to about Twenty-four pounds; of a bequest under the Will of the late Dr. Walter Ewing Crum, the annual proceeds of which amount to about Three hundred and ninety-three pounds; of a bequest of the late William C. Hazlitt, the annual proceeds of which amount to about Three thousand seven hundred pounds per annum, and the Trust cannot with benefit to the Public be carried on without the aid of Parliament; and praying the House to grant them such further support towards enabling them to carry on the execution of the Trust reposed in them by Parliament for the general benefit of learning and useful knowledge as to the House shall seem meet.

Ordered, That the said Petition be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means. Means.

Amendment of the law.

Question again proposed, That it is expedient to amend the law with respect to the national debt and the public revenue and to make further provision in connection with finance, so, however, that this Resolution shall not extend to making amendments of the enactments relating to purchase tax so as to give relief from tax, other than amendments making the same provision for chargeable goods of whatever description, or for all goods to which any of the several rates of tax at present applies.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Copy of the Balance Sheet of the United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority as at the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
Whereupon Motion made, and Question, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again—(Mr. McLaren)—put and agreed to.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Adjournment.

On motion, the House adjourned till to-morrow, twenty-eight minutes past Ten of the clock.

[No. 93.]
Friday, 5th April, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions).—Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Orders,—(1) dated 3rd April 1963, entitled the Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 3) Order 1963, and (2) dated 4th April 1963, entitled the Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 4) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Disarmament (Miscellaneous, No. 5, 1963).—Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of further Documents relating to the Conference of the 18-Nation Committee on Disarmament during the Session of the 26th day of November to the 20th day of December 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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The House, according to Order, proceeded Nursing Homes Bill, to take into consideration the Nursing Homes Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded Corn Rents Bill, to take into consideration the Corn Rents Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded Employment of Women Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee.

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 1, line 6, by inserting, after the word “of”, the word “married”.—(Mrs. Hart.)

And the Question being put, That the word “married” be there inserted in the Bill;—The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

Tellers for the {Mr. Skaffington, 7.}
{Mr. Marsh:}

Tellers for the {Lord Balniel, 28.}
{Mr. Channon:}

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 1, line 7, by inserting, after the word “childbirth”, the words “in industries and occupations satisfying the conditions prescribed in subsection (2) of this section”—(Mrs. Hart.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed upon Friday the 26th day of this instant April.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Dog Racing (Appointed Days) Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 and 2 agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.
The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Travel Agencies (Registration) Bill:
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 26th day of this instant April.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Public Order Act 1936 (Amendment) Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 3rd day of May next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Racial Discrimination and Incitement Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 26th day of this instant April.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Service Disability Pensions Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 26th day of this instant April.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Industrial Diseases (Byssinosis) Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 26th day of this instant April.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the National Insurance Act 1957 (Amendment) Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 26th day of this instant April.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Criminal Injuries (Compensation) Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 26th day of this instant April.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the World Security Agency Bill;
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 26th day of this instant April.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Stock Transfer Bill [Lord's];
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 26th day of this instant April.

The Public Lavatories (Turnstiles) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committal of Bills).

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.  
—(Mr. Pym.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-six minutes before Five of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

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The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.


Copy of a Report by the Minister of Trans. Oil in Navigable Waters Act 1955 during 1962.


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Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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Whereupon Motion made, and Question, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again—(Mr. MacArthur)—put and agreed to.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Adjournment. A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. MacArthur)—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed at Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDA.

Monday, 8th April, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Arbuthnot Chairman of Standing Committee B in respect of the Television Bill in place of Sir Hamilton Kerr, resigned.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Public Lavatories (Turnstiles) Bill to Standing Committee C.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Arbuthnot Chairman of Standing Committee B in respect of the Television Bill in place of Dr. King.

In pursuance of the Church of England Assembly (Powers) Act 1919 & 10 Geo. V., c. 76, s. 2 (2), Mr. Speaker this day nominated Mr. Arbuthnot to serve, for the duration of the present Parliament, upon the Ecclesiastical Committee, in the room of Sir Hamilton Kerr, resigned.
privileges to be granted to experts provided by their respective countries under the Technical Co-operation Scheme of the Colombo Plan.

Treaty Series

Copy of a Resolution adopted by the Council of Western European Union on the 19th day of October 1962 amending paragraph V (c) of Annex III to Protocol No. III of the modified Brussels Treaty.

United States

Copy of the Report of the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission for the year ended the 30th day of September 1962.

United States

Copy of the Polaris Sales Agreement signed at Washington on the 6th day of April 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the United States of America.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Animals.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies Nos. 168 to 170.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Civil Defence.

Draft of Regulations, entitled the Civil Defence (Training in Nursing) (Scotland) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Animals.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 1st April 1963, entitled the Animals (Landing from Channel Islands, Isle of Man, Northern Ireland and Republic of Ireland) (Amendment) Order 1963.

Sugar.

Copies of Orders, dated 3rd April 1963, entitled—

(1) the Sugar (Suspension of Surcharge) Repayments) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Civil Defence.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of Regulations, entitled the Civil Defence (Training in Nursing) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Industrial Courts.

Mr. Hare presented, by His Majesty's Command.—Copy of the Report of a Court of Inquiry into the causes and circumstances of a Dispute between the Ford Motor Company, Limited, Dagenham, and members of the Trade Unions represented on the Trade Union side of the Ford National Joint Negotiating Committee.

International Labour Conference.

Copy of a Statement on the proposed action by His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom on two Conventions and two Recommendations adopted at the 46th (1962) Session and on a Convention adopted at the 3rd (1921) Session of the International Labour Conference.

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Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the Transport directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of the Reports for 1962—

(1) of the Central Transport Consultative Committee for Great Britain, and

(2) of the Transport Users' Consultative Committee for Scotland, and

(3) of the Transport Users' Consultative Committee for Wales and Monmouthshire.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.


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The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Copy of Rules, dated 2nd April 1963, entitled the Betting Levy Appeal Tribunal (Prescribed Bodies) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Iain Macleod reported from the Select Committee on Procedure, That they had considered methods of expediting the passage of Bills containing provisions of the kinds which are usually included in Finance Bills, being a matter relating to the public business of the House to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the said Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Malcolm MacPherson reported from Standing Committee D, That they had gone through the Contracts of Employment Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.
Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill, with Amend­ments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to amend the law relating to the protection of performers so as to enable effect to be given to a Convention entered into at Rome on 26th October 1961; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to confer further powers on the Port of London Authority; and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill be taken into consideration to­morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

Resolved, That this House do meet on Thursday next at Eleven of the clock; that no Questions be taken after Twelve of the clock; and that at Five of the clock Mr. Speaker do adjourn the House without putting any Question.—(The Prime Minister.)

Resolved, This House, at its rising on Thursday next, do adjourn till Tuesday the 23rd day of this instant April.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Ways and Means. The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means. (In the Committee.)

Amendment of the law. Question again proposed, That it is expedient to amend the law with respect to the national debt and the public revenue and to make further provision in connection with finance, so, however, that this Resolution shall not extend to making amendments of the enactments relating to purchase tax so as to give relief from tax, other than amendments making the same provision for chargeable goods of whatever description, or for all goods to which any of the several rates of tax at present applies. Question put and agreed to. Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to­morrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Motions in the name of Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer relating to the Finance Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provi­sions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer.)

Ordered, That, notwithstanding anything to Finance Bill the contrary in the practice of the House relating to the matters which may be included in Finance Bills, provision may be made in any Finance Bill of the present Session for amending, as respects tax for years of assessment beginning not earlier than the 6th day of April 1964, the provisions of Section 212 of the Income Tax Act 1952 (child relief) relating to cases where a child is entitled to an income in his own right.—(Mr. Barber.)

Ordered, That, notwithstanding anything to Finance Bill the contrary in the practice of the House relating to matters which may be included in Finance Bills, provision may be made in any Finance Bill introduced in the present Session for giving effect to any Resolution which may be passed by a Committee of the whole House and agreed to by the House for the purpose of continuing the power to make advances under Section 42 of the Finance Act 1956 subject to the limits for the time being in force on the borrowing powers of the bodies to which such advances may be made, imposing or providing for the imposition of new aggregate limits for such advances and repealing Section 78 of the Finance Act 1960. —(Mr. Barber.)

Mr. Boyd-Carpenter, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Finance (Exchequer Advances) proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Com­mittees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House;—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee. (In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session relating to finance, it is expedient to authorise such increases in the sums which, under Section 42 of the Finance Act 1956, are authorised or required to be issued out of the Consolidated Fund, raised by borrowing, or paid into the Ex­chequer, as may be attributable to any pro­vision of the said Act of the present Session continuing the power to make advances under that Section (subject to the limits for the time being in force on the borrowing powers of the bodies to which such advances may be made), imposing or providing for the im­position of new aggregate limits on the amount of advances under the said Section 42 and repealing Section 78 of the Finance Act 1960. —(Mr. Barber.)

Resolution to be reported.
Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved. That the National Insurance (Earnings) Regulations 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 19th day of March last, be approved.—(Mrs. Thatcher.)

Resolved, That the Housing (Payments for Well-Maintained Houses) Order 1963, dated 1st March 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 7th day of March last, be approved.—(Mr. Corfield.)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. —(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till one minute before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

[No. 96.]

Wednesday, 10th April, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Sunderland Corporation Bill [Lords].

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

Agriculture (Scotland).

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Department of Agriculture for Scotland for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 2nd April 1963, entitled—

(1) the London (Waiting and Loading (Restriction) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 1963,
(2) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes (Woking) Regulations 1963, and
(3) the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting (Swinley) Regulations 1963.

Rights of Way.

Copy of an Order, dated 28th March 1963, entitled the Stopping-up of Highways (Manchester Airport) Order 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Transport under Section 8 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

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The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Account of the Receipts and Expenses of Legal Aid Fund for the year ended 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Controller and Auditor General thereon.


Ordered, That the said Account be printed.

Mr. Goddard Irvine reported from the Committee on the Essex Water Bill, That they had examined the allegations of the Bill, but the same not having been proved to their satisfaction, they had directed him to report the Bill, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill do lie upon the Table.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means Killingholme Jetty Bill reported from the Committee on the Killingholme Jetty Bill, That they had examined the allegations contained in the Preamble of the Bill, and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means London Transport Bill reported from the Committee on the London Transport Bill. That they had examined the allegations contained in the Preamble of the Bill, and amended the same so as to make it consistent with the facts as proved by the evidence adduced, and found the same, as amended, to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereto; and had amended the Title, as followeth: A Title amended.

Bill to empower the London Transport Board to construct works and to acquire lands, to confer further powers on the Board; and for other purposes; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Mr. Robert Jenkins reported from the Committee on the Medway Conservancy Bill, That, (Adjournment for the convenience of Members, the Committee had adjourned till Tuesday the 30th day of this instant April at Eleven of the clock.
Mr. Granville-Ferris reported from Standing Committee C, That they had gone through the Local Authorities (Land) Bill and made Amendments thereto; and had amended the Title, as follows: A Bill to make amendments of the law relating to the functions of local authorities in relation to land to the like effect as those commonly made in local Acts; to enable local authorities to provide accommodation for keeping motor vehicles; to make arrangement for the erection of buildings and to amend the provisions of the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949 relating to the use of derelict land; to amend the law with respect to the power of municipal boroughs to use the general rate fund and borrow for non-statutory purposes; to apply Part II of the Town and Country Planning Act 1959 to corporate land; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid.

Ordered. The Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 21st day of June next; and be printed.

Mr. Keith Joseph, supported by Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Hare, Mr. Secretary Noble, Sir Keith Joseph, and Mr. David Price, presented a Bill to make further provision for the payment of grants under the Local Employment Act 1960 towards the cost of machinery, plant and buildings required by undertakings, and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid.

Ordered. That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow and be printed.

Mr. John Bill reported from the Committee of Ways and Means of the 3rd day of this instant April, several Resolutions which were read, as follow:

Surcharges and Rebates in respect of Revenue Duties.

1. That the period after which orders under section 9 of the Finance Act 1961 may not be made or continue in force shall be extended till the end of August 1964.

2. That as from 4th April 1963 the duties of customs chargeable on imported spirits other than perfumed spirits shall in the case of spirits of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Association Act 1960) be charged as if the rates specified in Schedule 2 to the Finance Act 1962 were amended—

(a) by substituting a rate of £11 12s. 3d. for the rate of £11 12s. 6d. (the rate per gallon for liqueurs, cordials, mixtures and other preparations in bottle, entered in such manner as to indicate that the strength is not to be tested); and

(b) by substituting a rate of £11 12s. 3d. for the rate of £11 12s. 6d. (the rate per proof gallon for other imported spirits not being perfumed spirits).

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.

Beer (Customs).

3. That as from 4th April 1963 the duties of customs and drawbacks of those duties chargeable or allowable on beer (other than black beer) shall in the case of beer of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Association Act 1960) be charged or allowed as if the rates specified in Schedule 1 to the Finance Act 1962 were amended—

(a) by substituting a rate of £6 3s. 5d. for the rate of £6 3s. 5d. (the rate of duty per 36 gallons); and

(b) by substituting a rate of £6 3s. 2d. for the rate of £6 3s. 2d. (the rate of drawback per 36 gallons);

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.

Tobacco (Customs).

4. That as from 4th April 1963 the duties of customs chargeable on tobacco (other than unmanufactured tobacco) shall in the case of tobacco of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Association Act 1960) be charged as if the rates per pound specified in Table I in Schedule 4 to the Finance Act 1962 were amended—

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.

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And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.
Mechanical Lighters (Customs).

5. That as from 4th April 1963 the duty of customs charged on mechanical lighters by section 6 of the Finance Act 1928 shall in the case of mechanical lighters of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Area Association Act 1960) be charged at the rate of 6s. 0d. or, in the case of a gas lighter, at the rate of 4s. 0d.;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.

Matching (Customs and Excise).

6. That—

(a) as from 4th April 1963 the duties of customs charged on matches by section 4 of the Finance Act 1951 shall in the case of matches of Convention area origin (within the meaning of the European Free Trade Area Association Act 1960) be charged at rates equal to the rates of duties of excise charged on matches by that section; and

(b) as from 1st September 1963 the duties of customs and excise charged on matches by that section shall be charged at the same rates for matches in containers holding not more than 30 matches as are charged by that section for matches in containers holding more than 30 matches;

(c) as from 1st September 1963 the duties of excise charged on matches by that section shall, instead of being charged on matches manufactured in the United Kingdom, be charged on matches sent out from the premises of a manufacturer of matches;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.

Customs and Excise (Goods conveyed by pipe-line).

7. That provision shall be made for securing that, in certain cases where goods chargeable with a duty of customs or excise are conveyed by a pipe-line, the duty shall be paid by the owner of the line.

Income Tax (Charge and rates for 1963-64).

8. That income tax for the year 1963-64 shall be charged at the standard rate of 7s. 9d. in the pound, and, in the case of an individual whose total income exceeds £2,000, at such higher rates in respect of the excess as Parliament may hereafter determine;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.
(h) Schedule 3 to the Finance Act 1960 (relief for National Insurance contributions) be amended by increasing—

(i) the amounts specified in paragraphs 1, 3 (a) and 5 (a) of the Table set out in Part I of the Schedule by £4,

(ii) the amounts specified in paragraphs 3 (b) and 5 (b) of the Table by £3,

(iii) the remaining amounts specified in the Table by £2, and

(iv) each of the amounts of £5 specified in paragraph 2 of Part II to the Schedule by £2:

Provided that the amounts of tax deductible or repayable under section 157 (pay as you earn) of the Income Tax Act 1952 before 6th July 1963 shall be the same as if no such alterations had been made as are above provided, but this provision shall not prevent the resulting over deductions and under repayments from being adjusted subsequently by means of diminished deductions or increased repayments under that section or, if need be, by an assessment;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.

Income Tax (Pay as you earn: alterations connected with exoneration of owner-occupiers from Schedule A).

11. That, in connection with the removal from the charge to income tax of the occupier's beneficial interest in land in the United Kingdom, the necessary consequential alterations be made in the amounts of tax deductible or repayable under section 157 (pay as you earn) of the Income Tax Act 1952:

Provided that the amounts of tax so deductible or repayable before 6th July 1963 shall be the same as if no alterations had been required, the alterations being made by adjusting subsequent deductions or repayments or, if need be, by an assessment;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.

Income Tax (Miscellaneous provisions connected with exoneration of owner-occupiers from Schedule A, and other provisions relating to land).

12. That it is expedient to authorise such charges to income tax as arise from provisions connected with the removal from the charge to tax of the occupier's beneficial interest in land in the United Kingdom and other provisions relating to land, and in particular from—

(a) the restriction of claims under section 101 of the Income Tax Act 1952 (maintenance claims);

(b) provision in respect of the payment of premiums and of other transactions relevant to the amount of rent, or which can be carried out as an alternative to the charging of premiums or the letting of land, and for extending in relation to transactions in land the provisions of Chapter IV of Part XVIII of the said Act of 1952;

(c) provision for the collection of outstanding tax under Schedule A;

(d) provision as to woodlands;

(e) the disallowance of deductions in respect of the annual value of land occupied for the purposes of a trade, profession or vocation, and amendments as to what amounts are to be treated as consideration for the grant of a tenancy, and what as rent, in computing the profits or gains of a trade of dealing in land.

Income Tax (Quarries of sand or gravel etc.).

13. That, so long as tax is chargeable under Schedule A, the concerns specified in the proviso to paragraph 1 of Schedule A (mining and other concerns the profits of which are charged under Case I of Schedule D) shall include quarries of sand, gravel, sandpits, gravelpits and brickfields;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.

Income Tax (Scientific research allowances).

14. That it is expedient to amend the provisions applying on the sale or destruction of an asset in respect of which a deduction has been made under section 336 of the Income Tax Act 1952 in charging the profits or gains of a trade.

Income Tax (Capital allowances etc. for vehicles).

15. That it is expedient to amend the provisions of sections 23 to 27 of the Finance Act 1961.

Income Tax (Co-operative housing associations).

16. That interest and other annual payments falling within section 177 of the Income Tax Act 1952 (payments payable subject to deduction of tax) which are payable by certain approved housing associations be treated for tax purposes as payable severally by the members in specified proportions.

Income Tax (Premises provided for holders of offices or employments).

17. That provision be made for including in enuements chargeable under Schedule E an amount in respect of premises occupied by, or by the wife or husband of, the holder of an office or employment (including any person who is a director within the meaning of s. 163(1) of the Income Tax Act 1952) at no rent or a rent less than the annual value.

Income Tax (Discontinuance of trades etc.).

18. That where a trade, profession of voca— Income Tax tion is permanently discontinued in 1964-65 or any subsequent year of assessment income tax for the two years of assessment immediately preceding shall in certain cases be charged by reference to the profits or gains of those years, and the provisions of the Income Tax Acts relating to the charging of tax where there is a discontinuance shall be amended accordingly.
**Income Tax (Dividends on bonds to bearer).**

19. That profits arising from certain public revenue dividends mentioned in Schedule C, being dividends paid by means of coupons in respect of bonds or certificates to bearer, be charged under the relevant paragraph of that Schedule, and not under Case III of Schedule D, whatever the amount of the half-yearly payments.

**Income Tax (India, Pakistan and Burma Pensions).**

20. That the exemption from income tax conferred by section 40(1) of the Finance Act 1955 shall not apply to so much of any such pension as is paid by virtue of the application to the pension of the Pensions (Increase) Act 1959 or the Pensions (Increase) Act 1962;

And it is hereby declared that it is expedient in the public interest that this Resolution should have statutory effect under the provisions of the Provisional Collection of Taxes Act 1913.

**Gifts in consideration of marriage (Estate duty and stamp duties).**

21. That provision be made, for the purposes of estate duty and stamp duties, for restricting the exemption from duty of gifts made in consideration of marriage and for creating dispossession made on or in contemplation of marriage by either of the parties thereto as gifts.

**Estate Duty (Valuation by reference to Schedule A value of land).**

22. That any provision of the enactments relating to estate duty which provides for any value to be restricted by reference to the annual value of land for purposes of income tax under Schedule A shall cease to have effect.

**Stamp Duties (Securities for annuities etc.).**

23. That further provision be made with respect to the stamp duty chargeable on securities for annuities or sums of money at stated periods or for the payment or repayment of money.

**Stamp Duties ( Marketable securities etc.).**

24. That further provision be made with respect to the stamp duties chargeable in respect of, or on the transfer of,—

(a) marketable securities;
(b) share warrants, stock certificates to bearer, instruments to which section 6 of the Finance Act 1899 applies and other similar certificates and instruments;
(c) securities and stock of Commonwealth governments;

and that section 44 of the Finance Act 1944 be repealed.

**Stamp Duties (Leases).**

25. That it is expedient to authorise charges to stamp duty arising from—

(a) any provision for treating as a lease for a definite term any lease granted for a fixed term and thereafter until determined, and for construing section 75 of the Stamp Act 1891 accordingly;

(b) any provision relating to the duty chargeable under paragraph (b) of the heading "Lease or Tack" in Schedule 1 to that Act.

**Incidental and consequential charges (Income tax, estate duty and stamp duties).**

26. That it is expedient to authorise any incidental or consequential charges to income tax, estate duty or stamp duties which may arise from provisions designed in general to afford relief from taxation.

**Profits Tax (Miscellaneous charges).**

27. That it is expedient to authorise charges to the profits tax which arise from provisions for that tax corresponding with amendments of the law relating to income tax or are incidental to or consequential on such amendments.

**Redemption of Guaranteed Land Stock.**

28. That, in connection with the redemption of any stock created under the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act 1891, any part of the Sinking Fund established under that Act which is not applied in the redemption of the stock may be paid into the Exchequer.

The First Resolution being read a second time:

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Second Resolution being read a second time:

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Third Resolution being read a second time:

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Fourth Resolution being read a second time:

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Fifth Resolution being read a second time:

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution—It was resolved in the Affirmative.
The Sixth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Seventh Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Eighth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Ninth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Tenth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Eleventh Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twelfth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Thirteenth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Fourteenth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Fifteenth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Sixteenth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Seventeenth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Eighteenth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Nineteenth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twentieth Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twenty-first Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twenty-second Resolution being read a second time;
And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.
Mr. John Hill reported from the Committee on Finance [Exchequer Advances], a Resolution; which was read, as follows:

Amendment of the law.

That it is expedient to amend the law with respect to the national debt and the public revenue and to make further provision in connection with finance, so, however, that this Resolution shall not extend to making amendments of the enactments relating to purchase tax so as to give relief from tax, other than amendments making the same provision for chargeable goods of whatever description, or for all goods to which any of the several rates of tax at present applies.

The said Resolution being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twenty-third Resolution being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twenty-fourth Resolution being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twenty-fifth Resolution being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twenty-sixth Resolution being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twenty-seventh Resolution being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Twenty-eighth Resolution being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

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The said Resolution being read a second time;

And the Question being put forthwith, pursuant to the Standing Order (Ways and Means Motions and Resolutions), That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolution:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That a Bill be brought in upon Finance, the said Resolution and upon the other Resolutions reported from the Committee of Ways and Means and the Resolution reported from the Committee on Finance [Exchequer Advances] and agreed to this day: And that the Chairman of Ways and Means, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Boyd-Carpenter, Mr. du Cann, and Mr. Barber do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Barber accordingly presented a Bill to be printed.
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.
Tellers for the Mr. Irving, 218. Yeas, Mr. Ifor Davies:
Tellers for the Mr. Chichester-Clark, 274. Noes, Mr. Finlay:
So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being put, That the proposed words be added after the word "House" in the Main Question:
The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:
The Noes to the Left.
Tellers for the Mr. Chichester-Clark, 270. Yeas, Mr. Finlay:
Tellers for the Mr. Irving, 214. Noes, Mr. Ifor Davies:
So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the Main Question, so amended, being put;
Resolved, that this House, mindful of Great Britain's tradition of granting political asylum here to persons who might otherwise be exposed to unjust or oppressive treatment in their own country, is confident of the fair and impartial administration of justice in Nigeria and upholds the decision of the Secretary of State for the Home Department to return Chief Enahoro to stand his trial there.

Fort William The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills Bill;
And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;
And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Business of the House.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

The Question being again proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:—The House resumed the adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put; Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committee of Bills).

Mr. Secretary Noble, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills (Money) proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to authorise the Board of Trade to make advances to Wiggins, Teape & Co. Limited in connection with the construction and equipment of pulp and paper mills in the neighbourhood of Fort William, and to make grants to that company in respect of interest on such advances, it is expedient to authorise the provision out of moneys provided by Parliament—

(a) of sums not exceeding £10 million in all to be advanced by the Board of Trade to the said company by way of loan;
(b) of sums not exceeding £1.3 million in all required by the Board of Trade for making grants to the said company in respect of the company's liability for interest accruing before 1st January 1967 on sums advanced by way of loan under the said Act;
and the payment into the Exchequer of sums received by the Board of Trade by way of interest on or repayment of such advances by way of loan.—(Mr. Secretary Noble.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That the Police Pensions (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 19th day of March last, be approved.—(Mr. Woodhouse.)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Finlay.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till seventeen minutes before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

[No. 97.] Thursday, 11th April, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

A Bill to regulate the expenditure on London County Council (Money) Bill.
Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 4th April 1963, entitled the Friendly Societies (London and Edinburgh Gazette Fees) Regulations 1963. Order, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Butler presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of Correspondence between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Southern Rhodesia. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of a Statement on Population, Dwellings and Households in Glasgow, Edinburgh, Aberdeen and Dundee. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. (Mr. Redmayne.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-four minutes before Five of the clock, adjourned till Tuesday the 23rd day of this instant April, pursuant to the Resolution of the House of the 9th day of this instant April.

MEMORANDUM.

Thursday, 11th April, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills Bill to Standing Committee A.

[No. 98.]

Tuesday, 23rd April, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker made the following communication to the House:—

I regret to have to inform the House of the death of Sir Leslie Arthur Plummer, Member for Deptford, and I desire on behalf of the House to express our sense of the loss we have sustained and our sympathy with the relatives of the honourable Member.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—Report from one of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That, in the case of the following Bill, originating in the Lords, and referred on the First Reading thereof, no Standing Order not previously inquired into is applicable thereto, viz.:

Port of London Bill (Lords).

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time.

A Public Petition from Fulham for the unconditional renunciation of nuclear weapons at sea. A Public Petition from Fulham for the unconditional renunciation of nuclear weapons was presented and read, and ordered to lie upon the Table.

The following Papers, presented by Her Majesty's Command and delivered to the Votes and Proceedings Office during the Adjournment pursuant to the Standing Order (Presentation of Command Papers), were ordered to lie upon the Table:

Copy of the Report by the National Incomes Commission on the Scottish Incomes Commission.

Copy of the Constitution of the Inter-governamental Committee for European Migration signed at Venice on the 19th day of October 1953.

Copy of Notes exchanged at Tunis on the Treaty Series 7th and 14th days of July 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Tunisian Republic regarding the Abolition of Visas.

Copy of Plans for the Health and Welfare Services of Local Authorities in England and Wales.

The following Papers, delivered to the Votes Parliamentary Papers (Adjournment), were ordered to lie upon the Table:

Copy of a Scheme, dated 8th April 1963, Sea Fisheries, entitled the White Fish Subsidy (United Kingdom) (Amendment) Scheme 1963.


(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Leyton) (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

17th April 1963:—

Copy of Regulations, dated 9th April 1963, entitled the White Fish Subsidy (United Kingdom) (Amendment) Scheme 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 4th April 1963:—

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Animals.

Air Force.


19th April 1963:—

Caribbean and North Atlantic Territories.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 11th April 1963, entitled the West Indies (Retirement and Compensation) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order in Council 1963.

Landlord and Tenant.


Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command, a Copy of a Fourth Supplementary List of Ratifications, Accessions, Withdrawals, etc., for 1962.


Copy of an Agreement signed at London on the 28th day of February 1962 and at Amman on the 5th day of May 1962 between the Postal Administrations of Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan concerning the exchange of Money Orders.


Copy of Notes exchanged at Tokyo on the 2nd day of November 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Japan regarding the Abolition of Visas.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Air Force.

Mr. Secretary Fraser presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 1st April 1963, amending the Regulations appended to Her Majesty's Orders, dated 19th December 1956, 21st June 1957, 10th January and 14th November 1958, 16th December 1959, and 17th February 1961, and included in a volume entitled "Her Majesty's Regulations and Air Council Instructions for the Royal Air Force (Fourth Edition)."

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Air Force.

Copy of an Order, dated 2nd April 1963, further amending the Regulations appended to the Order of His late Majesty King George the Sixth dated 6th March 1940, as subsequently amended, which made provision for (1) the superannuation of officers appointed to pensionable posts under the Air Ministry in substitution for Royal Air Force officers, and (2) the granting of awards for injury or death attributable to service in such posts.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order, entitled the Tuberculosis (Extension of Payments Period) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Account of the Milford Haven Conservancy Board for 1962 and Balance Sheet on the 31st day of December 1962, with the Report of the Auditors to the Board thereon.


Statement of the Salary payable to a Member of the British Waterways Board.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Reports of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Mines and Quarries for 1962—(1) for the North Eastern Division, and (2) for the South Western Division.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Draft of Regulations, entitled the National Insurance (Mariners) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Draft of an Order, entitled the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) (Colliery Workers Supplementary Scheme) Amendment and Consolidation Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Vosper presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Public Officers Agreement between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Uganda.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Performers' Protection Bill (Lords) was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 17th day of May next and to be printed.

The Water Resources Bill (Lords) was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Commital of Bills).

Sir Keith Joseph, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Water Resources [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committee), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to provide for the establishment of river authorities and a Water
Resources Board, to confer on them, and on the Minister of Housing and Local Government, new functions in relation to water resources in England and Wales, and to provide for the transfer to river authorities of functions previously exercisable by river boards and other bodies, and for other purposes, it is expedient to authorise—

1. the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament—
   (a) of any expenses incurred by any Minister in consequence of any provision of that Act, and
   (b) of any increase attributable to that Act in the sums payable out of moneys so provided by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland;

2. the payment into the Exchequer of any sums received by any Minister under that Act.---(Mr. Corfield.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received tomorrow.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Town and Country Planning Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).---(Sir Keith Joseph.)

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Town and Country Planning Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee;

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to the Schedule, page 5, lines 6 and 22, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Stewart.---(Mr. MacColl.)

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Schedule.

Amendment proposed, in page 5, line 6, to leave out the words "by more than ten per cent."—(Mr. MacColl.)

Question, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule, put and agreed to.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 5, line 22, at the end, to add the words—

"5. In the case of any building to be rebuilt or altered the building as rebuilt or altered shall not infringe any planning standards for the time being laid down by a local planning authority.

In determining for the purposes of this paragraph whether planning standards are infringed, a local planning authority shall have regard to its requirements imposed for the purpose of controlling—

(a) the bulk and the floor space of buildings;
(b) the amount of residential accommodation to be provided;
(c) the shape and disposition of the building on its site;
(d) the amount of daylight to be available to the building in question and to the surrounding property; and
(e) the provision of proper car parking facilities."—(Mr. Skeffington.)

Question, That those words be there added, put and negatived.

Schedule agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Motion being made, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Sir Keith Joseph, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, that Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

—(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.
Wednesday, 24th April, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

P R A Y E R S.

Mr. Secretary Brooke, presented by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Tribunal appointed to inquire into the Case of William John Christopher Vassall and related matters.

Mr. Secretary Brooke also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of a Statute made by the University of Oxford on the 12th day of February 1963, amending the Statutes of the University.

Ordered. That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of a Statute made by the University of Oxford on the 12th day of February 1963, amending the Statutes of the University.

Ordered. That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee A in respect of the Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills Bill, viz.: Mr. Atken, Mr. Allison, Mr. Bigwood, Mr. Biggs-Davidson, Wing Commander Bulloz, Sir Oliver Crathwistle-Eyre, Mr. Dalzell, Mr. de Ferranti, Mr. Digby, Mr. Ian Fraser, Mr. Grey, Mr. Hannan, Mr. James Hill, Mr. Jay, Mr. Leburn, Mr. Manuel, Mr. David Price, Mr. Prior, Mr. Ross, and Mr. Woodburn.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee C in respect of the Oaths and Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill, viz.: Mr. Schofield Allen, Sir Tufton Beannish, Mr. Biggs-Davidson, Mr. Bingham, Mr. Robert Carr, Mr. Coulson, Mr. Crawley, Mr. Carrie, Mr. Edelman, Mrs. Emmet, Mr. Gowley, Mr. Harper, Major Hicks Beach, Mr. Holland, Mr. Henry Hynd, Mr. Elwyn Jones, Sir Donald Kaberry, Mr. Lipton, Mr. McLeavy, and Mr. Smithers.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Papers relating to Air Navigation, Coal Industry, Electricity, Gas, Hydro-Electric Development (Scotland), Post Office, and Transport be printed.

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Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee D in respect of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Bill, viz.: Mr. Ainsley, Mr. Bell, Wing Commander Bullas, Mr. Corfield, Mr. Crossland, Mr. Stephen Davies, Mr. Digby, Mr. Glasburg, Dr. Glynn, Mr. Kershaw, Mr. Longden, Mr. Maddan, Mr. Mellish, Mr. Meaney, Mr. Ewen, Mr. Reynolds, Mr. Slater, Mr. Speir, Mr. Temple, and Sir Gerald Wills;

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Twenty-five Members to serve on Standing Committee E in respect of the Forestry (Sale of Land) (Scotland) Bill, viz.: Mr. Bullard, Mr. Corfield, Mr. Darling, Mr. Harold Davies, Mr. I.Jor Davies, Mrs. Hill, Mr. Desi Howells, Mr. Cledwyn Hughes, Mr. Carol Johnson, Sir Keith Joseph, Mr. Lovesey, Mr. Maxwell-Hyslop, Mr. More, Mr. Maclean, Mr. Pear, Mr. Proctorfoot, Commander Pursey, Miss Quennell, Mr. Rees, Mr. Scott-Hopkins, Dr. Sirost, Mr. Temple, Mr. Vane, Miss Vickers, and Mr. Watkins.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Scottish Standing Committee A in respect of the Forestry (Sale of Land) (Scotland) Bill, viz.: Mr. Brewis, Mr. Brooman-White, the Earl of Dalkeith, Sir James Duncan, Sir John Gilmour, Mr. Hannan, Mr. John Henderson, Mr. Hendry, Mr. Hoy, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Lawson, Sir Fitzroy Maclennan, Mr. McLean, Mr. John MacLeod, Mr. Malcolm MacMillan, Mr. MacNeil, Mr. Small, Mr. Steele, Sir Colin Thomson-Kemysley, and Mr. Willis.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Scottish Standing Committee A in respect of the Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill, viz.: Mr. Brewis, the Earl of Dalkeith, Sir John Gilmour, Mr. Gourlay, Mr. Hannan, Mr. John Henderson, Mr. Hendry, Mr. Hector Hughes, Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. Lilley, Mr. McInnes, Sir Fitzroy Maclennan, Mr. Maclean, Mr. John MacLeod, Mr. Malcolm MacPheron, Mr. Small, Sir Colin Thornton-Kemysley, Lady Tweedsmuir, Mr. Willis, and Mr. Woodburn.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to confer further powers upon the London County Council and other authorities and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to authorise Joseph Crosfield & Sons Limited to construct a railway level crossing in the county borough of Warrington and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The London County Council (General Powers) Bill [Lords] was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

The Factory Lane, Warrington (Level Crossing) Bill [Lords] was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Mr. Speaker's proposed, That leave be given to bring in a Constituency Bill to provide for the creation of a constituency to be known as St. Stephen's and represented by Mr. Speaker—(Mr. Marsh); and the Motion being opposed, after a brief explanatory statement from the Member who made the Motion and from a Member who opposed it, Mr. Speaker put the Question, pursuant to the Standing Order (Motions for leave to bring in Bills and nomination of Select Committees at commencement of Public Business);

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Manuel, Mr. Mackie; 68.*

Tellers for the Noes, Sir Frank Markham, Sir Harry Legge-Bourke; 76.*

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Marsh, Mr. Steffington, Mr. MacDermot, Mr. Drigbe, Mr. Millan, and Mr. Small do prepare and bring in the Bill.

Mr. Marsh accordingly presented a Bill to provide for the creation of a constituency to be known as St. Stephen's and represented by Mr. Speaker: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 3rd day of May next and to be printed.)

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 3, page 3, line 9, page 4, lines 7, 9, 12, and 13, Clause No. 13, page 9, lines 43 and 46, Clause No. 24, page 14, line 31, Clause No. 14, the proposed Clauses (Certain parks not to be entered in valuation roll) and (Amendment of s. 243 of Act of 1947), and the Amendment to Schedule No. 3, page 18, line 7, column 3, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Secretary Noble—(Mr. Secretary Noble);

* [MEMORANDUM. The number of the Yeas has been altered from 76, as reported by the Tellers, to 68, and the number of the Noes from 68, as reported, to 76, in accordance with the direction given to the Clerk of the House by Mr. Speaker on 22nd April. The Proceedings relating to the Mr. Speaker's Constituency Bill subsequent to this Division were ordered by the House, on the same day, to be null and void.]
The Question was amended, by adding, at the end thereof, the words "and in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 3, page 3, line 8, and page 4, line 10, and the proposed Clauses (Exchequer grants and (Adjustment of weighted population in respect of unem­ployed), standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Ross)—(Mr. Ross)—the words "and in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 1, page 2, line 4, and Clause No. 2, page 2, line 11, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Willis)—(Mr. Willis)—-and the words "and in respect of the proposed Clause (Certain village halls not to be entered in valuation roll), standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Hendry)—(Mr. Hendry).

