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LEGISLATURE OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

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ı	Baxter, Hon. Charles Farquharson	East	1926	1932	
2	Brown, Hon. John Reid	North-East	1924	1930	
3	Cornell, Hon. James	South	1924	1930	
4	Drew, Hon. John Michael	Central	1924	1930	
5	Ewing, Hon. John	South-West	1924	1930	
6	Franklin, Hon. James Thomas, C.M.G.	Metropolitan	1928	1934	
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10	Hall, Hon. Edmund Henry Hartley	Central	1928	1934	
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12	Harris, Hon. Edgar Henry	North-East	1926	1932	
13	Holmes, Hon. Joseph John	North	1926	1932	
14	Kempton, Hon. George Adam	Central	1926	1932	
15	Kirwan, Hon. John Waters	South	1926	1932	
16	Kitson, Hon. William Henry	West	1924	1930	
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21	Nicholson, Hon. John	Metropolitan	1926	1932	
29	Rose, Hon. Edwin	South-West	1928	1934	
23	Saw, Hon. Athelstan John Henton, M.A., M.D., F.R.C.S.E.	Metropolitan-Suburban	1928	1934	
24	Seddon, Hon. Harold	North-East	1928	1934	
25	Stephenson, Hon. Henry Alfred	Metropolitan-Suburban	1924	1930	
26	Stewart, Hon. Hector, M.C.E	South-East	1924	1930	
27	Williams, Hon. Charles Bennett	South	1928	1934	
28	Wittencom, Hon. Charles Horne	South-East	1928	1934	
29	Wittencom, Hon. Sir Edward Horne, K.C.M.G.	North	1928	1934	
3 0	Yelland, Hon. Herbert John, B.Sc. (Agric.)	East	1924	1930	

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* Elected 7th November, 1928, in place of Thomas John Heron, deceased.

*** 21 3rd November, 1928, in place of E. B. Johnston, resigned 3rd October, 1928.

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PUBLIC STATUTES OF THE SESSION (44).

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT-THIRD SESSION.

Agricultural Bank Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 32)-

An Act to amend Section 16 of the Agricultural Bank Act, 1908. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 12th December, 1928. Assent given.

Appropriation Act (19 Geo. V., No. 37)-

Introduced by the Minister for Railways (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 12th December, 1928, Assent given.

Bunbury Electric Lighting Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 14)-

An Act to amend the Bunbury Electric Lighting Act, 1911. Introduced by Mr. Withers, 13th September, 1928. Assent given.

Coal Mines Regulation Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 44)-

An Act to amend the Coal Mines Regulation Acts, 1902-1926. Introduced by the Minister for Mines (Hon. S. W. Munsie), 28th August, 1928. Assent given.

Dog Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 24)-

An Act to amend the Dog Act, 1903. Introduced by Mr. Lindsay, 23rd August, 1928. Assent given.

Dried Fruits Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 8)-

An Act to amend the Dried Fruits Act, 1926. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 23rd August, 1928. Assent given.

Education Act (19 Geo. V., No. 33)-

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to public education. Introduced in the Legislative Council by the Chief Secretary (Hon. J. M. Drew), 14th August, 1928. Assent given.

Electoral Districts Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 25)-

An Act to make provision for the better representation of the people of Western Australia in Parliament. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 25th August, 1928. Assent given.

Electric Light and Power Agreement Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 3)-

An Act relating to the supply of electric current in the Bayswater and Melville Road Districts. Introduced by the Minister for Railways (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 23rd August, 1928. Assent given.

Feeding Stuffs Act (19 Geo. V., No. 15)-

An Act relating to the sale of feeding stuffs for stock. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 23rd August, 1928. Assent given.

Fertilisers Act (19 Geo. V., No. 10)-

An Act to make better provision for regulating the sale of fertilisers. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 23rd August, 1928. Assent given.

