

The Speaker's Room

House of Assembly

8th January, 1929 .

The Honourable

The Minister for Lands.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward you herewith a copy of a letter from the Office-Keeper (Mr. Debnam), complaining against the conduct of the Parliamentary Gardener towards him, and also a letter bearing the Gardener's signature, which was left in Mr. Debnam's living room without the latter knowing by whom it was placed there.

With regard to the letter signed by the Gardener, I feel that correspondence such as this should not be allowed to pass between officers and Heads of Department.

I desire to draw your attention to the statement of the Office-Keeper that he found the Gardener on the House of Assembly premises asserting an officer of the Hydro-Electric Department, and when questioned as to why he did not make inquiries for the Office-Keeper he replied that he would "come and go as he wished".

I would also draw your attention to the statement of the Office-Keeper that the Gardener entered the Office-Keeper's quarters whilst the latter was having tea, and without even knocking at the door.

In forwarding the above letters I refrain from offering any comment on the extraordinary conduct of the Gardener and leave it to you as the Minister controlling this officer to take such action as may seem necessary for the protection of the Office-Keeper in carrying out his duties.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Speaker.

House of Assembly

Hobart. 11th January, 1929.

Messrs Page, Hodgman, Seager & Doyle

Solicitors

Macquarie Street

Hobart.

Sirs,

I have the honour to forward you a voucher herewith for the refund of the unexpended portion of the sum of One hundred Pounds paid by you into the Treasury, on account of the Promoters of the Roman Catholic Church Property Disposal Bill, 1928 (Private). Please sign the voucher and return to me in order that I may forward it to the Treasury for payment.

The expenses in connection with the Bill are as follow:-

Members Fees	£10-0-0
Shorthand Reporter's Account	2-18-6
Government Printer's Account-	
371 copies of Bill	£7-9-6
280 copies of Report	9-13-6
Charges (Standing Order No. 295): Report	10-10-0
2 hours sitting of the Committee @ 10/6	1-1-0

£41-12-6

leaving balance in favour of the Promoters of £58-7-6.

I have the honour to Be

Sirs,

Your obedient Servant,

H. J. ...
Clerk of the House.

Messrs Page, Hodgman, Senger & Doyle
Solicitors, Macquarie Street.

8-29

House of Assembly

The Roman Catholic Church Property
Disposal Bill, 1928 (Private)

Jan. 11

To re-imbusement of the unexpended portion of
the sum of One Hundred Pounds deposited in
the Treasury in connection with the Roman Cath-
olic Church Property Disposal Bill, 1928 (Private)

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House of Assembly

Robert, January 11, 1929.

P. J. Spratt, Esquire

Under Treasurer.

Sir,

I have the honour to furnish for your information the following Statement of the expenditure in connection with "The Roman Catholic Church Property Disposal Bill, 1928 (Private):-

Members Fees	£10- 0-0
Shortland Reporter's Account	2-18-6
Government Printer's Account -	
371 copies of Bill	27- 9-6
280 copies of Report	9-13-6
Charges (Standing Order No. 295): Report	17- 3-0
2 hours sitting of the Committee @ 10/6	10-10-0
	1- 1-0
	£41-12-6

leaving balance in favour of the Promoters of £58-7-6.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

W. M. P. ...
 Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 12, 1929.

The Honourable

The Chief Secretary.

Sir,

I have the honour to request that the sum of Twenty Pounds (£20) may be provided upon a Governor-in-Council Authority for the Financial Year, 1928-29, under the heading of "House of Assembly, Stationery, Stores, etc.", the amount voted by Parliament being insufficient to meet outstanding claims.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 11, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House.-

The following Papers to be bound and lettered

"Library of Parliament":-

The Argus- July to September, 1928
Do. October to December, 1928.

The Examiner- July to December, 1928.

Tasmanian Government Gazette- July to December, 1928.

The Mercury- July to December, 1928.

H. M. [Signature]
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 14, 1929.

The Acting-Director of
Public Works.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House.-

Pipe in lavatory to be repaired.

Blind in Telephone Room to be repaired.

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 16, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for Mr. Harriott, M.H.A.-

One copy of "The Animal and Birds
Protection Act, 1928".

Clerk of the House.

Approved

Treasurer.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 17, 1929.

P.C. Best, Esq. M.H.A.

Delesaine.

Dear Sir,

I find that I have not yet received your receipt for payment as Member for November last and as this is required for audit purposes, I should be glad if you would send the enclosed form and return the same to me at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

W. McPherson

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Robert. January 18, 1929.

The Under Treasurer

The Treasury.

Sir,

I have the honour to furnish for your information the following Statement of the expenditure in connection with the Equity Trustees Company Bill, 1928 (Private):-

Members Fees	£12-10-0
Shorthand Reporter's Account	6- 6-0
Government Printer's Account	
280 copies of Report- £21-2-6	
681 copies of Bill- 21-4-6	42- 7-0
Charges (Standing Order No. 295): Report	10-10-0
3 hours sitting of the Committee @ 10/6	1-11-6
	£73- 4-6

leaving balance in favour of the Promoters of £26-15-6.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

H. M. G. G. G.

Clerk of the House.

House of Commons,

Robert. January 13, 1929.

Messrs Martin, & Hobbins, Shields & Heritage

Solicitors

55 Patterson Street

Leicester.

Sirs,

I have the honour to forward you a voucher herewith for the refund of the unexpended portion of the sum of One Hundred Pounds paid by you into the Treasury on account of the Promoters of the Equity Trustees Company Bill, 1928 (Private). Please sign the voucher as "claimant" and "recipient" and return to me in order that I may forward it to the Treasury for payment.

The expenses in connection with the Bill are as follow:-

Members Fees	£12-10-0
Shorthand Reporter's	6- 6-0
Government Printer's Account	42- 7-0
280 copies of Report, 221-2-6	}
621 copies of Bill, 221-4-6	
Charges (Standing Order No. 295): Report	10-10-0
3 Hours sitting of the Committee @ 10/6	1-11-6

£73- 4-6

leaving balance in favour of the Promoter of £26-15-6.

I have the honour to be

Sirs,

Your obedient Servant,

W. M. Pherson

Clerk of the House.

Messrs. Martin & Hotham, Shields &
 Heritage
 Solicitors. Launceston.

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House of Assembly

The Equity Trustees Company Bill
 1928 (Private)

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Jan. 18

To reimbursement of the unexpended portion
 of the sum of One Hundred Pounds deposited
 in the Treasury in connection with the Equity
 Trustees Company Bill, 1928 (Private).

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House of Assembly

Hobart. January 18, 1929.

The Honourable

The Minister for Lands and Works.

Sir,

By direction of Mr. Speaker I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th inst. relating to the conduct of the Gardener of the Parliamentary Reserve, and informing Mr. Speaker that the Gardener has tendered his resignation.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,


Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 21, 1929.

P. J. Strutt, Esquire

Under Treasurer.

Sir,

I have the honour to furnish for your information a Statement of the Expenditure in connection with the passage through Parliament of the North Mount Lyell and Macquarie Harbour Railway Bill, 1928 (Private):-

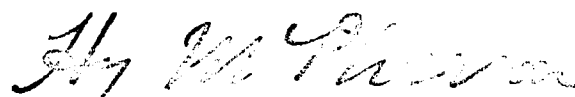
Members' Fees	£83-11-8
Advertisement in "Advocate"	1- 1-0
Reporters' Fees and Expenses	13- 7-6
Government Printer's Account-	
280 copies of Report	£17-0-0
621 copies of Bill	5-2-6
Charges (Standing Order No. 295): Report	22- 2-6
12 hours sitting of the Committee	10-10-0
	6- 6-0
	£136-18-8

Under the Guarantee which I hold from Messrs Butler, McIntyre & Butler, to be responsible for any expenses over and above the £100 paid into the Treasury on 20th August last, I am writing to them for a cheque for the balance owing by the Promoters, viz. £36-18-8, which I shall pay in as soon as it comes to hand.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 21, 1929.

Messrs Butler, McIntyre & Butler
 Attorneys for the Mount Lyell Mining and
 Railway Company Limited
 Hobart.

Sirs,

I have the honour to furnish you with a Statement of the
 Expenses in connection with the passage through Parliament of
 the North Mount Lyell and Macquarie Harbour Railway Bill, 1928
 (Private):-

Members' Fees		£83-11-8
Advertisement in "Advocate"		1- 1-0
Reporters' Fees and Expenses		13- 7-6
Government Printer's Account		
280 copies of Report	£17-0-0	
621 copies of Bill	5- 2-6	
Charges (Standing Order No. 295): Report		22- 2-6
12 hours sitting of Committee @ 10/6		10-10-0
		6- 6-0
		£136-18-8

I shall be glad if you will be so good as to forward me,
 at your convenience, cheque for the balance owing by the Promot-
 ers of the Bill, viz. £36-18-8.

I have the honour to be

Sirs,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, January 21, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Please stamp in gold letters the accompanying
fourteen (14) copies of Waich's Red Book for 1929 as follows:-

The Honourable, the Speaker	1 copy
The Chairman of Committees	1 copy
The Clerk of the House	2 copies
The Clerk-Assistant	1 copy
The Clerk of Papers	1 copy
The Table of the House	2 copies
Table of the New Library	1 copy
Table of the Upper Library	1 copy
Ministers' Room	1 copy
No.1 Committee Room	1 copy
No.2 Committee Room	1 copy
Table of the Lower Library	1 copy.

