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LEGISLATURE OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR:

HIS EXCELLENCY SIR JAMES MITCHELL, K.C.M.G.

THE MINISTRY.

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| Minister for Employment, Child Welfare, and Industrial Development | Hon. JAMES JOSEPH KENNEALLY, M.L.A. |
| Honorary Minister ... | Hon. WILLIAM HENRY KITSON, M.L.C. |

* Resigned 16th March, 1935.

Reconstructed on 26th March, 1935.

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| Minister for Agriculture and the North-West ... | Hon. FRANK JOSEPH SCOTT WISE, M.L.A. |
| Honorary Minister ... | Hon. WILLIAM HENRY KITSON, M.L.C. |

COMMITTEES.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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Library.—The President, Hon. C. F. Baxter and Hon. G. Fraser.

Printing.—The President, the Honorary Minister, and Hon. W. J. Mann

House.—The President, Hon. J. Cornell, Hon. E. H. Gray, Hon. V. Hamersley, and Hon. G. W. Miles.

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Standing Orders.—Mr. Speaker, the Chairman of Committees, Mr. Doney, Hon. W. D. Johnson, and Mr. J. H. Smith.

House.—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Lambert, Mr. McLarty, Mr. Stubbs, and Mr. Wilson.

Printing.—Mr. Speaker, Mr. J. MacCallum Smith, and Mr. Withers.

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THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

FIFTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FOURTH SESSION.

President: HON. SIR JOHN WATERS KIRWAN, Kt.B.

Chairman of Committees: HON. JAMES CORNELL.

| Member. | Province. | Year of Election. | Year of Retirement. |
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| Angelo, Hon. Edward Houghton ... | North | 1934 | 1940 |
| Baxter, Hon. Charles Farquharson ... | East | 1932 | 1938 |
| Bolton, Hon. Leonard Burlington ... | Metropolitan | 1932 | 1936 |
| Clydesdale, Hon. Alexander McAllister, M.B.E. | Metropolitan-Suburban | 1932 | 1938 |
| Cornell, Hon. James | South | 1930 | 1936 |
| §Craig, Hon. Leslie | South-West | 1934 | 1936 |
| Drew, Hon. John Michael | Central | 1930 | 1936 |
| ¶Elliott, Hon. Charles George | North-East | 1934 | 1938 |
| **Franklin, Hon. James Thomas, C.M.G. | Metropolitan | 1934 | 1940 |
| Fraser, Hon. Gilbert | West | 1934 | 1940 |
| †Gray, Hon. Edmund Harry | West | 1932 | 1938 |
| Hall, Hon. Edmund Henry Hartley ... | Central | 1934 | 1940 |
| †Hamersley, Hon. Vernon | East | 1934 | 1940 |
| Holmes, Hon. John Joseph | North | 1932 | 1938 |
| Kirwan, Hon. Sir John Waters, Kt.B. | South | 1932 | 1938 |
| Kitson, Hon. William Henry | West | 1930 | 1936 |
| Macfarlane, Hon. James Mortimer ... | Metropolitan-Suburban | 1930 | 1936 |
| Mann, Hon. William Joseph | South-West | 1932 | 1938 |
| Miles, Hon. Geo. W. | North | 1930 | 1936 |
| †Moore, Hon. Richard Greenslade ... | North-East | 1932 | 1936 |
| Moore, Hon. Thomas | Central | 1932 | 1938 |
| †Nicholson, Hon. John, O.B.E. | Metropolitan | 1932 | 1938 |
| Parker, Hon. Hubert Stanley Wyborn, D.S.O., V.D. | Metropolitan-Suburban | 1934 | 1940 |
| Piease, Hon. Harold Vivian | South-East | 1932 | 1938 |
| Seddon, Hon. Harold | North-East | 1934 | 1940 |
| Thomson, Hon. Alexander | South-East | 1931 | 1936 |
| Tuckey, Hon. Hobart | South-West | 1934 | 1940 |
| Williams, Hon. Charles Bennett ... | South | 1934 | 1940 |
| Wittenoom, Hon. Charles Horne ... | South-East | 1934 | 1940 |
| Yelland, Hon. Herbert John, B.Sc. (Agric.) | East | 1930 | 1936 |

† Temporary Chairmen of Committees.

