

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 20th January, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 30TH DECEMBER, 1953.

2. ANNOUNCEMENT.

Appointment of the Standing Law Committee.

3. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

4. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) The J.E. Joseph Trust Fund Bill, 1954.

The Colonial Secretary to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make provision for the establishment of a trust fund to be known as the J.E. Joseph Trust Fund, and for the due administration thereof, and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid."

(2) The Midwives (Amendment) Bill, 1953.

Dr. J.M. Liston to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Midwives Ordinance, Chapter 162."

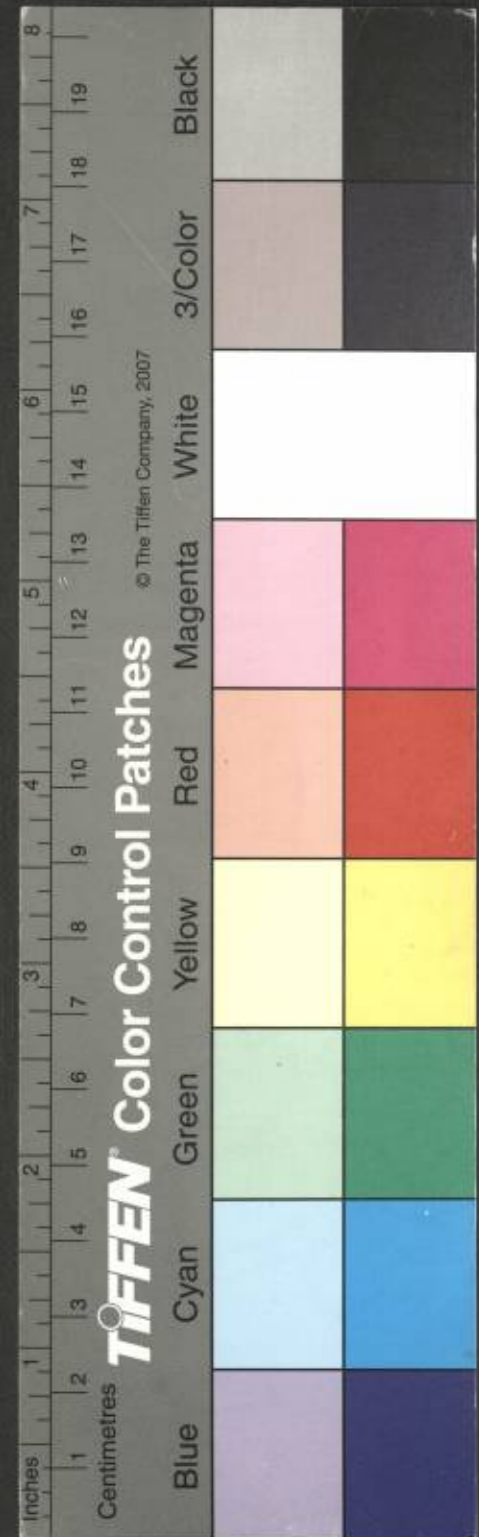
(3) The Pharmacy and Poisons (Amendment) Bill, 1953.

Dr. J.M. Liston to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, Chapter 138."

R. W. Primrose,

Deputy Clerk of Councils.



LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 10th February, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 20TH JANUARY, 1954.2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.(1) Resolution regarding gratuity for Lam Chun.

The Attorney General to move the following resolution :-

RESOLVED that a gratuity of \$1,464 be paid to LAM CHUN, formerly a chargehand linesman employed in the Post Office, who retired upon abolition of office from the public service on the 30th day of September, 1950.

(2) Resolution regarding supplementary annual allowance for Lau Shiu Chuen.

The Attorney General to move the following resolution :-

RESOLVED that LAU SHIU CHUEN, Programme Assistant, Radio Hong Kong, be granted on his retirement from the public service, in addition to such annual allowance as may be granted to him under regulation 26 of the Pensions Regulations, a supplementary annual allowance of \$873.60 and that, if the annual allowance granted under regulation 26 of the Pensions Regulations be paid in the form of a reduced annual allowance together with a gratuity, the said supplementary annual allowance be paid in like manner.