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Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 21, 1929

The Warden

Municipality of Penguin.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Penguin Lighting Bill, 1928 (No. 56), which was brought into the House of Assembly as a Semi-Public Bill last Session, amounts to Three Pounds thirteen shillings and sixpence (£3-13-6).

I shall be glad if you will be so good as to forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 26, 1926

Messrs Butler, McIntyre & Butler

Solicitors

Murray Street

Hobart.

Dear Sirs,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant, covering cheque for Thirty-six Pounds eighteen shillings and eight pence (£36-18-8), being balance owing by the Promoters in connection with the passage through Parliament of the North Mount Lyell and Macquarie Harbour Railway Bill, 1925 (Private).

I have paid the cheque into the Treasury and enclose receipt herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, January 29, 1929.

W.E. Fuller, Esquire
Bookshelf Library
Collins Street.

MEMORANDUM.

Please supply the following books to the
Library of Parliament:-

1. Beasley's Open Market V Pooling in Australia, (Corn-
stalk Publishing Company)
2. Gisborne's Democracy on Trial (Longmans).

Clerk of the House, and
Librarian to Parliament.

House of Assembly

Bobart. January 29, 1929.

Messrs Propsting & Morris Pty Ltd
Liverpool Street.

MEMORANDUM.

Please supply the following books to the Library of Parliament:-

1. Armstrong's Survival of the Unfittest (C.W. Daniel & Co.)
2. Pigou's Study in Public Finance (Macmillan)
3. Kingsford Smith's Story of "Southern Cross" Trans-Pacific Flight.
4. Diaper's Canibal Jack, (Faber & Gwyer)
5. Keyserling's Travel Diary of a Philosopher, (Jonathan Cape)
6. Somerville's Chart Makers, (Blackwood & Sons)
7. Newman's Great Britain in Egypt, (Cassell)
8. Intimate Papers of Colonel House, Volumes III and IV (Ernest Benn Limited)
9. Earl of Oxford and Asquith's Memories and Reflections Volumes I and II, (Cassell)

Clark of the House, and
Librarian to Parliament.

House of Assembly

Hobart. January 29, 1929.

E.W.Kane, Esquire

Clerk, House of Representatives.

Wellington.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th instant, and in reply I desire to state that daylight sittings have never been adopted by the House of Assembly and the question has never been discussed.

Our Standing Orders do not provide the hours of sitting and the days and times of meeting are fixed by Resolution at the beginning of each Session.

I am forwarding you under separate cover, a copy of the Standing Orders. With kind regards.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. February 1, 1929.

The Under Secretary.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your Memorandum of January 31st, I have to advise you, that the circumstances which render it necessary to make increased provision for £20-0-0 under the heading "House of Assembly, Stationery and Stores, etc", are as follow:-

New telephone connected to Leader of Opposition's Room, £4-17-6

Trunk line calls in excess of 1927-28, 11-7-5

£16- 5-11.

The balance of the amount requested will be required to meet claims which will fall due before the end of the Financial Year.

I have an account from the Post and Telegraph Department for £69-15-8, which is overdue and cannot be paid until the £20-0-0 is made available.

Yours faithfully,

John J. ...
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly
 House of Assembly.

Habart, February 13, 1929.

The Hon. J. A. Lynch, M.H.A.,

DETROIT, MICH.

Dear Mr. Lynch,

The Auditor-General has informed me that he has not received your Receipt for payment as Leader of the Opposition for the month of December, 1928; and as I cannot trace it, I am enclosing herewith another form which I should be glad if you would sign and return to me at your early convenience.

Yours faithfully,

H. W. H. H.

Wm. H. H. H. is named Clerk of the House.

4-11-29

Enclosure of the amount requested will be

sent to you by mail with the Receipt and

acknowledgment of receipt.

Very truly yours, J. A. Lynch, M.H.A.

Enclosed for the Auditor-General is a copy of the

Receipt for the amount of \$100.00

sent to you by mail.

House of Assembly,

Hobart, February 19, 1928.

The Hon. C.W. Grant, M.H.A.

Market Place,

Hobart.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th inst., requesting me to pay to your credit at the Commercial Bank of Australasia, Hobart, all cheques for earlier payment.

In reply I desire to state that your cheque will accordingly, be paid into the abovementioned Bank, and the receipt for same will be forwarded to your office.

Yours faithfully,

Clark of the House.

The Government Printer,

House of Assembly,

Hobart, February 28, 1929.

H O B A R T.

Required for the service of Mr. J. McPhee, M.H.A.:-

- 12 Copies of "The Annual Valuation Act, 1928" (19 Geo. V. No. 63)
- 12 Copies of "The Aid to Road Rates Act, 1928" (19 Geo. V. No. 23)
- 12 Copies of "The Local Government Act, 1928" (19 Geo. V. No. 37)
- 3 Copies of "The Coal Mines Act, 1928" (19 Geo. V. No. 50)
- 6 Copies of "The State Advances Act, 1928" (19 Geo. V. No. 50)
- 6 Copies of "The Co-operative Industrial Societies Act, 1928" (19 Geo. V. No. 42).

Clerk of the House.

Approved

Treasurer
28/2/1929

House of Assembly,

Hobart, March 1, 1929.

H.H. McFlis, Esquire, M.H.A.

West Devonport.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st inst., requesting me to forward you a number of copies of Acts. In reply I desire to state that I forwarded a requisition for the abovementioned Acts to the Government Printer, through the Treasurer, asking for his approval for the same.

I am now in receipt of a memorandum from the Treasurer asking to be informed for what purpose the Acts referred to are required.

I am forwarding a copy of the memorandum herewith, and I should be glad if you would furnish me with the information required.

Yours faithfully,

Edw. M. Pearson
Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart,

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on *Charitable Assistance
to Natural Mothers*

will meet in the Committee Room on *Thursday next, March 9, inst*
at *eleven*^{a.m} o'clock, when your attendance is requested.

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To

M.H.A.

House of Assembly
Hobart. 4th March, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House.-

"The Mercury" reprint of Parliamentary
Debates, 1928, to be bound and lettered as follows:-

"Library of Parliament"

" 'The Mercury' Reprint of Parliamentary Debates, 1928"

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 4, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Campbell Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to advise you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Campbell Town Water Bill, 1928 (No. 55)", which was brought into this House as a Semi-Public Bill last Session is Four Pounds and sixpence (£4-0-6).

I shall be glad if you will forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 4, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Scottsdale.

Sir,

I have the honour to advise you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Scottsdale Lighting Bill, 1928", which was brought into this House as a Semi-Public Bill last Session is Three Pounds nineteen shillings (£3-19-0).

I shall be glad if you will forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly
Hobart. March 4, 1929.

His Worship
The Mayor,
Hobart.

Sir,

I have the honour to advise you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Hobart Corporation Bill, 1928 (No. 59), which was brought into this House as a Semi-Public Bill last Session is One Hundred and sixty five Pounds ten shillings and sixpence (£165-10-6).

I shall be glad if you will forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 4, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Leven

Ulverstone.

Sir,

I have the honour to advise you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Ulverstone Water Bill, 1928 (No. 80), which was brought into this House as a Semi-Public Bill last Session is Three Pounds Seven shillings (£3-7-0).

I shall be glad if you will forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 4, 1929

The Warden

Municipality of Hu Bay
Burnie.

Sir,

I have the honour to advise you that the cost of printing in connection with the undermentioned Bills, which were brought into this House as Semi-Public Bills last Session is as follows:-

Burnie Lighting Bill, 1928 (No. 74)	£4-17-0
Burnie Water Bill, 1928 (No. 37)	6- 7-6
Burnie Water Bill, 1928 (No. 73)	5- 0-0

£16- 4-6

I shall be glad if you will forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly
Hobart. March 4, 1929.

The Warden
Municipality of Devonport.

Sir,

I have the honour to advise you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Devonport Lighting Bill, 1928 (No. 78), which was brought into this House as a Semi-Public Bill last Session is Four Pounds six shillings and six pence (£4-6-6)

I shall be glad if you will forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 4, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Glenorchy.

Sir,

I have the honour to advise you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Glenorchy Loan Bill, 1928 (No. 74), which was brought into this House as a Semi-Public Bill last Session is Five Pounds eight shillings and sixpence (£5-8-6).

I shall be glad if you will forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, *25th Feb, 1929*

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on *Public Accounts*

will meet in the Committee Room on *Wednesday, March 6*

at 10-30 o'clock, ^{a.m.} when your attendance is requested *to deal with* ^{important proposals} *relating to* ^{State} *Loans to Local Bodies*

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To

M.H.A.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 6, 1929.

The Honourable

The Chief Secretary.

Sir,

In forwarding the enclosed accounts for printing, I
desire to point out that as the items marked with red pencil
have not passed through this office, and were not ordered
by the House to be printed, I am unable to certify as to their
correctness.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Clark of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, March 6, 1929.

His Excellency

The Mayor,

Hobart.

Sir,

I have the honour to advise you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Hobart Corporation Loans Bill, 1928 (No. 32), which was brought into this House as a Local Public Bill last Session is Four Pounds sixteen shillings and sixpence (£4-16-6).

I should be glad if you would forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, March 5, 1929.

Messrs Angus & Robertson Ltd

89-95 Castlereagh Street

SYDNEY.