‡ Elected 28th October, 1932, in place of the Hon. F. W. Allsop, deceased.

§ Elected 21st January, 1934, in place of the Hon. J. Ewing, deceased.

¶ Elected 17th March, 1934, in place of Hon. E. H. Harris, deceased.

** Declared elected by the Court of Disputed Returns on 21st November, 1934. The seat was held by James George from 12th May, 1934, to 21st November, 1934.

THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Speaker: HON. ALEXANDER HUGH PANTON.*Chairman of Committees:* JOSEPH BERTRAM SLEEMAN.

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| †Boyle, Ignatius George ... | Avon |
| Brockman, Edward Vernon ... | Sussex |
| Clothier, Robert Ernest ... | Maylands |
| Collier, Hon. Philip ... | Boulder |
| *Coverley, Aubrey Augustus Michael ... | Kimberley |
| Cross, Charles ... | Canning |
| Cunningham, Hon. James ... | Kalgoorlie |
| Doney, Victor ... | Williams-Narrogin |
| Ferguson, Hon. Percy Douglas ... | Irwin-Moore |
| *Fox, Thomas ... | South Fremantle |
| Hawke, Albert Redvers George ... | Northam |
| †Hegney, James ... | Middle Swan |
| Holman, Mary Alice ... | Forrest |
| Johnson, Hon. William Dartnell ... | Guildford-Midland |
| Keenan, Hon. Norbert, K.C. ... | Nedlands |
| Kennally, Hon. James Joseph ... | East Perth |
| Lambert, George James ... | Yilgarn-Coolgardie |
| Latham, Hon. Charles George ... | York |
| Mann, James Isaac ... | Beverley |
| Marshall, William Mortimer ... | Murchison |
| McDonald, Robert Ross, LL.B. ... | West Perth |
| McLarty, Duncan Ross ... | Murray-Wellington |
| Millington, Hon. Harold ... | Mt. Hawthorn |
| Moloney, John Daniel ... | Subiaco |
| Munsie, Hon. Selby Walter ... | Hannans |
| Needham, Edward ... | Perth |
| North, Charles Frederick John ... | Claremont |
| Nulsen, Emil ... | Kanowna |
| Panton, Hon. Alexander Hugh ... | Leederville |
| Patrick, William ... | Greenough |
| Raphael, Howard Stirling ... | Victoria Park |
| Rodoreda, Aloysius Joseph ... | Roebourne |
| Sampson, Richard Stanley ... | Swan |
| Seward, Harrie Stephen ... | Pingelly |
| Sleeman, Joseph Bertram ... | Fremantle |
| Smith, Frederick Charles Leo ... | Brown Hill-Ivanhoe |
| Smith, James MacCallum ... | North Perth |
| †Smith, John Henry ... | Nelson |
| Stubbs, Sydney ... | Wagin |
| Thorn, Lindsay ... | Toodyay |
| Tonkin, John Trezise ... | North-East Fremantle |
| Troy, Hon. Michael Francis ... | Mt. Magnet |
| Wansbrough, Arthur William ... | Albany |
| Warner, Frederick Lytton ... | Mt. Marshall |
| ††Watts, Arthur Frederick ... | Katanning |
| Welsh, Frank Robert ... | Pilbara |
| Willcock, Hon. John Collings ... | Geraldton |
| Wilson, Arthur Alan ... | Collie |
| Wise, Hon. Frank Joseph Scott ... | Gascoyne |
| †Withers, Frederick James ... | Bunbury |

* Mr. A. A. M. Coverley was returned at the general election to represent Kimberley, but on the ground of an irregularity in the nomination, the Court of Disputed Returns declared the election void and ordered another election to take place. Mr. Coverley was again elected on the 29th July, 1933. † Temporary Chairmen of Committees.