And the Question, so amended, being put:

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 3, page 3, line 9, page 4, lines 7, 9, 12, and 13, Clause No. 15, page 9, lines 43 and 46, Clause No. 24, page 14, line 31, Clause No. 18, the proposed Clauses (Certain parks not to be entered in valuation roll and (Amendment of s. 243 of Act of 1947), and the Amendment to Schedule 3, page 18, line 7, column 3, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Secretary Noble; and in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 3, page 3, line 11, page 4, line 10, and the proposed Clauses (Exchequer grants) and (Adjustment of weighted population in respect of unemployment), standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Ross; and in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 1, page 2, line 4, and Clause No. 2, page 2, line 11, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Willis; and in respect of the proposed Clause (Certain village halls not to be entered in valuation roll), standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Hendry.

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 1 (Continuation of provisions relating to Exchequer Equalisation and Transitional Grants).

Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 4, at the end, to add the words—“Subject to the proviso that the aggregate sum payable to Scottish local authorities by way of Exchequer Equalisation Grant shall be increased by 5 per cent. for every 1 per cent. of registered unemployed during the relevant year”—(Mr. Willis).

Question put, That those words be there added.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Lawson, Yeas, 177. Mr. Ifor Davies: ]

Tellers for the [Mr. Ian Fraser, Nos, 196. Mr. MacArthur: ]

Clause agreed to.

Clause No. 3 (Reduction of Exchequer Equalisation Grants in respect of low rent income).

Amendment proposed, in page 3, line 8, at the end, to insert the words “less the amount of any rebates granted by the council under a rent rebate scheme to which no objection has been taken by the Secretary of State”—(Mr. Manuel).

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Lawson, Yeas, Mr. Grey: 163. Mr. MacArthur, Nos, Mr. Pym: 184.]

Amendments made.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 4, line 10, to leave out the words “of revaluation”—(Mr. Ross).

Question put, That the words “of revaluation” stand part of the Clause.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Ian Fraser, Yeas, Mr. Rees: 194. Mr. Charles Howell, Nos, Mr. McCann: 159.]

Other Amendments made.

Question put, That the Clause, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Finlay, Yeas, Mr. Rees: 189. Mr. Charles Howell, Nos, Mr. McCann: 153.]

Clause No. 13 amended and agreed to.

Clause No. 18 disagreed to.

Clause No. 24 amended and agreed to.

A Clause (Certain parks not to be entered in valuation roll)—(Mr. Leburn)—brought up, and read the first and second time.

Amendment proposed, in line 2, after the word “authority”, to insert the words “or a village sports club”—(Mr. Hendry).

Question proposed, That those words be there inserted:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause added.

Another Clause (Amendment of s. 243 of Act of 1947)—(Mr. Leburn)—brought up, read the first and second time, and added.

Another Clause (Exchequer grants)—(Mr. Millian)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—Debate arising;

And it being Ten o’clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.
Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on Government Business be exempted, at this day’s Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Leburn.)

The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee on the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Bill.

(See Committee.)

Question put, That the Clause (Exchequer grants) be read a second time.
The Committee divided.

Tellers for the  
Mr. McCann,  
Mr. Grey;

Yea,  
No,  
142

Tellers for the  
Mr. Chichester-Clark,  
Mr. McLaren;

No,  
175

Another Clause (Adjustment of weighted population in respect of unemployed)—(Mr. Ross)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question put, That the Clause be read a second time.
The Committee divided.

Tellers for the  
Mr. Ior Davies,  
Mr. Grey;

Yea,  
No,  
139

Tellers for the  
Mr. Francis Pearson,  
Mr. Batford;

No,  
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Schedule No. 3 amended and agreed to.

Bill, as amended, to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made further Amendments and added several Clauses thereto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-commital, be now taken into consideration.—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Clause (Application of payments made to county councils under Part V of Act of 1948)—(Mr. Leburn)—was twice read and made part of the Bill.

Then Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 9, line 16, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"Provided that for the purposes of this subsection any changes in the rateable value of industrial and freight transport lands and heritages arising out of section 10 of this Act shall not be taken as constituting a substantial change of circumstances".—(Mr. Millan.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—

The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Local Employment Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Chichester-Clark reported from the Committee on Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to authorise the Board of Trade to make advances to Wiggins, Teape & Co. Limited in connection with the construction and equipment of pulp and paper mills in the neighbourhood of Fort William, and to make grants to that company in respect of the company's liability for interest accruing before 1st January 1967 on sums advanced by way of loan under the said Act; and the payment into the Exchequer of sums received by the Board of Trade by way of interest on or repayment of such advances by way of loan.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Chichester-Clark);

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Thursday morning:

Thursday, 25th April, 1963:
And the Question being put;
Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till three minutes after Twelve of the clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

MEMORANDA.

Wednesday, 24th April, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Water Resources Bill [Lords] to Standing Committee F.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Henry Hynd Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills Bill, Dr. King Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Oaths and

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Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill, Sir James Duncan Chairman of Standing Committee F in respect of the Water Resources Bill (Lords), and Commander Donaldson Chairman of Scottish Standing Committee A in respect of the Forestry (Sale of Land) (Scotland) Bill.

[No. 100.]
Thursday, 25th April 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

London County Council (Improvements) Bill.

Bankruptcy and Companies (Winding-up) Proceedings No. 205.

Merchandise Marks.

Supreme Court (Northern Ireland) Bill.

Benefit (Union).

Railways.

Private Bills (Adjournment of Committee).

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee F Mr. Loveyes (nominated in respect of the Water Resources Bill (Lords); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Pott.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from the Lords had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Sunderland Corporation Bill (Lords), without any Amendment.

The Order for reading a second time, tomorrow, the Travel Agencies (Registration) Bill, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 21st day of June next.

Whereupon Mr. Speaker directed the Clerk to correct the numbers in the Journal accordingly:—Yeas 68, Noes 76.

Sir Frank Markham, one of the Tellers for the Noes, and Mr. Mackie, one of the Tellers for the Yea, in the Division yesterday on the Question, That leave incorrectly incorrectly reported.

Mr. Speaker, came to the Table and stated that they had erroneously reported the number of the Yeas as 76, instead of 68, which was the correct number, and of the Noes as 68, instead of 76, which was the correct number.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Remuneration of Teachers Bill;

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "That" to the end of the Question, and adding the words "this House declines to give a Second Reading to a Bill which interferes with established negotiating machinery in respect of teachers' salaries and provides for the imposition of an award which is contrary to the wishes of both the local authorities and the teachers, which will have a discouraging effect on the recruitment of young teachers and which will embitter discussions on the future pattern of negotiating machinery for the teaching profession"—(Mr. Willey), instead thereof.
And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question;

The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right:
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the [Mr. Chichester-Clark,]

Yea, [Mr. Finlay;]

Tellers for the [Mr. Short,]

Noes, [Mr. George Rogers;]

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Commitnal of Bills).

Ordered, That the Proceedings on consideration of the Amendments made by the Lords to the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Sir Edward Boyle.)

Remuneration of Teachers (Money).

Sir Edward Boyle, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Remuneration of Teachers (Money) proposed to be moved under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to empower the Minister of Education to make provision by order otherwise than in accordance with section 89 of the Education Act 1944 with respect to the remuneration of teachers, and for purposes connected therewith, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the said Act of the present Session in the sums payable by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland.—(Sir Edward Boyle.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received tomorrow.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

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Mr. Marples presented—Return to an Railways.

Order made this day for a Return relating to Railways.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

—(Mr. Francis Pearson.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twelve minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till tomorrow.

[No. 101.]

Friday, 26th April, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the Import Duties, directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 23rd April 1963, entitled the Import Duties General (No. 3) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 23rd April 1963, Import Duties entitled the Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 3) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 9th April 1963, entitled the Ross and Sutherland Police (Amalgamation) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Amery presented, by Her Majesty's Australia.

Command,—Copy of Notes exchanged at Canberra on the 24th day of January 1963 between Her Majesty's Governments in the United Kingdom and the Commonwealth of Australia constituting an agreement to amend the Schedule to the Air Services Agreement of the 7th day of February 1958.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Bevis presented, pursuant to the Telegrap- tions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 22nd April 1963, entitled the Telephone Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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Adjournment.

Bill [Lords].

Stock Transfer (Amendment) Act, 1957

National BiU. (Byssinosis) Industrial Pensions Bill. Disability Service Industries. Construction Selection Committee C. (Standing Order (Committal of Bills). committed to a Standing Committee pursuant ing to Order, read a second time, and was time upon Friday the 24th day of May next.

Act 1957 (Amendment) Bill;

Second Reading of the Industrial Diseases (Byssinosis) Bill;

Debate arising thereupon;

That this House, being convinced of the vital importance of the Commonwealth to the world, conscious both of its intangible strength and of the strains that are being imposed upon its unity particularly by events in Central and Southern Africa, calls upon Her Majesty's Government to explore means of improving methods of Commonwealth consultation and co-operation in the political, economic and administrative fields, to study methods of promoting Commonwealth development, trade and aid, and to take action to improve Government machinery so as to ensure the immediate and effective presentation of the British point of view in particular to our partners in the Commonwealth.—(Mr. Wall.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House, while recognising the great progress made by the construction industries in recent years, appreciates the immensity of the tasks they must now undertake in the modernisation of the nation’s economy and the renewal of its social capital, and calls upon Her Majesty's Government to assist the industries to meet this challenge, by developing long-term public building programmes, stimulating basic and applied research, promoting new methods of building, and encouraging improved practices in all constructional activities.—(Mr. Prior).—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Service Disability Pensions Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 24th day of May next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Industrial Diseases (Byssinosis) Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 24th day of May next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the National Insurance Act 1957 (Amendment) Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 24th day of May next.

The Stock Transfer Bill [Lords] was, according to Order, read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Committal of Bills).

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Michael Hamilton.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes before Five of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.
Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945, That no Petition has been presented against the Stopping-up of Highways (Manchester Airport) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Copy of an Order, dated 22nd April 1963, entitled the Building Societies (Additional Security) Order 1963.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House welcomes the Report of the British Railways Board on the Reshaping of British Railways as a major contribution to the development of a sound and well-balanced transport system for the country—(Mr. Marples);

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "House" to the end of the Question and adding the words "calls upon Her Majesty's Government to defer making decisions on the major rail closure proposals contained in the Report of the British Railways Board until such time as a thorough survey of the nation's other transport services and facilities has been completed, and a national transport plan devised"—(Mr. Strauss),—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

Ordered, That the Debate be now adjourned.—(Mr. Finlay.)

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed to-morrow.

Mr. Finlay reported from the Committee on Water Resources (Money), a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to provide for the establishment of river authorities and a Water Resources Board, to confer on them, and on the Minister of Housing and Local Government, new functions in relation to water resources in England and Wales, and to provide for the transfer to river authorities of functions previously exercisable by river boards and other bodies, and for other purposes, it is expedient to authorise—

(1) the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament—

(a) of any expenses incurred by any Minister in consequence of any provision of that Act, and

(b) of any increase attributable to that Act in the sums payable out of moneys so provided by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland;

(2) the payment into the Exchequer of any sums received by any Minister under that Act.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—Report of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That, in the case of the following Bills originating in the Lords, and referred on the First Reading thereof, no Standing Order not previously inquired into is applicable thereto, viz.:

London County Council (General Powers) Bill (Lords).

Factory Lane, Warrington (Level Crossing) Bill (Lords).

Ordered, That the Bills be read a second time.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—Report of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That in the case of the London County Council (Money) Bill, referred on the First Reading thereof, the Standing Orders applicable thereto compiled with.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time.
A Motion being made, That the Dover Harbour Bill be now read the third time;—The Chairman of Ways and Means, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put;—
Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Killingholme Jetty Bill, as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the London Transport Bill, as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

The Port of London Bill [Lords] was read a second time and committed.

A Public Petition from Slough for the provision of a controlled pedestrian crossing at the junction of Farnham Road and Montrose Avenue was presented and read; and ordered to lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Profumo presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report on the Census of England and Wales, 1961,—County Report for Dorset.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Housing Return for England and Wales, dated 31st March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Henry Hynd reported from Standing Committee A, that they had gone through the Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Ordered, That this day Business other than the Business of the House (Supply) may be taken before Ten of the clock.—[Mr. T. Macleod.]—

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Town and Country Planning Bill to make provision as to the determination of applications for planning permission under the Town and Country Planning Act 1962.

And that Lieutenant-Colonel Cordeaux, Mr. Graham Page, Mr. Robert Jenkins, Mr. Mapp, Mr. Jennings, Mr. Gorden, Mr. Edwin Taylor, Mr. Pott, Mr. Evans, and Lady Gannans do prepare and bring it in.

Lieutenant-Colonel Cordeaux accordingly presented a Bill to make provision as to the determination of applications for planning permission under the Town and Country Planning Act, 1962: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday the 17th day of May next and to be printed.

The House, according to Order, resolved Supply [14th allotted Day].

(In the Committee.)

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Class IV.

Vote 10. Ministry of Transport.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a sum, not exceeding £3,195,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in
course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the salaries and expenses of the Ministry of Transport, the Coastguard, certain Tribunals and Committees and sundry other services including subscriptions to international organisations.

Whereupon Motion made, and Question, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again—(Mr. Redmayne)—put and agreed to.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Amendment which was proposed to be made to the Question proposed yesterday, That this House welcomes the Report of the British Railways Board on the Reshaping of British Railways as a major contribution to the development of a sound and well-balanced transport system for the country;

Which Amendment was, to leave out from the word " House " to the end of the Question and add the words " calls upon Her Majesty's Government to defer making decisions on the major rail closure proposals contained in the Report of the British Railways Board on the Reshaping of British Railways as a major contribution to the development of a sound and well-balanced transport system for the country;

And the Question being again proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:—The House resumed to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

The Yeas to the Right; The Noes to the Left.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

PETITION of Noel David Sleigh, Regina v. Governor of Brixton Prison and another ex parte Enahoro, was presented, and read; setting forth, That by an Action brought in the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court, entitled " Regina v. Governor of Brixton Prison and another ex parte Enahoro " Chief Enahoro made application under Section 7 of the Fugitive Offenders Act 1881, at the hearing of which application he challenged the lawfulness of his detention in custody and the lawfulness of the decision of the Secretary of State for the Home Department as to the exercise of his statutory discretion under Section 6 of the said Act; that Chief Enahoro has lodged a Petition in the House of Lords praying for leave to appeal against the decision of the Divisional Court refusing his application under Section 7 of the said Act; that there is evidence of great materiality to his said Petition in certain numbers in the volumes of the Official Report appertaining to statements concerning the said decision of the Secretary of State for the Home Department; and praying that leave be given to the proper Officers of this House to produce and give evidence as to the said volumes before the Appeals Committee of the House of Lords, and if leave to appeal be granted, before the House of Lords, and to prove all the same according to their competence.

Ordered, That leave be given to the proper Officers of this House to produce documents and give evidence accordingly.—(Mr. Dudley Smith.)
Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Statement showing the Transfers of Property accepted in satisfaction of Death Duties during the year ended the 31st day of March 1963. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 19th April 1963, entitled the Teachers (Training Authorities) (Scotland) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Soon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 22nd April 1963, entitled the Soft Drinks (Scotland) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marmies presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 22nd April 1963, entitled the Oil in Navigable Waters (Hong Kong) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table:—Report of the Commissioners for Regulating the Offices of the House of Commons, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the British Railways Bill. That they had examined the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Sir Peter Agenor reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged the Committee F Mr. Darling, Mr. Pear and Mr. Pot (nominated in respect of the Water Resources Bill (Lord)l and had appointed in substitution Mr. Milne, Mr. Morris, and Sir Richard Nugent.

Dr. King reported from Standing Committee C, That they had gone through the Oaths and Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill and made Amendments therunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 21st day of June next; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Commander Donaldson reported from Scottish Standing Committee A, That they had gone through the Forestry (Sale of Land) (Scotland) Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 17th day of this instant May.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Contracts of Employment Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

A Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Terms of contracts of employment in relation to associations of employers and trades unions)—(Mr. Graham Page); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:—It passed in the Negative.

Then Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 3, line 8, by inserting, after the word “ten”, the words “the written statement required by this section to be given shall not constitute a written contract”—(Mr. Graham Page.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then another Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 3, line 10, by leaving out the word “twenty-one” and inserting the word “ten”—(Mr. Gunter).—instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the word “twenty-one” stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.
Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 3, line 11, by leaving out the word “five” and inserting the word “thirteen”—(Mr. Whitehead).—instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the word “five” stand part of the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

Mr. Charles Howell; Mr. Graeme Robertson; Mr. McCann; Mr. Malm.

Noes: Mr. Pym; Mr. Redhead; Mr. Whitelaw; Mr. Whitehead; Mr. Whiteley; Mr. Wright; Mr. Young.

So it passed in the Negative.

And the said Schedule was made part of the Bill.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time.—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Local Employment Bill;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on Government Business be resumed, at this day’s Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Erroll.)

The Question being again proposed, That Local Employment Bill be now read a second time:—The House resumed the adjourned Debate.

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Thursday morning;

Thursday, 2nd May, 1963:

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time.

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and was committed to a Standing Committee pursuant to the Standing Order (Commitment of Bills).

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. MacArthur.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-five minutes before Two of the clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

MEMORANDUM.

Wednesday, 1st May, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Grant-Ferrar Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Bill and Mr. Bowles Chairman of Scottish Standing Committee A in respect of the Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill.
Ordered, that the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, that the Report be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, that they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee A in respect of the Local Employment Bill, viz.: Mr. Ian Fraser, Mr. Thomas Fraser, Mr. Gower, Mr. Greville Howard, Mr. Henry Hynd, Mr. Jay, Dr. Mabon, Mr. McCann, Mr. Graham Page, Mr. Prentice, Mr. David Price, Mr. Henry Price, Mr. Prior, Mr. William Rodgers, Sir Alexander Spearman, Mr. Speir, Mr. Stanley, Mr. Steward, Mr. Torver, Mr. Thomas, and Dame Irene Ward.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Thirty Members to serve on Standing Committee D in respect of the Remuneration of Teachers Bill, viz.: Mr. Barnett, Mr. Boyden, Sir Edward Boyle, Mr. Chataway, Mr. Cole, Mr. Ede, Mr. Flitch, Mr. Holland, Mr. Denis Howell, Mr. Iremonger, Mr. Irving, Mr. Idwal Jones, Dr. King, Mr. Lubbock, Mr. Montgomer, Mr. Francis Pearson, Mr. Ridley, Mr. St. Clair, Mr. Seymour, Mr. Show, Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Short, Mr. Skellington, Mr. Dudley Smith, Mr. Tiley, Mr. Turner, Mr. van Straubenzee, Mrs. White, Mr. Willey, and Mr. Woodwatt.

Ordered, that the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Sir Eric Errington reported from the Committee on the City of London (Various Powers) Bill, that they had examined the Bill, and had found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, that the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command, Copy of an Arrangement signed at Nice on the 15th day of June 1957 concerning the International Classification of Goods and Services to which Trade Marks are applicable.

Ordered, that the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Report by the Ecclesiastical Committee of the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction Measure 1963.

Ordered, that the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Ordered, that the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Copy of a Measure passed by the National Assembly of the Church of England, entitled the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction Measure 1963.

Report by the Ecclesiastical Committee upon the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction Measure 1963.

Accounts of the National Insurance Fund, the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund, the Industrial Injuries Fund and the National Insurance (Existing Pensioners) Fund, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, that the said Papers be printed.

Ordered, that the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command, Copy of a Statement relating to the Reform of the Exchequer Accounts.

Ordered, that the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Ordinary Estimates, 1963-64.

The House, according to Order, resolved Supply [15th adopted Day].

Sir Archibald Skrimshire moved, and Question proposed, That the Business of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Ian Macleod.)

The House, according to Order, resolved Supply [15th adopted Day].

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a further sum, not exceeding £50, be granted to Her Majesty, towards defraying the charges for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the following services connected with Housing and Local Government in England and Wales, namely:

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

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Whereupon Motion made, and Question put, That Item Class VI, Vote 1, Ministry of Housing and Local Government, be reduced by £5.—(Mr. Stewart.)

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Yeas:—
Mr. George Rogers, 223.
Mr. Philip, 288.

Tellers for the Noes:—
Mr. Short, 223.
Mr. Peter Agnew, 228.
Original Question again proposed:—
Debate arising;
And it being after Ten o’clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Agriculture.

Resolved, That the Eggs (Guaranteed Prices) Order 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 25th day of March last, be approved.—(Mr. Scott-Hopkins.)

Local Employment (Money).

Mr. Secretary Fraser, by Her Majesty’s Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Local Employment (Money) proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committee), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to make further provision for the payment of grants under the Local Employment Act 1960 towards the cost of machinery, plant and buildings required by undertakings in development districts, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any expenses incurred by the Board of Trade under or by virtue of any provision of the said Act of the present Session—
(a) authorising the payment of grants towards expenditure incurred on or after 3rd April 1963 in equipping with machinery or plant industrial undertakings in development districts within the meaning of the said Act of 1960, being grants of an amount equal to ten per cent. of the cost of acquiring and installing the machinery or plant;
(b) directing that the amount of any grant to be made under section 3 of the said Act of 1960 (building grants) shall be 25 per cent. of the expenditure incurred in providing a building or extension of a building, except in the case of applications in respect of which a grant under that section was offered before 3rd April 1963, and extending for the purposes of that section and of the said Act of the present Session the references to buildings and the provision of buildings;
(c) enabling the Board to exercise their powers under sections 2 and 5 of the said Act of 1960 in relation to land in a locality which has at any time ceased to be a development district so far as may be necessary for the purpose of fulfilling any agreement entered into by the Board before that time;
and the payment into the Exchequer of any receipts of the Board under or by virtue of the said Act of the present Session.—(Mr. David Price.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Finlay):—And a Debate arising thereupon;
And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then one minute before Twelve of the clock, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDA.

Thursday, 2nd May, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Local Employment Bill to Standing Committee A.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Sir Norman Hulbert Chairman of Standing Committee A in respect of the Local Employment Bill and Sir Samuel Storey Chairman of Standing Committee D in respect of the Remuneration of Teachers Bill.

Friday, 3rd May, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, —Copy of Regulations, dated 26th April 1963, entitled the Betting (Licensing) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Local Financial Returns for Scotland 1960-61.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Limitation Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

A Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Extension of s. 26 of Act of 1939)—(Mr. Fletcher); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—The said Motion and Clause were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 1, line 7, by inserting, at the beginning thereof, the words "Unless the Court in all the circumstances otherwise thinks fit".—(Mr. Fletcher.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 1, line 12, by leaving out paragraph (a).—(Mr. Fletcher.)

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 40, by leaving out from the word "if" to the end of subsection (2) and inserting the words "it is satisfied that the requirements of subsection (3) of the preceding section in relation to that cause of action have been fulfilled".—(Mr. Finch).—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 7, line 12, by leaving out the word "regarded" to the end of line 17 and inserting the words "as giving him (apart from any defence under section 2 (1) of the Limitation Act 1939) a good cause of action".—(Mr. Fletcher) —instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 7, line 27, by leaving out paragraph (c).—(Mr. Fletcher.)

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then another Amendment was made to the Bill.

A Motion being made, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Mr. James Griffiths, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

A Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Divorce on ground of seven years' separations)—(Mr. Abse); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—The said Motion and Clause were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Clause (Presumption as to contribution by husband)—(Mr. Abse)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Then Amendments were made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Animal Boarding Establishments Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Redundant Workers (Severance Pay) Bill;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed upon Friday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Public Service Vehicles (Travel Concessions) Act 1955 (Amendment) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Gipsy Camps (Compensation) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.
The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question proposed upon the 22nd day of March last, That the Estate Agents Bill be now read a second time;

Ordered, That the Debate be further adjourned till Friday next.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 17th day of this instant May.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 14th day of June next.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Campbell)—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Four of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-nine minutes before Five of the clock, till Monday next.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Reports of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Mines and Quarries for 1962—

(1) for the North Western Division, and

(2) for the Durham Division.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Attorney General presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Eleventh Report of the Law Reform Committee.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Committee A Mr. Stanley (nominated in respect of the Local Employment Bill) and had appointed in substitution Mr. Marshall.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Standing Committee, That they had discharged from Committee D Mr. Cole, Mr. Irsmonger, Mr. Dudley Smith, and Mr. Tiley (nominated in respect of the Remuneration of Teachers Bill) and had appointed in substitution Miss Quennell, Mr. Frank Taylor, Sir Kenneth Thompson, and Mr. Webster.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Scottish Standing Committee, That they had discharged from Committee A Mr. Galbraith (nominated in respect of the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill (Lodge)) and had appointed in substitution Mr. Charles Mont-Radclyffe.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as follows:

The Lords have agreed to the Protection of Depositors Bill, with Amendments; to the Protection of Depositors (Amendment) Bill; and had appointed in substitution Sir Charles Mont-Radclyffe.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by Protection of Depositors Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow;—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

The Order of the day being read, for the Finance Bill; second time;

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Motion had been made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time,—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Tuesday, 7th May, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of a Treasury Warrant, dated 1st May 1963, appointing Harry Heath Leedale, Esquire, to be a Commissioner for the special purposes of the Income Tax Act 1952.

Copy of Regulations, dated 1st May 1963, entitled the Increase of Pensions (India, Pakistan and Burma) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Statutes made by the Governing Body of Magdalen College, Cambridge, on the 7th day of February 1963, amending the Statutes of the College.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 29th April 1963, entitled the Importation of Pedigree Animals (No. 29 Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Lords have agreed to the Protection of Depositors Bill, with Amendments; to the Protection of Depositors (Amendment) Bill; and had appointed in substitution Sir Charles Mont-Radclyffe.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by Protection of Depositors Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow;—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

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Ordered, That the Amendments made by Protection of Depositors Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow;—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

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Ordered, That the Amendments made by Protection of Depositors Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow;—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.
Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Redmayne.)

The Question being again proposed, That the Finance Bill be now read a second time:—The House resumed the adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put:

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time:—The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and was committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 1, page 1, lines 11 and 16, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Millan.—(Mr. Millan.)

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

Clause No. 1 (Power of Board to make advances, and grants in respect of interest on advances).

Amendment proposed, in page 1, line 11, to leave out from the word "above" to the word "shall" in line 12.—(Mr. Millan.)

Question, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause, put and agreed to.

Clause agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

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Question, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause, put and agreed to.

Clause agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Speaker's Certificate.

Mr. Speaker certified that the Bill was a Money Bill within the meaning of the Parliament Act 1911.

Lavatories (Turnstiles) [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session to make it the duty of local authorities to abolish turnstiles in public lavatories and sanitary conveniences, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the said Act in the sums payable by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland.—(Sir Keith Joseph.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Chichester-Clark);

And the House having continued to sit till Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning;

Tuesday, 7th May, 1963:

And the Question being put;

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till eighteen minutes after Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

[No. 108.]

Tuesday, 7th May, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

A Motion being made, That the Killingholme Jetty Bill be now read the third time;

The Chairman of Ways and Means, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.
Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the British Railways Bill, as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

The Factory Lane, Warrington (Level Crossing) Bill [Lords] was read a second time and committed.

The London County Council (General Powers) Bill [Lords] was read a second time and committed.

The London County Council (Money) Bill was read a second time and committed.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Accounts of the Administrator of Bulgarian property in the United Kingdom, Channel Islands and the Isle of Man, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Accounts of the Administrator of Hungarian property in the United Kingdom, Channel Islands and the Isle of Man, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Accounts of the Administrator of Romanian property in the United Kingdom, Channel Islands and the Isle of Man, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—

(1) dated 26th April 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Parking Places) Consolidation (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 1963, and


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—


General Report and Accounts of the Conservators of the River Thames for 1962.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from Standing Committee A Mr. Marshall (nominated in respect of the Local Employment Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Erroll.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, That they had discharged from Standing Committee D Mr. Montgomery, Mr. St. Clair, and Mr. Webster (nominated in respect of the Remuneration of Teachers Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Cordie, Mr. Arthur Page, and Mr. Skeet.

Resolved, That this House takes note of Tribunals in Nursing (Scotland) Regulations 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 9th day of April last, be approved.—(Mr. Powell.)

Resolved, That the Civil Defence (Training Civil Defence in Nursing) (Scotland) Regulations 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 9th day of April last, be approved.—(Lady Tweedsmuir.)

Mr. Francis Pearson reported from the Local Committee on Local Employment (Money), a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That (a) authorising the payment of grants towards expenditure incurred in equipping with machinery or plant industrial undertakings in development districts within the meaning of the said Act of 1960, being grants of an amount equal to ten per cent. of the cost of acquiring and installing the machinery or plant;

(b) directing that the amount of any grant to be made under section 3 of the said Act of 1960 (building grants) shall be 25 per cent. of the expenditure incurred in providing a building or extension of a building, except in the case of applications in respect of which a grant under that section was offered before 3rd April 1963, and extending for the purposes of that section and of the said Act of the present Session the references to buildings and the provision of buildings;

(c) enabling the Board to exercise their powers under sections 2 and 5 of the said Act of 1960 in relation to land in a locality which has at any time ceased to be a development district so far as may be necessary for the purpose of fulfilling any agreement entered into by the Board before that time;

and the payment into the Exchequer of any receipts of the Board under or by virtue of the said Act of the present Session.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.
A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—
(Mr. Francis Pease).—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-two minutes after Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

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[No. 109.]

Wednesday, 8th May, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

P R A Y E R S.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 2nd May 1963, entitled the Special Constables (Pensions) (Amendment) Order 1963.

Rhodesia and Nyasaland Federation.

Copies of Orders in Council, dated 2nd May 1963, entitled—
(1) the Nyasaland (Constitution) Order in Council 1963, and
(2) the Nyasaland Protectorate (African Trust Land) (Amendment) Order in Council 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Merchandise Marks.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Drafts of Orders in Council, entitled—
(1) the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) No. 3 Order 1935 Amendment Order 1963, and
(2) the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) No. 2 Order 1963.

Patents, Designs and Trade Marks.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Factories.

Mr. Hare presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 1st May 1963, entitled the Mule Spinning and Pottery Appointed Doctor (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mines and Quarries.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Mines and Quarries for 1962, for the Northumberland and Cumberland Division.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Account, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—


Ordered, That the said Account be printed.

Sir Hendrie Oakshott reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee C in respect of the Deer (England and Wales) Bill, viz.: Mr. Burden, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Corde, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. James, Mr. Kenyon, Mr. Kimball, Mr. Lipton, Mr. More, Mr. Ridley, Mr. Anthony Royle, Mr. Charles Royle, Mr. Sheffington, Mr. Speir, Sir Henry Stodlake, Mr. George Thomas, Mr. John Wells, Mr. Wilkins, Sir Gerald Willis, and Mr. Woodhouse.

Sir Norman Halber reported from Standing Committee A, That they had gone through the Local Employment Bill and made Amendments thereto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Grant-Ferris reported from Standing Committee C, That they had gone through the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Bill and made Amendments thereto; and had amended the Title, as followeth:—A Bill to extend the powers of local authorities to defray expenses incurred by their members and officers, or by other members of their committees or sub-committees, and to contribute or subscribe to other local authorities and to bodies having activities connected with local government; to authorise certain expenditure by local authorities for the benefit of their areas or inhabitants but not otherwise authorised; to make further provision with respect to borrowing by local authorities, the management of local authority debt, the application by local authorities of capital funds, renewal and repair funds, unexpended balances of loans and capital money received by way of financial adjustment; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 17th day of this instant May; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Bowles reported from Scottish Standing Committee A, That they had gone through the Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.
Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 17th day of this instant May.

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Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Ordered, That this day Business other than the Business of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

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

(In the Committee.)

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a further sum, not exceeding £50, be granted to Her Majesty, towards defraying the charges for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the following services connected with the National Health Service, for England and Wales and Scotland, namely:

Class VI, Vote 13, Ministry of Health

£ 10

Class VI, Vote 14, National Health Service, &c. (Hospital Services, &c.), England and Wales

10

Class VI, Vote 15, National Health Service (Executive Councils’ Services), England and Wales

10

Class VI, Vote 16, Miscellaneous Health and Welfare Services, England and Wales

10

Class VI, Vote 18, National Health Service, &c., Scotland

10

Total

£50

Whereupon Motion made, and Question put, That Item Class VI, Vote 13, Ministry of Health, be reduced by £5.—(Mr. Robinson.)

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. McCann, Yeas, Mr. Whitlock: 170]

Tellers for the [Mr. Chichester-Clark, Noes, Mr. Finlay: 229]

Original Question again proposed:—Debate arising:

And it being after Ten o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Education (Scotland) Bill be exempted, at this day’s Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

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Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 1, line 9, by inserting, after the word "education", the words "including certificates of proficiency in junior secondary schools".—(Mr. Dempsey.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 43, by leaving out the words "fixed by him" and inserting the words "calculated in accordance with a formula reached".—(Mr. Rees), instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words "fixed by him" stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 5, line 2, by leaving out the words "a teacher" stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Pym.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till thirteen minutes after Three of the clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

MEMORANDUM.

Wednesday, 8th May, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Blackburn Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Deer (England and Wales) Bill.

Prayers.

Ministry of Housing and Local Government Provisional Order (Leeds) Bill

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Statement of a Guarantee given by the Treasury on the 24th day of April 1963 on loans proposed to be raised by the British Railways Board.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Treaty Series Command,—Copy of Notes exchanged at London on the 30th day of November 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Vietnam concerning the exchange of official publications.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the Transport, directions of an Act of Parliament, Statement of Determinations relating to the payment of pensions to members of the British Railways Board.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Copy of an Order, dated 6th May 1963, County Courts entitled the County Court Fees (Amendment) Order 1963.

Mr. Arbuthnot reported from Standing Standing Committee B, That they had gone through the Television Bill and made Amendments thereto; and had amended the Title, as follows:—A Bill to extend the period for which the Independent Television Authority are to provide television services, to make further provision with respect to the control exercisable by the Authority over the programmes broadcast by them and over programme contractors, to require additional payments from programme contractors which will not form part of the revenue of the Authority, and to amend in other respects the law relating to the Authority and broadcasting by the Authority, including relations between the Authority and the British Broadcasting Corporation.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into considera- Bill 108.

Bill 108.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Estimates Committee.—(Sir Godfrey Nicholson.)

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceed- Bill 107.

Bill 225.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the Estimates, Lords to request that their Lordships will be pleased to give leave to the Lord Nelson of Stafford to attend to be examined as a Witness before Sub-Committee B appointed by the Estimates Committee.—(Sir Godfrey Nicholson.)

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the said Message.
Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Nursing Homes Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Corn Rents Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Watford Corporation Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords give leave to the Lord Nelson of Stafford to attend to be examined as a Witness before Sub-Committee B appointed by the Estimates Committee, his Lordship consenting.

Resolved, That this House takes note of the Report of the Royal Commission on the Police, 1962.—(Mr. Secretary Brooke.)

Mr. Peel reported from the Committee on Public Lavatories (Turnstiles) [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of this Session to make it the duty of local authorities to abolish turnstiles in public lavatories and sanitary conveniences, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of moneys provided by Parliament of any increase attributable to the said Act in the sums payable by way of Rate-deficiency Grant or Exchequer Equalisation Grant under the enactments relating to local government in England and Wales or in Scotland.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Peel)—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed at Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, till to-morrow.

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The Order of the day being read, for resum­
ing the adjourned Debate on the Question
proposed upon the 22nd day of March last.
That the Estate Agents Bill be now read a
second time;
Ordered, That the Debate be further
adjourned till Friday next.

Adjournment
Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.
—(Mr. McLaren.)

And accordingly the House, having con­
tinued to sit till sixteen minutes after
Four of the clock, adjourned till Mon­
day next.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant
to the directions of an Act of Parlia­
ment,—Copies of University Court Ordin­
ances—
(1) No. 410 (University of St. Andrews No.
62 (Foundation of the Chair of Russian)),
and
(2) No. 411 (University of St. Andrews No.
63 (Foundation of the Chair of Dental
Prosthetics)).
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon
the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the
directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies
of Statutes made by the University of Oxford
on the 26th day of February 1963, amending
the Statutes of the University.
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon
the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the
directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy
of Regulations, dated 6th May 1963, entitled
the Traffic Signs (Disqualification for Offences)
Regulations 1963.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon
the Table.

Ordered, That this day Business other than
the Business of Supply may be taken before
Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Redmayne.)

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

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That
a further sum, not exceeding £30, be granted
to Her Majesty, towards defraying the charges
for the year ending on the 31st day of March
1964, for the following services connected with
Civil Aviation, namely:

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Whereupon Motion made, and Question
put, That Item Class IV, Vote 7, Ministry of
Aviation, be reduced by £5.—(Mr. Lee.)

The Committee divided.
Tellers for the Yeas:—
Mr. Charles Howell, 175.
Mr. McLaren, 251.

Original Question again proposed:—Debate
arising;
And it being after Ten o'clock, the Chair­
man left the Chair to report Progress and ask
leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair;
and the Chairman of Ways and Means re­
ported, That the Committee had made Pro­
gress in the matter to them referred; and
moved, That the Committee may have leave
to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow,
again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Resolved, That the National Insurance
(National Insurance) (Mariners) Amendment
Regulations 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on
the 23rd day of April last, be approved.—
(Lieutenant-Commander Maydon.)

Resolved, That the National Insurance
(National Insurance) (Mariners) Amendment and Consolida­
tion Order 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on
the 23rd day of April last, be approved.—(Lieutenant-Commander
Maydon.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment,
proposed, That this House do now adjourn—
(Mr. Ian Fraser): —And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed
after Ten of the clock, and the Debate
having continued for half an hour, Mr.
Speaker adjourned the House, without
a Question first put, pursuant to the
Standing Order, it being then nine
minutes after Eleven of the clock, till
to-morrow.
The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Watford Corporation Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from the Lords had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Fort William Pulp and Paper Mills Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the British Waterways Bill, with an Amendment; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have agreed to the Universities of Durham and Newcastle upon Tyne Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to free the churchyard appurtenant to the former church of Saint Dionis Backchurch in the city of London from the restrictions attaching to it as a disused burial ground in the city of London, and to authorise the subsequent use or disposition thereof; and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to free the churchyard appurtenant to the former church of Saint Nicholas Acocks in the city of London from the restrictions attaching to it as a disused burial ground in the city of London, and to authorise the subsequent use or disposition thereof; and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to confer further powers upon the Conservators of the River Medway; and for other purposes; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged Standing Committee C Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Charles Royce, and Mr. George Thomas (nominated in respect of the Deer (England and Wales) Bill); and had appointed in substitution Mr. Loughlin, Mr. Wainwright, and Mr. Willis.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from the Lords had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

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Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

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Resolved, That the Bill be withdrawn.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills; and be printed.