(3) The Magistrates (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance further to amend the Magistrates Ordinance, Chapter 227."

(4) The Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance further to amend the Criminal Procedure Ordinance, Chapter 221."

(5) The Urban Council (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

Mr. K. M. A. Barnett to move the First, Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Urban Council Ordinance, Chapter 101."

(6) The J. E. Joseph Trust Fund Bill, 1954.

The Colonial Secretary to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make provision for the establishment of a trust fund to be known as the J. E. Joseph Trust Fund, and for the due administration thereof, and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid."

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 3rd March, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 10TH FEBRUARY, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) The Appropriation for 1954-55 Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to apply a sum not exceeding three hundred and eighty eight million two hundred and twenty seven thousand four hundred and twenty four dollars to the Public Service of the financial year ending the 31st day of March, 1955."

(2) Resolution regarding additional pension to Cheung Lan Fong.

The Attorney General to move the following resolution :-

WHEREAS Police Constable Cheung Kwan died on the 15th day of February, 1952, as a result of injuries received -

- (a) in the actual discharge of his duty; and
- (b) without his own default; and
- (c) on account of circumstances specifically attributable to the nature of his duty;

AND WHEREAS the said Police Constable was survived by a widow Wong Yuk Chun and by a daughter Cheung Lan Fong;

AND WHEREAS the Governor in Council granted under subsection (1) of section 17 of the Pensions Ordinance a pension of \$480 a year to the said Wong Yuk Chun while unmarried and of good character and a pension of \$60 a year to the said Cheung Lan Fong payable until the 25th day of April, 1972 or until marriage whichever is the earlier;

AND WHEREAS the said Wong Yuk Chun married on the 15th day of March, 1953, and whereas from that date she has not been entitled to receive the said pension of \$480 a year;

AND WHEREAS it is provided by subsection (1) of section 17 of the Pensions Ordinance that if no pension is granted to the widow of a deceased officer the amount of the pension which may be granted to a deceased officer's child may be double the amount which may be granted to such child if a pension is granted to a widow;

AND WHEREAS it is further provided by subsection (1) of section 17 of the Pensions Ordinance that if a widow to whom a pension is granted dies the pension of a deceased officer's child may as from the date of death of the widow be double the amount which might be granted to such child during the lifetime of the deceased officer's widow;

AND WHEREAS no provision is contained in law for the increase of the pension of the child of a deceased officer on the marriage of the widow of a deceased officer;

AND WHEREAS it is considered that the pension granted to the said Cheung Lan Fong should be increased on the marriage of the said Wong Yuk Chun in like manner as if the said Wong Yuk Chun had died at the date of her said marriage;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the pension granted to Cheung Lan Fong on the death of Police Constable Cheung Kwan be increased as from the 15th day of March, 1955, from \$60 a year to \$120 a year, the same to be payable until the 25th day of April, 1972, or until the marriage of the said Cheung Lan Fong, whichever is the earlier.

(3) Markets (Amendment) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. K. M. A. Barnett to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Markets (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 16th day of February, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(4) The Magistrates (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance further to amend the Magistrates Ordinance, Chapter 227."

(5) The Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance further to amend the Criminal Procedure Ordinance, Chapter 221."

R. W. Primrose,

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 17th March, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 3RD MARCH, 1954.

2. OATHS.

Mr. Leonard Geoffrey Morgan to take the Oath of Allegiance.

3. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

4. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) The Appropriation for 1954-55 Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the Second reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to apply a sum not exceeding three hundred and eighty eight million two hundred and twenty seven thousand four hundred and twenty four dollars to the Public Service of the financial year ending the 31st day of March, 1955."

(2) Pensions (Amendment) Regulations, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the following resolution :-

Resolved, pursuant to the power conferred by section 3(3) of the Pensions Ordinance, Chapter 89, that the Pensions (Amendment) Regulations, 1954, be approved.

(3) The Wild Birds and Wild Mammals Protection Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make better provision for the conservation of wild birds and wild mammals; and for purposes connected therewith."

(4) The Protection of Women and Juveniles (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Secretary for Chinese Affairs to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Protection of Women and Juveniles Ordinance, 1951."