Forests Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 13)-

An Act to continue the operation of Section 41 of the Forests Act, 1914, as amended by the Forests Acts Amendment Acts, 1924 and 1927. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 6th September, 1928. Assent given.

Group Settlement Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 34)-

An Act to amend the Group Settlement Act, 1925. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F Troy), 12th September, 1928. Assent given.

Harbour and Jetties Act (19 Geo. V., No. 38)-

An Act to amend the law relating to the liability of owners of ships for damage to harbours and jetties and works connected therewith. Introduced in the Legislative Council by the Honorary Minister (Hon. W. H. Kitson), 20th November, 1928. Assent given.

Industries Assistance Act Continuance Act (19 Geo. V., No. 5)-

An Act to continue the operation of the Industries Assistance Act, 1915. Introduced by the Minister for Lands (Hon. M. F. Troy), 13th September, 1928. Assent given.

Jury Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 12)-

An Act to amend the Jury Act, 1928. Introduced by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 23rd October, 1928. Assent given.

Kojonup Cemetery Act (19 Geo. V., No. 31)-

An Act to vest in the Kojonup District Road Board lots C, D, E, and F, for the purpose of a public cemetery. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 12th December, 1928. Assent given.

Kulja Eastward Railway Act (19 Geo. V., No. 6)-

An Act to authorise the construction of a railway from Kulja eastward. Introduced by the Minister for Works (Hon. A. MacCallum), 5th September, 1928. Assent given.

Lake Grace-Karlgarin Railway Act (19 Geo. V., No. 23)-

An Act to authorise the construction of a railway from Lake Grace to Karlgarin. Introduced by the Minister for Works (Ron. A. MacCallum), 28th November. Assent given.

Land Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 40)-

An Act to amend the Land Act, 1898. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 26th September, 1928. Assent given.

Land Tax and Income Tax Act (19 Geo. V., No. 16)-

An Act to impose a land tax and an income tax. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 17th October, 1928. Assent given.

Licensing Act Amendment Act (No. 1), (19 Geo. V., No. 27)-

An Act to continue the operation of Part V. of the Licensing Act and to amend Sections 73 and 97. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 21st November, 1928. Assent given.

Licensing Act Amendment Act (No. 2), (19 Geo. V., No. 41)-

An Act to amend Section 98 of the Licensing Act, 1911. Introduced by Mr. Mann, 12th December, 1928. Assent given.

Loan Act (19 Geo. V., No. 36)-

An Act to authorise the raising of a sum of four million eight hundred thousand pounds by loan for the construction of certain public works and other services and the reappropriation of certain loan moneys. Introduced by the Minister for Railways (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 12th December, 1928. Assent given.

Municipal Council of Collie Validation Act (19 Geo. V., No. 2)-

An Act to render valid certain acts done by the Municipal Council of Collie otherwise than in its correct name. Introduced in the Legislative Council by the Chief Secretary (Hon. J. M. Drew), 7th June, 1928. Assent given.

Navigation Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 9)-

An Act to amend Section 31 of the Navigation Act, 1904. Introduced in the Legislative Council by the Honorary Minister (Hon. W. H. Kitson), 15th August, 1928. Assent given.

Pearling Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 7)-

An Act to amend the Pearling Acts, 1912-1924. Introduced in the Legislative Council by the Honorary Minister (Hon. W. H. Kitson), 15th August, 1928. Assent given.

Police Offences (Drugs) Act (19 Geo. V., No. 11)-

An Act to regulate the manufacture, sale, possession, distribution, and supply of opium and certain other dangerous drugs and for other purposes connected therewith. Introduced by the Minister for Police (Hon. H. Millington), 23rd August, 1928. Assent given.

Poor Persons Legal Assistance Act (19 Geo. V., No. 43)-

An Act to make provision for granting legal assistance to poor persons. Introduced by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 22nd November, 1928. Assent given.

Quarry Railway Extension Act (19 Geo. V., No. 21)-

An Act to authorise the construction of a railway to extend the Fremantle harbour works quarry railway to North Fremantle location 79, and for other purposes incidental thereto. Introduced by the Minister for Works (Hon. A. McCallum), 23rd October, 1928. Assent given.