Mr. Marples presented a Bill to confirm a Provisional Order made by the Minister of Transport under the General Pier and Harbour Act 1861, relating to Yarmouth (Isle of Wight): And the same was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills; and be printed.

Mr. Marples presented a Bill to confirm a Provisional Order made by the Minister of Transport under the General Pier and Harbour Act 1861, relating to Gloucester Harbour: And the same was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills; and be printed.

Mr. Marples presented a Bill to confirm a Provisional Order made by the Minister of Transport under the General Pier and Harbour Act 1861, relating to Yarmouth (Isle of Wight): And the same was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 8th May 1965, entitled the Royal Irish Constabulary (Widows' Pensions) Regulations 1963. Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of the Report on the Census of Scotland, 1961—Statistics concerning Population, Dwellings and Households in the County of Argyll, Caithness, Inverness, Orkney, Ross and Cromarty, Sutherland and Zetland.

Copy of Rules, dated 15th May 1963, Local Government (Rate Product) (Scotland) Rules 1963. Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of a Measure, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Supplementary Scheme to give effect to the proposals of the Diocesan Reorganisation Committee in the Diocese of London for adding to and amending the reorganisation Scheme made in respect of the Parishes of Saint Mary, Stratford Bow; Bromley Saint Leonard; and Saint Andrew, Bromley Saint Leonard.
Mr. Oliver reported from the Select Committee appointed to join with a Committee of the House of Lords on Consolidation, &c., Bills, to whom the Statute Law Revision Bill [Lords], now pending in the House of Lords, was referred, That they had gone through the Bill and made no Amendment thereto, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them: And the Report was brought up and read.

No. 227. Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

No. 227. Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Estimates, Sixth Report.

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had made further Progress in the Matter to them referred and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report to the House the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Sub-Committee F on the 18th day of March last and subsequent days and reported by them to the Committee, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

No. 228. Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Estimates, Seventh Report.

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had made further Progress in the Matter to them referred and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report to the House so much of the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Sub-Committee F as had been reported by them to the Committee, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

No. 229. Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Amendment proposed, in page 9, line 37, to leave out “£320” and insert “£390”.—(Mr. Wade.)

Question proposed, That “£2,000” stand part of the Clause:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 11 agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 12 (Amendments to part VIII of Act of 1952 (personal etc. reliefs)).

Amendment proposed, in page 9, line 37, to leave out “£320” and insert “£390”.—(Mr. Wade.)

Question proposed, That “£320” stand part of the Clause.

Whereupon the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod being come with a Message, the Chairman left the Chair.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair;

A Message was delivered by Lieutenant-Royal Assent.


Mr. Speaker,

The Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty’s Commission, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, desire the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the Commission read.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker, with the House, went up to the House of Peers:—And having returned:

Mr. Speaker reported, That the House, at the desire of the Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty’s Commission, had been at the House of Peers, where a Commission under the Great Seal was read, giving, declaring, and
notifying the Royal Assent to the several Acts therein mentioned; and that the Lords, thereby authorised, had declared the Royal Assent to the said Acts, as follow:


Finance Bill.

Then the House again resolved itself into a Committee on the Finance Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Question put, That "£320" stand part of the Clause.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Mr. Redhead, Mr. Broughton: 128.
Tellers for the Mr. Campbell, Mr. McLaren: 198.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 10, line 18, at the end, to insert the words—

"(5) In section 217 of the Act of 1952 (claimant depending on services of a daughter) for the reference to £40 (inserted by section 14(4) of the Finance Act 1953) there shall be substituted a reference to £60"—(Mr. Mitchison.)

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Mr. Redhead, Mr. Broughton: 128.
Tellers for the Mr. McLaren, Mr. MacArthur: 201.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 10, to leave out lines 24 to 26 and insert the words—

"does not exceed £50: a deduction equal to 5s. 9d. for each pound of the relevant amount.

does exceed £50 but does not exceed £100: the same deduction as if the relevant amount were £50, plus 3s. 9d. for each pound of the relevant amount in excess of £50"—(Mr. Houghton.)

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Mr. Finlay, Mr. Batsford: 186.
Tellers for the Mr. Redhead, Mr. Broughton: 110.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 11, line 1, to leave out "£325" and insert "£350".—(Mr. Houghton.)

Question proposed, That "£325" stand part of the Clause.

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Question put and agreed to.

Clause agreed to.

Schedule No. 3 agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 13 (Child relief: amendments as to child's income).

Amendment proposed, in page 11, line 24, to leave out from the word "effect" to the word "as".—(Mr. Diamond.)

Question proposed, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Mr. Redhead, Mr. Broughton: 128.
Tellers for the Mr. Campbell, Mr. McLaren: 198.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 10, to leave out line 24 and insert the words—

"(4) In section 214 of the Act of 1952 (person taking charge of widower's or widow's children or acting as his or her housekeeper, as amended by section 18 of the Finance Act 1960, for the reference to £75 there shall be substituted a reference to £100")—(Mr. Houghton.)
Resolved. That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Agriculture. Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Drafts of Schemes, entitled—
(1) the Grassland Renovation (Scotland) Scheme 1963,
(2) the Ploughing Grants (Scotland) Scheme 1963, and
(3) the Winter Keep (Scotland) Scheme 1963.
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Agriculture. Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Drafts of Schemes, entitled—
(1) the Fertilisers (United Kingdom) Scheme 1963,
(2) the Grassland Renovation (England and Wales and Northern Ireland) Scheme 1963,
(3) the Ploughing Grants Scheme 1963, and
(4) the Winter Keep (England and Wales and Northern Ireland) Scheme 1963.
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Adjournment. Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Rees.) And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty minutes after One of the clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

PRAYERS.

The London County Council (Improvements) Bill was read the third time and passed.
Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The London Transport Bill was read the third time and passed.
Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 13th May 1963, entitled the Importation of Plants (Scotland) Amendment Order 1963.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 2nd May 1963, approving an Admiralty Memorial praying sanction to the alteration of the title of the Naval Recruiting Service to Naval Careers Service, and to alterations in the titles of ranks of recruiting personnel in the Royal Navy and Royal Marines.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marper presented, pursuant to the London Traffic. directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—
(1) dated 7th May 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Battersea) Regulations 1963,
(2) dated 7th May 1963, entitled the London (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 1963, and
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Freeth presented, by Her Majesty's High Altitude Command,—Copy of a Report on the Effects of High Altitude Nuclear Explosions on Scientific Experiments.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Samuel Storey reported from Standing Committee D, That they had gone through the Remuneration of Teachers Bill and made their Amendments thereunto.
Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.
Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Finance Bill.
(In the Committee.) Postponed Clause No. 14 (Abolition of charge on owner-occupiers).
Amendment proposed, in page 12, line 11, at the end, to insert the words—
"Provided that in order to limit the effect of this section in the case of an individual who occupies more than one residence, such an occupier in respect of any residence other than his principal residence shall be treated as if he were entitled to rent (hereinafter called 'hypothetical rent') and hypothetical rent shall be deemed to be included among the rents to be charged under the said new Case; so, however, that no person shall pay more tax in consequence of this proviso than he would have paid if this Chapter II had not been enacted."
(2) For the purpose of ascertaining the hypothetical rent of a residence sub-paragraphs (3) with the omission of all words after 'accordingly') and (4) of paragraph 6 of Schedule No. 4 to this Act, the provisions of that Schedule relating to deductions and Schedule No. 7 to this Act shall apply to such individual as aforesaid as they apply to the owner mentioned in the said sub-paragraph (3).

(3) In this section 'principal residence' means the residence which the occupier elects (in such manner and at such time as may be prescribed by the Commissioners of Inland Revenue) to have treated as his principal residence or which, failing such election, has the highest annual value among his residences, or, where there is no election and the annual values are equal, is selected for the purpose by the Commissioners of Inland Revenue "—(Mr. Mitchellson.)

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the 'Mr. Lawson, Yeas, Mr. Redhead', 154.

Tellers for the 'Mr. Ian Fraser, Noes, Mr. MacArthur.', 222.

Clause agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 15 (Charge to income tax of profits and gains arising from land).

Amendment proposed, in page 12, line 36, at the end, to insert the words "or in such other period as the Commissioner may direct".—(Mr. William Clark.)

Question proposed, That those words be there inserted:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Schedule No. 4.

Amendment proposed, in page 72, line 20, to leave out from "1952" to the end of line 23 and insert the words "together with actual expenditure on repairs, insurance and maintenance in the year of assessment".—(Mr. William Clark.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 73, line 13, at the end, to insert the words "Provided that nothing in this paragraph shall affect the operation of section 16 of the Finance Act 1954 (by which investment allowances are made in respect of capital expenditure on new assets).".—(Mr. McMaster.)

Question proposed, That those words be there inserted:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 74, line 19, to leave out sub-paragraph (c).—(Mr. William Clark.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Schedule:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 75, line 12, to leave out the word "tidal".—(Mr. Maxwell-Hyslop)

Clause agreed to.

Postponed Clauses Nos. 17 to 25 agreed to.

Schedule No. 5 agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 26 agreed to.

Postponed Clauses Nos. 27 and 28 agreed to.

Schedule No. 7 agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 29 (Cases I and II of Schedule D: amendments in relation to land).

Amendment proposed, in page 25, line 18, at the end, to insert the words "Provided that the deductions which apart from the provisions of this subsection would have been made in respect of the annual value of the said land in computing profits or gains under Case I or Case II for the years 1963-64 and 1964-65 shall be aggregated and deducted as if the aggregate sum were an expense of the trade, profession or vocation for a period commencing on the date on which the said land ceased to be used for the purposes of the trade, profession or vocation and equal in length to the period to which the annual value so aggregated related.".—(Mr. William Clark.)

Question proposed, That those words be there inserted:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Postponed Clauses Nos. 30 to 32 agreed to.

To report Progress and ask leave to sit again.—(Mr. Houghton.)

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
The House, according to Order, proceeded to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Private House Owners (Protection) Bill;—And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, the Bill be now read a second time;—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed upon Monday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Public Order Act 1936 (Amendment) Bill;—And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "and" in line 48, stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Public Service Vehicles (Travel Concessions) Act 1955 (Amendment) Bill;—And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "and" in line 48, stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

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Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Public Service Vehicles (Travel Concessions) Act 1955 (Amendment) Bill;—And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "and" in line 48, stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

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Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Public Service Vehicles (Travel Concessions) Act 1955 (Amendment) Bill;—And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "and" in line 48, stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

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Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

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Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

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Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

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Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Public Service Vehicles (Travel Concessions) Act 1955 (Amendment) Bill;—And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out, to the word "and" in line 48, stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.
Ad journeyment. A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Ian Fraser):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Four of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then twenty-nine minutes before Five of the clock, till Monday next.

MEMORANDUM.

Friday, 17th May, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Standing Committees (Constitution and Powers)), Mr. Speaker this day allocated the Stock Transfer Bill [Lords] (transferred from Standing Committee C) to Standing Committee A.

[No. 117.]


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

City of London (Various Powers) Bill.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Aliens.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 17th May 1963, relating to Aliens employed in a civil capacity under the Crown during the year ended the 31st day of March 1963, with a List giving particulars of Certificates of Employment issued under Section 1 of the Aliens' Employment Act 1955 in the same year.

Borrowing and Securities.

Copy of Regulations, dated 13th May 1963, entitled the Savings Certificates (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

National Gallery and Tate Gallery.

Draft of an Order, entitled the National Gallery (Lending Outside the United Kingdom) (No. 3) Order 1963.

Savings Banks.

Copy of an Order, dated 16th May 1963, entitled the Trustee Savings Banks (Rate of Interest) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Tanganyika.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of Letters exchanged at Dar-es-Salaam on the 3rd day of April 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Tanganyika relative to the hearing by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council of Appeals from the Court of Appeal for Eastern Africa on appeal from a Court or Judge in Tanganyika, the records of which have been registered in the Privy Council Office before the 9th day of December 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 16th May 1963, entitled the National Health Service (Regional Hospital Boards and Boards of Management, Solicitor) (Scotland) Revocation Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Statement of Accounts of the Horticultural Marketing Council for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Statement of Accounts of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, Statutes made by the University of Oxford on the 12th day of March 1963, amending the Statutes of the University.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the Road Traffic, directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 9th May 1963, entitled the Cycle Racing on Highways (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The House, according to Order, resolved Supply [18th Thursday, 17th May, 1963.]

Ordered, That this day Business other than Business of the House (Supply), Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Class IV.

Vote 1. Board of Trade.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a sum, not exceeding £4,461,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the salaries and expenses of the office of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and subordinate departments and agencies.

Whereupon Motion made, and Question, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again,—(Mr. Redmayne),—put and agreed to.

Ordered, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Mrs. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House, recognising the need to protect consumers from unfair and undesirable trade practices and to promote better trading standards, regrets Her Majesty's Government's failure to introduce appropriate measures and take vigorous administrative action to safeguard consumers' interests—(Mr. Darling):

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, in line 4, by leaving out from the word "standards" to the end of the Question and adding the words "welcomes the action of Her Majesty's Government in establishing the Consumer Council as a major first step in implementing the recommendations of the Final Report of the Committee on Consumer Protection"—(Mr. David Price), instead thereof.

And the Question being put. That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question:

The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas: Mr. Charles Howell, 176; Mr. McCann, 176.

Tellers for the Noes: Mr. Chichester-Clark, 234.

So it passed in the Negative.

And the Question being put. That the proposed words be added after the word "standards" in the Main Question:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the Main Question, so amended, being put:

Resolved, That this House, recognising the need to protect consumers from unfair and undesirable trade practices and to promote better trading standards, welcomes the action of Her Majesty's Government in establishing the Consumer Council as a major first step in implementing the recommendations of the Final Report of the Committee on Consumer Protection.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on consideration of the Amendments made by the Lords to the Protection of Depositors Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House) relating to the Protection of Depositors Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendment made by their Lordships.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Medway Conservancy Bill, as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the Crown's directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Notes exchanged at Bangkok on Treaty Series 26, 1963—between the Governments of Indonesia and the United Kingdom, on the 10th day of September 1962 between Her Majesty's Governments in the United Kingdom, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand, and the Governments of India and Pakistan, and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia respecting the War Cemeteries, Graves and Memorials of the Commonwealth in Indonesian Territory.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.
Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 20th May 1963, authorising the landing at London Airport of three oryx from Kenya.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Maples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 10th May 1963, entitled the London Parking Zones (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Reports of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Mines and Quarries for 1962—

(1) for the West Midland Division and Southern Division, and

(2) for the Scottish Division.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Marine Society Bill [Lords], That they had examined the allegations contained in the Preamble of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Salvation Army Bill, That they had examined the allegations contained in the Preamble of the Bill, and amended the same so as to make it consistent with the facts as proved by the evidence adduced, and found the same, as amended, to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereto, and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Mr. Houghton reported from the Committee of Public Accounts, That they had made further Progress in the matter to them referred and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Soames reported from the Select Committee on Standing Committees, That the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

The House, according to Order, resolved the Finance Bill, itself into a Committee on the Finance Bill.

(13) Total capital allowances computed under this section shall be divided into the same proportions that home sales bear to overseas sales, as certified under the preceding subsection.

(14) That proportion of capital allowances which relates to overseas turnover shall be doubled for the year of assessment of the accounting year or period "—(Mr. William Clark.)

Question proposed, That those words be there added:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 36 (Scientific research allowances).
Amendment proposed, in page 32, line 16, at the end, to insert the words—

"(2) The said Section 336 as amended by the foregoing subsection shall have effect as if any expenditure on scientific research were deemed to include any expenditure on pilot plants for the application of such research."

—(Mr. Mitchison.)

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Charles Howell,]

Yes, [Mr. J. H. Davies:]

169.

Tellers for the [Mr. Ian Fraser,]

Noes, [Mr. MacArthur:]

224.

Clause agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 37 agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 38 (Annual allowances for new machinery and plant in development districts).

Amendments made.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 38, line 26, at the end, to insert the words—

"Provided that this subsection shall apply to the provision of a new fishing boat (within the meaning attributed to that phrase by Section 370 of the Merchant Shipping Act 1894) entered in the fishing boat register at any port in a development district and habitually working from that port or in waters adjacent to a development district and to the provision of new engines or new equipment for such a fishing boat as it applies to the provision of new machinery or plant (not being mobile equipment) for use in a development district for industrial purposes."

—(Mr. Mitchison.)

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Charles Howell,]

Yes, [Mr. Irving:]

164.

Tellers for the [Mr. Peel,]

Noes, [Mr. MacArthur:]

224.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 39, to leave out lines 17 to 20 and insert the words—

"(a) if and so long as, being within Great Britain, it is for the purposes of this Act a development district which is any locality designated by the Board of Trade as being a growth point for a region of high unemployment, or —(Mr. Wade.)"

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Finlay,]

Yes, [Mr. Francis Pearson:]

204.

Tellers for the [Mr. Wade,]

Noes, [Mr. Lubbock:]

134.

Question proposed, That the Clause, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

Wednesday, 22nd May, 1963:

Question put and agreed to.

Postponed Clauses Nos. 39 to 41 agreed to.

To report Progress and ask leave to sit again.—(Mr. Houghton.)
Income Tax.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Treasury Warrants, dated 20th May 1963, re-appointing temporarily Mr. Arthur Wyvil Baldwin, Sir George Hamilton and Mr. Norman Smith Speedlow as Commissioners for the special purposes of the Income Tax Acts.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Town and Country Planning (Scotland),

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 13th May 1963, entitled the Town and Country Planning (General) (Scotland) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Dentists.


Copy of an Order of Council, dated 16th May 1963, entitled the General Medical Profession. May 1963, entitled the General Medical Deer (England and Wales) Bill and made and Wales) Bill

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Medical Profession.

Mr. Blackburn reported from Standing Committee C. Committee C, That they had gone through Standing Mr. Arthur of an Order of Council, dated 8th day of May 1963 amending the Statutes of the University.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Universities of Oxford and Cambridge.

Copy of a Statute made by the University of Cambridge on the 8th day of March 1963 amending the Statutes of the University.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Standing Committee C. Deer (England and Wales) Bill (changed to Deer Bill). Bill 116.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday next, and be printed.

No. 234.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, "An Act to abandon works authorised by the Felixstowe Dock and Railway Act, 1956, and empower the Felixstowe Dock and Railway Company to construct new works in substitution therefor; to extend and re-define the limits of the dock; to capitalise certain reserve funds and to authorise the raising of additional capital by the Company to make provision with respect to the rates leviable by the Company in respect of the dock; and to confer further powers on the Company; and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House."

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

Felixstowe Dock and Railway Bill [Lords].

The Felixstowe Dock and Railway Bill (Lords) was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

Law Reform (Succession etc.) (Scotland) Bill.

Mr. Secretary Noble, supported by Lady Tweedsmuir, presented a Bill to assimilate and amend the law of Scotland with respect to the succession to the heritable and moveable property of deceased persons; to amend the law relating to the legal rights exigible out of such property and to the administration of deceased persons' estates and other property passing on death; to provide for adopted persons to be treated for certain purposes as children of their adopters; to make new provision as to the financial rights and obligations of the parties to a marriage on divorce in Scotland; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Ordered, That this day Business other than the Business of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

The House, according to Order, resolved Supply [19th allotted Day].

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a further sum, not exceeding £70, be granted to Her Majesty, towards defraying the charges for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the following services connected with Agriculture, namely:—

Civil Estimates, 1963-64

| Class V, Vote 1, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food | £10
| Class V, Vote 2, Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland | £10
| Class V, Vote 3, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Grants and Subsidies) | £10
| Class V, Vote 4, Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland (Agricultural Grants and Subsidies) | £10
| Class V, Vote 5, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Price Guarantees) | £10
| Class V, Vote 6, Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland (Agricultural Price Guarantees) | £10
| Class V, Vote 7, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural and Food Services) | £10

Total £70

Whereupon Motion made, and Question put, That Item Class V, Vote 1, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, be reduced by £5.—(Mr. Peart.)

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Charles Howell, 173. Yes, Mr. McCune;

Tellers for the [Mr. Chichester-Clark, 232. Noes, Mr. John Hill]:

Original Question again proposed:—Debate raising;

And it being after Ten o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.
Resolved, That the Ploughing Grants Scheme 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 15th day of this instant May, be approved.—(Mr. Scott-Hopkins.)

Resolved, That the Ploughing Grants (Scotland) Scheme 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 15th day of this instant May, be approved.—(Mr. Brooman-White.)

Resolved, That the Grassland Renovation (England and Wales and Northern Ireland) Scheme 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 15th day of this instant May, be approved.—(Mr. Scott-Hopkins.)

Resolved, That the Grassland Renovation (Scotland) Scheme 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 15th day of this instant May, be approved.—(Mr. Brooman-White.)

Resolved, That the Winter Keep (England and Wales and Northern Ireland) Scheme 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 15th day of this instant May, be approved.—(Mr. Scott-Hopkins.)

Resolved, That the Winter Keep (Scotland) Scheme 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 15th day of this instant May, be approved.—(Mr. Scott-Hopkins.)

Resolved, That the Fertilisers (United Kingdom) Scheme 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 15th day of this instant May, be approved.—(Mr. Scott-Hopkins.)

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. John Hills);

And the House having continued to sit until after Twelve of the clock on Thursday morning;

Thursday, 23rd May, 1963:

And the Question being put;

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. And accordingly the House, having continued to sit until six minutes after Twelve of the clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

[No. 120.]

Thursday, 23rd May, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Resolved, That the Bills be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

The Ministry of Housing and Local Government Provisional Order (Leeds) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 20th May 1963, entitled the Increase of Pensions (Modification) (No. 3) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Treaty Series Command,—Copy of a Declaration and Protocol on the Neutrality of Laos signed at Geneva on the 23rd day of July 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to Universities the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of University Court Ordinance No. 412 (University of Edinburgh No. 131 (Foundation of a Personal Chair of Phonetics)).

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the London Traffic directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—

(1) dated 13th May 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Barnes) Regulations 1963,

(2) dated 13th May 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Chelsea and Westminster) Regulations 1963,

(3) dated 13th May 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Wandsworth) (No. 3) Regulations 1963,

(4) dated 13th May 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Chelsea and Warlingham) Regulations 1963, and


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority (Lords). That they had examined the allegations contained in the Preamble of the Bill, and amended the same so as to make it consistent with the facts as proved by the evidence adduced, and found the same, as amended, to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House; And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Mr. George Thomas reported from Standing Committee E, That they had gone through the Children and Young Persons Bill (Lords) and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Monday next; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.}

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Finance Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Postponed Clause No. 42 agreed to.

Schedule No. 8 agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 43 (Overseas Trade Corporations: holding companies).

Amendment proposed, in page 46, line 44, at the end, to add the words—

"(2) Section 23 (1) of the Finance Act 1957 shall also apply so that the same results shall follow in respect of a subsidiary company not resident in the United Kingdom but trading wholly outside the United Kingdom, as would now follow if the trade of that company was carried on by a company resident in the United Kingdom, and section 35 of the said Act shall apply in respect of dividends from a subsidiary company as defined above as if now does to the overseas trading income; and the provisions of Schedules 5 and 6 shall apply accordingly."—(Sir John Barlow.)

Question put, That those words be there added:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Postponed Clause No. 44 to 48 agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 49 (Extension of exemption for small estates).

Amendment proposed, in page 50, line 1, to leave out the words "ten thousand" and insert the words "twelve thousand five hundred".—(Mr. Mitchell.)

Postponed Clause No. 50 to 58 agreed to.

Schedule No. 9 agreed to.

Postponed Clause No. 59 to 61 agreed to.

Postponed Clauses Nos. 63 to 69 agreed to.

To report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again. —(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

Question put, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Rees.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.
MEMORANDUM.
Thursday, 23rd May, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Charles Royle Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Wills Bill.

No. 121.
Friday, 24th May, 1963.
The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Universities of Oxford and Cambridge.
Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Statutes,—

(1) made by the Governing Body of Jesus College, Oxford, on the 13th day of March 1963, amending the Statutes of the College,
(2) made by the Governing Body of Somerville College, Oxford, on the 13th day of March 1963, amending the Statutes of the College, and
(3) made by the Governing Body of Oriel College, Oxford, on the 15th day of March 1963, amending the Statutes of the College.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.
Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 14th May 1963, entitled—

(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Richmond) (No. 3) Regulations 1963,
(2) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Wandsworth) (No. 4) Regulations 1963,
(3) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (West Ham) Regulations 1963, and

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Road Traffic.
Copy of a Order, dated 9th May 1963, entitled the Parking Places and Restriction of Waiting (Newcastle upon Tyne) (No. 1) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Exports.
Resolved, That this House, conscious of the vital importance of an improved balance of payments and aware, particularly since the collapse of the Brussels talks, of the need to increase our industrial, commercial and financial power, congratulates the President of the Board of Trade on the various measures he has taken to help exporters, but nevertheless urges Her Majesty's Government to seek further means of encouraging a general expansion of our share of the world's trade in goods and services.—(Mr. Hastings)

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Adjournment. Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Batsford.) And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till eleven minutes after Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

[No. 122.]


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

P R A Y E R S.

The Speaker read the Prayers.

Saint Dionis Backchurch Churchyard Bill (Lords) was read a second time and committed.

The Saint Nicholas Acorns Churchyard Bill (Lords) was read a second time and committed.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, pursuant to the instructions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Statement of Accounts of the Colonial Development Corporation for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Statement of Accounts of the Covent Garden Market Authority for the period ended the 30th day of September 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Copies of Orders, dated 20th May 1963, entitled—
(1) the Milk (Great Britain) (Amendment) Order 1963, and
(2) the Milk (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement on Housing in Great Britain.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the Bill; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Ordered, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Batsford.)

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Statement of the Funds of the Museum of the late Sir John Soane on the 25th day of March 1963.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged Mr. Soames from Standing Committee C Mr. Solicitor General (nominated in respect of the Wills Bill); and had appointed in substitution Miss Pike.

Ordered, That this House will, to-morrow, take into consideration the Resolution of Teachers Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 1, page 1, line 11, and page 2, line 4, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Willey—(Mr. Willey);

The Question was amended, by adding, at the end thereof, the words “and in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 1, page 1, line 11, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Boyden”—(Mr. Boyden).

And the Question, so amended, being put; Ordered, That the said Bill do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Statement of Accounts of the Colonial Development Corporation for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Copies of Orders, dated 20th May 1963, entitled—
(1) the Milk (Great Britain) (Amendment) Order 1963, and
(2) the Milk (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


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Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement on Housing in Great Britain.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945, That no Petition has been presented against the East Lincolnshire Water Board Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Statement of the Funds of the Museum of the late Sir John Soane on the 25th day of March 1963.
Adjournment. A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That the House deplores the action of the Home Secretary in failing to reveal to this House or to the courts that he had grounds for believing that Chief Enahoro would not be permitted representation by counsel of his choice—(Mr. Harold Wilson); The House divided. The Yeas to the Right; The Noes to the Left; Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Short, Mr. George Rogers; Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Chichester-Clark, Mr. Finlay. So it passed in the Negative.

Sea Fisheries. A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the White Fish Subsidy (United Kingdom) (Amendment) Scheme 1963, dated 8th April 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 16th day of April last, be annulled—(Mr. Hoy);—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Adjournment. A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Finlay);—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then Four minutes before Twelve of the clock, till to-morrow.

PRAYERS.

The Marine Society Bill [Lords] was read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, without Amendment.

A Motion being made, That the Medway Conservancy Bill be now read the third time;

The Chairman of Ways and Means, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Salvation Army Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

The Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Bembridge Harbour) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.

The Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Gloucester Harbour) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.

The Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Yarmouth (Isle of Wight)) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of an Index to Treaty Series (No. 80, 1962).

Copy of a Consular Convention signed at Madrid on the 30th day of May 1961 between Her Majesty in respect of the United Kingdom and His Excellency the Head of the Spanish State (with Protocols of Signature).

Copy of Notes exchanged at Prague on the Treaty Series 20th day of December 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Czechoslovak Republic concerning the Agreement on certain Inter-governmental Debts signed at London on the 28th day of September 1949.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Fraser presented, pursuant to Air Force, to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 21st May 1963, amending the Regulations appended to Her Majesty's Orders, dated 19th December 1956, 21st June 1957, 10th January and 14th November 1958, 16th December 1959, and 17th February 1961, and included in a volume entitled the Queen's Regulations and Air Council Instructions for the Royal Air Force (Fourth Edition).

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report on the Census of Scotland, 1961—Statistics concerning Population, Dwellings and Households in the North-Eastern Counties of Aberdeen, Banff, Kincardine, Moray and Nairn.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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Mr. Hay presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 21st May 1963, entitled the National Insurance (Modification of the Royal Naval Pension Scheme) (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the General Report on Companies by the Board of Trade for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Accounts, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

- Account showing the Nature and Nominal Amount of the Securities held by the National Debt Commissioners on the 31st day of March 1963, as Investments for Moneys, forming part of the Industrial Injuries Fund, paid over to them under subsection (3) of Section 58 of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1946.

- Account showing the Nature and Nominal Amount of the Securities held by the National Debt Commissioners on the 31st day of March 1963, as Investments for Moneys, forming part of the Ironstone Restoration Fund.

- Account showing the Nature and Nominal Amount of the Securities held by the National Debt Commissioners on the 31st day of March 1963 as Investments for Moneys, forming part of the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Act 1946.

- Account showing the Nature and Nominal Amount of the Securities held by the National Debt Commissioners on the 31st day of March 1963, as Investments for Moneys, forming part of the Ironstone Restoration Fund.

- Account showing the Nature and Nominal Amount of the Securities held by the National Debt Commissioners on the 31st day of March 1963, as Investments for Moneys, forming part of the National Insurance (Reserve) Fund.

The following Account, pursuant to the directions of a Statutory Instrument, was also laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

- Account showing the Nature and Nominal Amount of the Securities held by the National Debt Commissioners on the 31st day of March 1963, as Investments for Moneys, forming part of the National Insurance (Existing Pensioners) Fund, transferred to the Fund under the National Insurance and Civil Service (Superannuation) Rules 1948.

Sir Richard Nugent reported from the Select Committee on Nationalised Industries, That they had made Progress in the matter to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report part of the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

Orderd, That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from the Lords had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to confer further powers on the Durham County Council and on local authorities in the administrative county of Durham in relation to industry, lands and highways and the local government, improvement, health and finances of the county and of the boroughs and districts therein; and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to vary the trusts affecting certain settled property of the Baroness Lucas and Dingwall and to enlarge the powers of the trustees of the said settled property and for other purposes; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Durham County Council Bill [Lords] was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

The Lucas Estate Bill [Lords] was read the first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills.

Resolved, That this House, at its rising on Adjournment Friday next, do adjourn till Monday the 17th day of June next.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to amend Section 41 of the Public Health Act 1961: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Bill 118. Friday the 21st day of June next and to be printed.

The House, according to Order, resolved Finance Bill itself into a Committee on the Finance Bill.

(In the Committee.)

A Clause (Purchase tax; exemption of goods hitherto chargeable at 10 per cent.)—(Mr. Callaghan)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question put, That the Clause be read a second time.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Whitlock: Mr. Grey:

Tellers for the Noses, Mr. Pym: Mr. MacArthur: 175.

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Another Clause (Relief from duty on heavy oils used as fuel for certain hackney carriages)—(Mr. Mitchison)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question put, That the Clause be read a second time.

Tellers for the Yeas—Mr. Charles Howell, 161.
Tellers for the Noes—Mr. McCann, 118.


Ordered, That the said Account do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of the Report on Smallholdings in England and Wales for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Copies of Orders, dated 27th May 1963, Sugar, entitled—
(1) the Sugar (Distribution Payments) Order 1963,
(2) the Sugar (Distribution Repayments) Order 1963, and
(3) the Composite Sugar Products (Distribution Payments—Average Rates) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Regulations, dated 23rd May 1963, entitled the National Health Service (General Dental Services) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 20th May 1963, entitled—
(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Basildon) Regulations 1963,
(2) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Gravesend) Regulations 1963, and

Copy of an Order, dated 20th May 1963, Trolley Vehicles, entitled the Teesside Railless Traction Board (Trolley Vehicles) Order 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Transport under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,— Copies of the Reports for 1962—
(1) of the Historic Buildings Council for England,
(2) of the Historic Buildings Council for Wales, and
(3) of the Historic Buildings Council for Scotland.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

[No. 124]

WEDNESDAY, 29TH MAY, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—
A Report from one of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That in the case of the following Bill, originating in the Lords, and referred on the First Reading thereof, no Standing Order not previously inquired into is applicable thereto, viz.:

Felixstowe Dock and Railway Bill [Lords].

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Red Deer Commission for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—
A Report from one of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That in the case of the following Bill, originating in the Lords, and referred on the First Reading thereof, no Standing Order not previously inquired into is applicable thereto, viz.:

The Red Deer Commission Bill [Lords].

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time.
Housing.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Housing Summary, dated 30th April 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Memorandum by the Secretary of State for Scotland proposing Consolidation of certain enactments relating to the Assessment of Compensation in respect of compulsory acquisitions of interests in land.

Ordered, That the said Paper be printed.

The Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Lucas Estate Bill [Lords] relates to the estate of an individual, and is, in his opinion, such that the standing orders, compliance with which is to be inquired into by the examiners of petitions for private bills, should not apply thereto.

The order made yesterday, That the Bill be referred to the examiners of petitions for private bills, was read and discharged, pursuant to the standing order relating to private business (personal bills).

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the committee on the Ministry of Housing and Local Government (provisional order (Leeds) bill), That they had considered the order contained in the bill; that they were of opinion that the said order ought to be confirmed; and that they had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the committee on the Saint Dionis Backchurch Churchyard Bill [Lords], That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without amendment; and had considered the several matters required by the standing orders and directed him to make a report thereof to the House: And the report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the London County Council (General Powers) Bill [Lords], That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made amendments thereto; and had considered the several matters required by the standing orders and directed him to make a report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the London County Council (money) bill, That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made amendments thereto; and had considered the several matters required by the standing orders and directed him to make a report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had made further progress in the matter to which they had referred, and had agreed to a report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report so much of the minutes of the evidence taken before Sub-committee E as had been reported by them to the Committee, together with appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report, together with the said minutes and appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had agreed to a special report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had nominated twenty members to serve on Standing Committee B in respect of the Performers' Protection Bill [Lords], viz.: Mr. Allen, Mr. Abery, Mr. Awdry, Mr. Burnett, Mr. Barter, Mr. Bell, Mr. Bilgood, Mr. Biggs-Davison, Mr. Boardman, Mrs. Corbet, Lieutenant-Colonel Cordeaux, Mr. Currie, Mr. Dance, Mr. Harold Davies, Mr. Hiley, Mr. Jeger, Mr. Daniel Jones, Mr. Longbottom, Mr. David Price, and Mr. Stross.
Standing Committee C.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Twenty Members to serve on Standing Committee C in respect of the Public Lavatories (Turnstile) Bill, viz.: Mr. Atkins, Lord Birdiel, Mr. Bence, Mr. Berkeley, Mr. Biffen, Mr. Bishop, Sir Cyril Black, Mrs. Bradbrook, Mrs. Castle, Mr. Corfield, Mr. Costain, Commander Courtney, Mrs. Cullen, Captain Elliott, Mrs. Harris, Miss Herison, Mr. Denis Howell, Mr. Loughlin, Mrs. McLaughlin, and Dame Irene Ward.

Welsh Grand Committee.

Sir Peter Agnew further reported from the Committee, that they had nominated Twenty-five Members to serve on the Welsh Grand Committee in respect of the matters of Transport in Wales and Monmouthshire, viz.: Mr. Channon, Mr. Elliott, Mr. Fairey-Jones, Mr. Gresham Cooke, Mr. Harvey, Mr. Hollingworth, Sir Keith Joseph, Captain Kerby, Colonel Lancaster, Sir Hugh Linstead, Mr. Longden, Sir Stephen McAlinden, Mr. Maddan, Mr. Marples, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Mathew, Sir Kenneth Pickthorn, Sir Richard Pilkington, Sir Otho Prior-Palmer, Mr. Proudfoot, Miss Quennell, Mr. Frank Taylor, Mr. Webster, Mr. Geoffrey Wilson, and Mr. Worsley.

Public Petitions. Third Report.

Col. Lancaster reported from the Committee on Public Petitions, that they had examined the Petitions presented on the 9th, 23rd and 30th days of April last, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Russell reported from Standing Committee A, that they had gone through Twenty Members to serve on the Stock Transfer Bill [Lords], and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 21st day of June next.

No. 238. Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Charles Royce reported from Standing Committee C, that they had gone through the Wills Bill and made Amendments thereto.

Bill 120. Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday the 21st day of June next; and be printed.

No. 241. Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Food Imports.

Resolved, That this House welcomes the decision of Her Majesty's Government to use measures of control of certain imports of foodstuffs as a means of stabilising the market for agricultural products in this country.—(Sir Harwood Harrison.)

Finance Bill.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Finance Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Another Clause (Extension of relief under s. 9 of Finance Act 1956)—(Mr. Houghton)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question put, That the Clause be read a second time.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Mr. McCann, Yes, Mr. Whitlock: 151.

Tellers for the Mr. Peel, Noes, Mr. McLaren: 216.

Another Clause (Reduction of rate of profits tax on co-operative societies, &c.)—(Mr. Houghton)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question put, That the Clause be read a second time.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Mr. McCann, Yes, Mr. Whitlock: 152.