Dear Sirs,

Having decided to purchase the copy of
Baillet's Ten West Square Hat forwarded by you to the
Library of Parliament on approval, I should be glad if
you would sign the enclosed Treasury Voucher as "Claim-
ant" and "Recipient" in order that I may forward it to the
Treasury for payment.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House, and
Librarian to Parliament.

House of Assembly

Robert. March 5, 1929.

Hon. J. A. Jensen, M.H.A.

Beatty Point.

Dear Sir,

As I have not yet received your receipt for payment as a Member for the Month of January last, I am forwarding you another form which I should be glad if you would sign and return to me at your earliest convenience as the Auditor General is pressing for the same.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. 7th March, 1929.

The Mayor

Municipality of Penguin.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for Three Pounds thirteen shillings and sixpence being the cost of printing in connection with "The Penguin Lighting Bill, 1928".

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer and enclose receipt herewith.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Hy M. ...
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Robert, 7th March, 1929.

The Clerk of the House

My dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant and in reply I desire to state that the sum of £1-7-2 of my Bank Account was yesterday paid into the Consolidated Revenue.

With regard to the issue by me of unofficial receipts for amounts received from Local Bodies, my practice has invariably been to receipt the official voucher of the Semi-Public Body from whom I received payment and to forward the cheques to the Government Printer and carefully file his receipt for same in this office; but as you say the issuing of receipts on official forms would facilitate the work of your Department, I shall be glad to adopt your proposal and now make formal application to be supplied with an official receipt book.

Yours faithfully,

H. M. Pearson

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 7, 1929.

The Secretary

Women's Non-Party League.

Dear Madam,

The Select Committee of the House of Assembly on Charitable Assistance to Mothers desires to hear the evidence of a Member of your League in regard to this matter. As the subject of inquiry largely concerns women, it is considered desirable for the Committee to hear your views and any suggestions you may have to put forward.

Will you therefore kindly let me know if a Member of the Women's Non-Party League will give evidence and if so, will you please advise us of the name of the lady, and a date for the giving of the evidence will then be fixed.

Yours faithfully,

Hy M. Phipps
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Robert March 7, 1929.

The Administrator

Charitable Assistance Department

Dear Sir,

The Select Committee of the House of Assembly on Charitable Assistance to Mothers is desirous of hearing evidence from you in this matter. I am directed to ask you to prepare a statement to be presented personally on Wednesday next, the 13th instant at 2.15 o'clock at the House of Assembly, when:

1. Number of Mothers (Other than Foster Mothers) and dependents and the amount of money involved.
2. Amount of money required to put them on the same footing financially as Foster Mothers.
3. Any suggestions from your Department's point of view.

The Committee is anxious to get the fullest information possible and if you consider that any other officer of your Department could supply useful information, the Committee would be glad to hear of it.

Yours faithfully,

Robert March
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 8, 1929.

The Officer in charge of

The Salvation Army

90 Brisbane Street.

Dear Sir,

The Select Committee appointed by the House of Assembly on December 19 last, to inquire into and report upon Charitable Assistance to Mothers (other than Foster Mothers) from the State for the sustenance in her home of a dependent child or children, and all matters relating thereto or incidental thereto, would be glad to hear any evidence which the Salvation Army considers would be useful in making a report upon this Question.

The Committee is of opinion that you could submit valuable evidence, and if you are willing to appoint a representative, I should be glad if you would advise me of his or her name and a date will be fixed for the hearing of the evidence.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 8, 1929.

The City Missioner

35 Forest Road

West Hobart.

Dear Sir,

The Select Committee appointed by the House of Assembly on December 19 last, to inquire into, and report upon Charitable Assistance to Mothers (Other than Foster Mothers) from the State for the sustenance in her home of a dependent child or children, and all matters relating thereto or incidental thereto, would be glad to hear any evidence which you consider would be useful in making a report upon this question.

The Committee is of opinion that you could submit valuable evidence and if you are willing to do so, I should be glad if you ^{would} communicate with me to that effect, and I shall arrange a date for you to give your evidence.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. ¹¹March 8, 1929.

The Chief Inspector of Factories
Industrial Department.

Dear Sir,

The Select Committee appointed by the House of Assembly on December 19, last to inquire into, and report upon Charitable Assistance to Mothers (other than Foster Mothers) from the State for the sustenance in her home of a dependent child or children and all matters relating thereto and incidental thereto, intends calling you (or some other officer of your Department if you consider it desirable), to give evidence on this Question.

My reason for notifying you now, is so that you will have time to collect any evidence which you consider will be useful to the Committee in making its Report. I shall advise you of the date when the Committee requires your evidence at the earliest opportunity.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart: March 8, 1929.

The Commissioner of Police
Liverpool Street.

Dear Sir,

The Select Committee appointed by the House of Assembly on December 19 last, to inquire into, and report upon Charitable Assistance to Mothers (other than Foster Mothers) from the State for the sustenance in her home of a dependent child or children and all matters relating thereto or incidental thereto, intends calling you (or some other officer of your Department if you consider it desirable) to give evidence on this matter.

My reason for notifying you now is so that you will have time to collect any evidence which you consider will be useful to the Committee in making its Report. I shall notify you of the date on which the Committee requires your evidence at the earliest opportunity.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 8, 1929.

The Secretary

Child Welfare Association

38 Murray Street.

Dear Madam,

The Select Committee appointed by the House of Assembly on December 19 last, to inquire into, and report upon Charitable Assistance to Mothers (other than Foster Mothers) from the State for the sustenance in her home of a dependent child or children and all matters relating thereto or incidental thereto, would be glad to hear any evidence which your Association considers would be useful in making a report on this Question.

The Committee is of opinion that you could submit valuable evidence and if your Association is willing to appoint a representative, I should be glad if you would advise me of the lady's name, and a date will be fixed for the hearing of the evidence.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 8, 1929.

The Secretary

The Benevolent Society

98 Bathurst Street.

Dear Sir,

The Select Committee appointed by the House of Assembly on December 19, last, to inquire into and report upon Charitable Assistance to Mothers (other than Foster Mothers) from the State for the sustenance in her home of a dependant child or children and all matters relating thereto and incidental thereto, would be glad to hear any evidence which your Society consider would be useful in making a report on this Question.

The Committee is of opinion that you could submit useful evidence and if your Society is willing to appoint a representative, I should be glad if you would advise me of his or her name, and a date will be fixed for the taking of the evidence.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly,

Hobart, March 8, 1929.

The Clerk of the House of Representatives,
Canberra, F.C.T.

Dear Sir,

In compliance with the request contained in your letter of the 5th instant, I am sending you, in separate packet, a copy of the latest Edition of the Standing Orders of the House of Assembly.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly,

Hobart, March 8, 1929.

The Council Clerk,

Burnie.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant.

In reply I desire to state that the Burnie Lighting Bill 1928, (No.37) required so many alterations that it was considered advisable to introduce a new Bill (No.73) embodying the necessary alterations, hence the extra cost of printing.

Yours faithfully,

W. M. Pherson

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 8, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Scottsdale.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for Three Pounds nineteen Shillings (£3-19-0), being the cost of printing in connection with "The Scottsdale Lighting Bill, 1928".

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer and enclose receipt herewith.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 11, 1929

The Clerk of the House
of Representatives

Canberra

Federal Capital Territory.

Dear Sir,

In compliance with your request of the 6th instant, I am forwarding you in separate packet, ten copies of the Standing Orders of the House of Assembly.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

March 11, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Campbell Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for Four Pounds and sixpence being the cost of printing in connection with "The Campbell Town Water Bill, 1928" (No. 55).

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer and enclose receipt herewith.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 12, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Glenorchy.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for Five Pounds eight Shillings and sixpence (£5-8-6), being the cost of printing in connection with the Glenorchy Loan Bill, 1928 (No. 74).

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer and enclose receipt herewith.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

Mrs J.C. Newton
80 High Street
Launceston.

Deepest sympathy with you and your family in your sorrow.

Hy. McPherson Clerk of the House.

Mrs J.C. Newton
80 High Street
Launceston.

Please accept my most sincere sympathy with you and your family
in your sad bereavement.

J.W. Evans, Speaker.

House of Assembly

Hobart, March 19, 1929.

J. R. Brown, Esquire

Grace Street

Sandy Bay.

Dear Sir,

You are requested to attend at the House of Assembly at 5.30 P.M. on Wednesday the 20th instant to give your evidence before the Select Committee on Charitable Assistance to Mothers.

Should it be inconvenient for you to attend at that time, I should be glad if you would ring Central 46 on receipt of this letter, in order that I may make other arrangements.

Yours faithfully,

Hy M. Pearson
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 21, 1929.

The Honourable
The Chief Secretary.

Sir,

In accordance with instructions from the Select Committee on Charitable Assistance to Mothers, I have the honour to forward herewith the accompanying letter for the consideration of the Charitable Grants Department. Mrs Claridge has been notified to that effect.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. M. The Clerk
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 21, 1929.

Mrs V.L. Claridge

113 George Street

Launceston.

Dear Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter in reference to charitable assistance to Mothers and to inform you that in accordance with instructions from the Committee it has been forwarded for the consideration of the Charitable Grants Department.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

No. 11,420

Clerk of House of Assembly
Adelaide.

What is the practice of your House regarding re-appropriation of
unexpended balances of loans for Public Works. Is Message Required.

W. H. Parsons, Clerk of House

21/3/29.