Railways Discontinuance Act (19 Geo. V., No. 18)-

An Act to authorise the discontinuance of certain railways. Introduced by the Minister for Railways (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 19th September, 1928. Assent given.

Reserves Act (19 Geo. V., No. 29)-

An Act to change the purpose of and otherwise relating to certain reserves. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 28th November, 1928. Assent given.

Road Closure (No. 1), (19 Geo. V., No. 19)-

An Act to close portion of Queen Street, Fremantle, and to enable the Fremantle Municipal Council to sell and dispose of such portion. Introduced in the Legislative Council by Hon. E. H. Gray, 14th November, 1928. Assent given.

Roads Closure (No. 2), (19 Geo. V., No. 30)-

An Act for the closure of portions of certain roads. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 28th November, 1928. Assent given.

Road Closure (No. 3), (19 Geo. V., No. 42)-

An Act for the closure of a road on the endowment lands of the City of Perth. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 19th December, 1928. Assent given.

Road Districts Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 28)-

An Act to amend Section 160 of the Road Districts Act, 1919. Introduced by Mr. Latham, 24th October, 1928. Assent given.

Stamp Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 22)-

An Act to continue the operation of certain provisions in the Second Schedule to the Stamp Act, 1921, relating to duty on conveyances on the sale of property. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 21st November, 1928. Assent given.

Supply Acis (19 Geo. V., Nos. 1, 4, 20)-

No. 1, £1,910,500. Introduced 7th August, 1928. Assent given.

No. 2, £1,250,000. Introduced 12th September, 1928. Assent given.

No. 3, £1,000,000. Introduced 21st November, 1928. Assent given.

Town Planning and Development Act (19 Geo. V., No. 39)-

An Act relating to the planning and development of land for urban, suburban, and rural purposes. Introduced by the Minister for Works (Hon. A. McCallum), 26th September, 1928. Referred to select committee, 16th October. Assent given.

Water Boards Act Amendment (19 Geo. V., No. 26)-

An Act to amend the Water Boards Act, 1904. Introduced by the Minister for Agricultural Water Supplies (Hon. J. Cunningham), 18th September, 1928. Assent given.

Wheat Bags Act (19 Geo. V., No. 17)-

An Act to provide for the branding of wheat bags. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 26th September, 1928. Assent given.

Workers' Homes Act Amendment Act (19 Geo. V., No. 35)-

An Act to amend the Workers' Homes Act, 1911. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 23rd August, 1928. Assent given.

PRIVATE STATUTE OF THE SESSION (1).

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT-THIRD SESSION.

Texas Company (Australasia) Limited, Act-

An Act to grant to the Texas Company (Australasia) Limited, powers and provisions for the storage and supply of oil, liquid fuel, petroleum spirits, kerosene and petroeum products, and for other purposes. Introduced by Mr. Rowe, 27th November, 1928. Assent given.

PUBLIC BILLS OF THE SESSION (16).

Introduced but not passed.

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT-THIRD SESSION.

Abattoirs Act Amendment Bill-

A Bill to amend the Abattoirs Act, 1909. Introduced by the Minister for Agriculture (Hon. H. Millington), 28th August, 1928. Received in the Council, 20th September. Returned to the Assembly with an amendment which was not agreed to by the Assembly. The Council requested a conference which was granted. The Conference failed to arrive at an agreement.

City of Perth Superannuation Fund Bill-

A Bill to empower the City of Perth to establish a superannuation fund for its employees. Introduced by Mr. Mann, 23rd August, 1928. Received in the Council, 3rd October. Referred to a select committee 23rd October, and report presented 6th November. Chairman of Committees moved out of the Chair on motion by Hon. J. T. Franklin, 5th December.