Tellers for the Mr. Francis Pearson, Noes, Mr. Rees: 215.

Another Clause (Income tax: extension of exemption for charities to certain national voluntary organisations)—(Mr. Redhead)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question put, That the Clause be read a second time.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Mr. Charles Howell, Yes, Mr. Ifor Davies: 124.

Tellers for the Mr. Ian Fraser, Noes, Mr. Pym: 175.

Another Clause (Exemption from estate duty of money passing to certain galleries, museums, &c.)—(Mr. Stross)—brought up and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question, That the Clause be read a second time, put and negatived.

Mr. Russell, and Question proposed, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again.—(Mr. Warby):—Motion, by leave, withdrawn.

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Another Clause (Income tax, rent allowances)—(Mr. Warby)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question, That the Clause be read a second time, put and negatived.

To report Progress and ask leave to sit again.—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had not made Progress in the Bill; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, this day, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. MacArthur):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock on Wednesday evening, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker resolved the same into the Committee.
Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then eight minutes after One of the clock on Thursday morning, till this day.

MEMORANDUM.

Wednesday, 29th May, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. Henry Hynd Chairman of Standing Committee B in respect of the Performers' Protection Bill [Lords], Mr. Grant-Ferris Chairman of Standing Committee C in respect of the Public Lavatories (Turnstiles) Bill, and Mr. George Thomas Chairman of the Welsh Grand Committee in respect of the matter of Transport in Wales and Monmouthshire referred to the Committee for their consideration.

[No. 125.]

Thursday, 30th May, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for Leeds, South, in the room of the Right Honourable Hugh Todd Naylor Gainialld, C.B.E., deceased.—(Mr. Bowden.)

The Ministry of Housing and Local Government Provisional Order (Leeds) Bill was, according to Order, read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Heath, presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of Notes exchanged at Belgrade on the 28th day of November 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Federal People's Republic of Yugoslavia relating to the import of British books and films into Yugoslavia.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sanders presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Paper relating to the Swaziland Constitution.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament—Copy of the Report and Accounts of the Scottish Hospital Endowments Research Trust for the year ended the 31st day of July 1962.

Copy of Regulations, dated 22nd May 1963, entitled the National Health Service (Functions of Regional Hospital Boards) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Paper relating to Hospital Endowments (Scotland) be printed.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 30th May 1963, entitled the Kenya (Amendment) Order in Council 1963.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 30th May 1963, entitled the Kenya (Procedure in Appeals to Privy Council) (Amendment No. 2) Order in Council 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Draft of a Scheme, entitled the Fertilisers (United Kingdom) (Amendment) Scheme 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 24th May 1963, entitled the Zebras (Control of Importation) Order 1963.


Copy of an Order, dated 27th May 1963, entitled the Sea-Fishing Industry (Fishing Nets) (Amendment) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of the Report on the Census of England and Wales, 1961—

(1) County Report for Middlesex, and
(2) Statistics concerning Population, Dwellings, and Households in Cumberland, Durham, Northumberland and Westmorland.

Copy of Regulations, dated 27th May 1963, entitled the National Health Service (Functions of Regional Hospital Boards, etc.) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the London Traffic directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—

(1) dated 20th May 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Holborn) Regulations 1963,
(2) dated 20th May 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Lewisham) Regulations 1963,
(3) dated 20th May 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Sevenoaks) Regulations 1963, and

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Ancient Monuments

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the National Coal Board for 1962 and Statement of Accounts with Statistical Tables.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Coal Industry

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of the Tables; and be printed.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 16th May 1963, entitled the West Bromwich Corporation (Walsall Street and Reform Street No. 1) Compulsory Purchase Confirmation Order 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Housing and Local Government under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.

Alkali, &c., Works Regulation Act 1906, for 1962.

Copy of the Report by the Chief Inspectors under the Alkali, &c., Works Regulation Act 1906, for 1962.

Local Government


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Civil Judicial Statistics

Mr. Attorney General presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of Statistics relating to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, the House of Lords, the Supreme Court of Judicature, County Courts and other Civil Courts for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:


Supreme Court (Procedures)

Sir Peter Agnew reported from the Committee of Selection, That they had discharged from the Welsh Grand Committee Sir Kenneth Pickthorn (nominated in respect of the Matter of Transport in Wales and Monmouthshire); and had appointed in substitution Sir John Langford-Holt.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as follows:

The Lords have agreed to the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board Bill, with an Amendment; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Prime Minister, supported by Mr. Member, Secretary Brooke, Mr. Iain Macleod, Mr. Secretary Noble, and Mr. Attorney General, presented a Bill to authorise the disclaimer for life of certain hereditary peerages; to include among the peers qualified to sit in the House of Lords all peers in the peerage of Scotland and peeresses in their own right in the peerages of England, Scotland, Great Britain and the United Kingdom; to remove certain disqualifications of peers in the peerage of Ireland in relation to the House of Commons and elections thereto; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Mr. Secretary Sandys, supported by Mr. Secretary Butler and Mr. Boyd-Carpenter, presented a Bill to extend the area of operation and alter the name of the Colonial Development Corporation and to amend sections 1, 4 and 6 of the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Finance Bill.

Another Clause (One hundred per cent. disablement pensions: relief)—(Mr. Houghton)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question put, That the Clause be read a second time.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Lawson: 
Mr. Pym: 
Mr. Francis Pearson, 
Mr. McLaren: 
Mr. George Rogers, 
Mr. Lawson: 
Mr. Ian Fraser, 
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Mr. George Rogers, 
Mr. Lawson: 
Mr. Francis Pearson, 
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Mr. George Rogers, 
Mr. Lawson: 
Mr. Francis Pearson, 
Mr. McLaren: 
Mr. George Rogers, 
Mr. Lawson: 
Mr. Francis Pearson, 
Mr. McLaren: 
Mr. George Rogers, 
Mr. Lawson: 
Mr. Francis Pearl...
Another Clause (Capital gains tax exemption limit)—(Mr. William Clark)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question, That the Clause be read a second time, put and negated.

Another Clause (Income tax allowance for improvements to rented properties)—(Mr. William Clark)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made, and Question, That the Clause be read a second time, put and negated.

Another Clause (Certificates of deduction of tax)—(Mr. Bingham)—brought up, read the first and second time, and added.

Another Clause (Contributions to expenditure for treatment of trade effluents)—(Mr. Hirst)—brought up, and read the first and second time, and added.

Another Clause (Wholesale liquor licences)—(Mr. Mellish)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made and Question proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—Motion and Clause, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Clause (Profits tax: repeal of limitation on deductions allowable for directors' remuneration)—(Sir Henry d'Avigdor-Goldsmid)—brought up, and read the first time.

Motion made and Question proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—Motion and Clause, by leave, withdrawn.

Schedules Nos. 10 to 12 agreed to.

Bill, as amended, to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Resolved, That this House do now Adjourn.—(Mr. Redmayne.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till nineteen minutes before Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday the 17th day of June next, pursuant to the Resolution of the House of the 28th day of this instant May.

[No. 127.]

Monday, 17th June, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker made the following communication to the House:—

I regret to have to inform the House of the death of the Right Honourable Sir David Callender Campbell, K.B.E., C.M.G., Member for Belfast, South, and I desire on behalf of the House to express our sense of the loss we have sustained and our sympathy with the relatives of the Right Honourable Member.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do issue his West Bromwich Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for West Bromwich in the room of the Right Honourable John Dugdale, deceased.—(Mr. Bowden.)

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do issue his Deptford Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for Deptford in the room of Sir Leslie Arthur Plummer, deceased.—(Mr. Bowden.)

The following Papers, presented by Her Majesty's Command and delivered to the Votes and Proceedings Office during the Adjournment pursuant to the Standing Order (Presentation of Command Papers), were ordered to lie upon the Table:—

Copy of Statistics relating to Approved Schools, Remand Homes and Attendance Centres for 1961.


Copy of the Report of the Commissioners of Prisons.
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The following Papers, delivered to the Votes and Proceedings Office on the undermentioned dates, pursuant to the Standing Order (Presentation of Statutory Instruments), were ordered to lie upon the Table:—

5th June 1963:—

- Copy of an Order in Council, dated 30th May 1963, entitled the Gambia (Validation) Order in Council 1963.

6th June 1963:—


7th June 1963:—

- Copy of Orders in Council, dated 30th May 1963, entitled—
  1. the Copyright (Falkland Islands) Order 1963,
  2. the Copyright (St. Helena) Order 1963, and
  3. the Copyright (Seychelles) Order 1963.

Copies of Orders in Council, dated 30th May 1963, entitled—

- the East African Territories (Air Transport) (Amendment) Order in Council 1963, and
- the Zanzibar Order in Council 1963.

Copies of Orders in Council, dated 30th May 1963, entitled—

- the Northern Rhodesia (Crown Lands and Native Reserves) (Amendment) Order in Council 1963,
- the Northern Rhodesia Crown Lands and Native Reserves (Tanganyika District) (Revocation) Order in Council 1963, and
- the Northern Rhodesia (Native Trust Land) (Amendment) Order in Council 1963.


Copies of Regulations, dated 27th May 1963, entitled—

- the Motor Vehicles (Minimum Age for Driving) Regulations 1963, and
- the Motor Vehicles (Driving Licences) Regulations 1963.

Copies of Regulations, dated 30th May 1963, entitled the Wireless Telegraphy (Broadcast Licence Charges) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

10th June 1963:—

- Copy of an Order, dated 30th May 1963, entitled the Sugar Confectionery and Food Preserving Wages Council (Great Britain) (Abolition) Order 1963.

11th June 1963:—

Charities.


Pensions.


Road Traffic.

Copy of an Order, dated 28th May 1963, entitled the Road Vehicles Lighting (Long Vehicles and Trailers) (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

13th June 1963:—

Road Traffic.

Copy of Regulations, dated 7th June 1963, entitled the Road Vehicles Lighting (Long Vehicles and Trailers) (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

14th June 1963:—

Road Traffic.

Copy of Regulations, dated 31st May 1963, entitled the Cycle Racing on Highways (Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 1963.

London Traffic.


Bank Notes.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 5th June 1963, relative to the Fiduciary Note Issue.

Colonial Loans.

Statements of Guarantees given by the Treasury on the 15th day of May 1963 on Loans to be made by the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development—

(1) to the Protectorate of Swaziland, and

(2) to the State of Singapore.

Income Tax.


Income Tax.


National Insurance.

No. 246.

Copy of the Interim Report by the Government Actuary under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts 1946 to 1963, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

National Insurance (Industrial Injuries).

No. 247.

Copy of the Interim Report by the Government Actuary under the National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts 1946 to 1963, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Public Accounts.

No. 248.

Finance Accounts of the United Kingdom for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Papers relating to Bank Notes, Colonial Loans, National Insurance, National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) and Public Accounts be printed.

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Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Scottish Development Department for 1962.


Copy of an Order, dated 7th June 1963, Roads and entitled the Parking Places (Scotland) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 30th May 1963, revising the arrangements for the award of gratuities to medical and dental officers of the Royal Navy who complete their short service engagements.

Copy of Statutes made by the Governing Body of Christ Church, Oxford, on the 18th day of March 1965, in substitution for the existing Statutes of the House.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Hay presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Statement of the Estimated Income and Expenditure of Greenwich Hospital and of Travers' Foundation for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table;

and be printed.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the General Report on Bankruptcy by the Board of Trade for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 4th June 1963, authorising the landing at Liverpool of one Shorthorn cow and one Hereford bull from Canada.

Draft of an Order in Council, entitled the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) (Raw Cucumbers) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of the Report on the Census of England and Wales, 1961—

(1) County Report for Breconshire, and

(2) Statistics relating to Population, Dwellings and Households in the West Riding of Yorkshire.
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Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Report by the Minister of Transport of the Cases in which he has exercised his powers under Section 78 of the Merchant Shipping Act 1906, during 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945. That no Petition has been presented against—

1. the Teeside Railless Traction Board (Trolley Vehicles) Order 1963, and
2. the West Bromwich Corporation (Walsall Street and Reform Street No. 1) Compulsory Purchase Confirmation Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

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

(In the Committee.)

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a further sum, not exceeding £70, be granted to Her Majesty, towards defraying the charges for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the following services connected with Higher Education, namely:—

Class I, Vote 3, Treasury and Subordinate Departments £10
Class VI, Vote 9, Ministry of Education £10
Class VI, Vote 10, Scottish Education Department £10
Class VII, Vote 1, Universities and Colleges, &c., Great Britain £10
Class VII, Vote 4, Department of Scientific and Industrial Research £10
Class VII, Vote 5, Medical Research Council £10
Class VII, Vote 6, Agricultural Research Council £10
Total £70

Whereupon Motion made, and Question, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again—(Mr. Redmayne)—put and agreed to.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being put, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Redmayne)—

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Bowden; Mr. George Rogers; Mr. Chichester-Clark; Mr. Finlay;
Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Redmayne.

So it passed in the Negative.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Food and Drugs, proposed, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the Soft Drinks Regulations 1963, dated 22nd April 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 1st day of May last, be annulled—(Mr. Darling);—(The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment—put—(Mr. Ian Fraser)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till five minutes after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

[No. 128.]

Tuesday, 18th June, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table.—Report Private Bills, dated 12th June 1963, No. 128, 11th—18th June. 1963

For Private Bills, That in the case of the following Bill, originating in the Lords, and not previously examined on the First Reading thereof, no Standing Order not previously inquired into is applicable thereto, viz.:—

Durham County Council Bill (Lords).
Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time.

The Salvation Army Bill was read the third time and passed.
Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Saint Dionis Backchurch Churchyard Bill (Lords) was read the third time and passed.
Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, without Amendment.

The Saint Nicholas Acons Churchyard Bill (Lords), was read the third time and passed.
Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, without Amendment.

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The House proceeded to take into consideration the London County Council (General Powers) Bill [Lords], as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the London County Council (Money) Bill, as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

The Felixstowe Dock and Railway Bill [Lords] was read a second time and committed.

Southern Rhodesia.

Mr. Secretary Butler presented, by Her Majesty's Command—Copy of a Convention signed between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Southern Rhodesia, April to June 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Superannuation.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the direction of Treasury Minute, dated 18th June 1963, regarding an application by the Board of Trade for the award of a retiring allowance under Section 2 of the Superannuation Act 1887 to Miss Gladys Irene Denyer.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Prisons.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, by Her Majesty's Command—Copy of the Report of an Inquiry held by the Visiting Committee into Allegations of ill-Treatment of Prisoners in Her Majesty's Prison, Durham.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command—Copy of a Convention signed at London on the 26th day of September 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the State of Israel for the avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Copy of an Amendment to Article VI.A.3 of the Statute of the International Atomic Energy Agency signed at Vienna on the 4th day of October 1961.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.
Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Mr. Redhead, 
Yea,  Dr. Broughton:  178.
Noo,  Mr. Ian Fraser:  222.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 1, line 11, at the end, to insert the words—

"Provided that provision shall be made for the increase of the Special Schools Allowance."—(Mr. Boyden.)

Question proposed, That those words be there inserted:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 4, at the end, to insert the words—

"include provision for securing that the remuneration payable to any teacher of that description in respect of any person to which any scales of remuneration submitted to the Minister by order of section 89 of the Education Act 1944, had been approved by the Minister."—(Mr. Willey.)

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Mr. Irving, 
Yea,  Mr. Gray:  166.
Noo,  Mr. Francis Pearson,  Mr. Rees:  194.

Clause agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill, without further Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Order Committee, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Repeal of section 89 of Education Act 1944)—(Mr. Montgomery); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

Mr. Willey moved, That the Debate be now adjourned, but Mr. Deputy Speaker, pursuant to the Standing Order (Dilatory Motion in abuse of rules of House), declined to propose the Question thereupon.

And the said Motion and Clause were severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 28, by leaving out from the word "be" to the end of line 29 and inserting the words "of no effect unless approved by resolution of each House of Parliament".—(Mr. Willey.)

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill;—The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;—The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Mr. Peel, 
Yea,  Mr. McLaren:  191.
Noo,  Mr. Lawson:  149.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on Government Business be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Sir Edward Boyle.)

The Question being again proposed, That Remuneration of Teachers Bill be now read a third time:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;—The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Mr. McLaren, 
Yea,  Mr. Ian Fraser:  178.
Noo,  Mr. Ifor Davies:  139.

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded Local Employment Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 6, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(6) In subsection (1) of this section persons described therein shall include persons carrying on a statutory undertaking".—(Mr. Prentice.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, by leaving out lines 12 and 13 and inserting the words "and subsection (2) of that section is hereby repealed".—(Mr. Erroll), instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill;

And the House having continued to sit till After Twelve of the clock on Wednesday morning;

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AND the Question being put:—It passed in the Negative.

And the proposed words were there inserted in the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Speaker certified that the Bill was a Money Bill within the meaning of the Parliament Act 1911.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Reed):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock on Tuesday evening, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Ordered, That the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill [Lords], as amended in the Committee, be taken into consideration upon Tuesday next.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented a Bill to confirm a Provisional Order under Section 7 of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1936, relating to Glasgow Corporation; and the same was ordered to be taken into consideration upon Tuesday next and to be printed.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament—Draft of an Order in Council, entitled the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) No. 3 Order 1963

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Henry Hynd reported from Standing Committee B, That they had gone through the Performers' Protection Bill [Lords], and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill, not amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday next.

Mr. Grant Ferris reported from Standing Committee C, That they had gone through the Public Lavatories (Turnstiles) Bill and made an Amendment thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration upon Friday next; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. George Thomas reported from the Welsh Grand Committee, That they had considered the matter of Transport in Wales and Monmouthshire, referred to them on the 21st day of May last, and had directed him to report accordingly to the House.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

The Order for reading a second time, upon Friday next, the Public Lavatories (Abolition of Turnstiles) Bill, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the day being read, for the Perage Bill; Second Reading of the Perage Bill;

And a Motion being made, That the Bill be now read a second time;

Mr. Iain Macleod acquainted the House, That he had it in Command from the Queen to acquaint the House that Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, has consented to place Her prerogative and interest, so far as they are affected by the Bill, at the disposal of Parliament for the purposes of the Bill.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time:—The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. MacArthur.)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the day being read, for the Commonwealth Development Bill;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Commonwealth Development Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

The Question being again proposed, That Commonwealth the Commonwealth Development Bill be now read a second time:—The House resumed the adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time:—The Bill was accordingly read a second time.
Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

Commonwealth Mr. Iain Macleod, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the subject matter of the Motion relating to Commonwealth Development [Money] proposed to be moved, under the Standing Order (Money Committees), in a Committee of the whole House, recommends it to the consideration of the House:—Whereupon the House, pursuant to the said Standing Order, resolved itself into a Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to extend the area of operation and alter the name of the Colonial Development Corporation, and to amend sections 1, 4 and 6 of the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959, it is expedient to authorise any such increase in the sums which, under the Overseas Resources Development Act 1959 or the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959, are authorised to be issued out of the Consolidated Fund, paid into the Exchequer, raised by borrowing or defrayed out of moneys provided by Parliament as is attributable to provisions of the said Act of the present Session—

(a) raising from £315 million to £340 million the limit imposed by section 4 of the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959 on the aggregate amount of the payments which may be made out of moneys provided by Parliament for the purpose of schemes under section 1 of that Act;

(b) replacing the limit imposed by the said section 4 on the aggregate amount of loans under section 2 of the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959 which may be approved in any financial year, and raising from £100 million to £105 million the limit so imposed on the aggregate amount of all such loans;

(c) amending the Overseas Resources Development Act 1959 or the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959 otherwise than in respect of the limits imposed by those Acts respectively on the aggregate amount outstanding in respect of advances to the Colonial Development Corporation or of the payments and loans mentioned in paragraphs (a) and (b) above.—(Mr. Fisher.)

Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.
The Lords have agreed to the Town and Country Planning Bill, without any Amendment.

Business of the House (Supply).

Ordered, That this day Business other than the Business of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Scottish Estimates.

Ordered, That the Committee of Supply be discharged from considering the Estimates set out hereunder, and that the said Estimates be referred to the Scottish Grand Committee:—

Class IV, Vote 12 (Roads, &c. Scotland)
Class VI, Vote 6 (General Grants to Local Revenues, Scotland)
Class VI, Vote 10 (Scottish Education Department)
Class VI, Vote 18 (National Health Service, &c., Scotland)
Class VI, Vote 19 (National Health Service (Superannuation, &c.), Scotland).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Privilege.

Resolved, That Mr. John Profumo, in making a personal statement to this House on the 22nd day of March 1963 which contained words which he later admitted not to be true, was guilty of a grave contempt of this House.——(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Supply (21st allotted Day).

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

(In the Committee.)

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a further sum, not exceeding £100, be granted to Her Majesty, towards defraying the charges for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the following services connected with Industry and Employment in Scotland, namely:—

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

   Class III, Vote 2, Scottish Home and Health Department 10
   Class IV, Vote 1, Board of Trade 10
   Class IV, Vote 3, Board of Trade (Promotion of Local Employment) 10
   Class IV, Vote 6, Ministry of Labour 10
   Class IV, Vote 15, Ministry of Power 10
   Class V, Vote 11, Forestry Commission 10
   Class VI, Vote 2, Scottish Development Department 10
   Class VII, Vote 3, Atomic Energy 10
   Class VII, Vote 4, Department of Scientific and Industrial Research 10
   Class IX, Vote 1, Ministry of Public Building and Works 10

Total 100

Whereupon Motion made, and Question put, That Item Class III, Vote 2, Scottish Home and Health Department, be reduced by £5.—(Mr. Rose)

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the [Mr. Charles Howell,
Yea, [Mr. Lawson:]
Tellers for the [Mr. Gordon Campbell,]
No, [Mr. MacArthur:]

Original Question again proposed:—Debate arising;
And it being after Ten o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Business of Motions relating to Procedure be exempted, the House at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That the matters of the re-commitment of Bills to Committees of the whole House; of the operation of sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Exemptions from the Standing Order (Sittings of the House)) in relation to Consolidated Fund Bills; of renaming Standing Committees; of the application of the Standing Order (Statutory Instruments, &c., (Procedure) to motions for affirmative resolution; and of paragraph (a) of the Standing Order (Questions to Members) in relation to Mondays, being matters relating to the procedure in the public business of the House, be referred to the Select Committee on Procedure.—(Mr. Iain Macleod)

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, in line 10, by leaving out the word "and"."—(Mr. Emrys Hughes)
And the Question being put, That the word "and" stand part of the Question:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

And the Main Question being put:

Ordered, That the matters of the re-commitment of Bills to Committees of the whole House; of the operation of sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Exemptions from the Standing Order (Sittings of the House)) in relation to Consolidated Fund Bills; of renaming Standing Committees; of the application of the Standing Order (Statutory Instruments, &c., (Procedure) to motions for affirmative resolution; and of paragraph (a) of the Standing Order (Questions to Members) in relation to Mondays, being matters relating to the procedure in the public business of the House, be referred to the Select Committee on Procedure.

Ordered, That the First Report from the Select Committee on Procedure be now taken into consideration.—(Mr. Iain Macleod)

The House accordingly proceeded to take the said Report into consideration.
Resolved, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Report.—(Mr. Ian Macleod.)

Adjourned.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. —(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till ten minutes after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till tomorrow.

[No. 131.]

Friday, 21st June, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

P R A Y E R S .

R. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order, entitled the National Gallery (Lending Outside the United Kingdom) (No. 4) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Poultry.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 17th June 1963, entitled the Poultry and Hatching Eggs (Importation) (Amendment) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—Account of the Sums paid out of and received from the Consolidated Fund, and of the Sums received from the Raw Cotton Commission in respect of Interest and Repayment of Advances, and of the Disposal of those Sums respectively, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Local Authorities (Land) Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

A Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Local authority not to create any nuisance)—(Mr. Graham Page); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—The said Motion and Clause were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then Amendments were made to the Bill.

Stock Transfer Bill [Lords].

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Oaths and Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Performers' Protection Bill [Lords], not amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

And the Title was amended, as followeth:—Title amended.

A Bill to make amendments of the law relating to the functions of local authorities in relation to land to the like effect as those commonly made in local Acts; to enable local authorities to make advances for the erection of buildings and to provide accommodation for keeping motor vehicles; to amend the provisions of the National Parks and Access to the Countryside Act 1949 relating to the treatment of derelict land; to amend the law with respect to the power of municipal boroughs to use the general rate fund and borrow for non-statutory purposes; to apply Part II of the Town and Country Planning Act 1959 to corporate land; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid.

A Motion being made, That the Bill be now read the third time:

Sir Keith Joseph, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put:

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Wills Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time;—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Performers' Protection Bill [Lords], not amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That this House do now adjourn.

Resolved, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the said Report.—(Mr. Ian Macleod.)

And the Title was amended, as followeth:—Title amended.
And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read the third time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Public Lavatories (Turnstiles) Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Service Disability Pensions Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 5th day of July next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Industrial Diseases (Byssinosis) Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 5th day of July next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the National Insurance Act 1957 (Amendment) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday the 5th day of July next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Hire-Purchase (Limitation of Payments) Bill:

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Friday next.

Adjourned.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.  

(Mr. Francis Pearson.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-six minutes after Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 19th June 1963, entitled the Transport Boards (Payments for Rating Authorities) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Television Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 7, page 7, line 8, column 1, line 12, column 1, line 13, column 2, line 16, column 1, line 17, column 2, and page 10, line 1, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Bevins—(Mr. Bevins); the Question was amended, by adding, at the end thereof, the words "and in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 7, page 7, lines 13, 17, 20, and 30, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Gilmour".—(Mr. Gilmour.)

And the Question, so amended, being put:

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 7, page 7, line 8, column 1, line 12, column 1, line 13, column 2, line 16, column 1, line 17, column 2, and page 10, line 1, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Bevins and in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 7, page 7, lines 13, 17, 20, and 30, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Gilmour.

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 7 amended and agreed to.

Bill, as amended, to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made further Amendments to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Wales and Monmouthshire, and Scotland, to be separate programme areas—Mr. Ness Edwards); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—The said Motion and Clause were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Advisory Committee)—(Mr. Willey); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.
And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:

The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the 
Mr. Charles Howell, 154.
Yea,
Mr. Grey;

Tellers for the 
Mr. Rees, 194.
Noes,
Mr. Pym;

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Authority to ensure the showing of British television films)—(Mr. Willey) and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—The said Motion and Clause were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Programme papers)—(Mr. Tiley) and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—The said Motion and Clause were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

An Amendment was proposed to be added to the Bill, in page 1, line 12, by inserting, after the word "education", the word "instruction".—(Mr. Willey)

And the Question being proposed, That the word "instruction" be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be added to the Bill, in page 2, line 7, by leaving out the word "merit" and inserting the words "artistic merit and serious purpose"—(Mr. Willey).—instead thereof.

And the Question being proposed, That the word "merit" stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be added to the Bill, in page 2, line 7, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"Without prejudice to the provisions of the principal Act, the Authority may in pursuance of their duty under this section themselves provide, programmes or parts of programmes to be broadcast by the Authority"—(Mr. William Richard Williams).

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be added to the Bill, in page 5, line 31, by inserting, after the second word "be", the word "mainly":—(Mr. Francis Noel-Baker).

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be added to the Bill, in page 5, line 31, by inserting, after the word "committee", the words "the chairman of which shall have no interest in or association with the advertising of goods and services"—(Mr. Francis Noel-Baker).

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be added to the Bill, in page 5, line 31, by inserting, after the word "reduction", the word "mainly":—(Mr. Francis Noel-Baker).

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 4, line 33, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(c) to secure that the proportion of recorded and other matter of British origin and British performance in the advertisements broadcast by the Authority shall not be less than 50 per cent."—(Mr. Willey)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 4, line 5, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(d) in exercising its powers under this section it shall be the duty of the Authority to keep under constant review the amount of time given to advertising, and to seek to reduce it to a minimum that is consistent with the proper performance by the programme contractors of their duties under this Act and the principal Act"—(Mr. Chapman).—instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 4, line 33, by inserting, after the word "the", the word "mainly":—(Mr. William Richard Williams).

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 4, line 33, by inserting, after the word "the", the words "mainly":—(Mr. William Richard Williams).

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Ordered, That further consideration of the Bill, as amended, be now adjourned.—(Mr. Bevin.)

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be taken into further consideration to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Finlay.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-one minutes after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.
Tuesday, 25th June, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table,—Report from one of the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills, That in the case of the following Bill, originating in the Lords, and referred on the First Reading thereof, no Standing Order not previously inquired into is applicable thereto, viz.:—

Bath Corporation Bill (Lords).

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time.

The London County Council (General Powers) Bill (Lords) was read the third time and passed, with Amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.

The London County Council (Money) Bill was read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The Durham County Council Bill (Lords) be read a second time upon Thursday next.

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill (Lords), as amended in the Committee;

Ordered, That the Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Glasgow Corporation Order Confirmation Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Account of all Deposits received and paid during 1962, with a Statement showing the aggregate amount of the Liabilities of the Government to Depositors in the Post Office Savings Banks on the 31st day of December 1962, and the nature and nominal amount of the Securities held by the National Debt Commissioners to meet those Liabilities at that date.

Ordered, That the said Account do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Convention signed at Tokyo on the 4th day of September 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Japan for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income.

Copy of an Agreement signed at Rangoon on the 2nd day of April 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Union of Burma for the Supply of Cotton Yarns to the Union of Burma, partially against Raw Cotton to be delivered from the United States of America under the United States Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act Programme.

Copy of an Agreement signed at Rangoon on the 2nd day of April 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom acting in respect of Hong Kong and the Government of the Union of Burma for the Supply of Cotton Yarns to the Union of Burma, partially against Raw Cotton to be delivered from the United States of America under the United States Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act Programme.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report on Safety, Health, Welfare and Wages in Agriculture for the year ended the 30th day of September 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of a Measure, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Scheme for effecting the Union of the Benefices and Parishes of Saint Peter, Hastings, and Saint Paul, Hastings, in the diocese of Chichester, and for authorising the taking down of the Church of Saint Paul, Hastings, and the sale of the site and materials thereof.

Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Blackburn reported from the Scottish Standing Committee, That they had gone through the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill (Lords) and made Amendments thereto in Committee; and had amended the Title as followeth:

A Bill intituled an Act to amend the law of Scotland relating to the imprisonment and detention of offenders and other persons; to make further provision as to the treatment of prisoners and other persons committed to custody, including provision for their supervision within the British Islands after discharge from the management of approved schools and for the treatment of persons detained therein; to amend the law relating to the payment of fines and detention in default of payment thereof within Great Britain; to alter the law relating to the proceedings of criminal courts in Scotland and to legal aid in such proceedings; to alter the law relating to the enforcement of warrants of arrest and the service of process in Great Britain; to provide for the execution...
in Scotland of warrants issued by courts in the Isle of Man; to provide for the appointment of additional judges of the Court of Session; to make certain consequential amendments to the First Offenders Act 1958 and the Criminal Justice Act 1961; and for purposes connected with the aforesaid matters.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Bill 125.

No. 259.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the British Museum Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the London County Council (General Powers) Bill [Lords], without any Amendment.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the British Museum Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Public Health Act 1961 (Amendment) Bill.

Ordered, That the Public Health Act 1961 (Amendment) Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Privilege.

Complaint being made by Mr. Thorpe, Member for North Devon, of a letter written to him by Messrs. Sharpe, Pritchard & Co., with reference to the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill [Lords], as constituting a breach of the Privilege of the House:—The said Letter was delivered in and read, as followeth:—

We are instructed to inform you that the Committee of the Promoters of the Bill standing in your name to be moved on consideration. The Committee are prepared to agree to these Amendments subject to you and the other Members who put their names to the Amendments refraining from further opposition to the Bill. In the circumstances we are informing the Chairman of Ways and Means that the Promoters agree these Amendments and we assume that you or one of the other Members will formally move them to-morrow.

Mr. Thorpe thereupon intimated that he had received from the authors of the letter an apology and that, in view of this apology, he did not intend to submit a Motion to the House.

New Member sworn.

Meryl Rees, Esquire, Member for Leeds, South, was sworn.

Business of the House.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That the Finance Bill, as amended, may be considered immediately after the re-committal of the Bill and Report thereof, notwithstanding the practice of this House as to the interval between the stages of such a Bill—(Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer);
—(Mr. Graham Page); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Abolition of pool betting duty on bets on dog racecourses)—(Mr. Arthur Lewis); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Information as to expenditure for political purposes)—(Mr. Callaghan); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas,

Mr. Lawson, 129.

Mr. Charles Howell, 129.

Tellers for the Noes,

Mr. Chichester-Clark, 169.

Mr. Finlay:

So it passed in the Negative.

Ordered, That further consideration of the Bill, as amended, be now adjourned.—(Mr. Boyd-Carpenter.)

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended, be taken into further consideration to-morrow.

The Glasgow Corporation Order Confirmation Bill was, according to Order, read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Report on the Teaching Profession in Scotland.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of Orders, dated 19th June 1963, entitled—

(1) the Humber Bridge Act 1959 (Extension of Time) Order 1963, and

(2) the Southampton Corporation Act 1960 (Extension of Time) Order 1963,

with Certificates by the Minister of Transport under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.

Copy of the Report of the British Transport Commission for 1962—

No. 232.

(1) Volume 1, Report, and

(2) Volume 2, Statement of Accounts and Statistics.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the said Report be printed.

Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the National Assistance Board for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Copy of a Measure passed by the National Assembly of the Church of England, entitled the Cathedrals Measure 1963.

No. 260.

Report by the Ecclesiastical Committee Church of England (National Assembly) (Measures).

No. 261.
A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to compel companies to publish details of all gifts to political parties—(Mr. Boyden); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Boyden, Mr. William Hamilton; Sir Walter Bromley-Davenport, Sir Gerald Wills: 147; 185. So it passed in the Negative.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Purchase tax: 15 per cent, rate reduced to 5 per cent.)—(Mr. Houghton); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:

The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Redhead, Mr. Whitlock: 161.

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. McCann, Mr. Hugh Rees: 221.

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Exemption from duty of certain cars for invalids)—(Mr. Callaghan); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—The said Motion and Clause were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Local authorities: income tax relief on credit balance of Housing Revenue Account)—(Mr. Callaghan); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:

The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Grey, Mr. McCann: 157.

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Hugh Rees, Noes, Mr. Pym: 188.

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Purchase tax: 15 per cent, rate reduced to 5 per cent.)—(Mr. Oram); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:

The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Grey, Mr. Ifor Davies: 152.

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. McCann, Mr. MacArthur: 194.

So it passed in the Negative.

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 4, line 15, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"Provided also that the expression 'facilities for gaming' shall not include facilities provided by a society to which section 54 (1) of the Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Act 1963 (construction of certain references to private gain) extends in a case where by virtue of the said section 54 (1) the proceeds of gaming are not to be held to be applied for purposes of private gain"—(Mr. Mason).

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. McCann, Mr. Ifor Davies: 147.

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. McCann, Mr. MacArthur: 193.

So it passed in the Negative.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 10, line 33, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"Provided that in the case of an individual (or in the case of a married couple either spouse) who was aged 65 or over at the commencement of the year of assessment such higher rates shall be charged where the total income exceeded £2,500"—(Mr. Stevens).

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 16, by leaving out line 33 and inserting the words "where a person claims"—(Mr. Graham Page); instead thereof.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 22, line 20, by inserting, after the word "where", the words—
And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

"(2) Any grantor, assignor, or assignee of a lease to which subsection (1) of this section applies may forward to the surveyor for his consideration a statement of the facts and circumstances relating to such a lease and such further information, if any, as he may think fit, and may request the surveyor to give a certificate as to whether or not a charge to tax arises or may arise under this section, and if so, the amount on which the charge arises, or may arise, whereupon the surveyor may—

(a) call upon the grantor, assignor or assignee as the case may be to furnish him within twenty-eight days or such extended period as he may subsequently allow such further particulars as he may reasonably require:

Provided that if the particulars so required are not furnished to the surveyor within the period or extended period allowed for the purpose he may proceed under this section upon the information before him, or

(b) within a reasonable time after examination by him of such statements object to any statement or any part thereof and in that case shall state in writing the cause of his objection according to the best of his knowledge and information;

(c) grant such a certificate subject to such terms or conditions as he may think fit.

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 23, line 28, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(4) This section shall not apply to the sale of or to the grant of a lease of any mineral asset as defined in section 37 (12) of this Act".—(Mr. More.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That further consideration of the Bill, as amended, be now adjourned.—(Mr. Callaghan);

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, 
Mr. McCann: J
Mr. Ifor Davies: I

Tellers for the Noes, 
Mr. MacArthur: H
Mr. MacArthur: H

So it passed in the Negative.

Then another Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 34, line 39, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(1A) Where a person entitled to a mineral asset grants a lease or licence of a mineral asset to another in return for a rent or royalty, he shall be entitled for any year of assessment in which any such rent or royalty is received by him to an annual allowance in charging his profits or gains from such lease or licence, and save for subsections (1B), (12), (13) and (14) the provisions of this section shall not apply to allowances under this subsection.

(1B) The annual allowance under subsection (1A) of this section for a year of assessment shall be equal to the fraction mentioned below of the rent or royalty received in the year of assessment, that is to say—

(a) where the first rent or royalty was received less than ten years before the year of assessment, one-half;
(b) where the first rent or royalty was received less than twenty but not less than ten years before the year of assessment, one-quarter;
(c) in any other case, one tenth".—(Mr. More.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 40, line 20, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(b) if it is adjacent to a development district so defined and for that reason and because of conditions of local employment, transport or housing ought in the opinion of the Board of Trade to be treated for the purposes of this and the next following section (but for no other purposes) as included with the development district or".—(Mr. Jay.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill;

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Thursday morning:

Thursday, 27th June, 1963:

And the Question being put;
Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.
—(Mr. Finlay.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till five minutes after Five of the clock on Thursday morning, adjourned till this day.

(No. 135.)