House of Assembly
Hobart. March 22, 1929.

The Warden
Municipality of Emu Bay
Burnie.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of
cheque for Sixteen Pounds four Shillings and sixpence
(£16-4-6), being the cost of printing in connection with
the following Bills:-

The Burnie Water Bill, 1928 (No. 37)
The Burnie Water Bill, 1928 (No. 73)
The Burnie Lighting Bill, 1928 (No. 94)

£6- 7-6
5- 0-0
4-17-0

£16- 4-6

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer
and enclose receipt herewith.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 22, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Leven

Ulverstone.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for Three Pounds seven Shillings (£3-7-0), being the cost of printing in connection with "The Ulverstone Water Amendment Bill, 1928 (No. 80).

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer and enclose receipt herewith.

I have the honour to

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. March 25, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Devonport.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for Four Pound six Shillings and sixpence being the cost of printing in connection with "The Devonport Lighting Bill, 1928 (No. 78)".

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer and enclose receipt herewith.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly,

Hobart, March 28, 1929.

The Under Treasurer,

Hobart.

Dear Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your memorandum of the 12th instant, with correspondence attached thereto relating to the procedure of the House of Assembly with regard to the re-appropriation of unexpired balances for purposes other than that for which the appropriations were originally recommended by the Governor.

I could point out that, subject to the Constitution, Acts, and the Standing Orders, the House determines its own procedure, and any question raised as to procedure, is for the House itself to determine.

Yours faithfully,

W. M. O'Sullivan
Clerk of the House.

The Mayor

Launceston.

On behalf of the Members of the House of Assembly I desire to express their deep sympathy with the people of Launceston in the calamity that has overtaken the city and brought such terrible havoc. I am sure the people of Hobart will show their sympathy in a substantial manner.

W. H. H. Speaker

8/4/1929.

House of Assembly

Hobart. April 16, 1929.

His Worship

The Mayor.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for One Hundred and seventy Pounds ten Shillings (£170-10-0), being the cost of printing in connection with the following Bills:-

Hobart Corporation Bill, 1928 (No. 59)	£165-10-6
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Hobart Corporation Bill, 1928 (No. 82)	4-19-6
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I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer £170-10-0 and enclose receipt herewith.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. April 16, 1929.

The Director of Public Works

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House of
Assembly. -

Windows and sashes to be repaired in Office-
Keeper's quarters.

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. 16th April, 1929.

The Manager

The Supply and Tender Department.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House of
Assembly.-

One ton of 9 inch split firewood.

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Robert. 22nd April, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House :-

One copy of "The Acts of the Parliament of

Siam (Volume XXX, Part 1, Anno George V, 1928) etc.

Also the following books to be re-bound:-
The History of the
The History of the

- | | | |
|-----|----|--|
| A 7 | 35 | Shaw, Vere, B.A. - The Illustrated Book of the Dog. |
| A 7 | 40 | Wymper, F. - The Fisheries of the World. |
| B 3 | 38 | Anders, G. - The Dawn of Civilization. |
| B 3 | 36 | Wright, Thomas, M.A., F.S.A. - A History of Domestic
Man and sentiments in England during the
Middle Ages. |
| B 3 | 9 | Moxley, Capt. John, R.N. - Discoveries in New Guinea. |
| B 3 | 17 | Mythe, Ann - Ten Months in the Fiji Islands. |


Clerk of the House.

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SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

To. The Treasurer.
J. P. Piggott Esq.
J. Sundry, Esq.
Hon. W. A. Woods
and R. B. Gordon, Esq.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, 26th April, 1929.

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly ~~was~~ appointed to inquire into and report upon, the desirability and suitable means establishing Superannuation Funds for-

- (a) Members of the Public Service; and
- (b) Members of the Police Force,

will meet in the Committee Room on Tuesday, the 30th instant

at 10 A.M. o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To

M.H.A.

House of Assembly

Hobart. 26th April, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House.-

Commonwealth of Australia Gazettes,
January to December, 1928 to be bound and lettered
"Library of Parliament".

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. April 30, 1929.

Dr. Maloney, M.H.R.

Federal Members Room

Temple Court

422-426 Collins Street

Melbourne.

Dear Sir,

In compliance with the request contained in your letter of the 23rd instant, I am forwarding you under separate cover a copy of the Report of the Select Committee on the Australian Shale Oil Corporation Bill, 1924.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. April 30, 1929.

The Clerk of the Parliament

Brisbane

Queensland.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant.

The number of Members who constitute our Legislative Council is eighteen. This number is limited by the Constitution Act. Periodical Elections are held every year, and at every such election three Members vacate their seats, and three Members are elected to fill the vacancies so created. Members hold their seats for six years. All Members of the Legislative Council are paid.

Yours faithfully

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. 1st May, 1929.

Hon. F. B. Edwards, M.L.C.

Reibey Street

Ulverstone.

Dear Sir,

In compliance with your request, I have posted
you under separate cover six Petition forms and also six
Guarantee forms.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. 2nd May, 1929.

The Government Printer

Hobart.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for Mr. J. F. Ockerby, M.H.A.

One copy of "The Sunday Observance
Act, 1908" (8 Ed. VII No. 36).

Required for Mr. E. J. Ogalvie, M.H.A. -

One copy of "The Wages Board
Act, 1928 (19 Geo. V. No. 38).

Clerk of the House.

Approved

Treasurer.

House of Assembly

Robert. May 9, 1929.

The Clerk of Parliament

Parliament House

Brisbane

Queensland.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 30th ultimo regarding the provision for the upkeep of Parliament House, I have to state that a sum of £400 is provided in the Estimates annually, for "Furniture and General Repairs, Parliamentary Buildings" under the heading of Miscellaneous (Minister for Works). All replacements and additions to furniture, etc. are charged against this vote.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Haboville 4th May, 1929.

Mr. J. A. Thompson, M.H.A.

The Government Printer

MEMORANDUM.

Required for Mr. Thompson, M.H.A.:-

One copy of "The Marriage Act, 1895

(59 Vic. No. 25) and its amendments as follows:-

1. 60 Vic. No. 13

2. Ed. VII No. 19

3. Geo. V No. 48

4. Geo. VI No. 10

Should be glad if you

will sign and return to me at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

Clerk of the House.

Approved

Treasurer.

House of Assembly

Hobart. May 15, 1929.

House of Assembly

Hobart. May 15, 1929

Hon. J. A. Jensen, M.H.A.

MacTernery Hotel

Spring Street

Melbourne.

Dear Sir,

As I have not received your receipt for payment of Member for the Month of April last, I am forwarding you another form which I should be glad if you would sign and return to me at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Clark of the House.

House of Assembly

Robert, 27th May, 1929

The Rev. Canon

St. John's

St. John's

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of a copy

of the Report No. 12, 1928 - 1929, which will be laid

on the Table of the House at the earliest opportunity.

Yours faithfully,

W. H. ...
 Clerk of the House.

*Copy*SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, *17th May, 1929*

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on

Charitable Assistance to Mothers

will meet in the Committee Room on

*Wednesday, 22nd inst.*at *2.30 P.M.* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To
Hon. C. E. James
E. Dwyer Gray, Esq.
D. Watkins, Esq.
Hon. A. G. Ogilvie
J. P. Figgott, Esq.

M.H.A.

House of Assembly

Robert. 27th May, 1973.

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Dear Sir,

Dear Sir,

I am to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of
the report of the Hon. the Governor, further
the report of the Hon. the Minister, and the Bill of the House together
with the Bill of the House.

Yours faithfully,

Chairman of the House.

House of Assembly
Hobart. May 27, 1929.

Dr. Maloney, M.H.R.
513 Elizabeth Street
Melbourne.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 21st instant relating to the evidence taken before the Select Committee on the Australian Shale Oil Corporation Bill, 1924.

In reply I have to state that the Committee was set up by the Legislative Council and the evidence was not printed, neither was a copy tabled in the House of Assembly; therefore, I regret that I am unable to meet your wishes.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly
Hobart. May 27, 1929.

E. Dwyer-Gray, Esq. M.H.A.

79 Barrack Street

Hobart.

Dear Sir,

I should be glad if you would sign the enclosed Treasury Voucher as "Claimant" and "Recipient" and return it to me at your earliest convenience in order that I may forward it to the Treasury for payment.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly
Hobart. May 27, 1929.

J. F. Piggett, Esq. M.H.A.
Messrs Port Huon Fruit-Growers
Co-operative Association Ltd
Hobart.

Dear Sir,

I should be glad if you would sign the enclosed Treasury Voucher as "Claimant" and "Recipient" and return it to me at your earliest convenience, in order that I may forward it to the Treasury for payment.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, May 29, 1929.

The Director of Public Works.

Dear Sir,

In view of the approaching meeting of Parliament, will you please issue the necessary instructions to have the following repairs, renovations and overhauls carried out:-

Windows to be cleaned.
 Carpet in room of Clerk of the House to be covered in leather.
 Chimney (s) to be repaired.
 Chimneys to be swept.
 New Blinds in New Library, Lobby and Office-Keeper's room
 One board for wall in passage.
 Wood floor in Lobby.
 Window frame in Clerk-Assistant's room to be repaired.
 Keys for cupboard in Clerk of Paper's room.
 Gas fittings to be cleaned and overhauled.
 Gas meter to be removed from Chamber and wall to be repaired.
 Electric lights, bells and radiators to be overhauled.
 Paints cleaned to be repaired.
 Newspaper file in Reading Room to be repaired.
 2 panes of glass.