(5) The Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Inland Revenue Ordinance, Chapter 112."

5. UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS' MOTIONS.

(1) The Pok Oi Hospital Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Dr. Chau Sik Nin to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance for the incorporation of the Board of Directors of the Pok Oi Hospital."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 24th March, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 17TH MARCH, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) The Appropriation for 1954-55 Bill, 1954.

Resumption of debate on the Second reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to apply a sum not exceeding three hundred and eighty eight million two hundred and twenty seven thousand four hundred and twenty four dollars to the Public Service of the financial year ending the 31st day of March, 1955."

The Colonial Secretary to move :-

That the Report of the Select Committee to which was referred the Appropriation for 1954-55 Bill, 1954 together with the draft Estimates, be adopted.

Committee Stage of the Appropriation for 1954-55 Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the Third reading of the said Bill.

(2) Resolution regarding Estimates.

The Financial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Estimates of revenue and expenditure for the financial year 1954-55 together with the amendments proposed by the Select Committee be approved.

(3) The Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Landlord and Tenant Ordinance, Chapter 255, and the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953."

(4) The Wild Birds and Wild Mammals Protection Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make better provision for the conservation of wild birds and wild mammals; and for purposes connected therewith."

(5) The Protection of Women and Juveniles (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Secretary for Chinese Affairs to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Protection of Women and Juveniles Ordinance, 1951."

4. UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS' MOTIONS.

(1) The Pok Oi Hospital Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Dr. Chau Sik Nin to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance for the incorporation of the Board of Directors of the Pok Oi Hospital."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 7th April, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 24TH MARCH, 1954.

2. OATHS.

Mr. Harold Giles Richards, O.B.E., to take the Oath of Allegiance.

3. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

4. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Supplementary Provisions for the quarter ended 31st December, 1953.

The Financial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Supplementary Provisions for the quarter ended 31st December, 1953, as set out in Schedule No. 3 of 1953/54, be approved.

(2) The Housing Bill, 1954.

The Colonial Secretary to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to provide for the establishment and functions of a Housing Authority and for purposes connected therewith."

(3) The Volunteer and Naval Volunteer (Validation of Pay and Allowances) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to validate payments of pay and allowances to members of the Hong Kong Naval Volunteer Force and to officers and volunteers of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps who were called out on actual service and on actual military service during the Second World War 1939-45."

(4) The Prisons Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend and consolidate the law relating to prisons and persons employed therein."

(5) The Stamp (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Stamp Ordinance, Chapter 117."

(6) The Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Landlord and Tenant Ordinance, Chapter 255, and the Landlord and Tenant (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953."

5. UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS' MOTIONS.

(1) The Daughters of Mary Help of Christians Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Dr. A.M. Rodrigues to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance for the incorporation of the Mother Provincial in the Colony of the Institute of the Daughters of Mary Help of Christians."

(2) The Portuguese Community Schools Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Dr. A.M. Rodrigues to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of the Board of Governors of the Portuguese Community Schools."

(3) The Emmanuel Church Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Mr. Kwok Chan to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance for the incorporation of the Minister and Board of Trustees of The Emmanuel Church."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 14th April, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 7TH APRIL, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Swimming Pools (Amendment) By-Laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Swimming Pools (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 30th day of March, 1954, under section 4 of the Public Health (Sanitation) Ordinance, 1935, be approved.

(2) The Urban Council (Commissioner for Resettlement) Bill, 1954.

The Colonial Secretary to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make provision for the Commissioner for Resettlement to be temporarily a member of the Urban Council."

(3) The Volunteer and Naval Volunteer (Validation of Pay and Allowances) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to validate payments of pay and allowances to members of the Hong Kong Naval Volunteer Force and to officers and volunteers of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps who were called out on actual service and on actual military service during the Second World War 1939-45."

(4) The Prisons Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend and consolidate the law relating to prisons and persons employed therein."

(5) The Stamp (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Stamp Ordinance, Chapter 117."

4. UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS' MOTIONS.

(1) The Daughters of Mary Help of Christians Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Dr. A.M. Rodrigues to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance for the incorporation of the Mother Provincial in the Colony of the Institute of the Daughters of Mary Help of Christians."