Thursday, 27th June, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

The Order of the day being read, for taking into further consideration the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill [Lords], as amended in the Committee;

Ordered, That the Bill be taken into further consideration upon Tuesday next.

The Order of the day being read, for the Durham Second Reading of the Durham County Council Bill [Lords] ;

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time upon Tuesday next.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the Public Works directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Public Works Loan Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Sweden Command,—Copy of an Extradition Treaty (No. 1, 1963), signed at London on the 26th day of April 1963 between Her Majesty in respect of the United Kingdom and His Majesty the King of Sweden.

Copy of Notes exchanged at Amman on the Treaty Series 17th and 19th days of March 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan modifying the Annex to the Notes exchanged on the 13th day of March 1957 terminating the Treaty of Alliance of the 15th day of March 1948.

Copy of Notes exchanged at Vientiane on Treaty Series the 17th day of May 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Laos regarding Economic Aid to Laos.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Licensing Law Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Second Report by a Committee appointed by the Secretary of State for Scotland on the Scottish Licensing Law.
Copy of a Report of the Scottish Development Department on the modernisation of Local Government in Scotland.

Mr. Secretary Noble also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, Copy of Regulations, dated 21st June 1963, entitled the Education Authority Bursaries (Scotland) Regulations 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 18th June 1963, entitled the Registration of Still-Births (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Copies of University Court Ordinances—
(1) No. 413 (University of St. Andrews No. 64 (Foundation of the Chair of Spanish)),
(2) No. 414 (University of St. Andrews No. 65 (Foundation of the Chair of Psychology)),
(3) No. 415 (University of St. Andrews No. 66 (Foundation of the Chair of Political)),
(4) No. 416 (University of St. Andrews No. 67 (Foundation of the Chair of Civil Engineering and re-designation of the Chair of Civil and Mechanical Engineering)), and
(5) No. 417 (University of St. Andrews No. 68 (Foundation of the Chair of Jurisprudence)).

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Copy of a Petition, Draft Charter and Statutes relating to the incorporation of the University of East Anglia.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, Copies of Census Report for England and Wales, 1961—County Reports—
(1) for Flintshire, and
(2) for Montgomeryshire.

Copy of an Order, dated 20th June 1963, entitled the National Health Service (Determination of Regional Hospital Areas) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


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The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Bembridge Harbour) Bill, That they had considered the Order contained in the Bill; that they were of opinion that the said Order ought to be confirmed; and that they had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, be taken into consideration upon Tuesday next.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Gloucester Harbour) Bill, That they had considered the Order contained in the Bill; that they were of opinion that the said Order ought to be confirmed; and that they had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time upon Tuesday next.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Factory Lane, Warrington (Level Crossing) Bill [Lords], That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Port of London Bill [Lords], That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Mr. Secretary Brooke reported from the Select Committee on Parliamentary Elections, That they had made further Progress in the matter to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means (Scotland) presented, pursuant to the Standing Orders, the Report of the Scottish Development Department on the modernisation of Local Government in Scotland.
Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

No. 262.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as follows:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to revise the statute law by repealing obsolete, spent, unnecessary or superseded enactments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Statute Law Revision Bill was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Ordered, That the Finance Bill, as amended on re-committal and on Consideration, be printed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into further consideration the Television Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 10, line 25, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(13) Any programme contractor who is required under the terms of his contract with the Authority to provide programmes which shall contain a suitable proportion of matter calculated to appeal specially to the tastes and outlook of persons in each of two or more areas (as defined by the Authority and approved by the Postmaster General) and, to comply with this requirement, has accordingly to maintain studios, offices or premises in more than one area, shall for the purposes of this section, make a separate return of his advertising receipts for each area, and the additional payments due from that programme contractor shall be separately computed and charged accordingly, to the intent that the Table in subsection (4) of this section shall apply by reference to each area taken separately".—(Mr. Wade.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 13, line 43, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(6) Any person upon whom a peerage in the peerage of England, Scotland, Great Britain or the United Kingdom (not being a life peerage) has been conferred by letters patent or otherwise and who has afterwards succeeded to a peerage in the peerage of England, Scotland, Great Britain or the United Kingdom may by the same instrument of disclaimer disclaim both peerages".—(Mr. Dingle Foot.)

Question, That those words be there added, put and negatived.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses Nos. 2 to 6 agreed to.

Clause No. 7 (Short title, commencement and repeal).

Amendment proposed, in page 5, line 3, to leave out subsection (3).—(Mr. Gordon Walker.)

Question put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause.

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Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 13, line 43, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(f) if so required will incur expenditure on the production of programmes to be broadcast by the Authority amounting over a period defined by the Authority to a sum not less than a sum being such a proportion of the advertising receipts of the programme contractor as the Authority, with the consent of the Postmaster General, may determine."—(Mr. Williams Richard Williams.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:
The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right:
The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the "Mr. Redhead, 
Yees, 68
M. McCann:
Tellers for the "Mr. Poel, 
Noes, 150
M. Pym:
So it passed in the Negative.

Then another Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 14, line 31, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(2) Not later than 1st October 1965, the Postmaster General shall grant to the Authority a licence authorising the Authority to provide a second television service in such areas as the Authority may decide."—(Mr. John Rodgers.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on Government Business be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

The Question being again proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Television Bill—The House resumed the adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put:—It passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

A Schedule (Rules as to Advertisements)—(Mr. Mawby)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Then another Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 18, by leaving out lines 35 to 42.—(Mr. Chapman.)

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 19, line 43, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"9. To the definition of 'disqualified person' in section 5 (1) there shall be added the following paragraph:—

'(d) being a body corporate carries on activities which are wholly or partly for purposes other than the purposes of the provision of programmes for broadcasting by the Authority'."—(Mr. Willey.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—
The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 19, line 43, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"9. In section 5(1)(c) the words 'otherwise than by virtue of paragraph (a) of this definition' shall cease to have effect".—(Mr. Willey.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—
The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then another Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 21, line 16, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"Study and preservation of television material

14. In section 13, at the end, there shall be added the following subsection:—

'(2A) The Postmaster General may give a direction that the Authority shall make such annual payments as they think fit to the British Film Institute and the National Film Archive provided that they are satisfied that such moneys will be used for the study of the Authority's television broadcasts and for the preservation of television films broadcast by the Authority'."—(Mrs. White.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—
The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Then the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Friday evening, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then half an hour after Twelve of the clock on Friday morning;
Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Ministry of Housing and Local Government Provisional Order (Bolton) Bill, without any Amendment.

Mr. Speaker's Certificate.

Mr. Speaker certified that the Bill was a Money Bill within the meaning of the Parliament Act 1911.

Mr. John Hill reported from the Committee on Commonwealth Development [Money], a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That, for the purposes of any Act of the present Session to extend the area of operation and alter the name of the Colonial Development Corporation, and to amend sections 1, 4 and 6 of the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959, it is expedient to authorize any such increase in the limits which, under the Overseas Resources Development Act 1959 or the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959, are authorized to be issued out of the Consolidated Fund, paid into the Exchequer, raised by borrowing or defrayed out of moneys provided by Parliament as is attributable to provisions of the said Act of the present Session—

(a) raising from £315 million to £340 million the limit imposed by section 4 of the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959 on the aggregate amount of the payments which may be made out of moneys provided by Parliament for the purpose of schemes under section 1 of that Act;

(b) replacing the limit imposed by the said section 4 on the aggregate amount of loans under section 2 of the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959, which may be approved in any financial year, and raising from £100 million to £105 million the limit so imposed on the aggregate amount of all such loans;

(c) amending the Overseas Resources Development Act 1959 or the Colonial Development and Welfare Act 1959 otherwise than in respect of the limits imposed by those Acts respectively on the aggregate amount outstanding in respect of advances to the Colonial Development Corporation or of the payments and loans mentioned in paragraphs (a) and (b) above.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Commonwealth Development Bill.

Clause No. 1 (Extension of powers and renaming of Colonial Development Corporation).
Amendment proposed, in page 1, line 9, to leave out the words "as defined by that Act."—(Mr. Thomson.)

Question, That the words "as defined by that Act" stand part of the Clause, put and agreed to.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 1, line 11, to leave out the words "11th February 1948" and insert the words "15th August 1947."—(Mr. Thomson.)

Question, That the words "11th February 1948" stand part of the Clause, put and agreed to.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 1, line 14, at the end, to insert the words—
"(c) the Maldives Islands."—(Mr. Thomson.)

Question proposed, That those words be there inserted:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 4, to leave out from the word "fit" to the end of line 7.—(Mr. Thomson.)

Question proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Clauses Nos. 2 and 3 agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

—(Mr. Batsford.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-six minutes before Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.

MEMORANDUM.

Friday, 28th June, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Public Bills relating exclusively to Scotland) Mr. Speaker this day certified that, in his opinion, the provisions of the Law Reform (Succession etc.) (Scotland) Bill relate exclusively to Scotland.

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The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—No. 263.

Accounts in respect of—
(1) the Post Office Savings Banks Fund for 1962, and
(2) the Savings Banks Fund for the year ended the 20th day of November 1962.

Ordered, That the said Accounts do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Noble also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—No. 111.


Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Report on Industry and Employment in Scotland 1962-63.

Mr. Secretary Noble also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 24th June 1963, entitled the Fire Services (Appointments and Promotion) (Scotland) (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Enroll presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report and Statement of Films Accounts of the National Film Finance Corporation for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Freeth presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Final Report of the Committee on the Problem of Noise.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Resolved, That this House takes note of the Estimates.

Ninth Report from the Estimates Committee in the last Session of Parliament and of the Fifth Special Report from the Estimates Committee relating to Her Majesty's Dockyards.—

(Mr. MacColl.)
Resolved, That this House recognises the disadvantages under which the United Kingdom textile industry at present labours, as compared with conditions enjoyed by textile industries in other countries of the world, and urges Her Majesty's Government to take all steps within its power to remove those disadvantages as soon as possible.—(Mr. Fletcher-Cooke.)

Resolved, That the Tuberculosis (Extension of Payments Period) Order 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 23rd day of April last, be approved.—(Mr. Scott-Hopkins.)

Resolved, That the Tuberculosis (Extension of Payments Period) (Scotland) Order 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 9th day of April last, be approved.—(Mr. Brooman-White.)

Resolved, That the Fertilisers (United Kingdom) (Amendment) Scheme 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 30th day of March last, be approved.—(Mr. Scott-Hopkins.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Michael Hamilton):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Orders, it being then twenty-nine minutes before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

[No. 138.]

Tuesday, 2nd July, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

THE Bath Corporation Bill [Lords] was read a second time and committed.

The Order of the day being read, for taking into further consideration the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill [Lords], as amended in the Committee;

Ordered, That the Bill be taken into further consideration upon Monday next, at Seven of the clock.

The Durham County Council Bill [Lords] was, according to Order, read a second time and committed.

The Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Gloucester Harbour) Bill, as amended in the Committee, was, according to Order, read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

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The Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Yarmouth (Isle of Wight)) Bill was, according to Order, read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Yarmouth (Isle of Wight)) Bill.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Bembridge Harbour) Bill, as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Order made yesterday, That the Savings Accounts relating to Savings Banks be printed, was read and discharged.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 25th June 1963, entitled the Increase of Pensions (Raw Cotton Commission) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Treaty Series Command,—Copy of First Supplementary (No. 3, 1963), List of Ratifications, Accessions, Withdrawals, etc., for 1963.


Copy of Notes exchanged at Montevideo Uruguay on the 24th day of October 1962 and the 17th day of April 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of Uruguay extending to Antigua the arrangements for the Mutual Abolition of Visas.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement on Preparations for the Independence of Kenya.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Mr. Rippon also presented, pursuant to Copyright, the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 26th June 1963, entitled the Copyright (Kenya) Order 1963.


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Copies of Orders in Council, dated 26th June 1963, entitled—
(1) the Oil in Navigable Waters (Convention Countries) (Jordan) Order 1963, and
(2) the Oil in Navigable Waters (Convention Countries) (United Arab Republic) Order 1963.
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Drafts of Regulations, entitled—
(1) the Cinematograph Films (Collection of Levy) Amendment No. 3 Regulations 1963, and
(2) the Cinematograph Films (Distribution of Levy) Regulations 1963.
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Copy of Regulations for preventing Collisions at Sea adopted by the International Conference on Safety of Life at Sea, London, 1960 (these Regulations have not been accepted by Her Majesty’s Government in the United Kingdom).

Mr. Marples also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 24th June 1963, entitled the Neath—Abergavenny Trunk Road (Counties of Glamorgan, Monmouth and Brecknock) Compulsory Purchase (No. 10) Order 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Transport under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Bevin presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of a Statement of a Change in the Remuneration of the Chairman of the Independent Television Authority.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 27th May 1963, entitled the Central Nottinghamshire Water Board Order 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Housing and Local Government under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Great Yarmouth Port and Haven Bill (Lords), That they had examined the allegations contained in the preamble of the Bill, and amended the same so as to make it consistent with the facts as proved by the evidence adduced, and found the same, as amended, to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.
Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, and the Report do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Lucas Estate Bill (Lords), That they had examined the allegations contained in the preamble of the Bill, and amended the same so as to make it consistent with the facts as proved by the evidence adduced, and found the same, as amended, to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto.
Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Committee, do lie upon the Table.

Sir James Duncan reported from Standing Committee F, That they had gone through the Water Resources Bill (Lords) and made Amendments thereunto.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee, be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.
Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjournment, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Redmayne);
And it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.
Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes after Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

[No. 139.]


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

THE Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Bembridge Harbour) Bill was, according to Order, read the third time, and passed.
Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the Pensions, directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 26th June 1963, entitled the Increase of Pensions (Extension) (No. 2) Regulations 1963.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Class II.

Vote 1. Foreign Service.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a sum, not exceeding £15,533,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the salaries and expenses of the Department of Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs; for sundry services; and for certain grants in aid.

Whereupon Motion made, and Question, That the Chairman do report Progress and ask leave to sit again.—(Mr. Redmayne),—put and agreed to.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and that he was directed to move, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Redmayne):—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Ordered, That for the remainder of the Scottish present Session the Standing Order (Special Grand Committee, Procedure for Scottish Estimates) shall have effect as if the word “six” in line 11, and the Standing Order (Matters relating exclusively to Scotland) shall have effect as if the word “three” were substituted for the word “two” in line 15.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Resolved. That the Parking Places (Scottish Roads and Bridges) Order 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 17th day of June last, be approved.—(Mr. Leburn.)

A Motion was made, and the Question Road Traffic, being proposed, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the Traffic Signs (Disqualification for Offences) Regulations 1963, dated 6th May 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 13th day of May last, be annulled.—(Mr. Bell):—The said Motion was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Resolved. That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Finlay.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till one minute before Twelve of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.
Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Estimates of the further sums required to be voted for the Service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964 for Civil Departments.

Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order in Council, entitled the Double Taxation Relief (Estate Duty) (France) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Estimates be referred to the Committee of Supply; and be printed; and that the Paper relating to Death Duties do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Convention signed at Paris on the 21st day of June 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the French Republic for the avoidance of double taxation with respect to duties on the estates of deceased persons.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Report on the Registration of Title to Land in Scotland.

Mr. Secretary Noble also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 25th June 1963, entitled the General Grant (Relevant Expenditure) (Scotland) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Copy of a Scheme, dated 4th July 1963, entitled the White Fish Subsidy (United Kingdom) Scheme 1963.

Copies of Orders, dated 2nd July 1963, entitled—
(1) the Sugar (Distribution Payments) (No. 2) Order 1963,
(2) the Sugar (Distribution Repayments) (Amendment) Order 1963, and
(3) the Composite Sugar Products (Distribution Payments—Average Rates) (No. 2) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of the Report on the Census of England and Wales, 1961—County Reports—
(1) for Caernarvonshire,
(2) for Pembroke, and
(3) for Radnorshire.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marple presented, pursuant to the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Hatfield) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:


Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, that She will be graciously pleased to give directions that there be laid before this House, a Return showing the number of offences relating to motor vehicles in England and Wales, the number of persons prosecuted for such offences, statistics of the proceedings in magistrates' courts, and the number of alleged offences in respect of which written warnings were issued by the police, together with the number of persons concerned during 1962.—(Mr. Woodhouse.)

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had made further Progress in the matter to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Sub-Committee G on the 14th day of May last and following days and reported by them to the Committee, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.
Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.


Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had agreed to a Special Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

No. 267. Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Estimates. Tenth Special Report.

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, That they had agreed to a Special Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

No. 268. Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Remuneration of Teachers Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the British Railways Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to increase the penalties for offences under section 5 of the Public Order Act 1936 and section 1 of the Public Meeting Act 1908; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Public Order Bill (Lords) was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Business of the House (Supply).

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

(Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Motion made, and Question proposed, That a further sum, not exceeding £40, be granted to Her Majesty, towards defraying the charges for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964 for the following services connected with Housing in Scotland, namely:—

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Class III, Vote 2, Scottish Home and Health Department...£10
Class VI, Vote 2, Scottish Development Department...£10
Class VI, Vote 4, Housing, Scotland...£10
Class VI, Vote 8, Equalisation and Transitional Grants to LocalAuthorities, Scotland...£10

Total...£40

Whereupon Motion made, and Question put, That Item Class III, Vote 2, Scottish Home and Health Department, be reduced by £5.—(Mr. Ross.)

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Charles Howell: 137.

Tellers for the Noses, Mr. MacArthur: 212.

Original Question again proposed.—Debate arising:

And it being after Ten o'clock, the Chair

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter to them referred; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved. That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Resolved. That the Import Duties (General) Import Duties (No. 4) Order 1963, dated 28th May 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 31st day of May last, be approved.—(Mr. Green.)

Resolved. That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Ian Macleod.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till seven minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.
Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Agreement between the Board of Trade and Wiggins, Teape & Co. Limited.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report of the Central Health Services Council for 1962, preceded by a Statement made by the Minister of Health.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Glasgow Corporation Order Confirmation Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Education (Scotland) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Sheriff Courts (Civil Jurisdiction and Procedure) (Scotland) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Children and Young Persons Bill [Lords], as amended in the Standing Committee;

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the proposed Clause (Adjustment between local authorities of expenses of maintaining persons in remand homes) standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Secretary Brooke.—(Mr. Secretary Brooke.)

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

A Clause (Adjustment between local authorities of expenses of maintaining persons in remand homes) (Mr. Secretary Brooke) was brought up, read the first and second time, and added. Bill, as amended, to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had added a Clause to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Failure to return child when required by local authority) (Mr. Charles Howell); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—The said Motion and Clause were, severally, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Power to prohibit publication of certain matters in newspapers) (Mr. Charles Howell); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

Tellers for the [Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Redhead;]

53.

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Revocation of approved school orders)—(Miss Bacon); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right:

Tellers for the [Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Redhead;]

82.

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Establishment of case committees)—(Mr. MacColl); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Clause be read a second time:—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Four of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed upon Monday next.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

(Mr. Finlay.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-eight minutes after Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.
MR. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 1st July 1963, entitled the Government Annuity Table Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Constabulary for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Crofters Commission for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 27th June 1963, entitled the London (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) (Amendment) (No. 6) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 1st July 1963, entitled the Pipeline (Devon and Cornwall China Clay Exclusive) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Northumberland and Tyne-side River Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Barnett Janner reported from the Select Committee appointed to join with a Committee of the House of Lords on Consolidation &c. Bills, to whom the Land Compensation (Scotland) Bill [Lords], now pending in the House of Lords, was referred, That they had gone through the Bill and made an Amendment thereto, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report the Minutes of the Evidence taken before them: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message from the Lords, by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Forestry (Sale of Land) (Scotland) Bill, without any Amendment.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the London Government Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That this day Business other than Business of Supply may be taken before the House of Supply.

Ordered, That the matter of Tourism in Welsh Affairs, Wales and Monmouthshire, being a matter relating exclusively to Wales and Monmouthshire, be referred to the Welsh Grand Committee for their consideration.—(Sir Keith Joseph.)

The House, according to Order, resolved Supply [28th allotted Day].

Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill [Lords].
Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 49, line 20, by inserting, after the word "recreation", the words "except motor-boating and water skiing":—(Mr. Hooson.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill; The House divided. The Yeas to the Right; The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the 
Mr. Morris, 
Yeas, 77.
Mr. Lubbock:
Tellers for the 
Mr. Denis Howell, 
Noes, 70.
Mr. Garden:
So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 49, line 32, by inserting, after the word "recreation", the words "but shall give special consideration to local inhabitants using the said facilities or reservoir":—(Mr. Hooson.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill; The House divided. The Yeas to the Right; The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the 
Mr. Morris, 
Yeas, 69.
Mr. Lubbock:
Tellers for the 
Mr. Denis Howell, 
Noes, 59.
Mr. Garden:
So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

Supply. The House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee.)

Question again proposed. That a further sum, not exceeding £25, be granted to Her Majesty, towards defraying the charges for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the following services connected with Housing and Urban Land Prices, namely:

| Class VI, Vote 1, Ministry of Housing and Local Government | £10 |
| Class VI, Vote 1, Ministry of Housing and Local Government (Supplementary Estimate) | £5 |
| Class VI, Vote 3, Housing, England and Wales | £10 |

Total £25

Whereupon Motion made, and Question put, that Item Class VI, Vote 1, Ministry of Housing and Local Government, be reduced by £5.—(Mr. Stewart.)

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the 
Mr. Charles Howell, 
Yeas, 198.
Mr. Irving:
Tellers for the 
Mr. Denis Howell, 
Noes, 260.
Mr. Garden:
Original Question again proposed:—Debate arising:

And it being after Ten o'clock, the Chairman left the Chair to report Progress and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made Progress in the matter referred; and moved, That the Committee may have leave to sit again.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on consideration of the Amendments made by the Lords to the British Museum Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Hughes-Young.)

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the British Museum Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

Resolved, That the Town and Country Planning (Minerals) Regulations 1963, dated 19th June 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 20th day of June last, be approved.—(Mr. Corfield.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Ian Fraser):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then six minutes before Eleven of the clock, till to-morrow.

[No. 143.]

Tuesday, 9th July, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the British Railways Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Lucas Estate Bill (Lords), as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.
The House proceeded to take into consideration the Factory Lane, Warrington (Level Crossing) Bill [Lords], as amended in the Committee.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of Notes exchanged at The Hague on the 20th and 27th days of December 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Kingdom of the Netherlands extending to the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland the Convention for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with respect to Taxes on Income signed at London on the 15th day of October 1948.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of the Report on the Census of England and Wales, 1961—County Report for the City of Aberdeen.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Freeth presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945, That no Petition has been presented against—

(1) the Humber Bridge Act 1959 (Extension of Tino Order 1963, and

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Iain Macleod reported from the Select Committee on Procedure, That they had considered the matters of the re-committal of Bills to Committees of the whole House; of the operation of sub-paragraph (b) of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Exemptions from the Standing Order (Sittings of the House) in relation to Consolidated Fund Bills; of renaming Standing Committees; of the application of the Standing Order (Statutory Instruments, &c. (Procedure) to motions for affirmative resolution; and of paragraph (4) of the Standing Order (Questions to Members) in relation to Mondays, being matters relating to the procedure in the public business of the House, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by the Lords one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Weights and Measures Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Lords have agreed to the Dog Racing (Appointed Days) Bill (changed to Dog Racing (Betting Days) Bill), with Amendments, to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the Weights and Measures Bill be taken into consideration tomorrow; and be printed.

Maurice Anthony Foley, Esquire, Member for West Bromwich, was sworn.

John Ernest Silkin, Esquire, Member for Deptford, was sworn.

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Highways Bill to provide for the payment of compensation for injury or damage caused by animals straying on the highways: And that Sir Barnett Janner, Mr. Probert, Dr. Strout, Mr. Ness Edwards, Mr. Harold Davies, and Dr. King do prepare and bring it in.

Sir Barnett Janner accordingly presented a Highways Bill to provide for the payment of compensation for injury or damage caused by animals straying on the highways: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday next and to be printed.

The Public Order Bill [Lords] was, according to Order, read a second time.
Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Francis Pearson.)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction Measure 1963, passed by the National Assembly of the Church of England, be presented to Her Majesty for Her Royal Assent in the form in which the said Measure was laid before Parliament.—(Mr. Arbuthnot):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

Ordered, That the Debate be now adjourned.—(Mr. Arbuthnot)

Ordered, That the Debate be resumed to-morrow.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Finlay):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Deputy Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then eleven minutes before Twelve of the clock, till to-morrow.

MEMORANDUM.

Tuesday, 9th July, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Mr. George Thomas Chairman of the Welsh Grand Committee in respect of the matter of Tourism in Wales and Monmouthshire referred to the Committee for their consideration.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Animal Boarding Establishments Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have agreed to the London Transport Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have agreed to the Dover Harbour Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Butler presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Copy of the Report of the Central Africa Conference, 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House welcomes the statement made by Her Majesty's Government on Wednesday the 6th day of March last on the Report of the Committee of Inquiry into the Major Ports of Great Britain.—(Mr. Marples);

Royal Assent.

A Message was delivered by Air Chief Marshal Sir George Mills, G.C.B., D.F.C., Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:

Mr. Speaker,
The Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, desire the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the Commission read.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker, with the House, went up to the House of Peers:—And having returned;

Mr. Speaker reported, That the House, at the desire of the Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, had been at the House of Peers, where a Commission under the Great Seal was read, giving, declaring, and notifying the Royal Assent to the several Acts therein mentioned; and that the Lords, thereby authorised, had declared the Royal Assent to the said Acts, as follow:


And the Question being put;

Resolved, That this House welcomes the statement made by Her Majesty's Government on Wednesday the 6th day of March last on the Report of the Committee of Inquiry into the Major Ports of Great Britain.

The Statute Law Revision Bill [Lords] was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Peel)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Law Reform (Succession etc.) (Scotland) Bill;

Ordered, That the Bill be referred to the Scottish Grand Committee.—(Lady Tweedsair)

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Peel);

And it being Ten of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes after Ten of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

[No. 145.]

Thursday, 11th July, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

THE Order for reading the third time the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill [Lords] was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 79, page 50, line 5, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Hooson.—(The Chairman of Ways and Means.)

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 79 amended and agreed to.

Bill, as amended, to be reported.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made a further Amendment to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended on re-committal, do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of an Agreement concluded between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Governments of the Federation of Malaya, North Borneo, Sarawak and Singapore.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, the Estimates to them referred and had directed him to report accordingly to the House.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Oaths and Evidence (Overseas Authorities and Countries) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Wills Bill, with an Amendment; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the Animal Boarding Establishments Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Ordered, That the matters of Electricity in Scotland, of Care in the Elderly in Scotland and of Modernisation of Local Government in Scotland, being matters relating exclusively to Scotland, be referred to the Scottish Grand Committee for their consideration.—(Mr. lain Macleod.)

The Order of the day being read, for the Second Reading of the Rhodesia and Nyasaland Bill:

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be now read a second time;

The Second Clerk Assistant at the Table informed the House of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker from the remainder of this day's Sitting:—Whereupon Sir William Anstruther-Gray, the Chairman of Ways and Means, took the Chair as Deputy Speaker, pursuant to the Standing Order.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time:—The Bill was accordingly read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. Peel.)

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into the said Committee.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That the Statement of the Estimated Income and Expenditure of Greenwich Hospital and Travers' Foundation for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, which was laid before this House on the 17th day of June last, be approved.—(Mr. Hay): And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Friday morning;

Friday, 12th July, 1963:

And the Question being put;

Resolved, That the Statement of the Estimated Income and Expenditure of Greenwich Hospital and Travers' Foundation for the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, which was laid before this House on the 17th day of June last, be approved.
Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Hugh Rees.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till six minutes before One of the clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.

MEMORANDUM.

Thursday, 11th July, 1963.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairman of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Dr. King Chairman of the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the matters of Electricity in Scotland, of Care of the Elderly in Scotland and of Modernisation of Local Government in Scotland, referred to the Committee for their consideration.

[No. 146.]

Friday, 12th July, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Gas.

The Order made upon the 3rd day of this instant July, That the draft of the Gas (Borrowing Powers) Order 1963 do lie upon the Table, was read and discharged.

Ordered, That the said Paper be withdrawn.

Purchase Tax.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 9th July 1963, entitled the Purchase Tax (No. 1) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—

(1) dated 2nd July 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Hillingdon and Dagenham) Regulations 1963,

(2) dated 4th July 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (West Ham) (No. 3) Regulations 1963, and

(3) dated 8th July 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Kingston-upon-Thames) (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Gas.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order, entitled the Gas (Borrowing Powers) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to extend the prohibition of the sale of dead wild geese; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

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[No. 147.]


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Death of a Member.

Mr. Speaker made the following communication to the House:— I regret to have to inform the House of the death of the Right Honourable Evelyn John St. Loe Strachey, Member for Dundee, West, and I desire on behalf of the House to express our sense of the loss we have sustained and our sympathy with the relatives of the Right Honourable Member.

Mr. Secretary noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy (Scotland), of University Court Ordinance No. 425 (University of Glasgow No. 126 (Foundation of New Chairs or Professorships)).

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Thorneycroft presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement relating to Central Organisation for Defence.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, by Her Majesty's Agricultural Command,—Copy of the Report of the Agricultural Research Council for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of an Order, dated 9th July 1963, entitled the Purchase Tax (No. 1) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, entitled the Gas (Borrowing Powers) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 9th July 1963, entitled the Purchase Tax (No. 1) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper be withdrawn.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations,—

(1) dated 2nd July 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Hillingdon and Dagenham) Regulations 1963,

(2) dated 4th July 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (West Ham) (No. 3) Regulations 1963, and

(3) dated 8th July 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Kingston-upon-Thames) (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order, entitled the Gas (Borrowing Powers) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to extend the prohibition of the sale of dead wild geese; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

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Resolved, That this House takes note of the Estimates. First Report and of the Ninth Special Report from the Estimates Committee relating to the Dental Services.—(Sir Eric Errington.)

Resolved, That this House takes note of the Estimates. Sixth Report and of the Tenth Special Report from the Estimates Committee relating to the Timing of the Presentation of Supplementary Estimates.—(Sir Spencer Summers.)

A Motion was made, and the Question Adjournment, being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Campbell);

And it being Four of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Campbell.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes after Four of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.
of Regulations, dated 4th July 1963, entitled—

(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Hackney) (No. 3) Regulations 1963, and

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Statutory Orders (Special Procedure).—The Chairman of Ways and Means presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945. That no Petition has been presented against—

(1) the Central Nottinghamshire Water Board Order 1963, and
(2) the Neath—Abberavenny Trunk Road (Counties of Glamorgan, Monmouth, and Brecknock) Compulsory Purchase (No. 10) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Consolidation, &c., Bills (Joint Committee).—Sir Barnett Janner reported from the Select Committee appointed to join with a Committee on Consolida-
tion, &c., Bills (Joint Committee), Statute Law Revision (Scotland) Bill (Lords), the said Minutes, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

No. 277. Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Business of the House (Supply).—The Chairman then proceeded forthwith to Questions on outstanding Votes, pursuant to S.O. (Business of Supply).

Questions on outstanding Votes, pursuant to S.O. (Business of Supply).

Orders proposed shall have been agreed to by the Committee of Supply before half an hour after Nine o'clock, the Chairman proceeded, pursuant to the Standing Order (Business of Supply) to put forthwith the Questions necessary to dispose of the Vote under consideration. Question put and agreed to.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

1. £2,679,000, Treasury and Subordinate Departments.

2. Motion made, and Question proposed, That a sum, not exceeding £103,000, be granted for the said service.—(Mr. Crossman.)

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Chairman then proceeded forthwith to Questions on the several Classes of the Civil Estimates, including Supplementary Estimates, and the total amounts of the Votes outstanding in the Ministry of Defence Estimate, in the Navy, the Army, and the Air Estimates, be granted for the Services defined in those Classes and Estimates; and that sanction be given to the application of the sums temporarily authorized in respect of the Vote under consideration.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceed-
ing of the Committee be printed.

No. 277. Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceed-
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No. 277.

The Chairman, according to Order, resolved Supply (25th allotted Day).
Question put and agreed to.

Class II.

4. That a sum, not exceeding £102,483,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class II of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

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<td>British Commonwealth Relations Office</td>
<td>5,106,000</td>
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<td>Commonwealth Grants and Loans (including a Supplementary sum of £50,000)</td>
<td>9,225,000</td>
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<td>Colonial Office (including a Supplementary sum of £22,000)</td>
<td>5,305,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Colonial Grants and Loans (including a Supplementary sum of £46,000)</td>
<td>6,445,000</td>
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<td>Development and Welfare (Colonial Office)</td>
<td>11,700,000</td>
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<td>Department of Technical Cooperation (including a Supplementary sum of £167,000)</td>
<td>21,091,000</td>
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<td>Central African Office</td>
<td>1,919,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Development and Welfare (Central African Office)</td>
<td>650,000</td>
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<td>Commonwealth War Graves Commission</td>
<td>810,000</td>
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<td>Total</td>
<td>102,483,000</td>
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Question put and agreed to.

Class III.

5. That a sum, not exceeding £101,782,900, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class III of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

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<tr>
<td>Home Office</td>
<td>7,943,000</td>
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<td>Scottish Home and Health Department (Civil Defence Services)</td>
<td>1,201,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Home Office (Civil Defence Services)</td>
<td>8,654,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Scottish Home and Health Department (Civil Defence Services)</td>
<td>1,167,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Police, England and Wales</td>
<td>51,055,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Police, Scotland</td>
<td>7,597,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Prisons, England and Wales</td>
<td>15,711,000</td>
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<td>Prisons, Scotland</td>
<td>1,605,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Child Care, England and Wales</td>
<td>2,878,000</td>
</tr>
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<td>Child Care, Scotland</td>
<td>399,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supreme Court of Judicature, &amp;c.,</td>
<td>400,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>County Courts</td>
<td>433,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Legal Aid Fund</td>
<td>2,292,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Law Charges</td>
<td>564,000</td>
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<td>Total</td>
<td>101,782,900</td>
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Question put and agreed to.

Class IV.

6. That a sum, not exceeding £467,443,800, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class IV of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

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<th>Description</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Board of Trade</td>
<td>4,461,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Board of Trade (Promotion of Trade, Exports and Industrial Efficiency and Trading, &amp;c., Services)</td>
<td>4,309,000</td>
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<td>Board of Trade (Promotion of Local Employment) (including a Supplementary sum of £325,000)</td>
<td>21,850,000</td>
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<td>Export Credits</td>
<td>900</td>
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<td>Export Credits (Special Guarantees, &amp;c.)</td>
<td>900</td>
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<tr>
<td>Ministry of Labour</td>
<td>17,903,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Ministry of Aviation</td>
<td>186,670,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ministry of Aviation (Purchasing (Repayment Services))</td>
<td>25,000,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Civil Aerodromes and Air Navigation Services</td>
<td>7,300,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ministry of Transport (including a Supplementary sum of £3,000)</td>
<td>3,230,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Ministry of Transport, Exports and Industrial Relations (including a Supplementary sum of £25,000)</td>
<td>96,261,000</td>
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<td>Roads, &amp;c., England and Wales</td>
<td>16,153,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Roads, &amp;c., Scotland</td>
<td>16,153,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Transport (Shipping and Special Services) (including a Supplementary sum of £1,501,000)</td>
<td>2,146,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Commonwealth War Graves Commission (including a Supplementary sum of £1,501,000)</td>
<td>2,146,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Transport (Shipbuilding Loans)</td>
<td>1,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Transport (Railways and Waterways Boards)</td>
<td>85,882,000</td>
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<td>Ministry of Power</td>
<td>2,199,000</td>
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<td>Total</td>
<td>467,443,800</td>
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</table>

Question put and agreed to.

Class V.

7. That a sum, not exceeding £264,059,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class V of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

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<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Grants and Subsidies)</td>
<td>14,827,000</td>
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<td>Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Price Guarantees)</td>
<td>8,642,000</td>
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<td>Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Price Guarantees)</td>
<td>145,630,000</td>
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<td>Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Price Guarantees)</td>
<td>16,140,000</td>
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### Class VI

8. That a sum, not exceeding £1,695,150,600, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class VI of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

<table>
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<th>Service</th>
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<tr>
<td>Ministry of Housing and Local Government</td>
<td>£13,509,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Scottish Development Department</td>
<td>£1,811,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Housing, England and Wales</td>
<td>£49,422,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Housing, Scotland</td>
<td>£8,920,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Grants to Local Government</td>
<td>£377,325,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Grants to Local Government, Scotland</td>
<td>£44,096,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Rate Deficiency, &amp;c., Grants to Local Revenues, England and Wales</td>
<td>£94,251,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Equalisation and Transitional Grants to Local Revenues, Scotland</td>
<td>£14,002,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Ministry of Education</td>
<td>£88,993,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Scottish Education Department</td>
<td>£14,209,000</td>
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<td>Ministry of Education (Teachers’ Superannuation)</td>
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<td>Scottish Education Department (Teachers’ Superannuation)</td>
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<td>Ministry of Health</td>
<td>£2,673,000</td>
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<td>National Health Service, &amp;c., (Hospital Services, &amp;c.), England and Wales</td>
<td>£308,770,000</td>
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<td>National Health Service, (Executive Councils’ Services), England and Wales</td>
<td>£121,604,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Miscellaneous Health and Welfare Services, England and Wales</td>
<td>£26,349,000</td>
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<td>National Health Service (Superannuation, &amp;c.), England and Wales</td>
<td>£900</td>
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<td>National Health Service, &amp;c., Scotland (including a Supplementary sum of £13,769,000)</td>
<td>£58,726,000</td>
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<td>National Health Service (Superannuation, &amp;c.) Scotland</td>
<td>£900</td>
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<tr>
<td>Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance</td>
<td>£5,067,000</td>
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<td>National Insurance</td>
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<td>Family Allowances</td>
<td>£91,875,000</td>
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<td>National Assistance Board</td>
<td>£148,747,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>War Pensions, &amp;c.</td>
<td>£75,244,000</td>
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**Total**: £1,695,150,600

Question put and agreed to.