Yours faithfully,

W. H. F. Thomas
 Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. June 4, 1929.

The Honourable

The Chief Secretary.

Sir,

In reply to your Memorandum of the 21st ult., I have the honour to transmit, herewith, my Estimate of probable Expenditure for the House of Assembly for the Year ending June 30, 1930.

In submitting this Estimate, I desire to point out that the Officers recommended for increases are performing their duties in a most efficient manner, and that fact, coupled with the long hours which they are called upon to work, during each Session, justifies me in recommending the increases for the favourable consideration of Ministers.

With regard to my own case, I desire to refer you to my letter of July 16, 1928, which pointed out that at the time of my appointment, I was definitely assured that my salary would, in the near future, be raised to £625.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Representatives

Robert. Jan 7, 1925.

The Government Printer.

MANORLAND.

Required for the service of the House.

Wages Board Determinations for the following

Wages...

Boothman
Butcher
C. C. C. C.
W. C. C. C. C. C.
W. C. C. C. C. C.
W. C. C. C. C. C.
W. C. C. C. C. C.
W. C. C. C. C. C.

Clark of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, 8th June, 1929.

J. F. Ockerby, Esq. M.H.A.

"Birkenhead"

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, inquiring as to whether it is competent for a Private Member to bring in a Bill involving the expenditure of money.

In reply I have to state that the procedure with regard to the initiation of proposals for the expenditure of public money is that they shall be recommended to the House by the Governor, through a Minister, representing the Crown; but it would be quite in order for a Private Member to move that the House will resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House, to consider an Address to be presented to His Excellency the Governor, praying, that His Excellency will be pleased to recommend the appropriation of any sum required.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. June 10, 1929

Hon. F. B. Edwards, M. L. C.

Ulverstone.

Dear Mr. Edwards,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 8th instant, relating to "Cases in Constitutional Law".

In reply I have to state that owing to Mr. Propsting's retirement from, and re-election to, the Legislative Council, we are without a Chairman. I am calling a meeting of the Library Committee for the 27th instant, at 10.30 A.M., when a Chairman can be elected and books will be submitted for selection. There is about Twenty Pounds to be spent.

I conferred with Mr. Propsting with regard to the abovementioned book, and he agrees that a copy should be purchased for the Library. I therefore have forwarded the order for the same to Mr. Fuller.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House, and
Librarian to Parliament.

House of Assembly

Hobart. June 10, 1929.

H.R.D. Thomson, Esq. M.H.A.

Trevallyn Road

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, containing a request to be supplied with copies of the Advances to British Settlers Act.

In reply I desire to state that I handed your request to the Premier, and he requested me to inform you that the Government is having pamphlets prepared, which will be of greater service to those desiring information under the Act, than the Act itself. The Premier also requested me to inform you, that he will get into touch with you himself on this matter.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. June 15, 1929.

Messrs. Propert & Morris Pty Ltd

Liverpool Street

Hobart.

Dear Sirs,

Please supply a copy of Kerr and Lawson's
"Cases in Constitutional Law" to the Library of
Parliament.

Yours faithfully,

Clark of the House, and
Librarian to Parliament.

House of Assembly

Hobart. June 18, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for Mr. Ockerby, M.H.A..

One copy of each of the following Acts:-

Marine Act, 1921	(12 Geo. V. No. 60)
" " 1925	(15 Geo. V. No. 71)
" " 1926	(17 Geo. V. No. 29)
" " (No. 2), 1926	(17 Geo. V. No. 52).
Tower Improvement Act, 1912	(3 Geo. V. No. 53)
" " " 1913	(4 Geo. V. No. 56)
" " " 1915	(6 Geo. V. No. 55)
" " " 1918	(9 Geo. V. No. 46).

[Signature]
Clerk of the House.

Approved

Treasurer.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, June 20, 1929.

The Joint Committee of both Houses
~~has been appointed by the House of Assembly~~ on the Library

Upper Library
 will meet in the ~~Assembly Room~~ on Thursday, 27th instant

A.M.
 at 10.30/o'clock, when your attendance is requested.

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To
 Mr. Speaker
 Mr. Treasurer
 Mr. Lyons
 Mr. Dwyer-Gray
 Mr. Woods, and
 Mr. Ockerby.

M.H.A.

Dear Mrs Sheridan,

I have the honour to
copies of a Resolution agreed to the
on the 17th instant, in reference to the
husband, the late William Sheridan, Esquire, and I desire
to convey to you the assurance of the Assembly's deep
sympathy with you and your family in your bereavement.

I am also sending you a signed copy of the
Resolution printed on vellum.

I have the honour to be ,

Madam,

Your obedient Servant,

Speaker.

House of Assembly

Hobart. June 25, 1929.

The Commercial Manager

"The Mercury"

Hobart.

MEMORANDUM.

Please supply from Wednesday, 26th instant
four (4) extra copies of your Paper to the House of
Assembly, until further notice.

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. June 25, 1929.

The Hobart Representative
of "The Examiner".

MEMORANDUM.

Please supply from Wednesday, 26th instant
three (3) extra copies of your Paper to the House of
Assembly, until further notice.

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly.

Hobart. June 28, 1929.

Messrs Proposting & Morris Pty Ltd

Liverpool Street

Hobart.

MEMORANDUM.

Please supply one copy of each of the following books to the Library of Parliament:-

After Thirty Years	£1- 6-0
Socialist Women's Guide	6-6
Intelligent Women's Guide	6-6
Industry and the State	8-0
Falmouth for Orders	1- 5-0
Baldwins Spencer's Australia 2 vols.	2- 5-0
Literature to Life	5-0
Singing Gold	6-0
America Comes of Age	15-0
The Splendid Adventure	1- 1-0

£8-4-0

Clerk of the House, and
Librarian to Parliament.

House of Assembly

Hobart. June 28, 1929.

Messrs Oldham, Beddome & Merdith Pty Ltd

Elizabeth Street

Hobart.

MEMORANDUM.

Please supply one copy of each of the
following books to the Library of Parliament:-

Murray's ~~Ordeal~~ of this Generation

O'Connor's Memories of an Old Parliamentarian.

Clerk of the House, and
Librarian to Parliament.

Copy

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, *1st July, 1929*

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on

Public Accounts

will meet in the Committee Room on *Thursday, 4th instant*
at *10 A.M.* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To *Mr. Treasurer*
Mr. Lyons
Mr. Piggott
Mr. Somers
Mr. Gray
Mr. Pearce
Mr. Kelly

M.H.A.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, 2nd July, 1929.

Joint Committee of both Houses
 The ~~Select Committee of the House of Assembly~~ to regulate the
 arrangements in connection the Refreshment Rooms

Upper Library
 will meet in the ~~Commons Room~~ on Thursday, 4th instant

A.M.
 at 10.30/ o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To
 P.C. Best, Esq.
 R. Cosgrove, Esq.
 and B.J. Pearsall, Esq.

M.H.A.

House of Assembly

Hobart. July 1, 1929.

MEMORANDUM.

The General Authority of Mr. Speaker required by Section 5 of "The Parliamentary Privilege Act, 1898" (62 Vic. No. 30) is requested for the expenditure under the Head of "House of Assembly, Contingencies" which may be necessary from the item, "Legislature, 46667" voted in the Schedule of "The Supply Act, 1929" (20 Geo. V. No. 1).

Clerk of the House.

The Honourable,

The Speaker.

Approved

Speaker.

House of Assembly

Hobart. July 9, 1929.

The Government Printer .

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House.-

Five sets of the Journals of
1928, to be labelled as follows:-

The Hon. The Speaker (2)

Clerk of the House (1)

Table of the House (1)

Library of Parliament (2).

Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, *10th July, 1929*

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on *Public Accounts*

will meet in the Committee Room on *Thursday, 11th instant*
at *10.30 AM* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

Mr. Treasurer
Mr. Lyons
To Mr. Diggott
Mr. Gundy
Mr. Gray
Mr. Pearsall and
Mr. Kelly

M.H.A.

House of Assembly

Hobart, July 16, 1929.

The Auditor-General

Audit Department

Hobart.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your memorandum of the 20th
Ultimo, I desire to state that there were no outstanding
claims against the House of Assembly at the end of
June, last.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Robert. July 17, 1929.

Hon. J. A. Jensen, M.H.A.

Beatty Point.

Dear Sir,

As I have not received your receipt for payment as a Member for June, last, I am enclosing another form which I should be glad if you would sign and return to me at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Received July 22, 1929.

The Manager,

The Supply and Tender Department.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House.-

One ton of 8 inch split firewood.

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Revised July 22, 1929.

My dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst.

in relation to the matter of the

proposed amendment to the Bill of the 1st of June (1) and the
 report of the Committee on the House of Assembly.
 I am sorry that I cannot give you a more definite answer at this time.

Very respectfully,

Yours truly,

House of Assembly

Hobart. July 22, 1929.

The Commercial Manager

"The Mercury"

Hobart.

Dear Sir,

As Parliament has now adjourned, will you please discontinue the supply of four (4) extra copies of "The Mercury" to the House of Assembly, until further notice.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. July 24, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House:-

The following Newspapers to be bound and lettered "Library of Parliament".-

Tasmanian Government Gazette : Jan. to June, 2 sets

The Argus: Jan. to March and April to June.