(2) The Portuguese Community Schools Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Dr. A.M. Rodrigues to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of the Board of Governors of the Portuguese Community Schools."

(3) The Emmanuel Church Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Mr. Kwok Chan to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance for the incorporation of the Minister and Board of Trustees of The Emmanuel Church."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 28th April, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 14TH APRIL, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) The Crown Agents (Change of Designation) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make provision to give effect in the laws of the Colony to a change in the designation of the Crown Agents for the Colonies."

(2) The Housing Bill, 1954.

The Colonial Secretary to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to provide for the establishment and functions of a Housing Authority and for purposes connected therewith."

(3) The Urban Council (Commissioner for Resettlement) Bill, 1954.

The Colonial Secretary to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make provision for the Commissioner for Resettlement to be temporarily a member of the Urban Council."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 19th May, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 28TH APRIL, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Emergency (Resettlement Areas) (Amendment) General Rules, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Emergency (Resettlement Areas) (Amendment) General Rules, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 27th day of April, 1954, under regulation 10 of the Emergency (Resettlement Areas) Regulations, 1952, be approved.

(2) The Pensions (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Pensions Ordinance, Chapter 89."

(3) The Celluloid and Cinematograph Film (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend further the Celluloid and Cinematograph Film Ordinance, 1925."

(4) The Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the Second reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Inland Revenue Ordinance, Chapter 112."

(5) The Crown Agents (Change of Designation) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make provision to give effect in the laws of the Colony to a change in the designation of the Crown Agents for the Colonies."

(6) The Police Officers (Special Cases) Pensions Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to provide for the grant of a supplementary pension to certain police officers who on transfer to service in this Colony whilst under military administration lost pension rights acquired by service in various county, borough and city police forces in the United Kingdom."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 2nd June, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 19TH MAY, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Food Shops (Amendment) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Food Shops (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 11th day of May, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(2) Schedule of Write-offs for the Financial Year 1953/54.

The Financial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Write-offs for the financial year 1953/54, as set out in the Schedule, be approved.

(3) The Pensions (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Pensions Ordinance, Chapter 89."

(4) The Celluloid and Cinematograph Film (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend further the Celluloid and Cinematograph Film Ordinance, 1925."

4. UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S MOTION.

(1) The Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Mr. Ngan Shing-Kwan to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance for the incorporation of the Executive Committee of The Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital."

R. W. Primrose,

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 16th June, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 2ND JUNE, 1954.

2. OATH.

Mr. John Arthur Blackwood to take the Oath of Allegiance.

3. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

4. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Kai Tak Airport.

The Colonial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that this Council approves the scheme for the development of Kai Tak airport which is estimated to cost \$96½ million and is based on the construction of a single runway and overrun 7500 feet long and 700 feet wide resting upon a reclamation of Kowloon Bay.

(2) Bank Notes Issue Ordinance, Chapter 65.

The Financial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

Resolved pursuant to the proviso to section 5 of the Bank Notes Issue Ordinance that this Council hereby extends the powers of all the note-issuing banks to make, issue, re-issue and circulate notes until and including the 12th day of July, 1955.

(3) Supplementary Provisions for the quarter ended 31st March, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Supplementary provisions for the quarter ended 31st March, 1954, as set out in Schedule No. 4 of 1953/54, be approved.

(4) Markets (Amendment) (No. 2) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Markets (Amendment) (No. 2) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 8th day of June, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(5) The Public Health (Sanitation) (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Public Health (Sanitation) Ordinance, 1955."

(6) The Immigrants Control (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Immigrants Control Ordinance, Chapter 243."

(7) The Land Transactions (Enemy Occupation) (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance further to amend the Land Transactions (Enemy Occupation) Ordinance, Chapter 256."

5. UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S MOTION.

(1) The Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Mr. Ngan Shing-Kwan to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance for the incorporation of the Executive Committee of The Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital."

R. W. Primrose,

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 30th June, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 16TH JUNE, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) The Alien Enemies (Re-vesting of Trade Marks) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make provision for the re-vesting of trade marks of former alien enemies in their proprietors or successors in title."