† Elected 4th May, 1935, in place of Mr. H. A. C. Griffiths, who died on 23rd March, 1935. ** Elected 4th May, 1935, in place of Hon. A. McCallum, resigned. †† Elected on 31st August, 1935, in place of Mr. A. E. Piesse, who died on 21st July, 1935.

PUBLIC STATUTES OF THE SESSION (40).

FIFTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FOURTH SESSION.

Adelphi Hotel Act (26 Geo. V., No. 26)—

An Act to extend the time for making application for a publican's general license under the Licensing Act, 1911, in respect of certain premises in course of erection and to be known as the Adelphi Hotel, and to amend certain conditions of the provisional certificate relating thereto. Introduced by Mr. Tonkin, 19th November, 1935. Assent given.

Appropriation Act (26 Geo. V., No. 38)—

Introduced by the Treasurer (Hon. P. Collier), 21st November, 1935. Assent given.

Brands Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 18)—

An Act to amend the Brands Act, 1904-1932. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. F. J. S. Wise), 22nd August, 1935. Assent given.

Bulk Handling Act (26 Geo. V., No. 40)—

An Act relating to the bulk handling of wheat by Co-operative Bulk Handling, Ltd. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 27th November, 1935. Assent given.

Bunbury Racecourse Railway Discontinuance Act (26 Geo. V., No. 2)—

An Act to authorise the discontinuance of the operations of the Bunbury racecourse railway and for other purposes relating thereto. Introduced in the Council by the Chief Secretary (Hon. J. M. Drew), 1st August, 1935. Assent given.

Cremation Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 8)—

An Act to amend Section 4 of the Cremation Act, 1929, and to make provision in the said Act for the disposal of the ashes of dead human bodies after cremation and for other relative purposes. Introduced by Mr. Hawke, 13th November, 1934, and lapsed in the Council. Was reinstated in the Council on the 10th September, 1935. Assent given.

Droving Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 14)—

An Act to amend the Droving Act, 1902. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. F. J. S. Wise), 22nd August, 1935. Assent given.

Financial Emergency Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 19)—

An Act to amend the Financial Emergency Act, 1934, and to make certain provision in relation to superannuation allowances affected by the said Act. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 23th September, 1935. Assent given.

Financial Emergency Tax Act (26 Geo. V., No. 23)—

An Act to impose and fix the rate of a tax to be called the Financial Emergency Tax upon income, salary and wages. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 11th September, 1935. Assent given.

Forests Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 9)—

An Act to amend Section 41 of the Forests Act, 1918. Introduced by the Minister for Forests (Hon. P. Collier), 1st August, 1935. Assent given.

Fremantle (Skinner street) Disused Cemetery Act Amendment (26 Geo. V., No. 5)—

An Act to amend the Fremantle (Skinner-street) Disused Cemetery Amendment Act, 1931. Introduced by Mr. Sleeman, 22nd August, 1935. Assent given.

Health Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 16)—

An Act to amend the Health Act Amendment Act, 1933 (No. 2). Introduced by the Minister for Health (Hon. S. W. Munzie), 8th October, 1935. Assent given.

Industrial Arbitration Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 6)—

An Act to amend Sections 6 and 21 of the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1912-1925. Introduced in the Council by the Honorary Minister (Hon. W. H. Kitson), 13th August, 1935. Assent given.

Industrial Arbitration Act Amendment Act (No. 2) (26 Geo. V., No. 31)—

An Act to make special provision in the Industrial Arbitration Act, 1912-1935, for the hearing and determination by the Court of Arbitration of certain matters relating to the employment of certain Government officers, and for other purposes. Introduced by the Minister for Water Supplies (Hon. H. Millington), 12th November, 1935. Assent given.