### Class VII

9. That a sum, not exceeding £113,897,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class VII of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

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<th>Service</th>
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<tr>
<td>Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural and Food Services)</td>
<td>£8,871,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Food (Strategic Reserves)</td>
<td>£1,455,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fishery Grants and Services</td>
<td>£3,584,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fisheries (Scotland) and Herring Industry</td>
<td>£1,660,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Forestry Commission (including a Supplementary sum of £600,000)</td>
<td>£8,200,000</td>
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**Total**: £264,059,000

Question put and agreed to.

### Class VIII

10. That a sum, not exceeding £6,263,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class VIII of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

<table>
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<th>Service</th>
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<tr>
<td>Royal Scottish Museum, &amp;c., Scotland</td>
<td>£76,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>National Galleries of Scotland</td>
<td>£37,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>National Library of Scotland</td>
<td>£39,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>National Portrait Gallery</td>
<td>£31,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>National Maritime Museum</td>
<td>£74,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>National Portrait Gallery</td>
<td>£60,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Wallace Collection</td>
<td>£37,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Royal Scottish Museum, &amp;c., Scotland</td>
<td>£76,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>National Galleries of Scotland</td>
<td>£46,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>National Library of Scotland</td>
<td>£73,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>National Museum of Antiquities of Scotland</td>
<td>£17,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Grants for the Arts</td>
<td>£1,903,000</td>
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**Total**: £4,263,000

Question put and agreed to.

### Class IX

11. That a sum, not exceeding £1,949,809,900, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class IX of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

<table>
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<th>Service</th>
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<tr>
<td>Ministry of Public Building and Works</td>
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<tr>
<td>Public Buildings, &amp;c., United Kingdom</td>
<td>£26,987,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Exel Lloyd George Memorial</td>
<td>£9,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Public Buildings Overseas</td>
<td>£3,546,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Works and Buildings for the Admiralty</td>
<td>£13,015,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Works and Buildings for the War Office</td>
<td>£40,561,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Works and Buildings for the Air Ministry</td>
<td>£31,630,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Houses of Parliament Buildings</td>
<td>£317,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Royal Palaces</td>
<td>£531,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Royal Parks and Pleasure Gardens</td>
<td>£914,000</td>
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</tbody>
</table>

**Total**: £1,949,809,900

Question put and agreed to.
12 Eliz. II 15th July

Ministry of Defence Estimate, 1963-64.

14. That a sum, not exceeding £13,380,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the salaries and expenses of the Ministry of Defence; expenses in connection with International Defence Organisations, including international subscriptions; and certain grants in aid.

Question put and agreed to.

Navy Estimates, 1963-64.

15. That a sum, not exceeding £303,092,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Navy Services, viz.:—

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<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>Royal Naval Reserves</td>
<td>£1,202,000</td>
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<td>Adm. Office</td>
<td>£10,519,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Medical Services, Education and Civilians on Fleet Services, etc.</td>
<td>£13,119,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Naval Stores, Ordnance, Victualling and other Services</td>
<td>£138,485,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>H.M. Ships, Aircraft and Weapons, New Construction and Repairs</td>
<td>£119,677,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>£303,092,000</td>
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</table>

Question put and agreed to.

Army Estimates, 1963-64.

16. That a sum, not exceeding £273,920,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Army Services, viz.:—

<table>
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<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>War Office</td>
<td>£6,600,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Civilians at Outstations</td>
<td>£11,020,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Movements</td>
<td>£27,480,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>£41,520,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Stores and Equipment</td>
<td>£87,500,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>£273,920,000</td>
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</tbody>
</table>

Question put and agreed to.

Air Estimates, 1963-64.

17. That a sum, not exceeding £129,880,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Air Services, viz.:—

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
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<tr>
<td>Air Ministry</td>
<td>£4,700,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Civilians at Outstations and the Meteorological Office</td>
<td>£42,050,000</td>
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<tr>
<td>Movements</td>
<td>£13,750,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Supplies</td>
<td>£32,600,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Lands and Works</td>
<td>£2,340,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Non-effective Services</td>
<td>£14,490,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>£129,880,000</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Question put and agreed to.


18. That sanction be given to the application of the sum of £9,557,863 2s. Od. out of
surpluses arising out of certain votes for Navy Services for the year ended 31st March 1962, to defray expenditure in excess of that appropriated to certain other Votes for those Services and to meet deficits in receipts not offset by savings in expenditure from the respective Votes as set out in and temporarily authorised in the Treasury Minute of 1st February 1963 and reported upon by the Committee of Public Accounts in their Second Report.

Question put and agreed to.

Army Services, 1961-62.

19. That sanction be given to the application of the sum of £2,872,588 11s. 6d. out of surpluses arising out of certain Votes for Army Services for the year ended 31st March 1962, to defray expenditure in excess of that appropriated to certain other Votes for those Services and to meet deficits in receipts not offset by savings in expenditure from the respective Votes as set out in and temporarily authorised in the Treasury Minute of 1st February 1963 and reported upon by the Committee of Public Accounts in their Second Report.

Question put and agreed to.

Air Services Expenditure, 1961-62.

20. That sanction be given to the application of the sum of £1,460,592 9s. 8d. out of surpluses arising out of certain Votes for Air Services for the year ended 31st March 1962, to defray expenditure in excess of that appropriated to certain other Votes for those Services and to meet deficits in receipts not offset by savings in expenditure from the respective Votes as set out in and temporarily authorised in the Treasury Minute of 1st February 1963 and reported upon by the Committee of Public Accounts in their Second Report.

Question put and agreed to.

Resolutions to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, the sum of £3,787,264,400 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.—(Mr. Barber.)

Resolution to be reported.

Ordered, That the Report, be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, again resolve itself into the said Committee.

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question proposed upon the 5th day of this instant July, That the Clause (Establishment of case committees), proposed on consideration of the Children and Young Persons Bill [Lords], as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be read a second time;

And the Question being again proposed:

—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on Government Business be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Secretary Brooke.)

And the Question being again proposed, That the Clause (Establishment of case committees) be read a second time:—The House resumed the adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Charles Howell:

128.

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. John Hill:

175.

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Removal to a place of safety)—(Mr. MacColl); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time;

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Irving:

95.

Tellers for the Noes, Mr. Ian Fraser:

150.

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Clause (Recovery of arrears of contributions)—(Mr. Skeffington)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Then an Amendment was made to the Bill.

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning;

Tuesday, 16th July, 1963:

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 31, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(f) if it is proved to the satisfaction of a juvenile court beyond reasonable doubt that the child, being under the age of ten years, acts in a manner which would render a person over that age liable to be found guilty of an offense".—(Miss Vickers.)
And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 31, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"Any general or special order made by the Secretary of State under section 62 (a) of the principal Act shall provide that any proceedings by an 'authorised' person must be with the consent of the appropriate local authority".

—(Mr. MacColl.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 31, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(2) In section 62 (a) of the principal Act there shall be inserted at the end of the subsection the words:—' An order made under this subsection may direct for what period and in what petty sessions area the authority to institute proceedings shall apply.' "—(Mr. MacColl.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 5, line 7, by leaving out paragraph (a)—(Miss Bacon.)

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 10, line 35, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words " and by inserting after the word 'years' the words ' nor any child or young person in respect of whom a report has been made to the local health authority under section 57 of the Education Act 1944 as amended by the Mental Health Act 1959."—(Mr. MacColl.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 14, line 43, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(2) Where a child or young person who has attained the age of 12 is charged with a criminal offence and such child or young person is in the possession of and under the control of both parents then both parents shall be required to attend the Court before which the case is heard if the Clerk of the Court having regard to the nature of the case deems it desirable".—(Mr. MacColl.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 19, line 42, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(a) Regulations made under the foregoing subsection may provide for the supervision by suitable persons of the children and prescribe the maximum number of children to be supervised by any one person."—(Miss Bacon.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed, with Amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. John Hill)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour before Five of the clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

[No. 148.]

Tuesday, 16th July, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

THE House proceeded to take into con sideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the London Transport Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The House proceeded to take into con sideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Medway Conservancy Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The Factory Lane, Warrington (Level Cross ing) Bill [Lords] was read the third time and passed, with Amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.
The Lucas Estate Bill [Lords] was read the third time and passed, with Amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.

The Great Yarmouth Port and Haven Bill [Lords] was read the third time and passed, with Amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.

The Port of London Bill [Lords] was read the third time and passed, with Amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill [Lords], as amended on re-committal.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Bank of England for the year ended the 28th day of February 1963.

Mr. Barber also presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 10th July 1963, entitled the Federated Superannuation System for Universities (Reckoning of Certain Previous Service) Regulations 1963.

Copy of Rules, dated 10th July 1963, entitled the Superannuation (Transfer of Agricultural Staff) Rules 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Convention signed at Brussels on the 31st day of January 1963 supplementary to the Convention signed at Paris on the 29th day of July 1960 on Third Party Liability in the field of Nuclear Energy.

Copy of Amendments to Annexes I and II to the European Interim Agreements on Social Security, signed at Paris on the 11th day of December 1953.

Copy of Notes exchanged at Rome on the 27th day of November 1962 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Italian Republic revising the Route Schedules annexed to the Air Services Agreement signed at Rome on the 25th day of June 1948.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 26th June 1963, approving an Admiral's memorial praying sanction to improved disability retired pay, pensions and other allowances payable to members of the Naval, Marine and Reserve Forces.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the Acquisition directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 1st July 1963, entitled the Canterbury (Central Area No. 2) Compulsory Purchase Confirmation Order 1963, with a Certificate by the Minister of Housing and Local Government under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, pursuant to the directions of a Statutory Instrument,—Report on War Pensioners for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Heath presented, pursuant to the directions of a Statutory Act of Parliament,—Report by the Chairman of Committees of the House of Lords and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons under Section 3 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945, That no Petition has been presented against the Huntingdonshire (Walden Road—Bridge Hotel New Road, Huntington) Compulsory Purchase Order No. 1, 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Felixstowe Dock and Railway Bill [Lords], That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Bath Corporation Bill [Lords], That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported from the Committee on the Bath Corporation Bill [Lords], That they had examined the allegations of the Bill and found the same to be true; and had gone through the Bill and made Amendments thereunto; and had considered the several matters required by the Standing Orders and directed him to make a Report thereof to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, That they had come to a Resolution, which they had directed him to report to the House, together with a Memorandum: And the Report was brought up and read.

No. 7 (xv). Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Memorandum, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

No. 7 (xv). Ordered, That the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Scottish Grand Committee. Scottish Affairs.

Dr. King reported from the Scottish Grand Committee, That they had considered one of the matters referred to them on the 11th day of this instant July, namely, Electricity in Scotland, and had directed him to report accordingly to the House.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Oil in Navigable Waters Bill, without any Amendment.

Ordered, That the Amendment made by the Lords to the Wills Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Malaya (Gift of a Speaker's Chair).

Resolved, That this House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of an humble Address to be presented to Her Majesty, praying that Her Majesty will give directions that there be presented on behalf of this House a Speaker's Chair to the Malayan House of Representatives, and assuring Her Majesty that this House will make good the expenses attending the same.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

British Nationality.

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to provide for the acquisition of citizenship of the United Kingdom and Colonies by certain classes of persons who would otherwise be stateless; to restrict the grounds on which persons may be deprived of such citizenship where deprivation would render them stateless; and to repeal section 20 (4) and section 21 of the British Nationality Act 1948: And that Mr. Parker, Dr. Strauss, Miss Vickers, Sir Robert Cary, and Mr. Charles Royle do prepare and bring it in.

Mr. Parker accordingly presented a Bill to provide for the acquisition of citizenship of the United Kingdom and Colonies by certain classes of persons who would otherwise be stateless; to restrict the grounds on which persons may be deprived of such citizenship where deprivation would render them stateless; and to repeal section 20 (4) and section 21 of the British Nationality Act 1948: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday next and to be printed.

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question proposed upon the 9th day of this instant July, That the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction Measure 1963, passed by the National Assembly of the Church of England, be presented to Her Majesty for Her Royal Assent in the form in which the said Measure was laid before Parliament; And the Question being again proposed;—

The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put; The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right; The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the [Sir Hendrie Oakshott], 152. Yes, {Mr. MacColl: 60. Tellers for the [Mr. George Thomas, Miss Stross, Capt. Orr:}

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Resolved, That the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction Measure 1963, passed by the National Assembly of the Church of England, be presented to Her Majesty for Her Royal Assent in the form in which the said Measure was laid before Parliament.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Rhodésia and Nyasaland Bill.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 1 (Provision for dissolution of Federation).

Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 8, at the end, to insert the words "and provided that no such person is compulsorily transferred to the employment of territorial or other public institutions".—(Mr. Bottomley.)

Question proposed. That those words be there inserted:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Another Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 22, to leave out from the word "Parliament" to the end of line 24.—(Mr. Dingle Foot.)

Question. That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Clause No. 2 (Supplementary provisions as to Orders).

Amendment proposed, in page 3, line 5, to leave out subsection (3).—(Mr. Turton.)

Question proposed. That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Clause:—Amendment, by leave, withdrawn.

Clause agreed to.

Clause No. 3 agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.
The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee on the Statute Law Revision Bill [Lords].

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 to 3 agreed to.
Schedule agreed to.
Bill to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had gone through the Bill and directed him to report the same, without Amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the Report of the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the Sea Fisheries, directions of an Act of Parliament,—Draft of an Order, entitled the Grey Seals Protection (Farnes Islands) (Suspension of Close Season) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


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Mr. Freeth presented, by Her Majesty's Agricultural Command,—Copy of the Report of the Agricultural Research Council for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates, made Tenth Report "Estimates Committee, That they had further Progress in the matter to them referred, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report so much of the Minutes of the Evidence taken before Subcommittee D as had been reported by them to the Committee, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table; and be printed.
No. 282. Ordered, That so much of the Minutes of Evidence taken before Sub-Committee D appointed by the Estimates Committee in the last Session of Parliament as relates to Military Expenditure Overseas as has been reported by them to the Committee be printed.

Mr. George Thomas reported from the Welsh Grand Committee, That they had considered the matter of Tourism in Wales and Monmouthshire, referred to them on the 8th day of this instant July, and had directed him to report accordingly to the House.

No. 279. Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Local Authorities (Land) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Ministry of Housing and Local Government Provisional Order (Leeds) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Salvation Army Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Ordered, That this day Business other than the Business of Supply may be taken before Ten of the clock; and that if the first Resolution reported from the Committee of Supply of the 15th day of this instant July shall have been agreed to before half an hour after Nine of the clock, Mr. Speaker shall proceed to put forthwith the Questions which he is directed to put at half an hour after Nine of the clock by paragraph (7) of the Standing Order (Business of Supply).—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to repeal certain obsolete provisions of the law relating to hackney carriages in the Metropolis: And that Sir Barnett Janner, Mr. Holman, Mr. Tomney, Mr. Hoy, Mr. Skelfington, Sir Myr Gulpern, Mr. Cledwyn Hughes, and Mr. Lipton do prepare and bring it in.

Sir Barnett Janner accordingly presented a Bill to repeal certain obsolete provisions of the law relating to hackney carriages in the Metropolis: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday next and to be printed.

Mr. John Hill reported from the Committee of Supply of the 15th day of this instant July, several Resolutions; which were read, as follow:

Civil Estimates, 1963-64.

Class I.

Vote 3. Treasury and Subordinate Departments.

1. That a sum, not exceeding £2,679,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the salaries and expenses of the Department of Her Majesty's Treasury and subordinate departments and of the First Secretary of State, the Lord Privy Seal, the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, and the Minister without Portfolio.

Class VII.

Vote 2. Office of the Minister for Science.

2. That a sum, not exceeding £104,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the salaries and expenses of the Office of the Minister for Science.

Civil Estimates and Supplementary Estimates, 1963-64.

Class I.

3. That a sum, not exceeding £59,175,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class I of the Civil Estimates, viz.:— £

1. House of Lords ... ... 194,000
2. House of Commons ... 1,172,000
3. Privy Council Office ... 35,000
4. Post Office Ministers ... 3,000
5. Customs and Excise ... 14,602,000
6. Inland Revenue ... 41,883,000
7. Exchequer and Audit Department ... 400,000
8. Civil Service Commission ... 460,000
9. Royal Commissions, &c. ... 422,000
10. ... ... ... ... 59,175,000

Class II.

4. That a sum, not exceeding £102,483,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class II of the Civil Estimates, viz.:— £

1. Foreign Service (including a Supplementary sum of £112,000) ... ... 15,645,000
2. Foreign Grants and Loans including a Supplementary sum of £164,000) ... 12,427,000
3. British Council ... 3,106,000
4. Commonwealth Relations Office ... 15,062,000
5. Commonwealth Grants and Loans (including a Supplementary sum of £50,000) ... 9,225,000
6. Colonial Office (including a Supplementary sum of £52,000) ... 5,303,000
7. Colonial Grants and Loans (including a Supplementary sum of £46,000) ... 6,445,000
8. Development and Welfare (Colonial Office) ... 11,700,000
9. Department of Technical Cooperation (including a Supplementary sum of £167,000) ... 21,091,000
10. Central African Office ... 1,019,000
11. Development and Welfare (Central African Office) ... 650,000
12. Commonwealth War Graves Commission ... 810,000

102,483,000
Class III.

5. That a sum, not exceeding £101,782,900, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class III of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

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<td>1. Home Office</td>
<td>7,943,000</td>
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<td>2. Scottish Home and Health Department</td>
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<td>3. Home Office (Civil Defence Services)</td>
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<td>4. Scottish Home and Health Department (Civil Defence Services)</td>
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<td>5. Police, England and Wales</td>
<td>1,167,000</td>
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<td>6. Services (including a Supplementary sum of £6,325,000)</td>
<td>21,850,000</td>
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<td>7. Prisons, England and Wales</td>
<td>15,711,000</td>
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<td>8. Board of Trade</td>
<td>1,605,000</td>
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<td>9. Child Care, England and Wales</td>
<td>2,878,000</td>
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<td>10. Child Care, Scotland</td>
<td>399,000</td>
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<td>11. Supreme Court of Judicature, &amp;c.</td>
<td>900</td>
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<td>12. County Courts</td>
<td>433,000</td>
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<td>13. Legal Aid Fund</td>
<td>2,252,000</td>
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<td>14. Low Charges</td>
<td>564,000</td>
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<td>15. Law Charges and Courts of Law, Scotland</td>
<td>221,000</td>
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<td>16. Supreme Court of Judicature, &amp;c., Northern Ireland</td>
<td>62,000</td>
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101,782,900

Class IV.

6. That a sum, not exceeding £467,443,800, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class IV of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

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<td>1. Board of Trade</td>
<td>4,461,000</td>
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<td>2. Board of Trade (Promotion of Trade, Exports and Industrial Efficiency and Trading &amp;c., Services)</td>
<td>4,309,000</td>
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<td>3. Board of Trade (Promotion of Local Employment) (including a Supplementary sum of £8,225,000)</td>
<td>21,850,000</td>
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<td>4. Export Credits</td>
<td>900</td>
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<td>5. Export Credits (Special Guarantees, &amp;c.)</td>
<td>900</td>
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<td>6. Ministry of Labour</td>
<td>17,980,000</td>
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<td>7. Ministry of Aviation</td>
<td>180,670,000</td>
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<td>8. Ministry of Aviation (Purchasing (Repayment) Services)</td>
<td>25,000,000</td>
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<td>9. Civil Aerodromes and Air Navigational Services</td>
<td>7,300,000</td>
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<td>10. Ministry of Transport (including a Supplementary sum of £25,000)</td>
<td>3,230,000</td>
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<td>11. Roads, &amp;c., England and Wales</td>
<td>96,261,000</td>
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<td>12. Roads, &amp;c., Scotland</td>
<td>16,153,000</td>
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<td>13. Transport (Shipping and Special Services (including a Supplementary sum of £1,501,000))</td>
<td>2,146,000</td>
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<td>14. Transport (Shipbuilding Loans)</td>
<td>1,000</td>
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<td>15. Transport (Railways and Waterways Boards)</td>
<td>85,882,000</td>
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<td>16. Ministry of Power</td>
<td>2,199,000</td>
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467,443,800

Class V.

7. That a sum, not exceeding £264,059,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class V of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

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<td>1. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food</td>
<td>14,827,000</td>
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<td>2. Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland</td>
<td>6,052,000</td>
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<td>3. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Grants and Subsidies)</td>
<td>48,990,000</td>
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<td>4. Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland (Agricultural Price Guarantees)</td>
<td>8,642,000</td>
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<td>5. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Price Guarantees)</td>
<td>145,630,000</td>
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<td>6. Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland (Agricultural Price Guarantees)</td>
<td>16,140,000</td>
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<td>7. Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (Agricultural Price Guarantees)</td>
<td>1,887,000</td>
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<td>8. Food (Strategic Reserves)</td>
<td>1,433,000</td>
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<td>9. Fishery Grants and Services</td>
<td>3,594,000</td>
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<td>10. Fisheries (Scotland) and Herring Industry</td>
<td>1,660,000</td>
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<td>11. Forestry Commission (including a Supplementary sum of £400,000)</td>
<td>8,200,000</td>
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264,059,000

Class VI.

8. That a sum, not exceeding £1,695,150,600, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class VI of the Civil Estimates, viz.:—

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<td>1. Ministry of Housing and Local Government (including a Supplementary sum of £4,800)</td>
<td>13,509,000</td>
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<td>2. Scottish Development Department</td>
<td>1,811,000</td>
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<td>3. Housing, England and Wales</td>
<td>49,422,000</td>
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<td>4. Housing, Scotland</td>
<td>8,720,000</td>
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<td>5. General Grants to Local Revenues, England and Wales</td>
<td>377,325,000</td>
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<td>6. General Grants to Local Revenues, Scotland</td>
<td>44,096,000</td>
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<td>7. Rate Deficiency, &amp;c., Grants to Local Revenues, England and Wales</td>
<td>94,251,000</td>
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<td>8. Equalisation and Transitional Grants to Local Revenues, Scotland</td>
<td>14,002,000</td>
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<td>9. Ministry of Education</td>
<td>88,993,000</td>
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<td>10. Scottish Education Department</td>
<td>14,209,000</td>
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<td>11. Ministry of Education (Teachers' Superannuation)</td>
<td>900</td>
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<td>12. Scottish Education Department (Teachers' Superannuation)</td>
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<td>13. Ministry of Health</td>
<td>2,673,000</td>
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<td>14. National Health Service, &amp;c. (Hospital Services, &amp;c.), England and Wales (including a Supplementary sum of £13,746,000)</td>
<td>308,770,000</td>
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<td>15. National Health Service (Executive Councils' Services), England and Wales (including a Supplementary sum of £3,907,000)</td>
<td>121,604,000</td>
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<td>16. Miscellaneous Health and Welfare Services, England and Wales</td>
<td>26,349,000</td>
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<td>17. National Health Service (Superannuation, &amp;c.), England and Wales</td>
<td>900</td>
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1,695,150,600
| Class VII. | 1. Universities and Colleges, &c., Great Britain | £ | 69,452,000 |
| 2. Atomic Energy | | | 20,471,000 |
| 3. Department of Scientific and Industrial Research | | | 11,901,000 |
| 4. Medical Research Council | | | 4,458,000 |
| 5. Agricultural Research Council | | | 4,925,000 |
| 6. Nature Conservancy | | | 451,000 |
| 7. Grants for Science | | | 231,000 |
| | | | **113,897,000** |

| Class VIII. | 1. British Museum | £ | 641,000 |
| 2. British Museum (Natural History) | | | 437,000 |
| 3. Science Museum | | | 235,000 |
| 4. Victoria and Albert Museum (including a Supplementary sum of £17,500,000) | | | 422,000 |
| 5. Imperial War Museum | | | 50,000 |
| 6. London Museum | | | 39,000 |
| 7. National Gallery (including a Supplementary sum of £35,000) | | | 122,000 |
| 8. National Maritime Museum | | | 74,000 |
| 9. National Portrait Gallery | | | 31,000 |
| 10. Tate Gallery | | | 60,000 |
| 11. Wallace Collection | | | 37,000 |
| 12. Royal Scottish Museum | | | 76,000 |
| 13. National Galleries of Scotland | | | 46,000 |
| 14. National Library of Scotland | | | 73,000 |
| 15. National Museum of Antiquities of Scotland | | | 17,000 |
| 16. Grants for the Arts | | | 1,903,000 |
| | | | **4,263,000** |

| Class IX. | 1. Broadcasting (including a Supplementary sum of £7,700,000) | £ | 42,721,000 |
| 2. Carlisle State Management District | | | 900 |
| 3. State Management Districts, Scotland | | | 900 |
| 4. Pensions, &c. (India, Pakistan and Burma) | | | 5,113,000 |
| 5. Supplements to Pensions, &c. (Overseas Services) | | | 1,066,000 |

| Class X. | 1. Charity Commission | £ | 118,000 |
| 2. Crown Estate Office | | | 117,000 |
| 3. Friendly Societies Registry | | | 82,000 |
| 4. Royal Mint | | | 900 |
| 5. National Debt Office | | | 900 |
| 6. Public Works Loan Commission | | | 900 |
| 7. Public Trustee | | | 900 |
| 8. Land Registry | | | 900 |
| 9. War Damage Commission | | | 176,000 |
| 10. Office of the Registrar of Restrictive Trade Agreements | | | 99,000 |
| 11. Ordnance Survey | | | 2,504,000 |
| 12. Public Record Office | | | 1,124,000 |
| 13. Scottish Record Office | | | 39,000 |
| 14. Registrar General’s Office | | | 520,000 |
| 15. Registrar General’s Office, Scotland | | | 60,000 |
| 16. Department of the Registers of Scotland | | | 900 |
| 17. National Savings Committee | | | 999,000 |
| | | | **4,873,400** |

| Class XI. | 1. Ministry of Public Building and Works | £ | 17,560,000 |
| 2. Public Buildings, &c., United Kingdom | | | 26,987,000 |
| 3. Earl Lloyd George Memorial | | | 9,000 |
| 4. Public Buildings Overseas | | | 3,546,000 |
| 5. Works and Buildings for the Admiralty | | | 13,015,000 |
| 6. Works and Buildings for the Air Ministry | | | 31,630,000 |
| 7. Houses of Parliament Buildings | | | 317,000 |
| 8. Royal Palaces | | | 521,000 |
| 9. Royal Parks and Pleasure Gardens | | | 914,000 |
| 10. Historic Buildings and Ancient Monuments | | | 885,000 |
| 11. Rates on Government Property | | | 14,005,000 |
| 12. That a sum, not exceeding £113,897,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class VII of the Civil Estimates, viz.:— | £ | | **113,897,000** |
| 13. That a sum, not exceeding £4,873,400, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class X of the Civil Estimates, viz.:— | £ | | **4,873,400** |
| 14. That a sum, not exceeding £55,271,800, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Services included in Class XI of the Civil Estimates, viz.:— | £ | | **55,271,800** |
Navy Estimate, Defence Estimates, 1963-64.
Ministry of Defence Estimate, 1963-64.
14. That a sum, not exceeding £13,380,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to complete the sum necessary to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for the salaries and expenses of the Ministry of Defence; expenses in connection with International Defence Organisations, including international subscriptions; and certain grants in aid.

Navy Estimates, 1963-64.
15. That a sum, not exceeding £303,092,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Navy Services, viz.:

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<td>2. Royal Naval Reserves</td>
<td>£1,292,000</td>
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<td>3. Admiralty Office</td>
<td>£10,519,000</td>
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<td>5. Medical Services, Education Civilians on Fleet Services</td>
<td>£13,339,000</td>
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<td>6. Naval Stores, Armament, Venturing and other Material Supply Services</td>
<td>£138,485,000</td>
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<td>7. H.M. Ships, Aircraft and Weapons, New Construction and Repairs</td>
<td>£139,657,000</td>
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Army Estimates, 1963-64.
16. That a sum, not exceeding £273,920,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Army Services, viz.:

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<td>3. War Office</td>
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<td>4. Civilians at Oustations and the Meteorological Office</td>
<td>£111,020,000</td>
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<td>5. Movements</td>
<td>£27,480,000</td>
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<td>6. Supplies</td>
<td>£41,520,000</td>
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<td>7. Stores and Equipment</td>
<td>£87,300,000</td>
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Air Estimates, 1963-64.
17. That a sum, not exceeding £129,880,000, be granted to Her Majesty, to defray the charge which will come in course of payment during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, for Expenditure in respect of the Air Services, viz.:

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<td>3. Air Ministry</td>
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<td>4. Civilians at Oustations and the Meteorological Office</td>
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<td>£52,600,000</td>
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<td>8. Lands and Works</td>
<td>£2,340,000</td>
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<td>10. Non-effective Services</td>
<td>£14,430,000</td>
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Mr. Speaker then proceeded to put forthwith the Questions, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolutions reported in respect of Classes I-XI of the Civil Estimates, the Ministry of Defence Estimate, the Navy Estimates, the Army Estimates, the Air Estimates, and of Navy, Army, and Air Services Expenditure.

Civil Estimates and Supplementary Estimates, 1963-64.

Class I.

Government and Exchequer.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class I of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class II.

Commonwealth and Foreign.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class II of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class III.

Home and Justice.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class III of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class IV.

Industry, Trade and Transport.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class IV of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class V.

Agriculture.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class V of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class VI.

Local Government, Housing and Social Services.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class VI of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class VII.

Universities and Scientific Research.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class VII of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class VIII.

Museums, Galleries and the Arts.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class VIII of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class IX.

Public Buildings and Common Governmental Services.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class IX of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class X.

Smaller Public Departments.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class X of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Class XI.

Miscellaneous.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of Class XI of the Civil Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ministry of Defence Estimate, 1963-64.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of the Ministry of Defence Estimate:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Navy Estimates, 1963-64.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of the Navy Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Army Estimates, 1963-64.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of the Army Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Air Estimates, 1963-64.

And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the outstanding Resolution reported in respect of the Air Estimates:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.


And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the Resolution relating to Navy Expenditure, 1961-62:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.
Army Expenditure, 1961-62. And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the Resolution relating to Army Expenditure, 1961-62:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Air Services Expenditure, 1961-62. And the Question being put, That this House doth agree with the Committee in the Resolution relating to Air Services Expenditure, 1961-62:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ways and Means (15th July) Report. Mr. Peel reported from the Committee of Ways and Means of the 15th day of this instant July, a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

Consolidated Fund. That, towards making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964, the sum of £3,787,264,400 be granted out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom. The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Consolidated Fund (Appropriation). Ordered, That a Bill be brought in upon the said Resolution: And that the Chairman of Ways and Means, Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Mr. Barber do prepare and bring it in.

Bill 132. Mr. Barber accordingly presented a Bill to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending on the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, and to appropriate the supplies granted in this Session of Parliament: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Weights and Measures Bill. The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Weights and Measures Bill: And the same were read.

The Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 27, line 19, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 27, line 19, the next Amendment, being read a second time; And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Lords in the said Amendment.—(Mr. Freeth):—And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

Business of the House. Ordered, That the Proceedings on consideration of the Amendments made by the Lords to the Weights and Measures Bill and of the Committee on Malaya (Gift of a Speaker’s Chair) be exempted, at this day’s Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Freeth.)

Weights and Measures Bill. The Question being again proposed, That this House doth agree with the Lords in the said Amendment to the Weights and Measures Bill:—The House resumed the adjourned Debate. And the Question being put:—It was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Lords Amendment, in page 31, line 42, the next Amendment, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 44, line 19, after “urban” insert “or rural”, the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to make good an omission in the Bill, the same was agreed to.

Then the remaining Lords Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The House, according to Order, resolved Malaya (Gift of a Speaker’s Chair).

(in the Committee.) Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that Her Majesty will give directions that there be presented, on behalf of this House, a Speaker’s Chair to the Malayan House of Representatives, and assuring Her Majesty that this House will make good the expenses attending the same.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.) Resolution to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That this House desires formally to record that the assumptions which prompted the honourable Member for Brixton to make a personal statement on the 10th day of November 1955 regarding Mr. Harold Philby were wrong and that his allegation of the 25th day of October 1955 has been justified by subsequent events.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.—(Mr. Ian Fraser.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till a quarter of an hour after Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.
[No. 150.]

Thursday, 18th July, 1963.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

A PUBLIC Petition from Carlisle for the amendment of the Protection of Animals (Anaesthetics) Act 1954 was presented and read ; and ordered to lie upon the Table.

Treasury Series (No. 49, 1963).

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Protocol signed at Paris on the 21st day of February 1962 prolonging the Agreement setting up a Preparatory Commission to study the possibilities of European Collaboration in the field of Space Research.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Food and Drugs. (Scotland).

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 11th July 1963, entitled the Food (Meat Inspection) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Coal Industry.

No. 256.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Reports of the Industrial Coal Consumers' Council and the Domestic Coal Consumers' Council for the year ended the 30th day of June 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sea Fisheries.

Draft of an Order, entitled the Grey Seals Protection (Scotland) (Suspension of Close Seasons) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Food and Drugs.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 11th July 1963, entitled the Meat Inspection Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Account of the Czecho-Slovak Refugee Fund for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963 ; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Account of the sums issued to the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food from the Consolidated Fund, of Advances made by him to the Sugar Board and of Payments to the Exchequer, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963 ; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Account of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland in respect of the functions transferred under the Northern Ireland Land Purchase (Winding-up) Act 1935, No. 287, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963 ; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Accounts be printed.

The Lords have passed a Bill, intituled, An Act to consolidate the Acquisition of Land Compensation (Assessment of Compensation) Act 1919 and certain other enactments relating to the assessment of compensation in respect of compulsory acquisitions of interests in land ; to the withdrawal of notices to treat; and to the payment of additional compensation and of allowances in connection with such acquisitions or with certain sales by agreement of interests in land; with corrections and improvements made under the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedures) Act 1949; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords on one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Land Compensation (Scotland) Bill [Lords] was read the first time ; and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow and to be printed.

Ordered, That the said Papers be printed.

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Water Resources Bill [Lords], as amended in the Standing Committee ;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 50, page 9; line 38, and the proposed Clause (Application by owner of fishing rights for revocation or variation of licence) standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Cledwyn Hughes,—(Sir Keith Joseph);

But the Question was amended, by adding, at the end thereof, the words "and in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 1, page 2, line 14, and Clause No. 12, page 12, lines 13, 15, 23, 27, 30 and 39, and page 13, lines 16, 22, 27, 34 and 35, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Cledwyn Hughes".

—(Mr. Cledwyn Hughes)

Ordered, That the Question, so amended, be put ;

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendment to Clause No. 50, page 49,
line 38, and the proposed Clause (Application by owner of fishing rights for revocation or variation of licence) standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Sir Keith Joseph, and in respect of the Amendments to Clause No. 1, page 2, line 14, and Clause No. 12, page 12, lines 12, 13, 15, 23, 27, 30 and 39, and page 13, lines 16, 22, 27, 34 and 35, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Cledwyn Hughes.

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Clause No. 1 (Functions of Ministers).
Amendment proposed, in page 2, line 14, to leave out the word "the".—(Mr. Cledwyn Hughes)

Question put, That the word "the" stand part of the Clause.
The Committee divided.
Tellers for the \( ^{\text{Mr. Ian Fraser, Yeas: 195.}} \), \( ^{\text{Mr. Hugh Rees: 161.}} \),
Tellers for the \( ^{\text{Mr. Lawson, Noes: 195.}} \), \( ^{\text{Mr. Ifor Davies: 161.}} \),
Clause agreed to.
Clause No. 50 amended and agreed to.
A Clause (Application by owner of fishing rights for revocation or variation of licence)—(Mr. Corfield)—brought up, read the first and second time, and added.
Bill, as amended, to be reported.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman of Ways and Means reported, That the Committee had made a further Amendment and added a Clause to the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal, be now taken into consideration:—The House accordingly proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Clause (Licences of right for non-statutory users)—(Mr. Corfield)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause (Consultation with authorities in Scotland)—(Mr. Corfield)—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Further provision as to water discharged from mines)—(Mr. Osborn); and the said Clause was brought up and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 24, line 25, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(c) in so far as the water is abstracted for use in any operations for the winning and working of any metal, mineral or stone and is abstracted from a disused mine or quarry formerly worked for the same metal, mineral or stone".—(Miss Vickers.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the negative.

Then another Amendment was made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 25, line 32, by inserting, after the word "land", the words "or in relation to the quantity of water extracted":—(Mr. Bullard.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 48, line 12, by inserting, after the first word "that", "(a)".—(Mr. Temple.)

And the Question being put, That "(a)" be there inserted in the Bill:—It passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 55, line 32, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words—

"(e) the extent to which, in the case of abstraction of inland water, any land on a holding for the benefit of which the abstractor has a licence for spray irrigation may suffer from flooding or water-logging as a result of conditions in the inland water from which the abstraction is made.".—(Mr. Maxwell-Hyslop.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 74, line 39, by inserting, at the end thereof, the words "to the extent to which they prohibit the use of those waters for boating or by boats which are not for the time being registered with the river authority":—(Mr. Temple.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

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And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

And it being Ten of the clock, further consideration of the Bill, as amended, stood adjourned.
Ordered. That the Proceedings on the Water Resources Bill [Lords] be exempted, at this day’s Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. Peel)

The House proceeded to take into further consideration the Water Resources Bill [Lords], as amended in the Standing Committee and on re-committal.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 119, line 35, by leaving out from the word “Board” to the word “to.”—(Mr. Cledwyn Hughes)

And the Question being proposed, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn. Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

A Schedule (Seaward Boundaries of River Authority Areas)—Mr. Corfield—was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 142, line 35, by inserting, after the word “contribute”, the words “or by any person or body (other than a person or body convening it in the course of his or their trade or business or a body of which the objects are wholly or partly political)”.—(Mr. Temple)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:—The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn. Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

A Motion being made, That the Bill be now read the third time;

Sir Keith Joseph, by Her Majesty’s Command, acquainted the House, That Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty’s interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put;

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed, with Amendments. Copies of Orders, dated 15th July 1963, entitled—

(1) the Remuneration of Teachers (Farm Institutes) Order 1963,
(2) the Remuneration of Teachers (Further Education) Order 1963, and
(3) the Remuneration of Teachers (Primary and Secondary Schools) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table. Mr. Powell also presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 12th July 1963, entitled the West Bridgford Urban District Council (Repeal of Local Enactments) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table. Vol. 218

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till two minutes after Twelve of the clock on Friday morning, adjourned till this day.
Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Public Lavatories (Turnstiles) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill, (changed to Matrimonial Causes Bill) to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have agreed to the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have agreed to the Limitation Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill, (changed to Matrimonial Causes Bill) be taken into consideration upon Monday next; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Bill, be taken into consideration upon Monday next; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the Limitation Bill be taken into consideration upon Monday next; and be printed.