(2) The Public Health (Sanitation) (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Public Health (Sanitation) Ordinance, 1955."

(3) The Immigrants Control (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Immigrants Control Ordinance, Chapter 243."

(4) The Land Transactions (Enemy Occupation) (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance further to amend the Land Transactions (Enemy Occupation) Ordinance, Chapter 256."

4. UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S MOTION.

(1) The Tsimshatsui Baptist Church Bill, 1954.

Dr. Chau Sik Nin to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Tsimshatsui Baptist Church."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 14th July, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 30TH JUNE, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Resolution regarding additional pension for dependants of G.A. Hudson.

The Colonial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

WHEREAS -

- (1) George Alfred Hudson, Sergeant of the Police Force (hereinafter referred to as "the deceased officer") was killed on duty on the 12th day of December, 1941;
- (2) Sarah Maria Hudson, the widow of the said George Alfred Hudson (hereinafter referred to as "the widow") has been granted an ex gratia pension calculated at the rate of one-sixth of the pensionable emoluments of the deceased officer at the date of his death;
- (3) Sally Anne Rosalie Hudson and Georgina Lois Myfanwy Hudson, daughters of the deceased officer, have each been granted an ex gratia pension calculated at the rate of one-eighth of the widow's pension up to the date of marriage or the age of eighteen years, whichever is the earlier; and
- (4) It is desired that the pensions granted to the widow and the said daughters should be increased as from the 15th day of December, 1941, to the amounts permissible in exceptional cases under the provisions of section 17 of the Pensions Ordinance, Chapter 89, and be subject to the conditions therein prescribed;

RESOLVED that in substitution of the aforesaid ex gratia pensions granted to the widow and daughters of the deceased officer there be granted as from the 15th day of December, 1941, ex gratia pensions as follows -

- (a) to the widow while unmarried and of good character at the rate of one-fourth of the annual pensionable emoluments of the deceased officer at the date of his death;
- (b) to each of the said daughters of the deceased officer at the rate of one-eighth of the amount prescribed in the preceding paragraph until the age of twenty-one years or until marriage, whichever be the earlier.

(2) The Pensions Ordinance, Chapter 89.

The Colonial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

RESOLVED that, wherever a gratuity is payable under regulation 29 of the Pensions Regulations to the dependants of a non-pensionable officer whose service is terminated by his death, the Governor may grant an ex-gratia addition to such gratuity; Provided that the total amount of the gratuity paid under regulation 29 of the Pensions Regulations and such ex-gratia addition shall not exceed a total of twelve months' salary and cost of living allowance.

(3) Markets (Amendment) (No. 3) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H. G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

RESOLVED that the Markets (Amendment) (No. 3) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 6th day of July, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(4) Slaughter-houses (Amendment) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H. G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

RESOLVED that the Slaughter-houses (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 6th day of July, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(5) The Rating (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Rating Ordinance, Chapter 116."

(6) The Alien Enemies (Re-vesting of Trade Marks) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make provision for the re-vesting of trade marks of former alien enemies in their proprietors or successors in title."

4. UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S MOTION.

(1) The Tsimshatsui Baptist Church Bill, 1954.

Dr. Chau Sik Nin to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Tsimshatsui Baptist Church."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 28th July, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 14TH JULY, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Resolution regarding additional pension to Cheung Lan Fong.

The Colonial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

WHEREAS by resolution made and passed by the Legislative Council on the 3rd day of March, 1954, it was resolved that the pension granted to Cheung Lan Fong on the death of Police Constable Cheung Kwan be increased as from the 15th day of March, 1953, from \$60 a year to \$120 a year, the same to be payable until the 25th day of April, 1972, or until the marriage of the said Cheung Lan Fong, whichever is the earlier;

AND WHEREAS the said resolution was made and passed on the erroneous premise that the said Cheung Lan Fong had been granted a pension of \$60 a year whereas in fact that pension had been increased, by reason of a resolution made and passed by the Legislative Council on the 17th day of December, 1952, to \$97.50 a year;

AND WHEREAS the reason for making and passing the said resolution on the 3rd day of March, 1954, as stated in the preamble thereto, was to increase the pension granted to the said Cheung Lan Fong on the marriage of Wong Yuk Chun, widow of the said Police Constable, in like manner as if the said Wong Yuk Chun had died on her said marriage.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the resolution made and passed by the Legislative Council on the 3rd day of March, 1954, have effect as though it had authorized the increase of the pension granted to Cheung Lan Fong from \$97.50 a year to \$195 a year.