The Examiner : Jan. to June.

The Mercury : Jan. to June.

One copy of the Cement Makers' Wages Board Determination in force from 1st July, 1929.

Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, 31st July, 1929.

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on *Charitable*

Assistance to Mothers

will meet in the Committee Room on *Wednesday, 7th August, 1929*

at *2.30 PM* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To *E. Hoyer Gray Esq.*

B. Watkins Esq.

J. R. Riggott Esq.

Hon. A. G. Ogilvie and

M.H.A.

The Hon. The Chief Secretary.

House of Assembly

Hobart, August 5, 1929.

Hon. F. B. Edwards, M.L.C.

Reibey Street

Darwin.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, relating to the certified copy of the Agreement between the Marine Board of Burnie and the Electrolytic Zinc Company of Australasia Ltd.

In reply I desire to state that as I had some doubt as to whether it was intended that the Agreement should be permanently lodged with the Clerk of the House, I sought the advice of the Solicitor-General on the matter, and he informed me that he thought it advisable that I should retain it.

I would much rather have returned the document to you, but under the above-mentioned circumstances, I am afraid that I shall have to retain it.

I shall be glad to talk the matter over with you when you are in Hobart and see if the difficulty can, in some way, be overcome.

Yours faithfully,


Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, August 6, 1929.
 1929

S. G. Reynolds, Esquire

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

For the purpose of the House of Assembly, I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant, and as requested I have much pleasure in forwarding you, under separate cover, two copies of each of the following Parliamentary Papers:-

H. S. P.

Legislative Council, as constituted, 1929

Dear Sir,

1929

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant, and as requested I have much pleasure in forwarding you, under separate cover, two copies of each of the following Parliamentary Papers:-

1. Questions proposed by the Governor upon Mr. Earle relating to the formation of the Ministry.

2. Papers of the Legislative Council to amend Money Bills - Office between Governor and Secretary of the House of Assembly for the Dominion.

3. Report of Joint Committee of both Houses as to the business of the Legislative Council with regard to Money Bills.

4. Case submitted by the Government to Mr. H. I. Cohen, M.C., and the Hon. Mr. Nathan.

Yours respectfully,

Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

C O P Y.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, 6th August, 1929.

Joint

THE ~~JOINT~~ Committee of ~~THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY AND THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL~~ both Houses appointed to consider measures for the reform of the system of Civil Procedure in force in the several Jurisdictions of the Supreme Court,

Members' Room

will meet in the ~~Committee Room~~, Legislative Council, on Wednesday, 21st instant at 10 A.M. o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To
The Hon. Attorney-General,
The Hon. A. G. Ogilvie, K.C., M.H.A.,
and B. J. Pearsall, Esquire.

M.H.A.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 6, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of Mr. E. J. Ogilvie,

M.E.A.

One copy of each of the following Acts:-

Workers' Compensation Act, 1927 (18 Geo. V. No. 82)

Workers' (Occupational Diseases) Relief Fund Act, 1928
(19 Geo. V. No. 52).

Clerk of the House.

Approved

The Treasurer.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 8, 1929.

W. E. Fuller, Esquire

99 Collins Street

Hobart.

Dear Sir,

Please supply a copy of each of the following
books to the Library of Parliament:-

The Autobiography of Lord Haldane

Byrne's Rock from whence I was Hewn.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

Hon. J. A. Lyons

Middle Road

West Devonport.

Please accept my most sincere sympathy with you in your
sad bereavement.

J. W. Evans, Speaker.

Hon. J. A. Lyons,

Middle Road

West Devonport.

Please accept my sincere sympathy and myself and staff in your sad
bereavement.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 12, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House.-

The following Newspapers to be re-bound
and lettered "Library of Parliament":-

Hobart Town Advertiser, January to December, 1842

Hobart Town Advertiser, January to June, 1859

The Courier, July to December, 1854

The Mercury, July to December, 1884.

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 12, 1929.

The Town Clerk

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant.

In reply I desire to state that, although there is no provision in our Standing Orders relating to the matter referred to in your letter, it has always been the practice for Corporations aggregate when applying for Semi-Public Bills, to affix the Common Seal of the Corporation to the guarantee for the payment of any expenses incurred in connection with such Bills.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

Copy

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart,

12th August, 1929

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on

*Charitable Assistance
to Mothers*

will meet in the Committee Room on *Wednesday, 14th instant*
at *2.30 P.M.* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To The Honorable
The Chief Secretary
Hon. A. E. Ogilvie K.C.
Messrs. J. P. Riggott,
Edwards, Gray, and
Watkins.

M.H.A.

Copy to 8 Dwyer

House of Assembly

Robert. August 13, 1929.

B. Watkins, Esq. M. H. J.

15 Garden Road

Maroon.

Dear Sir,

The Chief Secretary has informed me that, owing to there being a Cabinet meeting on Wednesday, 13th instant, he is unable to attend the meeting of the Select Committee on Charitable Assistance to Mothers, called for that date, and has suggested that the meeting be postponed until Tuesday, 14th instant at 2.30 o'clock. I tried to get you on the telephone, but failed to do so. I trust that the postponement will meet with your approval. All the Members have been notified of the alteration of the date.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

THE
NATIONAL
ARCHIVES
COLLECTION
OF
THE
UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20240

House of Assembly

Robert. 14th August, 1928.

The Acting Chief Secretary
Chief Secretary's Department
Belfast.

Dear Sir,

In forwarding a copy of my letter to the Honourable
the Chief Secretary dated July 16, 1928, as requested, I desire
to refer a correction to the paragraph relating to my
case as follows: That at the time I was appointed Acting-
Clerk of the House with a salary at the rate of £550 per
annum, the Speaker (the late M.I. O'Keefe) gave me the assur-
ance mentioned in the accompanying letter.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 16, 1929.

Mrs Frances Edwards

"Veronique"

Harrington Deviation

Hobart.

Dear Madam,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. applying for leave to give evidence before the Select Committee on Charitable Assistance to Mothers.

In reply I desire to state that the Chairman is absent from Hobart just now, and that your application will be placed before him when he returns to his office on Tuesday next, and also that if the Committee desires to call certain witnesses, I shall be glad to notify you as to when your evidence will be taken; probably you will be called for Wednesday afternoon, the 21st inst.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, 21st August, 1929

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on *Charitable*
Assistance to Mothers
 will meet in the Committee Room on *Wednesday, 21st instant*
 at *2.30 P.M.* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To *The Hon. The Chief Secretary*
The Hon. A. G. Ogilvie, K.C.
J. R. Haggart, Esq.
E. Dwyer - Gray, Esq. M.H.A.
R. Watkins, Esq.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 20, 1929.

Mrs Frances Edwards

"Veronique"

Harrington Deviation

Hobart.

Dear Madam,

I put your application for leave to give evidence before the Select Committee on Charitable Assistance to Mothers to the Chairman, and he desires me to inform you that he will place your request before the Committee when it meets to-morrow afternoon.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 21, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for Hon. J. Belton, M.H.A. -

One copy of each of the following

Acts:-

The Nurses' Registration Act, 1927 (18 Geo. V. No. 8)

The Hospitals Act, 1918 (9 Geo. V. No. 70)

The Hospitals Act, 1927 (18 Geo. V. No. 78).

H. J. Belton
Clark of the House.

Approved

Treasurer.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 22, 1929.

The Master Warden

Marine Board

Burnie.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Burnie Marine Board Loan Bill, 1929" (No. 34), which was brought into this House as a Semi-Public Bill this Session, amounts to Eleven Pounds Nine Shillings (£11-9-0).

I shall be glad if you will be so good as to forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 22, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Leven

Ulverstone.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Ulverstone Water Bill, 1929" (No. 40), which was brought into this House as a Semi-Public Bill this Session, amounts to Three Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Sixpence (£3-14-6).

I shall be glad if you will be so good as to forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 22, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Kingborough
Kingston.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the cost of printing in connection with "The Kingborough Lighting Bill, 1929" (No. 37), which was brought into this House as a Semi-Public Bill this Session, amounts to Four Pounds Nineteen Shillings (£4-19-0).

I shall be glad if you will be so good as to forward me a cheque for that amount at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

ALFRED BENNETT

Hoss.

Kindly accept dearest sympathy for the loss of your father with whom for many years I was closely associated as a Member of the House of Assembly and who by his uprightness of character, devotion to public duty, and unflinching courtesy endeared himself to all who came in contact with him.

J. W. Evans, Speaker.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, *23rd August, 1929*

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on *Superannuation*
for Members of the Public Service and Members
of the Police Force
 will meet in the Committee Room on *Monday, 26th instant*
 at *2.30* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To *J. J. Higgins, Esq.*
J. Lundy, Esq.
Hon. W. A. Woods
R. Casgrove, Esq.
Hon. The Treasurer

M.H.A.

House of Assembly

Hobart. August 29, 1929.

Hon. J. A. Johnson, M.H.A.

Beauty Point.

Dear Sir,

I have posted your cheques for payment as Member for the Months of July and August, to the Manager of the Commercial Bank of Australia, Launceston and I am enclosing receipt forms for those months, which I should be glad if you would sign and return to me at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

H. M. Pherson

Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, *31 August, 1929*

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on *Charitable*

Assistance to Mothers

will meet in the Committee Room on *Wednesday, 4th September, next.*
at *2.30 P.M.* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Hy M Pherson

Clerk of the House.