Cremation Bill-

A Bill to regulate cremation. Introduced by Mr. North, 8th November, 1928. Second reading moved 5th December. Not further proceeded with.

Electoral Act Amendment Bill-

A Bill to amend the Electoral Act, 1907, for the purpose of providing for joint rolls of Commonwealth and Legislative Assembly electors. Introduced by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 23rd August, 1928. Received in the Council 19th September. Second reading moved 20th September and continued to the 15th November. Not further proceeded with.

Health Act Amendment Bill-

A Bill to amend the Health Act, 1911. Introduced by the Minister for Public Health (Hon. S. W. Munsie), 16th October, 1928. Received in the Council, 18th December and second reading moved by the Honorary Minister (Hon. W. H. Kitson). Not further proceeded with.

Hospital Fund Bill-

A Bill to establish a hospital fund and for the administration thereof. Introduced by the Minister for Public Health (Hon. S. W. Munsie), 16th October, 1928. Received in the Council, 6th December. Passed second reading and referred to select committee, 18th December. Select committee reported, 19th December. Bill reached the committee stage on 20th December, when on motion by Hon. A. Lovekin progress was reported and the Bill lapsed.

Hospital Fund (Contributions) Bill-

A Bill to impose and fix the rate of contributions to the hospital fund. Introduced by the Minister for Public Health (Hon. S. W. Munsie), 19th December, 1928. Received in the Council, 19th December. Not further proceeded with.

Land Agents Bill-

A Bill to amend the law relating to the licensing of land agents, to provide for the regulation of land salesmen and for other relative purposes. Introduced by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 6th September, 1928. Read a second time and referred to a select committee. Received in the Council and read a first time, 19th December. Not further proceeded with.

Lunacy Act Amendment Bill-

A Bill to amend the Lunacy Acts, 1903-1920. Introduced in the Council by the Chief Secretary (Hon. J. M. Drew), 18th October, 1928. Received in the Assembly 30th October, and read a second time 27th November. The debate was continued on the 4th December, but was not further proceeded with.

Municipal and Road Districts Electoral Bill-

A Bill to amend the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1906, and the Road Districts Act, 1919, relating to the qualification of electors, and to abolish plural voting. Introduced by the Minister for Works (Hon. A. MacCallum), 26th September, 1928. Received in the Legislative Council, 28th November. Second reading moved 6th December and defeated on an amendment to read the Bill six months later.

Permanent Reserve (King's Park) Bill-

A Bill to enable the King's Park Board to lease portion of Reserve 1720 (the King's Park). Introduced in the Legislative Council by Hon. A. Lovekin, 4th September. Passed through second reading and committee stages. Discharged 16th October.

Profiteering Prevention Bill-

A Bill for the prevention of profiteering and for other incidental purposes. Introduced by the Minister for Justice (Hon. J. C. Willcock), 6th September, 1928. Received in the Council 30th October. Second reading moved 30th October, and defeated on the 13th November.

Road Districts Act Amendment Bill-

A Bill to amend Division (3) of Part V. of the Road Districts Act, 1919. Introduced by Mr. Sampson, 29th November, 1928. Second reading moved 6th December. Not further proceeded with.

State Trading Concerns Act Amendment Bill-

A Bill to amend the State Trading Concerns Act, 1916. Introduced by the Minister for Works (Hon. A. MacCallum), 4th December, 1928. Received in the Council 18th December. Defeated on the second reading 19th December.

Traffic Act Amendment Bill-

A Bill to amond the Traftic Acts, 1919 and 1926. Introduced by the Premier (Hon. P. Collier), 2nd August, 1928. Not further proceeded with.

Whaling Bill-

A Bill to regulate whaling and the business of the treatment of the carcases of whales for the purpose of obtaining commercial products therefrom, and to impose a royalty on whales taken in or brought into Western Australian waters, and for other relative purposes. Introduced in the Council by the Honorary Minister (Hon. W. H. Kitson), 15th August, 1928. Defeated on second reading 2nd October.

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