Malaysia Bill.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the Malaysia Bill be taken into consideration on Monday next; and be printed.

The Order of the day being read for the Second Reading of the Malaysia Bill:

And a Motion being made, That the Bill be now read a second time:

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a second time:—The Bill was accordingly read the second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. John Hill)

Resolved, That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee:—The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 to 6 agreed to.
Schedules Nos. 1 to 3 agreed to.
Bill to be reported.
Copy of the Report of the Commission for
New Towns. Employment Bill, with Amendments; to
Bill. Contracts of The Lords have agreed to the Contracts of Employment
Peerage Bill. The Lords have agreed to the Peerage Bill,
Killingholme. The Lords have agreed to the Killingholme Jetty Bill. Jetty Bill, with Amendments; to which the
Message from Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That the Lords.
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Appropriation
Consolidated The Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) Bill
Racing Ordered, Dog Days) Bill (changed to Dog Racing (Betting
Days) Bill) be Dayi)Bimttin8 y t*1"511 ^to consideration upon

That this House, while deploring the intolerable extortion, evictions and property
profiteering which have resulted from the Rent Act 1957, and demands that Her Majesty's Government take immediate and drastic action to restore security for threatened tenants—
(Mr. Harold Wilson);
An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the words "House" to the end thereof and adding the words "while deploring any disreputable practices engaged in by some unscrupulous landlords, rejects the suggestion that these have resulted from the Rent Act 1957, and recognises that the effective remedy lies in the Government's policy to achieve a larger programme of new building and the modernisation of many more homes"—(Sir Keith Joseph),—instead thereof.
And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question;
The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right:
The Noes to the Left.
Tellers for the [Mr. Short,]
Tellers for the [Mr. Chichester-Clark,]
Noes,
Mr. Finlay:
Mr. George Rogers:
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329.

So it passed in the Negative.
And the Question being put, That the proposed words be added after the word "House" in the Main Question;
The House divided.
The Yeas to the Right:
The Noes to the Left.
Tellers for the [Mr. Chichester-Clark,]
Tellers for the [Mr. Short,]
Noes,
Mr. George Rogers:
So it was resolved in the Affirmative.
Then the Main Question, so amended, being put;
Resolved, That this House, while deploring any disreputable practices engaged in by some unscrupulous landlords, rejects the suggestion that these have resulted from the Rent Act 1957, and recognises that the effective remedy lies in the Government's policy to achieve a larger programme of new building and the modernisation of many more homes.
Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the Double Taxation Relief (Estate Duty) (France) Order 1963 be made in the form of the draft laid before this House on the 4th day of this instant July.—(Mr. Barber.)
Ordered, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty by such Members of this House as are of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council or of Her Majesty's Household.
Resolved, That the Cinematograph Films (Collection of Levy) (Amendment) No. 3) Bills. Regulations 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 2nd day of this instant July, be approved.—(Mr. David Price.)
Resolved, That the Cinematograph Films (Distribution of Levy) Regulations 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 2nd day of this instant July, be approved.—(Mr. David Price.)
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Resolved, That the Commonwealth Preference Area (Removal of West Cameroon) Order 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 3rd day of this instant July, be approved.—(Mr. David Price.)

Resolved, That the Protection of Depositors (Account Regulations) 1963, a draft of which was laid before this House on the 11th day of this instant July, be approved.—(Mr. Green.)

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the Statistics of Trade Act 1947, (Amendment of Schedule) Order 1963, be made in the form of the draft laid before this House on the 3rd day of this instant July.—(Mr. David Price.)

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty by such Members of this House as are of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council or of Her Majesty's Household.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, that this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Chichester-Clark); and the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning;

And the Question being put; Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-one minutes after Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

MEMORANDA.


In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Public Bills relating exclusively to Scotland) Mr. Speaker this day certified that, in his opinion, the provisions of the Land Compensation (Scotland) Bill [Lords] relate exclusively to Scotland.

In pursuance of paragraph (1) of the Standing Order (Chairmen of Standing Committees), Mr. Speaker this day appointed Commander Donaldson Chairman of the Scottish Grand Committee in respect of the Law Reform (Succession etc.) (Scotland) Bill [Lords].

Mr. Secretary Noble presented a Bill to confirm a Provisional Order under Section 7 of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1936, relating to the Loch Turret Water Board (Hydro-Electric Development): And the same was ordered to be taken into consideration upon Monday next and to be printed.
The Prime Minister presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Report of the Committee on the Grant of Honours, Decorations, and Medals on the Extension of an Award.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.


Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of Notes exchanged at Amman on the 25th and 27th days of April 1963 concerning a Loan by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom to the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan during the year ending on the 31st day of March 1964.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Scottish Grand Public Health (Scotland).

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report on Scottish Camps by the Scottish National Camps Association Limited for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Public Health.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of Regulations, dated 16th July 1963, entitled—(1) the Public Health (Aircraft) (Amendment) Regulations 1963, and (2) the Public Health (Ships) (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Pilotage.

Mr. Maples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Returns from Pilotage Authorities for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Iron and Steel.

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Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Scottish Grand Committee, Scottish Affairs.

Dr. King reported from the Scottish Grand Committee, that they had considered the remaining matter referred to them on the 11th day of this instant July, namely, the Modernisation of Local Government in Scotland, and had directed him to report accordingly to the House.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Message from the Lords.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

Finance Bill.

The Lords have agreed to the Finance Bill, without any Amendment.

Deer Bill.

The Lords have agreed to the Deer Bill, without any Amendment.

Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Gloucester Harbour) Bill.

The Lords have agreed to the Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Gloucester Harbour) Bill, without any Amendment.

Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Yarmouth (Isle of Wight)) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the London County Council (Money) Bill, without any Amendment.

Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Bembridge Harbour) Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Bembridge Harbour) Bill be taken into consideration upon Thursday next.

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to provide that any person of the age of eighteen years or under who is sentenced by a court of summary jurisdiction to a fine not exceeding twenty pounds shall be entitled to seven days within which to pay such fine: And that Mrs. Hart, Miss Vickers, Mr. Lubbock, and Mr. Greenwood do prepare and bring it in.

Mrs. Hart accordingly presented a Bill to provide that any person of the age of eighteen years or under who is sentenced by a court of summary jurisdiction to a fine not exceeding twenty pounds shall be entitled to seven days within which to pay such fine: And the same was read the first time; and ordered to be read a second time upon Friday next and to be printed.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the election of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for Stratford in the room of John Dennis Profumo, Esquire, O.B.E., who since his election for the said County Constituency hath accepted the Office of Steward or Bailiff of Her Majesty's Three Chiltern Hundreds of Stoke, Desborough and Burnham, in the County of Buckingham.—(Mr. Redmayne.)

The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill (Lords), as amended in the Standing Committee:

Ordered, That the Bill be re-committed to a Committee of the whole House in respect of the Amendments to Schedule No. 4, page 34, line 30, and page 35, line 19, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Roxt, and in respect of the Amendment to Schedule No. 4, page 34, line 44, standing on the Notice Paper in the name of Mr. Millan.—(Mr. Roxt). Resolution. That this House will, immediately, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the Committee.

(Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill (Lords).)

Schedule No. 4. Amendment proposed, in page 34, line 30, at the end, to insert the words—

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Provided that where the offence with which the accused is charged is an offence for which imprisonment without the option of a fine is made to the Bill, in page 2, line 31, by inserting, after the word "provide", the words "outwith and apart from adult prisons".—(Mr. Millan.)

Question put, That those words be there inserted.

The Committee divided.

Tellers for the \textit{Yeas}: Mr. Pym, Mr. MacArthur; 182.

Tellers for the \textit{Noses}: Mr. Ian Fraser; 191.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 8, line 8, by leaving out from the word "that" review each case at the end of six months his financial circumstances make him eligible and ".—(Mr. Ross.)

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 10, line 2, by leaving out paragraph (c).—(Mr. Ross.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right; 
The Noses to the Left.

Tellers for the \textit{Yeas}: Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Whitlock; 146.

Tellers for the \textit{Noses}: Mr. Pym, Mr. Ian Fraser; 191.

So it passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 7, line 8, by inserting, after the word "State ": the words "shall review each case at the end of six months and ".—(Mr. Ross.)

And the Question being proposed, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

The said proposed Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 18, line 35, by leaving out paragraph (c).—(Mr. Ross.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

The Yeas to the Right; 
The Noses to the Left.

Tellers for the \textit{Yeas}: Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Peel; 143.

Tellers for the \textit{Noses}: Mr. Hugh Rees; 181.

So it passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Mr. Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair; and the House proceeded to take the Bill into consideration.

A Clause (Deferred sentence)—(Mr. Ross) was twice read, and made part of the Bill.

Another Clause was offered to be added to the Bill (Categories of children not to be sent to an approved school)—(Mr. James Bennett); and the said Clause was brought up, and read the first time.

And a Motion being made, and the Question being put, That the Clause be read a second time:—It passed in the Negative.

Another Amendment was made to the Bill. Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 2, line 31, by inserting, after the word "provide ", the words "outwith and apart from adult prisons".—(Mr. Ross.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right; 
The Noses to the Left.

Tellers for the \textit{Yeas}: Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Whitlock; 146.

Tellers for the \textit{Noses}: Mr. Pym, Mr. Ian Fraser; 191.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 10, line 2, by inserting, after the word "made ": the words "after the passing of this Act ".—(Mr. Ross.)

And the Question being put, That those words be there inserted in the Bill:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right; 
The Noses to the Left.

Tellers for the \textit{Yeas}: Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Peel; 143.

Tellers for the \textit{Noses}: Mr. Hugh Rees; 181.

So it passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

And it being Ten of the clock, further consideration of the Bill, as amended, stood adjourned.

Ordered, That the Proceedings on Government Business be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Orders of the House. (Mr. Hughes-Young.)

The House proceeded to take into further consideration the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill [Lords], as amended in the Standing Committee.

Another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 14, line 20, by leaving out paragraph (c).—(Mr. Ross.)

And the Question being put, That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Bill:

The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right; 
The Noses to the Left.

Tellers for the \textit{Yeas}: Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Peel; 143.

Tellers for the \textit{Noses}: Mr. Hugh Rees; 181.

So it passed in the Negative.

Then other Amendments were made to the Bill.

And another Amendment was proposed to be made to the Bill, in page 18, line 35, by in-
Resolved, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that Her Majesty will give directions that there be presented, on behalf of this House, a Speaker’s Chair to the Malayan House of Representatives, and assuring Her Majesty that this House will make good the expenses attending the same.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty by such Members of this House as are of Her Majesty’s Most Honourable Privy Council or of Her Majesty’s Household.

Mr. Chichester-Clark reported from the Malay Committee on Malaya (Gift of a Speaker’s Chair), a Resolution; which was read, as followeth:

That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that Her Majesty will give directions that there be presented, on behalf of this House, a Speaker’s Chair to the Malayan House of Representatives, and assuring Her Majesty that this House will make good the expenses attending the same.

The said Resolution, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to Her Majesty by such Members of this House as are of Her Majesty’s Most Honourable Privy Council or of Her Majesty’s Household.
A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Chichester-Clark);
And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Wednesday morning;

Wednesday, 24th July, 1963:

And the Question being put:

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till thirteen minutes after Twelve of the clock on Wednesday morning, adjourned till this day.

PRAYERS.

Death Duties.
The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household reported to the House, That their Address of the 22nd day of this instant July relating to Death Duties had been presented to Her Majesty; and that Her Majesty had been pleased to receive the same very graciously and to give the following Answer:
I have received your Address praying that the Double Taxation Relief (Estate Duty) Order 1963 be made in the form of the draft laid before Parliament. I will comply with your request.

Statistics of Trade.
The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household reported to the House, That their Address of the 22nd day of this instant July relating to Statistics of Trade had been presented to Her Majesty; and that Her Majesty had been pleased to receive the same very graciously and to give the following Answer:
I have received your Address praying that the Statistics of Trade Act 1947 (Amendment of Schedule) Order 1963 be made in the form of the draft laid before Parliament. I will comply with your request.

Malaya (Gift of a Speaker’s Chair).
The Vice-Chamberlain of the Household reported to the House, That their Address yesterday relating to Malaya (Gift of a Speaker’s Chair) had been presented to Her Majesty; and that Her Majesty had been pleased to receive the same very graciously and to give the following Answer:
I have received your Address praying that I will give directions for the presentation on behalf of your House of a Speaker’s Chair to the Malayan House of Representatives, and assuring me that you will make good the expenses attending the same. It gave me the greatest pleasure to learn that your House desires to make such a presentation and I will gladly give directions for carrying your proposal into effect.
The Lords have agreed to the London County Council (Improvements) Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Clywedog Reservoir Joint Authority Bill [Lords], without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Factory Lane, Warrington (Level Crossing) Bill [Lords], without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Great Yarmouth Port and Haven Bill [Lords], without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Lucas Estate Bill [Lords], without any Amendment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to provide for the compulsory acquisition of Premises the ownership of which is disguised by local authorities or the Crown of certain premises the ownership of which is disguised by local authorities or the Crown of certain Funds left in Trust for the Reduction of the National Debt.

Mr. Speaker certified that the Bill was a Mr. Speaker's Money Bill within the meaning of the Parliament Act 1911.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. Adjournment.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till four o'clock on Thursday morning; adjourned till this day.

(No. 155.)


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

THE House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Killingholme Jetty Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Pier and Harbour Provisional Order (Bembridge Harbour) Bill: And the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The Prime Minister presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Report of the Committee on the Grant of Honours, Decorations and Medals on the Grant of the General Service Medals for operational service in Brunei.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Barber presented, by Her Majesty's National Debt Command,—Copy of Papers relative to the position on the 31st day of March 1963 of certain Funds left in Trust for the Reduction of the National Debt.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of an Agreement signed at Lisbon on the 31st day of October 1958 for the prevention of false or misleading Indications of Origin on Goods.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of an Abstract Account of the Receipts and Payments of the Queen's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer in the Administration of Estates and Treasure Trove in Scotland on behalf of the Crown in 1962, and of an Alphabetic List of Estates which fell to the Crown as Ultimus Haeres in Scotland, administered by the Queen's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer, in the same year.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 18th July 1963, entitled the Anti-Dumping Duty Order 1963 (Amendment) Order 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Niall Macpherson presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 18th July 1963, entitled the National Insurance (Non-participation—Assurance of Equivalent Pension Benefits) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Report of the National Insurance Advisory Committee on the preliminary draft of the National Insurance (Non-participation—Assurance of Equivalent Pension Benefits) Amendment Regulations 1963, in accordance with subsection (4) of Section 77 of the National Insurance Act 1946, preceded by a Statement made by the Minister of Pensions and National Insurance in accordance with subsection (5) of Section 77 of that Act.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the said Report be printed.

Commander Donaldson reported from the Scottish Grand Committee, That they had considered the Law Reform (Succession etc.) (Scotland) Bill in relation to the principle of the Bill and had directed him to make a Report thereto to the House; And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message has been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:

The Lords have agreed to the Rhodesia and Nyasaland Bill, without any Amendment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being put, That the Order made upon the 29th day of January last, relating to the London Government Bill (Allocation of Time), be supplemented as follows:—

1. The Proceedings on consideration of the Amendments made by the Lords to the London Government Bill shall be completed at this day's sitting;
2.—(1) The said Proceedings shall be exempted from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House) for one hour after Ten of the clock;
(2) Any period for which the said Proceedings are exempted under paragraph (2) of the Standing Order (Adjournment on definite matter of urgent public importance) shall be in addition to the said period of one hour;
3. On the Order being read for taking into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Bill, the Question, That the said Amendments be now taken into consideration, shall be put forthwith;
4. If, at the expiration of the period for which the said Proceedings are exempted under paragraph 2 of this Order, those Proceedings have not been completed, then for the purposes of bringing those Proceedings to a conclusion—
   (a) in the case of any Lords Amendment which has been read a second time, Mr. Speaker shall put forthwith any Question which may be necessary to dispose of any Amendment which has been proposed thereto and also the Question on any Motion, That this House doth agree with the Lords in the said Amendment, and as the case may be, in the said Amendment as amended;
   (b) all the remaining Amendments made by the Lords shall be deemed to have been read a second time, and Mr. Speaker shall designate such, if any, of those Amendments as appear to him to involve questions of Privilege and shall then forthwith—
      (i) put the Question on any Motion, That this House doth agree with the Lords in all the remaining Amendments except those designated by Mr. Speaker or, if no Amendments have been so designated, in all the remaining Amendments;
      (ii) put separately with respect to each Amendment so designated the Question on any Motion, That this House doth agree with the Lords in the said Amendment.—(Mr. Isla Macleod.)

The House divided.

Tellers for the Yeas, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Hugh Rees; Mr. George Rogers, Mr. Lawson;

So it was resolved in the Affirmative.
The Order of the day being read, for taking into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the London Government Bill;

Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the Order this day, put forthwith the Question, That the said Amendments be now taken into consideration:—And it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The House accordingly proceeded to take the said Amendments into consideration:—And the same were read.

The Lords Amendment, in page 2, line 1, leave out from beginning to "the" in line 15 and insert—

(2) If in the case of any London borough, on representations in that behalf made to the Privy Council by the Minister, Her Majesty by the advice of Her Privy Council thinks fit to grant a charter of incorporation of the inhabitants of that borough, Her Majesty may by that Charter—

(a) make provision with respect to the name of the borough; and
(b) subject to the provisions of this Act, make any provision such as may be made by virtue of section 131 of the Local Government Act 1923 by a charter granted under Part VI of that Act; and

any charter which purports to be granted in pursuance of the Royal prerogative and this subsection shall be deemed to be valid and within the powers of this Act and Her Majesty's prerogative and the validity thereof shall not be questioned in any legal proceeding whatever.

(2A) In the case of any London borough whose inhabitants are not incorporated by such a charter as is referred to in the last foregoing subsection, provision for their incorporation shall be made by the Minister by order (hereafter in this Act referred to as an incorporation order) which may include any such provision as is mentioned in paragraph (a) or (b) of that subsection.

(2B) "c, the first Amendment, being read a second time;

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Lords Amendment, in line 2 of the words inserted, by leaving out the words "in that behalf".—(Mr. Reynolds.)

And the Question being proposed, That the words "in that behalf" stand part of the said Amendment:—The said proposed Amendment to the Lords Amendment was, with leave of the House, withdrawn.

And the Lords Amendment was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 29, line 25, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 29, line 25, at end insert:—

"(10A) The Greater London Council and any of the following other councils, that is to say, the Common Council and any borough or urban or rural district council whose area lies outside but adjacent to or in the vicinity of Greater London, may enter into agreements for the provision by the Greater London Council of houses outside the London boroughs to meet the special needs of that other council, or for the provision by that other council of houses within their area to meet the needs of the Greater London Council, and for the payment in either case of such contributions as may be agreed by the council needing the houses to the council providing them", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 42, line 5, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 42, line 5, at end insert "or

(c) in relation to land in any of the areas aforesaid, without any such consent as aforesaid, if the land is used for the purposes of an industrial or commercial undertaking and is to be acquired incidentally to the removal of that undertaking from Greater London", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 48, line 4, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 48, line 4, leave out from "London" to end of line 5 and insert "or in some other local education authority's area which is contiguous with any part of Greater London, but belongs to the area of a local education authority other than the providing authority", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 54, line 21, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 54, line 21, at end insert:—

"(4) The foregoing provisions of this section shall have effect subject to section 65 of this Act.

(5) The Greater London Council shall reimburse to the council of a London borough or county district any expenses (including an adequate proportion of administrative expenses) agreed by the two councils, or in default of agreement determined by the Minister, to have been reasonably incurred by the borough or district council in the discharge of their functions in connection with a main sewer which is vested in the borough or district.
council and primarily serves the sewerage area of the Greater London Council, and any sums reimbursed by the Greater London Council under this subsection shall be treated as expenses incurred by the Council in the discharge of their functions relating to sewerage and sewage disposal", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to supply an omission in the Bill, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 85, line 20, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 85, line 40, at end insert "and any expenditure by way of contributions by that Council—

(a) whose object or primary object is to promote the welfare of children; or

(b) who are providing advice, guidance and assistance such as to promote the welfare of children by diminishing the need to receive children into or keep them in care under the Children Act 1948 or the Children and Young Persons Act 1933 or to bring children before a juvenile court," the next Amendment, being read a second time, and the Commons being willing to waive their privileges, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 78, line 19, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 78, line 19, at end insert "and any expenditure by way of contributions by that Council—

(a) by virtue of section 45(4) or 47(4) of this Act; or

(b) by virtue of section 46(3) of this Act so far as it relates to section 26(6) of the National Assistance Act 1948".

The next Amendment, being read a second time, and the Commons being willing to waive their privileges, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 85, line 20, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 85, line 20, at end insert Clause C (Compensation for injury to or death of officers), the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 85, line 40, leave out Clause No. 74 and insert Clause D (Application of Local Government Superannuation Acts), the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 94, line 15, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The second Lords Amendment, in page 94, line 15, leave out from "provision"
The Lords Amendment, in page 94, line 28, after " are " insert " or who but for any such service by them as may be so prescribed would be ", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 94, line 31, leave out " or of any instrument " and insert " this Act or of any instrument (including any agreement under section 24(7) ) ", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 94, line 28, after " are " insert " or who but for any such service by them as may be so prescribed would be ", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 94, line 31, leave out " or of any instrument " and insert " this Act or of any instrument (including any agreement under section 24(7) ) ", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 95, line 11, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 95, line 11, leave out subsection (6), the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 107, line 15, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 107, line 15, at end insert—

" 8. Any expenses incurred by the Secretary of State under this Part of this Schedule in relation to any London borough, excluding (without prejudice to section 85 of this Act) the costs of any local inquiry caused to be held by him, shall, if and to such extent as the Secretary of State so requires, be repaid to him, by the council of that borough ", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to supply an omission in the Bill, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 110, line 24, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 110, line 24, at end insert—

" (3) Any expenses incurred by the Secretary of State by virtue of paragraphs 5 to 8 of this Schedule, excluding (without prejudice to section 85 of this Act) the costs of any local inquiry caused to be held by him, shall, if and to such extent as the Secretary of State so requires, be repaid to him, by the council of that borough ", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to supply an omission in the Bill, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 160, line 38, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 160, line 38, leave out from beginning to " is " in line 43 and insert—

" (a) in relation to a dwelling completed in the financial year 1965-66—

0 that year shall be the relevant financial year; and

(ii) Part I of that Schedule shall have effect as if the words " preceding that " wherever those words occur in paragraph 1 or 2 thereof were omitted;

(b) the financial year 1965-66 shall be the earliest financial year which may be determined by the Minister under paragraph 5D of that Schedule;

(c) where the financial year 1965-66 ", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Special Entry. Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 160, line 50, at end insert—

" (2) In the said Schedule—

(a) in paragraph 1(2)—

(i) for the words ' London County Council ' there shall be substituted the words ' Greater London Council ' ;

(ii) for the words ' metropolitan boroughs and the City of London ' there shall be substituted the words ' rating areas in Greater London ' ;

(b) in paragraph 1(5), at the end there shall be added the words ' and except that it includes any rate in the nature of a general rate levied in the Inner Temple or the Middle Temple ' ;

the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Special Entry. Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 185, line 40, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 185, line 40, leave out sub-paragraph (3), the next Amendment, being read a second time; and

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Lords on the said Amendment—(Sir Keith Joseph);

And it being one hour after Ten of the clock, Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the Order this day, put forthwith the Question, That this House doth agree with the Lords in the said Amendment:—And it was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the remaining Lords Amendments were read a second time, pursuant to the Order this day.

Mr. Speaker then proceeded to designate that Amendment which appeared to him to involve a question of Privilege.

A Motion was made, That this House doth agree with the Lords in all the remaining Amendments except that designated by Mr. Speaker.—(Sir Keith Joseph);

Whereupon Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the Question put forthwith pursuant to Order this day, put forthwith the Question, That this House doth agree with the Lords in the said Amendment:—And it was resolved in the Affirmative.

The Lords Amendment, in page 194, line 7, at end insert Schedule A (Functions as from 1st April 1965 with respect to land drainage, flood prevention, etc.), the designated Amendment:
The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Income Tax.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Animals.
Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Copy of Regulations, dated 18th July 1963, entitled the Animals (Cruel Poisons) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Clean Air.
Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, Copy of Regulations, dated 22nd July 1963, entitled the Smoke Control Areas (Authorised Fuels) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Contracts of Employment Bill.
The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Contracts of Employment Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill: And the same were read.

The Lords Amendments, as far as the Amendment in page 48, line 22, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 48, line 22, at end, insert Clause A (Protection for local authorities' inspectors), the next Amendment, being read a second time, was amended, in line 1, by leaving out subsection (1), and in line 10, by leaving out the words "such an inspector" and inserting the words "an inspector appointed under section 52(1) or (5) of this Act"—instead thereof.—(Mr. MacDermot.)

And it appearing that the object of the Special Entry, Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same, so amended, was agreed to.

Then the remaining Lords Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to certain of the Amendments made by their Lordships, and to another Amendment, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.

The Land Compensation (Scotland) Bill was, according to Order, read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the whole House.—(Mr. MacArthur.)

Resolved, That this House will, upon Monday next, resolve itself into the said Committee.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The Order of the day being read, for resuming the adjourned Debate on the Question proposed upon the 21st day of June last, That the Performers' Protection Bill [Lords] be now read the third time;

And the Question being again proposed:—The House resumed the said adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put;
Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, without Amendment.

Limitation Bill.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Limitation Bill: And the same were read.

Ordered, That the consideration of the Lords Amendment in the Title, line 11, be postponed till after the consideration of the subsequent Amendments.—(Mr. Buck.)

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The postponed Lords Amendment, in the Title, line 11, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Matrimonial Causes and Reconciliation Bill (changed to Matrimonial Causes Bill); and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

Dog Racing (Appointed Days) Bill (changed to Dog Racing (Betting Days) Bill).

The House, according to Order, proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Dog Racing (Appointed Days) Bill (changed to Dog Racing (Betting Days) Bill): And the same were read.

Ordered, That the consideration of the Lords Amendment, in the Title, line 3, be postponed till after the consideration of the subsequent Amendments.—(Mr. Rees-Davies.)

Then the subsequent Lords Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

The postponed Lords Amendment, in the Title, line 3, being read a second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Chichester-Clark.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till seven minutes after Three of the clock, adjourned till Monday next.
The Lords have agreed to the Commonwealth Development Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Malaysia Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Television Bill, with Amendments; to which the Lords desire the concurrence of this House.

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Children and Young Persons Bill [Lords], without any Amendment.

Ordered, That the Amendments made by the Lords to the Television Bill be taken into consideration to-morrow; and be printed.

Wales.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House regrets the continued failure of Her Majesty's Government to take the necessary steps to provide in Wales adequate training facilities for, and encourage apprenticeships among, juveniles; to provide greater opportunities for higher education; to deal with the unemployment position among older people; to tackle the housing situation as a matter of urgency; and is of the opinion that the solution of these problems would go a long way towards ending the depopulation of the Welsh countryside—(Mr. Probert).

An Amendment was proposed to be made to the Question, by leaving out from the word "House" to the end of the Question and adding the words "takes note of the successful measures already taken to attract new industry to Wales, thus providing far greater diversification of employment opportunities; welcomes the Government's continuing expansion of the economy and the increased provision of facilities for the training of young people and adults; recognises the full contribution being made in Wales to the national expansion of university and other higher education of all types; notes the recent heartening increase in Welsh housing activity, and the further stages now envisaged in the Housing White Paper (Command Paper No. 2050); and welcomes the decision of Her Majesty's Government to carry out a long-term survey of the prospects for Wales, and to produce plans for the economic and social development of the Principality.—(Mr. Iain Macleod.)

Ordered, That the Proceedings on the Land Compensation (Scotland) Bill [Lords] and on consideration of the Amendments made by the Lords to the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Bill and to the Wills Bill be exempted, at this day's Sitting, from the provisions of the Standing Order (Sittings of the House).—(Mr. John Wynne Peyton.)

The House, according to Order, resolved Land Compensation (Scotland) Bill [Lords].

(In the Committee.)

Clauses Nos. 1 to 49 agreed to.

Schedules Nos. 1 to 4 agreed to.

Bill to be reported.
The Lords Amendment, in page 2, line 16, at end, insert—

"(3) for the purposes of the said sections 267 and 161 a loss of earnings necessarily suffered by a member of a local authority or a committee of a local authority for the purpose of enabling him to attend a conference or meeting, being earnings which he would otherwise have made, shall be treated as an expense incurred by him in attending that conference or meeting", the first Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 2, line 27, leave out from "and" to "in" and insert "the said subsection (3) shall have effect as if any reference therein to expenses incurred included a reference to any loss of earnings suffered which, by virtue of the last foregoing subsection, is to be treated as an expense incurred and ", the next Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to further the intentions of the Commons, the same was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 6, leave out lines 4 to 11 and insert—

"Where land has, before the commencement of this Act, been acquired by a local authority, and a sum was borrowed for the purpose of the acquisition, and either—

(a) the land was acquired for a purpose mentioned in subsection (2)(c) above, or (not having been so acquired) was, before the commencement of this Act, appropriated for a purpose mentioned in subsection (2)(c); or

(b) the land is, after that commencement, appropriated for such a purpose, but the commencement of this Act, appropriated for such a purpose, but the construction, extension or alteration of the works or the carrying out of the operations that constitutes the purpose for which the land was acquired or appropriated is not begun till after that commencement; or

(c) the remaining Amendment, being read a second time, and it appearing that the object of the Amendment was to provide for a case not contemplated by the Commons, the same was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the City of London (Various Powers) Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the London County Council (Improvements) Bill; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The Bath Corporation Bill [Lords] was read the third time and passed, with Amendments. Corporation Bill [Lords].

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.

The Durham County Council Bill [Lords] was read the third time and passed, with Amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.

Resolved, That the Cathedral Measure 1963, passed by the National Assembly of the Church of England, be presented to Her Majesty for Her Royal Assent in the form in which the said Measure was laid before Parliament.—(Mr. Arbuthnot.)

A Motion was made, and the Question being Adjourned, proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Finlay):

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning;

Tuesday, 30th July, 1963:

And the Question being put;

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Tuesday morning, adjourned till this day.

PRAYERS.

THE House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made by the Lords to the Felixstowe Dock and Railway Bill [Lords]; and the same were twice read, and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

The Felixstowe Dock and Railway Bill [Lords] be now read the third time;
The Chairman of Ways and Means, by Her Majesty's Command, acquainted the House, and Her Majesty, having been informed of the purport of the Bill, gives Her Consent, as far as Her Majesty's interest is concerned, that the House may do therein as they shall think fit.

And the Question being put:—

Ordered, That the Bill be now read the third time:—The Bill was accordingly read the third time, and passed, with Amendments.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the same, with Amendments; to which this House doth desire the concurrence of their Lordships.

The Loch Turret Water Board (Hydro-Electric Development) Order Confirmation Bill was, according to Order, read the third time, and passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords and desire their concurrence.

A Public Petition from Godstone for the provision of a new primary school in the village was presented and read; and ordered to lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Report by the Commonwealth Immigrants Advisory Council.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Draft Treaty banning Nuclear Weapon Tests in the Atmosphere, in Outer Space and under Water.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement on the Release of Crown Land made available to the Armed Services in Singapore.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of the First Report of the Committee on Scottish Salmon and Trout Fisheries.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Statement of Accounts of the Cinematograph Films, No. 298.

Report by the Board of Trade for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963, of the discharge of its functions under the Local Employment Act 1960 and subsection (4) of Section 14 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1947 and subsection (4) of Section 12 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1947.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 19th July 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Gravesend) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Revin presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report and Accounts of the Independent Television Authority for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Robert Carr presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Statement on Policy on the Recommendations of the Committee on Training in Public Administration for Overseas Countries.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Papers, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament, were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—


Statement of the Receipts and Payments of the Conservators of the River Medway for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Copies of Orders, dated 25th June 1963, entitled—

(1) the Supreme Court Fees Order (Northern Ireland) 1963, and
(2) the Supreme Court (Non-Contentious Probate) Fees Order (Northern Ireland) 1963.

Mr. Renton reported from the Select Committee on Standing Orders (Revision), That they had considered the matter to them referred and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House:—

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee be printed.

Mr. Fletcher reported from the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments, the Minutes of the further Proceedings of the Committee.

Ordered, That the said Minutes do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by one of their Clerks, as followeth:
The Lords have agreed to the Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Water Resources Bill (Lords), without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill (Lords), without any Amendment.

The Lords have agreed to the Amendments made by this House to one of their Amendments to the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Bill, without any Amendment.

The Lords Amendment, in page 2, line 10, was read.

The Lords Amendment, in the Title, line 10, be postponed till after the consideration of the subsequent Amendments. —(Mr. Bevins.)

The Lords Amendment, in page 2, line 10, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in the Title, line 10, being read a second time, was agreed to.

The Lords Amendment, in page 2, line 10, the first Amendment, being read a second time;

And a Motion being made, and the Question being proposed, That this House doth agree with the Lords in the said Amendment —(Mr. Iain Macleod): —And a Debate arising thereupon;

And it being Ten of the clock, the Debate stood adjourned.

The Question being again proposed, That Peerage Bill, this House doth agree with the Lords in the said Amendment to the Peerage Bill:—The House resumed the adjourned Debate.

And the Question being put: —It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Then the remaining Lords Amendments, being read a second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Lords; and acquaint them, that this House hath agreed to the Amendments made by their Lordships.

A Motion was made, and the Question being Sea Fisheries, put, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that the White Fish Authority (General Levy) (Amendment) Regulations Confirmatory Order 1963, dated 1st July 1963, a copy of which was laid before this House on the 4th day of this instant July, be annulled.—(Mr. Roy): —U 3
Mr. Secretary Noble presented, by Her Majesty's Command.—Copy of the Report of Her Majesty's Inspector of Fire Services for Scotland for 1962.

Copy of a Housing Return for Scotland, Housing dated 30th June 1963.


Mr. Secretary Noble also presented, pursuant to directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of a Scheme, dated 25th July 1963, entitled the Crofting Counties Agricultural Grants (Scotland) Scheme 1963.

Report by the Secretary of State, the Chair—Provisional man of Committees of the House of Lords, and the Chairman of Ways and Means in the House of Commons, under subsection (4) of Section 1 of the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1956, on Representations by the Life Association of Scotland.

Copies of Regulations, dated 25th July 1963, Public Health entitled—(1) the Public Health (Aircraft) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963, and (2) the Public Health (Ships) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 25th July 1963, Ratting and entitled the Aberdeen Corporation (City Rate Valuation—Partial Exemptions) (No. 2) Order 1963, with a Statement by the Secretary of State for Scotland under Section 10 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order in Council, dated 29th July 1963, relating to the restoration of retired pay to officers whose pay has been forfeited or suspended.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of a Report on Agricultural Marketing, No. 200.


Copy of an Order, dated 26th July 1963, Postal, entitled the Movement of Potatoes (Redskin Variety) Order 1963.

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The House divided.

The Yeas to the Right;

The Noes to the Left.

Tellers for the Mr. Charles Howell, Mr. Whitlock: 91.

Tellers for the Mr. Finlay, Mr. MacArthur: 143.

So it passed in the Negative.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn—(Mr. Hugh Rees):—And a Debate arising thereupon:

And the House having continued to sit till after Twelve of the clock on Wednesday morning;

Wednesday, 31st July, 1963;

And the Question having been proposed after Ten of the clock on Tuesday evening, and the Debate having continued for half an hour, Mr. Speaker adjourned the House, without a Question first put, pursuant to the Standing Order, it being then eight minutes after Twelve of the clock on Wednesday morning, till this day.

[No. 159.]


The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Bank Notes. Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of a Treasury Minute, dated 24th July 1963, relative to the Fiduciary Note Issue.

Housing. Account showing the Money issued out of the Consolidated Fund, the Capital Expenditure, and the Money borrowed and repaid by the Scottish Development Department and the Ministry of Public Building and Works, respectively, under the Housing Act, 1914 for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963; with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Drunkenness. Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, by Her Majesty’s Command,—Copy of Statistics relating to Offences of Drunkenness for 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Army (Territorial Army). Mr. Secretary Godber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Amendments (No. 101) to Regulations for the Territorial Army 1952.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.
Copy of the Report and Accounts of the Sugar Board for the year ended the 30th day of June 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Papers relating to Agricultural Marketing and Sugar be printed.

Sir Marples presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, entitled the County of Worcester (Hollies Hill Common, Broughton) (No. 2) Compulsory Purchase Order 1962, with a Certificate by the Minister of Transport under Section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945.

Copy of the Report on Roads in England and Wales for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Paper relating to Roads be printed.

Mr. Amery presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of the Reports and Statements of Accounts for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963—

(1) of the British European Airways Corporation, and
(2) of the British Overseas Airways Corporation.