Industries Assistance Act Continuance Act (26 Geo. V., No. 11)—

An Act to continue the operation of the Industries Assistance Act, 1915. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 25th September, 1935. Assent given.

Land Tax and Income Tax Act (26 Geo. V., No. 7)—

An Act to impose a land tax and an income tax. Introduced by the Treasurer (Hon. P. Collier), 11th September, 1935. Assent given.

Limitation Act (26 Geo. V., No. 35)—

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to the limitation of time for commencing actions and suits. Introduced by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willecock), 12th November, 1935. Assent given.

Loan Act (26 Geo. V., No. 30)—

An Act to authorise the raising of a sum of £2,627,000 by loan for the construction of certain public works and other services and the reappropriation of certain loan moneys. Introduced by the Treasurer (Hon. P. Collier), 29th October, 1935. Assent given.

Lotteries (Control) Continuance Act (26 Geo. V., No. 24)—

An Act to continue the operation of the Lotteries (Control) Act, 1932-1934. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 6th November, 1935. Assent given.

Metropolitan Whole Milk Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 27)—

An Act to amend and to continue the operation of the Metropolitan Whole Milk Act, 1932. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. F. J. S. Wise), 2nd October, 1935. Assent given.

Mortgagees' Rights Restriction Act, 1931, Continuance Act (26 Geo. V., No. 22)—

An Act to continue the operation of the Mortgagees' Rights Restriction Act, 1931. Introduced in the Council by the Honorary Minister (Hon. W. H. Kitson), 13th August, 1935. Assent given.

Native Flora Protection Act (26 Geo. V., No. 37)—

An Act to provide for the protection of the native flora of Western Australia. Introduced by Mr. Sampson, 3rd October, 1935. Assent given.

Northern Australia Survey Agreement Act (26 Geo. V., No. 3)—

An Act to authorise the co-operation of the State with the Commonwealth and the State of Queensland in a geophysical survey of certain areas in the northern parts of Australia and for other relative purposes. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 22nd August, 1935. Assent given.

Pearling Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 20)—

An Act to amend the Third Schedule to the Pearling Act, 1912-1932. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. F. J. S. Wise), 23rd August, 1935. Assent given.

Plant Diseases Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 10)—

An Act to amend the Plant Diseases Act, 1914-1933. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 5th December, 1934. Lapsed in the Council. The Bill was reinstated in the Council on the 4th September, 1935. Assent given.

Public Service Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 28)—

An Act to amend the Public Service Act, 1904. Introduced by the Minister for Water Supplies (Hon. H. Millington), 12th November, 1935. Assent given.

Public Service Appeal Board Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 29)—

An Act to amend the Public Service Appeal Board Act, 1920. Introduced by the Minister for Water Supplies (Hon. H. Millington), 12th November, 1935. Assent given.

Railway Classification Board Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 33)—

An Act to make provision in the Railways Classification Board Act, 1920, for the enforcement of awards and decisions of the Railways Classification Board. Introduced by the Minister for Railways (Hon. J. C. Willecock), 27th November, 1935. Assent given.

Reserves Act (26 Geo. V., No. 32)—

An Act relating to certain reserves. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 6th November, 1935. Assent given.

Road Closure Act (26 Geo. V., No. 34)—

An Act for the closure of certain roads and of portions of certain roads. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 12th December, 1935. Assent given.

Rural Relief Fund Act (26 Geo. V., No. 17)—

An Act to provide for a fund to be called "The Rural Relief Fund" and to make provision for the administration of that fund by trustees; to enable the trustees to issue stay orders to farmers where no voluntary arrangement has been come to between a farmer and his creditors under the Farmers' Debts Adjustment Act, 1930-1934; to amend the said Act, and for other relative purposes. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 22nd August, 1935. Assent given.

St. George's Court Act (26 Geo. V., No. 25)—

An Act to divest certain lands from the registered proprietors thereof and to make provision for vesting the same in the City of Perth for the purpose of a street and public highway, and for other purposes incidental thereto. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 6th November, 1935. Assent given.