To *The Hon. The Chief Secretary*
Messrs. E. Dwyer Gray,
J. P. Sargent, A. E. Ogilvie M.H.A.
and L. Watkins.

House of Assembly

Notary, September 5, 1925.

The Right Honorable

Dear Sir,

I am forwarding herewith the receipts for the pay-
ment of Members for the month of July last, except Mr. Kelly's
and Mr. Jones. As both these Members are temporarily absent
from the State, I have attached the bank receipt for Mr. Jones
and a check, but in the case of Mr. Kelly's bank receipt, it
was forwarded to his residence before I learned of his absence.
When I shall take the earliest opportunity on their return
to obtain their receipts and forward them to your Department.

Yours faithfully,

W. H. Thomas
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. September 9, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Kingborough
Kingston.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for Four Pounds Nineteen Shillings (£4-19-0), being the cost of printing in connection with "The Kingborough Lighting Bill, 1929 (No. 37)".

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer and enclose my receipt herewith.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. September 10, 1929.

The Director of Public Works.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House of
Assembly:-

Chamber door to be re-covered with baize.

New Window pane in Leader of Opposition's room.

Mantel-piece in Clerk of Papers' room to be repaired.

3 radiators and 1 plug to be repaired.

Electric light in Office-Keeper's quarters to be
repaired.

Fanlight window above Chamber to be repaired.

H. J. M.
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Robert. September 13, 1929.

The Honorable Member

Marine Board

Burnie.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of cheque for Eleven Pounds Nine Shillings (£11-9-0), being the cost of printing in connection with the Burnie Marine Board Bill, 1929 (No. 34).

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer and enclose my receipt herewith.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

H. M. Thomas
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Robert. September 13, 1929.

The Town Clerk

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant with Guarantee (as prescribed by Standing Order No. 278) to undertake to be responsible to the Government of the State for all expenses incurred in connection with the Launceston Corporation Bill and the Launceston Loans Bill.

In reply I have to state that I duly forwarded the copy of the former Bill to the Government Printer, and that the Launceston Loans Bill has not yet been forwarded to me. I shall be pleased if you will let me have a copy at your early convenience so that it may be ready for introduction when the House meets on the 14th instant.

Yours faithfully,

Ray W. Munn

Clerk of the House.

Requisition for State Advances
Acts 1928 & 1929
for Mr Belton

Hy M. Pearson,

1928 - 29

Speaker's Room

House of Assembly

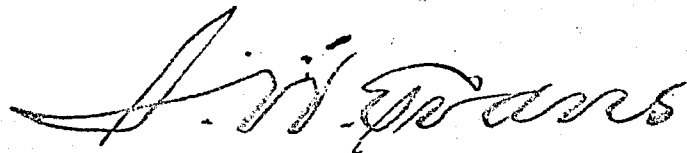
Robert, 17th September, 1929

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, together with the resignations of the Honourable Member for Wilmet (the Hon. J. A. Lyons) and the Honourable Member for Bass (the Hon. J. A. Coy).

I have the honour to be

Your Excellency's Obedient Servant,



Speaker of the House of Assembly.

His Excellency

The Governor

Government House,

Robert.

House of Assembly,

Hobart, September 19, 1929.

J.F. Ockerby, Esquire, M.H.A.

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 18th inst., I desire to inform you that the Hospital Bill has not yet been introduced, consequently, it is not printed. I have noted your request, and as soon as the Bill is available I shall be pleased to post you several copies.

Yours faithfully,

W. M. Thomson,
Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

Copy

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, 19th September, 1929.

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on

Charitable Assistance to Mothers

will meet in the Committee Room on *Wednesday, 25th instant*
at 2.30 *P.M.* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To *The Hon. The Chap Secretary*
The Hon A. G. Ogilvie and
Messrs. Duggan, Watkins
& Dwyer - Gray.

M.H.A.

House of Assembly

Hobart, September 23, 1929.

The Council Clerk

Municipality of Westbury.

Dear Sir,

A Petition from your Council was handed to me this morning, for examination before presenting it to the House, and I find that it is distinctly out of order, as the Seal of the Council is not affixed thereto.

I would draw your attention to Standing Order No. 62 which says - "Petitions of Corporations aggregate shall be under their Common Seal".

I am, therefore, returning the Petition and Guarantee to enable you to have the Seal affixed thereto.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. September 24, 1929.

The Clerk of Parliament

Parliament House

Mr. Speaker

Hobart.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 18th instant,
bedroom accommodation is not supplied in our Parliament
House to any Members of our Parliament, neither is it
supplied to Mr. Speaker and the Chairmen of Committees.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. September 25, 1929.

The Warden

Municipality of Leven

Ulverstone.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of a cheque for Three Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six Pence (£3-14-6), being the cost of printing in connection with the Ulverstone Water Bill, 1929 (No. 40).

I have paid the cheque to the Government Printer and enclose herewith my receipt.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Hy M Phelan

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. September 26, 1929.

Hon. J. A. Lyons

Middle Road

West Devonport.

Dear Sir,

I am forwarding you herewith a cheque for Seventeen Pounds Six Shillings and Eight Pence (£17-6-8), being payment as a Member for Wilmot from September 1 to 15 inclusive, this being the date your resignation to the Governor was signed. I was hoping to pay you up to the 16th, the day on which your resignation was handed to the Governor, but I am advised that the resignation took effect from the day it was dated.

I am also enclosing a cheque for Nine Pounds and Seven Pence, (£9-0-7), being payment as Leader of the Opposition for the same period.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. September 24, 1929

Hon. J. A. Guy

35 Mayne Street

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

I am forwarding you herewith a cheque for Seventeen Pounds Six Shillings and Eight Pence (£17-6-8), being payment as a Member for Bass from September 1 to 15 inclusive, this being the date your resignation to the Governor was signed. I was hoping to pay you up to the 16th, the day on which your resignation was handed to the Governor, but I am advised that the resignation took effect from the day it was dated.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. September 28, 1929.

Percy C. Westman, Esquire

Secretary, Launceston Homoeopathic Hospital

Box 192, P.O.

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 27th instant, I have to state that the Launceston Corporation Bill has not yet been read the First time and ordered by the House to be printed and until it reaches that stage, it is not ready for circulation.

I am, therefore, unable to immediately comply with your request, but I shall be pleased to post you a copy as soon as the Bill is ready for distribution.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

Parliamentary Buildings

Hobart, September 30, 1929.

The Director of Public Works
Hobart.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House
of Assembly:-

Chair in Clerk-Assistant's room to be
repaired.

W. H. H. H.
Clerk of the House.

2nd October 1927

Supernumeration

Funds

Tuesday, 7th October

10.10.27

Spencer, the Service
 from the income
 of the J. H. H. H.
 H. H. H. H. H. H.
 H. H. H. H. H. H.

House of Assembly

Hobart. October 2, 1929.

The Town Clerk

Town Hall

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant, and also of an additional clause which you desire to be added to the Launceston Corporation Bill as Section 18.

In reply I would point out that the Bill was already in print when I received your letter, but I have returned all the copies to the Government Printer to have the necessary addition made, prior to the submission of the Bill to the House.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. October 2, 1929.

The Town Clerk

Town Hall

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant, and also of an additional clause which you desire to be added to the Launceston Corporation Bill as Section 18.

In reply I would point out that the Bill was already in print when I received your letter, but I have returned all the copies to the Government Printer to have the necessary addition made, prior to the submission of the Bill to the House.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, October 3, 1929.

M. Carrer, Esq.

Secretary, the Coal Board of Inquiry.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your verbal application of the 1st instant for the use of a suitable room in the Parliamentary Buildings for the sittings of the Coal Board of Inquiry, which is to meet in Hobart on the 3rd instant, I have conferred with the Honourable the Speaker on the subject and he has agreed to placing the Ministerial Party's room at the disposal of the Board for the present.

In the event of the Board not having completed its investigations before the House re-assembles on the 11th instant, it will be necessary for you to make other arrangements for a place of meeting.

Yours faithfully,

W. M. Thomson,
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, October 4, 1929.

The Librarian

The Parliament of the Commonwealth
Hobart.

Dear Sir,

In compliance with the request contained in your letter of the 30th ultimo, I am posting you under separate cover a copy of each of the Bills that are in print for the period you mention. The other missing numbers from your file were never printed.

Yours faithfully,

H. W. P. Wilson
Clerk of the House.

House of Representatives

Rebulet, October 8, 1929.

The Director of Public Works.

MEMORANDUM.

Referred to the attention of the House.

For answer for Members to be re-lettered

in 1929.

H. W. Pearson
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Report, October 8, 1929.

The Government Printer.

RECEIVED.

Report for the service of the House.

6 name lists for each of the following
Members as per samples enclosed:

Mr. Jackson

Mr. Thompson.

H. H. P. 1929
Clock of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. October 10, 1929

Hon. E. Hobbs, M.H.A.

Ulverston.

Dear Mr. Hobbs,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, and in reply I desire to state that I am of the opinion, that it would not be in order for a Petitioner to ask to be heard by Counsel at the Bar of the House to state a grievance or complaint against the Government. Such questions can only be discussed by Members.

The principle upon which Parliament has permitted Counsel to be heard, applies only to cases where the House has been of opinion that a Bill was of so peculiar a character as to justify the hearing of parties whose interests, as distinct from the general interests of the country, were distinctly affected by it.