Copy of the Report of the Air Transport Licensing Board for the period ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Wood presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copies of the Reports and Statements of Accounts, including Reports of Electricity Consultative Councils, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963—

(1) of the London Electricity Board,
(2) of the South Eastern Electricity Board,
(3) of the Southern Electricity Board,
(4) of the South Western Electricity Board,
(5) of the Eastern Electricity Board,
(6) of the East Midlands Electricity Board,
(7) of the Midlands Electricity Board,
(8) of the South Wales Electricity Board,
(9) of the Merseyside and North Wales Electricity Board,
(10) of the Yorkshire Electricity Board,
(11) of the North Eastern Electricity Board, and
(12) of the North Western Electricity Board.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Copies of the Reports and Statements of Gas Councils, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963—

(1) of the Scottish Gas Board,
(2) of the Northern Gas Board,
(3) of the North Western Gas Board,
(4) of the North Eastern Gas Board,
(5) of the East Midlands Gas Board,
(6) of the West Midlands Gas Board,
(7) of the Wales Gas Board,
(8) of the Eastern Gas Board,
(9) of the North Thames Gas Board,
(10) of the South Eastern Gas Board,
(11) of the Southern Gas Board, and
(12) of the South Western Gas Board.

Copy of the Report and Statement of Gas Accounts of the Gas Council for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, by Her Majesty's Command,—Copy of a Housing Return for England and Wales, dated 30th June 1963.

Sir Keith Joseph also presented, pursuant to River Boards, the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of the Report of the Mersey River Board for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Freeth presented, pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Statement regarding the salaries payable to James Cecil Campbell Stuart, Esquire, C.B.E., and Sir Leonard Owen, C.B.E., as members of the United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That there be laid before this House, a Return respecting application of the Electricity Acts 1947 and 1957 and the

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Session 1962-63 (1) in the House and in Committee of the whole House, under the following heads:

| Date when | Question before Committee when moved | Whether moved into Committee (or by whom) | Whether passed into Committee (or by whom) | Amendment withdrawn, in the case of Bills which the Select Committee reported not to be confirmed | Result of Motion made by the Select Committee in the House
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and (2) in the Standing Committees under the following heads:

- (The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means.)

Ordered. That there be laid before this House, a Return of the number of Private Bills, Hybrid Bills and Bills for confirming Provisional Orders which in Session 1962-63 were reported on by Committees on Unopposed Bills or by Committees nominated partly by the House and partly by the Committee of Selection, together with the names of the selected Members who served on each Committee; the first and also the last day of the Sitting of each Committee; the number of days on which each Committee sat; the number of days on which each selected Member served; the number of days occupied by each Bill in Committee; the Bills of which the Preambles were reported to have been proved; the Bills of which the Preambles were reported to have been not proved; and, in the case of Bills for confirming Provisional Orders, whether the Provisional Orders ought or ought not to be confirmed:

- Of all Private Bills and Bills for confirming Provisional Orders which, in Session 1962-63, were referred by the Committee of Selection to Committees on Unopposed Bills, together with the names of the Members who served on each Committee; the number of days on which each Committee sat; and the number of days on which each Member attended:

Ordered. That there be laid before this House, a Return of the number of Public Bills, Estimates and Matters considered by the Standing Committees, the number of Bills considered in relation to their principle and the number of Estimates and Matters considered by the Scottish Grand Committee, the number of Matters considered by the Welsh Grand Committee, the number of sitting of each Committee and the titles of all Bills, Estimates and Matters considered by a Committee, distinguishing where a Bill was a Government Bill or was brought from the House of Lords, and showing in the case of each Bill, the particular Committee by whom it was considered, the number of sittings at which it was considered, the number of Members present at each of those sittings and, in the case of Estimates and Matters, the number of sittings at which they were introduced into but not passed by this House, those passed by this House but not by the House of Lords, those passed by the House of Lords but not by this House, those passed by both Houses but Amendments not agreed to; and distinguishing the stages at which such Bills were dropped, postponed or rejected in either House of Parliament, or the stages which such Bills had reached by the time of the Prorogation.—(The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means.)

Public Bills.

Ordered. That there be laid before this House, a Return of the number of Public Bills, distinguishing Government from other Bills, introduced into this House, or brought from the House of Lords, during Session 1962-63, showing:

1. the number which received the Royal Assent;
2. the number which did not receive the Royal Assent; indicating those which were introduced into but not passed by
were considered and the number of Members present at each of those sittings.—(The Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means.)

Sir Godfrey Nicholson reported from the Estimates Committee, that they had agreed to a Special Report which they had directed him to make to the House, and had directed him to report so much of the Minutes of the further Evidence taken before Sub-Committee B and Sub-Committee D as had been reported to them by the Committee, together with Appendices: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report, together with the said Minutes and Appendices, do lie upon the Table.

Ordered, That the Report be printed.

Ordered, That the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Estimates Committee be printed.

Colonel Lancaster reported from the Committee on Public Petitions, That they had examined the Petitions presented upon the 20th day of June last, and the 18th and 30th days of this instant July, and had agreed to a Report which they had directed him to make to the House: And the Report was brought up and read.

Ordered, That the Report do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That a Message had been brought from the Lords by Mr. Speaker, with the House, That a Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House take note of the White Paper on the Central Organisation for Defence.—(Mr. Thorneycroft;)

A Message was delivered by Air Chief Royal Air Force, Marshal Sir George Mills, G.C.B., D.F.C., Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:

Mr. Speaker,

The Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses and to several Measures passed under the provisions of the Church of England Assembly (Powers) Act 1919, desire the immediate attendance of this Honourable House in the House of Peers, to hear the Commission read.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker, with the House, went up to the House of Peers:—And having returned;

Mr. Speaker reported, That the House, at the desire of the Lords, authorised by virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, had been at the House of Peers, where a Commission under the Great Seal was read, giving, declaring, and notifying the Royal Assent to the several Acts and Measures therein mentioned; and that the Lords, thereby authorised, had declared the Royal Assent to the said Acts and Measures, as follows:—

Central Organisation for Defence.

Food and Drugs.

Adjournment.

The House met at half an hour after Two of the clock.

PRAYERS.

A PUBLIC Petition from Westminster for enforcement of the statutory exclusion of through traffic from streets designated as street playgrounds was presented and read; and ordered to lie upon the Table.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the Customs and Excise.

Mr. Heath presented, by Her Majesty's Consular Command,—Copy of a Convention signed at Vienna on the 24th day of April 1963 on Consular Relations, with the Final Act of the Conference, Optional Protocols and Resolutions (the Convention and Protocols have not been signed by Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom).

Copy of Notes exchanged at Amman on the Treaty Series 7th and 14th days of March 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan concerning a loan by the United Kingdom to Jordan during the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Copy of the Polaris Sales Agreement signed at Washington on the 6th day of April 1963 (No. 59, 1963) between Her Majesty's Government in the United States of America.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant to the New Towns, the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copy of Reports of the Cumbernauld, East Kilbride, Glenrothes and Livingston Development Corporations for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Powell presented, pursuant to the Census, the directions of an Act of Parliament.—Copies of the Report on the Census of England and Wales, 1961.—County Reports—

(1) for Anglesey, and

(2) for Carmarthenshire, and

(3) for Denbighshire.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Speaker laid upon the Table:—

List of Bills, Reports, Estimates and Accounts and Papers printed by Order of the
Ordered, That the said Paper be printed.

The following Paper, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament, was laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:

Copy of an Order, dated 25th July 1963, entitled the Protection from Execution (Precedence of Government Business), (Precedence of Bills after Whitsuntide or Easter), and (Precedence on days other than Fridays", leave out paragraph (7), paragraph (9), leave out "fourth" and insert "fifth"; and that the Standing Orders (Precedence of Government Business), paragraph (4), leave out "fourth" and insert "fifth"; paragraph (6), leave out "two Wednesdays" and insert "four days other than Fridays", leave out paragraph (7), paragraph 9, leave out from "Fridays" to end and insert "and on such days as may be appointed by the House in respect of Motions having precedence on days other than Fridays", paragraph (9), leave out "fourth" and insert "fifth"; and that the Standing Orders (Precedence of Government Business), (Precedence of Bills after Whitsuntide or Easter), and (Notice of prayers) be repealed.—(Mr. Iain Macleod).

Ordered, That the Amendments to the Standing Orders of this House relating to Public Business and the new Standing Order, recommended by the Select Committee in their Report and stated in the Appendix thereto, be made, subject to the following modifications, namely, in the new Standing Order (Precedence of Government Business), paragraph (4), leave out "fourth" and insert "fifth"; paragraph (6), leave out "two Wednesdays" and insert "four days other than Fridays"; leave out paragraph (7), paragraph 9, leave out from "Fridays" to end and insert "and on such days as may be appointed by the House in respect of Motions having precedence on days other than Fridays"; paragraph (9), leave out "fourth" and insert "fifth"; and that the Standing Orders (Precedence of Government Business), (Precedence of Bills after Whitsuntide or Easter), and (Notice of prayers) be repealed.—(Mr. Iain Macleod)

Ordered, That Sir John Barlow, Mr. Thomas Fraser, Mr. Robinson and Mr. Turner have leave of absence to present, on behalf of this House, a Speaker's Chair to the Malayan House of Representatives.—(Mr. Iain Macleod).

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn. —(Mr. Peel.)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-seven minutes before Eleven of the clock, adjourned till to-morrow.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the Import Duties, directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 30th July 1963, entitled the Import Duties (General) (No. 7) Order 1963.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Brooke presented,—Return Experiments to an Address to Her Majesty yesterday for on Living Animals. No. 340.

Mr. Secretary Brooke also presented, Coroners pursuant to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 26th July 1963, entitled the County of Staffordshire (Coroners' Districts) (Amendment) Order 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 26th July 1963, Pensions, entitled the Increase of Pensions (Modification) (No. 4) Regulations 1963.


Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Paper relating to Experiments on Living Animals be printed.

Mr. Secretary Sandys presented, pursuant to Colonial the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Development Return of Schemes made and Loans approved under the Colonial Development and Welfare Act in the year ended the 31st day of March 1963. No. 342.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table: and be printed.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the Merchant directions of several Acts of Parliament,—Shipping. Copy of an Order in Council, dated 29th July 1963, entitled the Merchant Shipping (Certificates of Competency as A.B.) (Ghana) Order 1963.
Merchant Shipping.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 29th July 1963, entitled the Oil in Navigable Waters (Convention Countries (Dominican Republic) Order 1963.

Pacific Islands.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 29th July 1963, entitled the New Hebrides Order in Council 1963.

Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 29th July 1963, entitled the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Schedule G Amendment) Order 1963.

Rhodesia and Nyasaland Federation.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 29th July 1963, entitled the Northern Rhodesia (Native Trust Land) (Amendment No. 2) Order in Council 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Customs and Excise.

Mr. Erroll presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of Regulations, dated 26th July 1963, entitled the European Free Trade Association (Origin of Goods) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations 1963.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

London Traffic.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Standing Orders (Public Business).

No. 341.

Adjournment.

A Motion was made, and the Question being proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. Redmayne);

And it being Four of the clock, the Motion for the Adjournment of the House lapsed, without a Question being put.

Adjournment.

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Mr. MacArthur)

And accordingly the House, having continued to sit till twenty-nine minutes after Four of the clock, adjourned till Thursday the 24th day of October next, at Eleven of the clock, pursuant to the Resolution of the House of the 30th day of July last.

Thursday, 24th October, 1963.

The House met at Eleven of the clock.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker made the following communication to the House:—

I regret to have inform the House of the deaths of William Gilmour Leburn, Esquire, Member for Kinross and West Perthshire, and William Richard Williams, Esquire, Member for Openshaw, and I desire, on behalf of the House, to express our sense of the loss we have sustained and our sympathy with the relatives of the honourable Members.

Mr. Speaker acquainted the House, That he had issued, during the Adjournment, Warrants for the Election of Members to serve in this present Parliament: for Belfast, South, in the room of the Right Honourable Sir David Callander Campbell, K.B.E., C.M.G., deceased; for Kinross and West Perthshire, in the room of William Gilmour Leburn, Esquire, T.D., deceased; and for Luton, in the room of the Right Honourable Charles Hill, called up to the House of Peers.

The following Papers, presented by Her Majesty's Command and delivered to the Votes and Proceedings Office during the Adjournment, pursuant to the Standing Order (Presentation of Command Papers), were ordered to lie upon the Table:—

Copy of the Report of the Committee on Higher Education appointed by the Prime Minister under the Chairmanship of Lord Robbins (1961-63) with appendices and evidence given to the Committee.

Copy of Lord Denning's Report.

Copy of the Report of the Committee of Decimal Inquiry on Decimal Currency.

Copy of a Statement on Aid to Developing Countries.

Copy of Returns from Universities and University Colleges in receipt of Treasury Committee.

Copy of Statistics on control of Immigration for the year ended the 30th day of June 1963.

Copy of the Report of the Committee on Criminal Law Revision on Criminal Procedure (Insanity).

Copy of the Report of the Committee on Criminal Law Revision on the Order of Closing Speeches.


Copy of Protocol No. 2, signed at Strasbourg on the 6th day of May 1963, to the Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms.

Copy of Protocol No. 3, signed at Strasbourg on the 6th day of May 1963, to the Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms.

Copy of a Convention signed at Strasbourg on the 6th day of May 1963 on the reduction of cases of multiple nationality and military obligations in cases of multiple nationality.

Copy of a Convention signed at Brussels on the 13th day of December 1960 relating to cooperation for the safety of air navigation (Eurocontrol).

Copy of a Second Protocol, signed at Paris on the 23rd day of November 1962, prolonging the Agreement setting up a Preparatory Commission to study the possibilities of European collaboration in the field of space research.


Copy of an Optional Protocol of Signature signed at Geneva on the 29th day of April 1958 concerning the compulsory settlement of disputes arising from the Law of the Sea Conventions.

Copy of a Customs Convention signed at Brussels on the 8th day of June 1961 concerning facilities for the importation of goods for display or use at exhibitions, fairs, meetings or similar events.

Copy of a Customs Convention signed at Brussels on the 8th day of June 1961 on the temporary importation of professional equipment.

Copy of Second Supplementary List of Rati fications, Accessions, Withdrawals, etc., for 1963.

Copy of Notes exchanged at Ankara on the 17th day of June 1963 between Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the Government of the Republic of Turkey amending the agreement concerning financial arrangements constituted by the Notes exchanged on the 9th day of December 1960.


Copy of Notes exchanged at Rome on Treaty Series No. 67, 1963.

Copy of Notes exchanged at Kuwait Treaty Series No. 69, 1963.

Copy of Amendments to Annex I to the Treaty Series European Convention on Social and Medical Assistance and to Annex I to the European Interim Agreement on Social Security Schemes relating to old age, invalidity and survivors, signed at Paris on the 11th day of December 1953.

Copy of a Declaration of Understanding Treaty Series signed at Washington on the 24th day of April 1961 regarding the International Convention for the North-west Atlantic fisheries.

Copy of Amendments to the Convention Treaty Series signed at Stockholm on the 4th day of January 1960 establishing the European Free Trade Association.


Copy of an Agreement relating to the Kenya Coastal Kenya Coastal Strip between Her Majesty's Strips Government in the United Kingdom, His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar, the Government of Kenya and the Government of Zanzibar.


Copy of an Agreement concluded between Malaysia, Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom, the Government of the Federation of Malaysia and the Government of Singapore supplementary to the Agreement signed on the 9th day of July 1963 relating to Malaysia.

Copy of Civil Judicial Statistics for Scotland Civil Judicial Statistics (Scotland) for 1962.


Copy of the Report of the Standing Committee under the Merchandise Marks Act 1926 respecting certain Ball Bearings.

Copy of the Report of the Central Advisory Council for Education (England) concerning the education of pupils aged 13 to 16 of average and less than average ability.


Copy of the Report by the Delegates of Her Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom to the Session of the International Labour Conference held at Geneva from the 5th to the 26th days of June 1963.

Copy of Proposals for a Fixed Channel Link.

Copy of the Report and Accounts of the British Broadcasting Corporation for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Copy of a Commonwealth Telegraphs Agreement, dated 25th July 1963.

Copies of Housing Summaries, dated (1) 31st July 1963, and (2) 31st August 1963.


The following Papers, required by several Acts of Parliament to be laid before the House, and delivered to the Votes and Proceedings Office on the undermentioned dates, pursuant to the Standing Order (Presentation of Statutory Instruments), were ordered to lie upon the Table—

6th August 1963: —

(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Finsbury, Islington and St. Pancras) (Amendment) Regulations 1963, and

(2) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Holborn) (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

7th August 1963: —

Copy of Regulations, dated 30th July 1963, entitled the National Health Service (Traveling Allowances, etc.) (Scotland) Regulations 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 30th July 1963, entitled the Nurses (Regional Nurse-Training Committees) (Scotland) Order 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 31st July 1963, entitled the National Health Service (Traveling Allowances, etc.) Regulations 1963.


Copy of Regulations, dated 31st July 1963, entitled the Inland Post Amendment (No. 4) Regulations 1963.

8th August 1963: —

Copy of Regulations, dated 2nd August Customs and Excise.


9th August 1963: —

Copy of an Order, dated 1st August 1963, Pensionents, entitled the Superannuation (Prison Service) Order 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 1st August 1963, entitled the Nuclear Installations (Dangerous Occurrences) (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 1st August 1963, entitled the Rating (Charitable Institutions) Order 1963.

12th August 1963: —

London Traffic.

Copies of Regulations,—

(1) dated 31st July 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Redhill and Reigate) Regulations 1963, and

(2) dated 1st August 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (West Ham) (No. 4) Regulations 1963.

13th August 1963: —


(1) the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Gravesend) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 1963,

(2) the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Walton and Weybridge) (Amendment) Regulations 1963,

(3) the London Traffic (Prohibition of Driving) (Leyton) Regulations 1963, and


15th August 1963: —


Copies of Orders,—

(1) dated 12th August 1963, entitled the Sugar (Distribution Repayments) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 1963,

(2) dated 12th August 1963, entitled the Composite Sugar Products (Distribution Payments—Average Rates) (No. 3) Order 1963, and

(3) dated 13th August 1963, entitled the Sugar (Distribution Payments) (No. 3) Order 1963.
16th August 1963:—

Education.
Copies of Regulations, dated 8th August 1963, entitled—
(1) the Direct Grant Schools Amending Regulations 1963, and
(2) the Training of Teachers (Grant) Amending Regulations 1963.

19th August 1963:—
Copies of Regulations, dated 13th August 1963, entitled—
(1) the Protection of Depositors (Contents of Advertisements) Regulations 1963, and
(2) the Protection of Depositors (Exempted Advertisements) Regulations 1963.

20th August 1963:—
London Traffic.

Road Traffic.
Copy of an Order, dated 9th August 1963, entitled the Road Vehicles Lighting (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

Education.
Copy of Regulations, dated 13th August 1963, entitled the University and Other Awards Amending Regulations 1963.

22nd August 1963:—
London Traffic.
Copies of Regulations, dated 13th August 1963, entitled—
(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Slough) Regulations 1963,
(2) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Surrey) Regulations 1963, and
(3) the London (Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) (Amendment) (No. 7) Regulations 1963.

23rd August 1963:—
Custom and Excise.
Copy of an Order, dated 19th August 1963, entitled the Hydrocarbon Oil Duties (Drawback) (No. 3) Order 1963.

Criminal Procedure.
Copy of an Order, dated 17th August 1963, entitled the Fixed Penalty (Areas) (No. 2) Order 1963.

London Traffic.
Copies of Regulations, dated 13th August 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Lambeth) Regulations 1963, and
(2) dated 13th August 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Parking Places) Consolidation (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1963, and


Copy of Regulations, dated 14th August 1963, entitled the Road Vehicles Lighting (Amendment) Regulations 1963.

26th August 1963:—
Copy of Regulations, dated 20th August 1963, entitled the Conduct of Nursing Homes Regulations 1963.


29th August 1963:—
Copy of an Order, dated 21st August 1963, entitled the Purchase Tax Order (No. 2) Order 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 19th August 1963, entitled the Bread and Flour Regulations 1963.


30th August 1963:—

Copy of an Order, dated 27th August 1963, entitled the Import Duties (General) (No. 8) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 27th August 1963, entitled the Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 8) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 29th July 1963, entitled the Brussels (Appeal to Committee of Privy Council—Order in Council) 1963.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 29th July 1963, entitled the North Borneo (Compensation and Retiring Benefits) Order in Council 1963.


Copy of Regulations, dated 21st August 1963, entitled—
(1) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Croydon) Regulations 1963, and

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Education (Scotland). — Copy of Regulations, dated 16th September 1963, entitled the Milk (Special Designation) Regulations 1963.

Transport. — Copy of an Order, dated 10th September 1963, entitled the British Transport Commissioner (Continuation No. 4) Order 1963.

Wages Councils. — Copy of an Order, dated 16th September 1963, entitled the Baking Wages Council (Scotland) (Abolition) Order 1963.

London Traffic. — Copies of Regulations,—

(5) dated 13th September 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (West Ham) (Amendment) Regulations 1963, and

25th September 1963: —

Copy of Regulations, dated 16th September 1963, entitled the Milk (Special Designation) Regulations 1963.


(1) the Parking Places (Holborn) (No. 1, 1960) (Amendment No. 4) Order 1963, and
(2) the Parking Places (Holborn) (No. 1, 1961) (Amendment No. 2) Order 1963.


26th September 1963: —

Copy of Regulations, dated 18th September 1963, entitled the Seed Potatoes (Scotland) Regulations 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 18th September 1963, entitled the Seed Potatoes (Scotland) Regulations 1963.

27th September 1963: —

Copy of an Order, dated 20th September 1963, entitled the Anti-Dumping (No. 1) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 24th September 1963, entitled the Import Duties (General) (No. 9) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 24th September 1963, entitled the Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 9) Order 1963.

30th September 1963: —

Copy of Regulations, dated 23rd September 1963, entitled the National Insurance (Modification of the Metropolitan Police Staffs Superannuation Provisional) Regulations 1963.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 27th September 1963, entitled the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland Order in Council 1963.

1st October 1963: —


2nd October 1963: —

Copy of an Order, dated 23rd September 1963, entitled the Uncertified Redskin Potatoes (Scotland) Order 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 25th September 1963, entitled the Coal and Other Mines (Quarries, Managers and Officials) (Variation) Regulations 1963.

3rd October 1963: —

Copies of Orders in Council, dated 27th September 1963, entitled—

(1) the Basutoland, Bechuanaland and Swaziland (High Commissioner) Order 1963.
(2) the Bechuanaland (Bamangwato Succession) (Amendment) Order 1963.
(3) the Bechuanaland Protectorate (Constitution) (Amendment) Order 1963.
(4) the Gambia (Constitution) (Amendment) Order in Council 1963, and
(5) the Swaziland (Her Majesty's Commissioner) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 27th September 1963, entitled the Copyright (International Conventions) (Amendment) Order 1963.

Copy of an Order in Council, dated 27th September 1963, entitled the Greenwich Hospital (Education and Maintenance of Children) Order 1963.

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Copy of an Order in Council, dated 27th September 1963, entitled—
(1) the Merchant Shipping (Registration of Colonial Government Ships) Order 1963, and
(2) the Shipowners' Liability (Colonial Territories) Order in Council 1963.


Copies of Regulations,—
(1) dated 1st October 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting) (Caterham and Warlingham) (No. 2) Regulations 1963,
(2) dated 2nd October 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prohibition of Waiting and Loading) (Restriction) (Amendment) (No. 8) Regulations 1963, and
(3) dated 8th October 1963, entitled the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (St. Marylebone) (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

Copies of Regulations,—
(1) dated 26th September 1963, entitled the Motor Vehicles (Construction and Use) Regulations 1963, and
(2) dated 1st October 1963, entitled the Public Service Vehicles (Conditions of Fitness) (Amendment) Regulations 1963.


Copy of Rules, dated 8th October 1963, entitled the Superannuation (Public Offices) (Amendment) Rules 1963.

Copies of Orders, dated 9th October 1963, entitled—
(1) the Sugar (Distribution Payments) (No. 5) Order 1963,
(2) the Sugar (Distribution Repayments) (Amendment) (No. 4) Order 1963, and
(3) the Composite Sugar Products (Distribution Payments—Average Rates) (No. 5) Order 1963.

15th October 1963:—
Copy of Regulations, dated 4th October 1963, entitled the National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1963.

Copy of Regulations, dated 9th October 1963, entitled the National Health Service (General Dental Services) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1963.

17th October 1963:—

18th October 1963:—
Copies of Regulations, dated 10th October 1963, entitled—
(1) the Measuring Instruments (Liquid Fuel and Lubricants) Regulations 1963,
(2) the Weights and Measures Regulations 1963, and
(3) the Weights and Measures (Local Standards: Limits of Error) Regulations 1963.

Copy of an Order, dated 15th October 1963, entitled the Isles of Scilly (Housing) (Amendment) Order 1963.

21st October 1963:—
Copy of an Order, dated 15th October 1963, entitled the Bulb Diseases (Isles of Scilly) (Revocation) Order 1963.

22nd October 1963:—

23rd October 1963:—
Copies of Orders, dated 21st October 1963, entitled—
(1) the Sugar (Distribution Payments) No. 6 Order 1963,
(2) the Sugar (Distribution Repayments) (Amendment) (No. 5) Order 1963, and
(3) the Composite Sugar Products (Distribution Payments—Average Rates) (No. 6) Order 1963.

Copies of Regulations, dated 11th October 1963, entitled—
(1) the London Traffic (Prohibition of Driving) (Harrow) Regulations 1963,
(2) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Lambeth) (No. 2) Regulations 1963, and
(3) the London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (Lambeth) (No. 3) Regulations 1963.

Mr. Green presented, by Her Majesty's Local Authority Command,—Copy of a Statement on Local Authority Borrowing.

Mr. Green also presented, pursuant to the Bank Note and Currency Note Issue Acts, the following Orders in Council, dated 14th and 23rd August 1963, relative to the Fiduciary Note Issue.
Statements of Guarantees given by the
Treasury—
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loan to be made to the State of Malta by the
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(2) on the 20th day of September 1963 on a
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Statement of a Guarantee given by the
Transport on the 3rd day of September 1963 on a
loan proposed to be raised by the British
Railways Board.
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table; and that the Papers relating to Bank Notes, Colonial Loans and Transport
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Mr. Secretary Brooke presented, pursuant
to the directions of a Measure,—Copy of the
Report of the Church Commissioners for Eng-
land with Accounts and Resolutions for the
year ended the 31st day of March 1963.
Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Ramsden presented, pursuant
to the directions of several Acts of Parlia-
ment,—Copies of Amendments (Nos. 31 and
32) to the Army Emergency Reserve
Regulations 1956.

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Regulations for the Territorial Army 1952.
Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Sandsys presented, pursuant
to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Account of the Sums issued to the Government
of Malta out of the Consolidated Fund under
Section 1 of the Malta (Reconstruction) Act
1947, in respect of Expenses incurred by that
Government in making good War Damage and in carrying out Works in connection with
general Reconstruction and Planning for the
year ended the 31st day of March 1962.
Ordered, That the said Account do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Secretary Fraser presented, pursuant
to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copy of an Order, dated 28th August 1963, amend-
ing the Regulations appended to Her Maj-
esty's Orders, dated 19th December 1956, 21st June 1957, 10th January and 14th Nov-
ember 1958, 16th December 1959, and 17th February 1961, and included in a volume entitled the Queen's Regulations and Air
Council Instructions for the Royal Air Force
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Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Secretary Noble presented, pursuant
to the directions of several Acts of Parliament,—
Copies of the Report on the Census of Scot-
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Copies of the Report on the Census of Census
Scotland, 1961—Statistics concerning Popu-
lation, Dwellings and Households—
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Copy of the Report by the Accountant to Educa-
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Report by the Secretary of State for Scot-
land of his Proceedings under the General
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cello)),
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(13) No. 438 (University of Aberdeen
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(14) No. 439 (University of St. Andrews
No. 61) Regulations for Degrees in
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Copies of Reports as to the Statistics and Universities
State of the Finances of the Universities of the (Scotland).
Aberdeen, Edinburgh, Glasgow, and St.
Andrews, for the year ended the 31st day of
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Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Rippon presented, pursuant to the College
directions of several Acts of Parliament,—
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College of Science and Technology, Glasgow, under the style of the University of Strathclyde.

Copy of a Scheme made by St. Edmund Hall, Oxford, for administering certain funds of the College.

Copies of Statutes,—
(1) made by the University of Oxford on the 21st day of May 1963 amending the Statutes of the University,
(2) made by the University of Oxford on the 4th day of June 1963 amending the Statutes of the University,
(3) made by the Governing Body of Balliol College, Oxford, on the 23rd day of May 1963 amending the Statutes of the College, and
(4) made by the Governing Body of Exeter College, Oxford, on the 27th day of May 1963 amending the Statutes of the College.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Heath presented, pursuant to the directions of a Statutory Instrument,—Account of the sums recovered under Article 9 of the Clothing Industry Development Council (Dissolution) Order 1952 and of their disposal for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Account do lie upon the Table; and be printed.

Mr. Soames presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Report of the Agricultural Land Commission for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table: and that the Paper relating to the Agricultural Land Commission be printed.

Mr. Barber presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Copies of the Report on the Census of England and Wales, 1961—County Reports—
(1) for Bedfordshire,
(2) for Essex,
(3) for Hertfordshire,
(4) for Kent,
(5) for Surrey, and
(6) for Warwickshire.

Ordered, That the following Papers be printed:
(1) in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly, Devon, Gloucestershire, Somerset and Wiltshire,
(2) in Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Somerset and Oxfordshire,
(3) in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly, Devon, Gloucestershire, Somerset and Wiltshire,
(4) in Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Somerset and Oxfordshire,
(5) in Norfolk and East and West Suffolk,
(6) in Cambridgeshire, Huntingdonshire, the Isle of Ely, Lincolnshire (Parts of Holland, Parts of Kesteven and Parts of Lindsey) and Rutland, and
(7) in Herefordshire and Shropshire.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.

Mr. Marples presented, pursuant to the Port of London Quarries for 1962. Copy of the Report of the Port of London Authority, with Accounts, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1963.

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(4) of the Salary payable to a Member of the British Waterways Board, and
(5) of the Pension payable to a Member of the British Waterways Board.

Ordered, That the said Papers do lie upon the Table.


Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

Sir Keith Joseph presented, pursuant to the directions of an Act of Parliament,—Summary of Returns made to the Minister of Housing and Local Government of the Income and Expenditure of Local Authorities in England and Wales for the year ended the 31st day of March 1962.

Ordered, That the said Paper do lie upon the Table.

The following Papers were laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the House:—

Return to an Order made upon the 31st day of July last for a Return relating to Adjournment Motions under S.O. 126 (Adjournment on definite matter of urgent public importance).

Return to an Order made upon the 31st day of July last for a Return relating to Adjournment Motions under S.O. 126 (Adjournment on definite matter of urgent public importance).

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day of July last for a Return relating to
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day of July last for a Return relating to
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The following Papers, pursuant to the direc­
tions of several Acts of Parliament, were also
laid upon the Table by the Clerk of the
House:

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Justice of Northern Ireland on the 3rd day
of September 1963, entitled the Mental
Patients’ Affairs (Amendment) Order
(Northern Ireland) 1963.

Ordered. That the Papers relating to Public
Bills and Standing Committees be printed.

New Members
sworn.

Angus Edmund Upton Maude, Esquire,
Member for Stratford, was sworn.

Rafael John Pounder, Esquire, Member for
Belfast, South, was sworn.

Anthony Neil Wedgwood Benn, Esquire,
Member for Bristol, South-East, made the
Affirmation required by Law.

A Motion was made, and the Question
being proposed, That this House do now adjourn:—(Mr. Redmayne): —And a Debate arising
thereupon;

Mr. William Hamilton rose in his place and
claimed to move, That the Question be now put; but Mr. Speaker withheld his assent and
declined then to put that Question:—Then the
House resumed the Debate.

A Message was delivered by Air Chief
Marshal Sir George Mills, G.C.B., D.F.C.,
Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod:

Mr. Speaker,
The Lords, authorised by virtue of Her
Majesty’s Commission, for proroguing the
present Parliament, desire the immediate
attendance of this Honourable House in the
House of Peers, to hear the Commission read:
Accordingly Mr. Speaker, with the House,
went up to the House of Peers, where Her
Majesty’s Most Gracious Speech was delivered
to both Houses of Parliament by the Lord
High Chancellor (in pursuance of Her
Majesty’s Command), as followeth:—

My Lords and Members of the House of Com-
mmons:

It was a great joy to My Husband and to
Me to visit Australia and New Zealand again
and to see the splendid progress made since our
previous visit 10 years ago. On my outward
journey I was able to spend a short time in Fiji.

My Husband and I were glad to welcome
the King and Queen of the Belgians, the King
and Queen of the Hellenes, and the President
of India on their visits to this country.

My Government have maintained their sup­
port for the United Nations and its Agencies
and have worked for the achievement of the
In the pursuit of general and complete disarm­
ament they have been encouraged by the
Treaty banning nuclear tests in the atmo­
sphere, in outer space and under water which
has now entered into force. They hope that
this agreement will be followed by others
helping to reduce international tension.

My Government have continued to play an
active part in the international organisations
of which the United Kingdom is a member.
My Armed Forces, and the regional defence
organisations to which the United Kingdom
belongs, have helped to maintain peace and
stability in many parts of the world.
My Government were quick to respond to India’s
request for assistance to help to meet Chinese
attacks.

My Government deeply regretted the inter­
ruption of the negotiations for the accession of the United Kingdom to the Treaties of Paris
and Rome. They have continued to work for
a wider European unity. They have proposed
that the work of the Western European Union
and the Council of Europe should be further
developed, and have continued their efforts to
strengthen the European Free Trade Associa­
tion.

My Government joined with the Govern­
ment of the Federation of Rhodesia and
Nyasaland, the Governments of Southern and
Northern Rhodesia and observers from the
Government of Nyasaland in a Conference on
the dissolution of the Federation. There was
full agreement that arrangements should be
made for the orderly and speedy transfer of
Federal responsibilities to the territorial
Governments. The necessary enabling legisla­
tion has been passed. A date has been
announced for the proposed independence
of Nyasaland.

My Government welcomed the achievement
of independence by North Borneo (now named
Sabah), Sarawak and Singapore when they
joined the States of the Federation of Malaya
in Malaysia. My Government particularly
welcomed the Report by the Secretary-General
of the United Nations confirming that popular
support for Malaysia existed in Sabah and
Sarawak.

Agreements have been reached on constitu­
tional advance in the Bahamas, British Hon­
duras and the Gambia, and My Government
have outlined the form which they consider the
new Swaziland Constitution should take.
Dates for the proposed independence of
Kenya, Malta and Zanzibar have been an­
nounced. Aden has acceded to the Federation
of South Arabia.

My Government have continued to work
through the General Agreement on Tariffs and
Trade for the freer flow of international trade
with particular regard for the needs of the
developing countries. The power of the Com­
monwealth Development Corporation to in­
vest in some Commonwealth countries has been
extended.
A Treaty of Commerce, Establishment and Navigation between the United Kingdom and Japan has entered into force.

Members of the House of Commons:

I thank you for the provision which you have made for the public services.

My Lords and Members of the House of Commons:

Through their fiscal, monetary and other economic policies, My Government have laid the foundations for a faster rate of economic expansion and growth in real incomes. They have participated in the work of the National Economic Development Council and have welcomed the important contribution of the National Incomes Commission to this objective. A wide range of special measures has been taken to stimulate employment in Scotland, North-East England and in the development districts in other parts of the country. Steps have been taken to increase considerably the facilities for the retraining in building and engineering of workers displaced by industrial change.

The strength of sterling has been maintained and My Government have continued to play a leading part in the growing international co-operation on monetary affairs.

An Act has been passed enabling hereditary peerages to be disclaimed and admitting hereditary peeresses and all Scottish peers to the House of Lords.

My Government have announced their intention to adapt the agricultural support system to present needs within the principles of the Agriculture Acts of 1947 and 1957. They are engaged in consultations on measures to secure greater stability in the market for cereals and fatstock. Several forms of new or improved assistance to agriculture have been provided. My Government have taken steps to secure freedom to extend United Kingdom fishing limits.

A further large expansion of the teacher training colleges has been undertaken. Support for advanced study and scientific research in the universities is increasing substantially with the growth of Exchequer grants through the University Grants Committee, and has been further increased by extra assistance from the Research Councils. An Act has been passed to provide means of determining teachers' salaries in England and Wales until 1965.

Plans for the development of the health and welfare services of local authorities in England and Wales have been laid before you. Measures have been enacted to promote the welfare of children and to secure the health, safety and welfare of persons employed in shops and offices.

Acts have been passed to reorganise local government in Greater London and to provide for the comprehensive management of the water resources of England and Wales.

Legislation has prescribed minimum periods of notice for the termination of employment and has required employers to provide written statements of terms of employment.

The period for which the Independent Television Authority provide television services has been extended to 1976 and the powers and duties of the Authority have been amended.

Legislation has been passed improving the law relating to criminal justice in Scotland, revising the arrangements for paying grants to Scottish local authorities and amending the law relating to education in Scotland.

A Consumer Council has been established, the Weights and Measures legislation has been modernised and extended, and an Act has been passed to regulate the soliciting of deposits from the public.

An Act has been passed increasing substantially the penalties for provoking disorder in public places or at public meetings.

War pensions and the pensions of retired public servants have been increased, pensions and other benefits under the National Insurance and Industrial Injuries Schemes have been raised and national assistance scales have been improved.

My Lords and Members of the House of Commons:

I pray that the blessing of Almighty God may attend you.

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read.

Parliament prorogued.

After which the Lord Chancellor said:

My Lords and Members of the House of Commons:

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's Name and in obedience to Her Majesty's Commands, prorogue this Parliament to Tuesday the twelfth day of November, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Three, to be then here helden: and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued until Tuesday, the twelfth day of November, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Three.
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FINIS.