Supply Acts (26 Geo. V., Nos. 1, 12)—

No. 1.—£2,200,000. Introduced 6th August, 1935. Assent given.

No. 2.—£1,500,000. Introduced 22nd October, 1935. Assent given.

Supreme Court Act (26 Geo. V., No. 36)—

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to the Supreme Court. Introduced by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willecock), 12th November, 1935. Assent given.

Tenants, Purchasers, and Mortgageors' Relief Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 15)—

An Act to continue the operation of the Tenants, Purchasers, and Mortgageors' Relief Act, 1930. Introduced by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 22nd August, 1935. Assent given.

Traffic Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 39)—

An Act to amend the Traffic Act, 1919-1931. Introduced by the Acting Minister for Works (Hon. H. Millington), 28th August, 1935. Assent given.

Trustees' Powers Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 4)—

An Act to amend the Trustees' Powers Act, 1931. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 22nd August, 1935. Assent given.

Wiluna Water Board Further Loan Guarantee Act (26 Geo. V., No. 18)—

An Act to authorise the Treasurer of the State to guarantee on behalf of the Wiluna Water Board repayment of the principal sum and interest of a further loan proposed to be raised by the said Board. Introduced by the Acting Minister for Works (Hon. H. Millington), 23rd October, 1935. Assent given.

Workers' Homes Act Amendment Act (26 Geo. V., No. 31)—

An Act to amend the Workers' Homes Act, 1911. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 25th September, 1935. Assent given.

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PUBLIC BILLS OF THE SESSION (22).

Introduced but not passed.

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Betting (Control) Bill—

A Bill to legalise, regulate and control betting. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by Mr. Marshall, 10th October, 1935. Defeated on the second reading, 30th October, 1935.

Builders' Registration Bill—

A Bill relating to the qualification and regulation of builders; to constitute a board in relation thereto, and for other purposes connected therewith. Lapsed in the Legislative Council in the previous session and reinstated on the 20th August, 1935. Second reading passed, and in the Committee stage on the 23rd October, 1935, the Chairman was moved out of the Chair. The Bill thus lapsed.

Constitution Acts Amendment Act, 1899, Amendment Bill—

A Bill to amend the Constitution Acts, 1899. Introduced in the Legislative Council by the Chief Secretary (Hon. J. M. Drew), 31st October, 1935. Received in the Assembly, 5th December, 1935. Not further proceeded with.

Constitution Acts Amendment Act, 1899, Amendment Bill—

A Bill to amend Section 35 of the Constitution Acts Amendment Act, 1899. Introduced in the Legislative Council by the Chief Secretary (Hon. J. M. Drew), 7th August, 1935. Referred to a select committee and report presented on 30th October. On motion by the Chief Secretary the Bill was laid aside on the 31st October, 1935.

Constitution Acts Amendment Bill—

A Bill to amend Section 15 of the Constitution Acts Amendment Act, 1899, as amended by the Acts No. 31 of 1911 and No. 40 of 1934, and Sections 16 and 17 of the first-mentioned Act. Introduced in the Legislative Council by Hon. J. Cornell, 21st November, 1935. Bill withdrawn, 12th December, 1935.

Divorce Act Amendment Bill—

A Bill to further amend the law relating to divorce and matrimonial causes. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by Mr. Fox, 25th September, 1935. Received in the Council, 22nd October, 1935. Read a second time and entered the Committee stage on the 13th November, 1935. Not further proceeded with.

Electoral Bill—

A Bill to amend and consolidate the law relating to Parliamentary elections. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 11th September, 1935. Received in the Council, 23rd October, 1935. The Bill was returned to the Assembly with a schedule of 62 amendments and a message was sent to the Council stating that the Assembly could not concur in the amendments because of the many drastic alterations in the principles of the Bill. The message was received by the Council on the 12th December, 1935, and the Bill was not further proceeded with.