I would, therefore, suggest that the Petitioner state his grievance in a Petition, and conclude with a prayer that a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into all the circumstances of the case in question, and also that the Petitioner be heard by Counsel before the Select Committee. If the Petition were received, it would then be competent for a Member to give notice to move that the Prayer of the Petition be given effect to and if that Motion were agreed to, then the Committee would be appointed and the Petitioner would be afforded an opportunity to be heard by Counsel.

I hope that I have made the foregoing matter clear. If there is any further information required, I shall be glad to help you.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

T.H. Davies

"The Grove"

Georgetown

Will be ready to swear you Tuesday 15th instant.

Clerk of the House. 11/10/29

J.A. Jensen

Beauty Point.

Mr. Davies may be sworn Tuesday 15th instant have notified him accordingly.

Clerk of the House. 11/10/29

House of Assembly

Hobart. October 14, 1929.

The Commercial Manger

"The Mercury"

Hobart.

Dear Sir,

Commencing from the 15th instant, will you please supply to the House of Assembly four (4) extra copies of "The Mercury" until further notice.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. October 14, 1929.

The Hobart Representative
of "The Examiner".

Dear Sir,

Commencing from the 15th instant, will you
please supply to the House of Assembly, three (3)
extra copies of "The Examiner" until further notice.

Yours faithfully,

H. S.

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. October 16, 1929.

W. Campbell, Esq. M.H.A.

House of Assembly.

Dear Sir,

After perusing the Petition you placed in my hands yesterday from Mr. Bottomley, I would suggest that as a Select Committee in 1914 went fully into all the circumstances of the dismissal of Mr. Bottomley from the service of the Education Department, all references to this matter should be eliminated from the Petition. With regard to the request for compensation, I would point out that Standing Order No. 66 provides *inter alia*, "that application shall not be made, directly or indirectly, by a Petition for any grant of public money." I would, therefore, suggest that another Petition be prepared relating only to the alleged inaccuracy in the survey of the land in question, and that the Petitioner might conclude with a prayer that, with a view to adequate compensation, a Public Enquiry be granted.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, October 16, 1929.

The Town Clerk

Lowell Hall

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant. In reply I would point out that the Petition for the Loan you mention in your letter was presented by Mr. Ockerby last night. It is therefore too late to make any alteration, and it will be necessary for you to present another Petition for power to borrow a further sum of £500, in connection with the Bill you applied for in your previous Petition.

Yours faithfully,

Henry M. Thorne

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart, 15th Dec 1957

The Hon. Clerk

Dear Sir,

Launceston.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant. In reply I would point out that the petition you refer to was presented to the House by Mr. Roberts, consequently it is too late for any alterations thereto. It will therefore be necessary for you to present another Petition when the authority to receive a further one is given. It is suggested that the Bill you applied for in your letter be included.

Yours faithfully,


H. M. Roberts
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. 18th October, 1929.

The Honourable
The Premier.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that, in compliance with your request, I have forwarded copies of the Land Tax Bill, and the Income Tax Bill to all Members of the Legislative Council.

I desire to point out that, I did not know until after you rang up this morning that application had previously been made to Mr. Muir, and that he had refused to liberate the Bills in question, which he was quite justified in doing as the Bills were not in the possession of the House. Bills, that are printed in anticipation of being brought in, can only be liberated by the Clerk of the House at the request of the Minister in charge of the said Bills.

I feel that it is only fair to Mr. Muir, to give this explanation.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Clerk of the House.

Wm. J. Lyons, W. H. P.
Postmaster General and Minister
for Works and Railways
Caribbean J. C. M.
Heartly Congratulations and best wishes on your great achievement

W. J. Lyons, W. H. P.
Postmaster General and Minister
for Works and Railways
Caribbean J. C. M.
23/10/1929.

House of Assembly

Hobart. October 25, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for Mr. Shaw, M. H. A. -

Two copies of "Tasmanian Government
Gazette", dated Monday, October 14, 1929 (No. 9270).

Hy M. Thomas
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Referred, November 5, 1929.

The Director of Public Works.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the letter of the 24th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the
Director of Public Works.

Very truly yours,
The Director of Public Works.

The Director of Public Works is requested to be referred to the Director of Public Works.

W. M. Phipps

Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, *November 7, 1929*

Joint
~~The Select Committee of the House of Assembly on~~ *both Houses* *Civil Law Reform*

Members Room, Legislative Council, on Thursday
 will meet in the ~~Committee Room on~~
14th instant
 at 10.0 o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To

M.H.A.

House of Assembly

Hobart. November 8, 1929.

November 8, 1929.

MEMORANDUM for :-

The Acting Under Secretary

Chief Secretary's Office

Hobart.

I received your Memorandum shortly after two o'clock.

At the request of the Chief Secretary, I have summoned Members of the Committee on the Briseis Company Loan Bill to attend a meeting on Tuesday next, 12th November, at 10.30 A.M.

Clerk of the House.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, November 8, 1929.

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on **"The Briscoe Company
Loan Bill, 1929"** (No. 98)

will meet in the Committee Room on **Tuesday, 12th instant**
A.M.

10.30 o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To **Hons. E.A. Jensen, and P.L. Kelly**
Messrs N. Campbell and J.P. Piggot,
and the Hon. The Chief Secretary.

House of Assembly

Hobart, November 9, 1929.

The Director of Public Works.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House.--

Division Bell in Clerk of the House's

Room to be extended to.

H. J. [Signature]
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Robert, November 29, 1929.

The Government Printer.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for Mr. Shaw, M.H.A.

One copy of "The Workers' Compensation
Act, 1927" (18 Geo. V. No. 82).

By M. H. Shaw
Clerk of the House.

For answer.

Copy also to
Mr Kelly Hansen

House of Assembly,
Hobart. November 29, 1929.

Rev. F. L. Kelly, M.H.A.

Main Street

Ulverstone.

Dear Sir,

Following on representations made to the Chairman,
the Select Committee of the Brisbane Company Loan Bill, 1929,
decided, at a meeting held on Tuesday evening, to hear further
evidence from Mr. L. C. Clark and Major-General Hughes, C.B.,
on Wednesday, 4th December next, at 9.30 A.M.

Yours faithfully,

H. M. T.
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly,

Hobart, December 1929

House of Assembly

Hobart, 27th November, 1929

Mr. Speaker, F.R.S.E.

MEMORANDUM.

The General Authority of Mr. Speaker required by the Fifth Section of "The Parliamentary Privilege Act, 1898" (62 Vic. No. 30) is requested for the expenditure under the head of "Contingencies, \$35" in the Schedule of "The Appropriation Act, 1929-30" (20 Geo. V. No. 37).

W. M. Thomas

Clerk of the House.

The Honourable

The Speaker.

Yours faithfully,

W. M. Thomas

Clerk of the House and
Librarian to Parliament.

Approved

W. M. Thomas

House of Assembly

Hobart, December 7, 1909.

Will. J. Deakin, Esquire, F.R.C.S.

100, Terrace

Collins Street

Melbourne.

Dear Sir,

I regret I have not acknowledged before, the receipt of Photograph of the Australian National War Memorial, Villiers-Bretonneux, France, which you were good enough to present as a record for the Library of the Parliament of Tasmania.

I thank you very much for the presentation and you will be pleased to know that I have placed an order for it to be framed. When this is done, it will be hung in a prominent place in one of the rooms of the Library.

Yours faithfully,

Alfred M. Phillips

Clerk of the House, and
Librarian to Parliament.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart,

December 10, 1929

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on

- Hobart Ferry Services

Bellerive - Hindesfane

will meet in the Committee Room on *Thursday, 12th instant*
at *10 AM* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To *J. P. Piggott, Esq.*
B. J. Mansall, Esq.
E. J. Ogilvie
B. Watkins
The Hon. the Chief Secretary M.H.A.

SUMMONING COMMITTEE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

Hobart, *December 10, 1929*

THE Select Committee of the House of Assembly on *the Methodist*
Church Property Bill, 1929 (Private)
 will meet in the Committee Room on *Tuesday, 17th instant*
 at *10 AM* o'clock, when your attendance is requested

By Order,

Clerk of the House.

To *H. Campbell Esq.*
J. F. O'Keefe Esq.
B. Watkins Esq.
P. H. Kelly Esq. and M.H.A.
Hon. Sir Walter Lee, K.C.M.G.

House of Assembly

Hobart. December 11, 1929

The Chairman of the Select
Committee on Bellarive-Lindisfarne-
Robert Penny Services.

Dear Sir,

I am enclosing herewith summonses requiring your
signature. I shall be glad to have them returned to me,
when convenient, time to have them delivered this morning.

Yours faithfully,

A. M. Pherson
Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

Hobart. December 12, 1929.

The Government Printer

Canberra

Federal Capital of Australia.

Dear Sir,

Mr. Medwin, M.H.A. has requested me to write you to ask if you would be good enough to place his name on the free list for copies of "Hansard". If this can be done, he would be glad to have copies posted to the following address:-

F. H. Medwin, Esq. M.H.A.

Black River

North West Coast

Tasmania.

Yours faithfully,

Clerk of the House.

House of Assembly

23rd December, 1929.

The Manager

The Supply and Tender Department.

MEMORANDUM.

Required for the service of the House .-

One ton of 9" fire-wood (split).

H. M. [Signature]

Clerk of the House.