Entertainments Tax Assessment Act Amendment Bill—

A Bill to amend Section 9 of the Entertainments Tax Assessment Act, 1925. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by Mr. Ferguson, 22nd October, 1935. The second reading was moved on the 6th November, and continued on the 13th November, 1935. The Bill was not further proceeded with.

Factories and Shops Act Amendment Bill—

A Bill to amend the Factories and Shops Act, 1920. Introduced in the Legislative Council by the Honorary Minister (Hon. W. H. Kitson), 13th August, 1935. Defeated on the second reading, 11th September, 1935.

Judges' Retirement Bill—

A Bill to provide for the retirement of Judges of the Supreme Court, and to provide for their pensions on such retirement; to amend the Supreme Court Ordinance, 1861, and the Constitution Act, 1889; and for other purposes consequent thereon and incidental thereto. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 22nd August, 1935. Received in the Council, 10th September, 1935. Defeated on the second reading, 24th September, 1935.

Land and Income Tax Assessment Act Amendment Bill—

A Bill to amend Section 9 of the Land and Income Tax Assessment Act, 1907-1931. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by Mr. Sampson, 30th October, 1935. Defeated on the second reading, 13th November, 1935.

Land Tax and Income Tax Act Amendment Bill (No. 2)—

A Bill to amend Section 2 of the Land Tax and Income Tax Act, 1935. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by Mr. Sampson, 30th October, 1935. Order discharged, 13th November, 1935.

Legal Practitioners Act Amendment Bill—

A Bill to provide for the keeping of trust accounts by legal practitioners; to constitute a legal practitioners' guarantee fund; and to amend Sections 3, 6, and 15 of the Legal Practitioners Act, 1893. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 12th November, 1935. Received in the Council, 28th November, 1935. Defeated on the second reading, 17th December, 1935.

Marketing of Eggs Bill—

A Bill to make provision for the marketing, sale and disposal of eggs and for other relative purposes. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by Mr. Fox, 30th October, 1935. Passed the second reading, but in the Committee stage, Clause 3, relating to the appointment of marketing boards, was struck out. The Bill was not further proceeded with.

Mining Act Amendment Bill—

A Bill to further amend the Mining Act, 1904. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by Mr. Marshall, 11th September, 1935. Defeated on the second reading on the 26th November, 1935.

Motor Accidents Compensation Bill—

Introduced by Mr. MacCallum Smith, 24th October, 1935. Not further proceeded with.

Reduction of Rents Act Continuance Bill—

A Bill to continue the operation of the Reduction of Rents Act, 1931. Introduced in the Legislative Council by the Honorary Minister (Hon. W. H. Kitson), 13th August, 1935. Defeated on the second reading, 23rd October, 1935.

State Transport Co-ordination Act Amendment Bill—

A Bill to amend the State Transport Co-ordination Act, 1933. Introduced in the Legislative Council by Hon. A. Thomson, 12th September, 1935. Received in the Assembly, 12th November, 1935. Defeated on the second reading, 11th December, 1935.

Western Australian Turf Club (Private) Act Amendment Bill—

A Bill to amend the Western Australian Turf Club (Private) Act, 1892. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by Mr. Tonkin, 2nd October, 1935. Defeated on the third reading, 14th November, 1935.

Wheat and Wheat Products Bill—

Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 5th December, 1935. Not further proceeded with.

Workers' Homes Act Amendment Bill (No. 1)—

A Bill to amend the Workers' Homes Act, 1911. Introduced in the Legislative Assembly by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 25th September, 1935. Second reading moved 1st October, 1935. Not further proceeded with.

Workers' Homes Act Amendment Bill (No. 3)—

A Bill to amend the Workers' Homes Act, 1911-1920. Introduced in the Legislative Council by Hon. J. Cornell, 17th October, 1935. Received in the Assembly, 13th November. Ruled out of order, 28th November, 1935.

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