(2) Resolution regarding gratuity for Magh Singh.

The Colonial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

WHEREAS -

- (1) Magh Singh, P.C.B. 480 joined the Hong Kong Police Force on the 9th February, 1938, and was selected to return to the Colony from India after the liberation of Hong Kong;
- (2) He reported at Calcutta in 1947, but for private reasons was prevented from continuing his journey to Hong Kong;
- (3) It was decided to terminate his services as from the 28th January, 1948;
- (4) It is considered that he should be deemed to have retired on abolition of office;
- (5) No provision is made in the Police Pensions Regulations made under the Police Force Ordinance, No. 37 of 1932,

for the payment of gratuities on abolition of office;

- (6) It is considered that an ex gratia payment of a gratuity computed as though he had been invalided with less than ten years' service should be paid to this officer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Magh Singh be paid an ex gratia gratuity of \$307.42.

- (3) Resolution regarding gratuities for dependants of Teja Singh and Jarnail Singh

The Colonial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

WHEREAS -

- (1) The late Teja Singh P.C.B. 162 and Jarnail Singh P.C.B. 525 were killed in the discharge of their duties as Police officers;
- (2) Provision is made in the Police Pensions Regulations, made under the Police Force Ordinance, No. 37 of 1932, for the payment of a pension to the widows and orphans but not to the parents of such officers;
- (3) The said Teja Singh and Jarnail Singh left no widows or orphans;
- (4) It is considered that an ex gratia payment of a gratuity equivalent to a commuted pension should be paid to the dependant of each of the said officers :

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Ishar Singh the father of the late Teja Singh and Ram Kaur the mother of the late Jarnail Singh each be paid ex gratia a gratuity of \$500.

- (4) Milk and Dairies (Amendment) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H. G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

RESOLVED that the Milk and Dairies (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 6th day of July, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

- (5) Restaurants and Food Stalls (Amendment) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H. G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

RESOLVED that the Restaurants and Food Stalls (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 6th day of July, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

- (6) Telephone Ordinance, 1951.

The Financial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

RESOLVED pursuant to subsection (2) of section 29 of the Telephone Ordinance, 1951, that as from the 30th day of July, 1954, the Schedule to the said Ordinance be amended by the addition to Part V of the following new item :-

"4. For every call from a Pay Station. 30 cents."

- (7) The Mining Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make better provision with regard to prospecting for minerals and mining, and for purposes connected therewith."

- (8) Supreme Court (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Supreme Court Ordinance, Chapter 4."

- (9) Fire Brigade Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make better provision as to the constitution, duties and powers of the Fire Brigade and as to the discipline of members thereof and to make provision for a welfare fund; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 11th August, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 28TH JULY, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Laundries (Amendment) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Laundries (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 20th day of July, 1954, under section 4 of the Public Health (Sanitation) Ordinance, 1935, be approved.

(2) The Rating (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Rating Ordinance, Chapter 116."

(3) The Mining Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make better provision with regard to prospecting for minerals and mining, and for purposes connected therewith."

(4) Supreme Court (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Supreme Court Ordinance, Chapter 4."

(5) Fire Brigade Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make better provision as to the constitution, duties and powers of the Fire Brigade and as to the discipline of members thereof and to make provision for a welfare fund; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid."

R. W. Primrose,

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 25th August, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 11TH AUGUST, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Resolution regarding gratuity for Lam Chun.

The Colonial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

WHEREAS -

- (1) It was resolved on the 10th day of February, 1954, by a resolution made and passed on the said day and published in the Gazette as Gazette Notification No. A.14 in Supplement No. 2 that a gratuity of \$1,464 be paid to Lam Chun, formerly a charge-hand linesman employed in the Post Office, who retired upon abolition of office from the public service on the 30th day of September, 1950;
- (2) The said sum was equivalent to that payable under regulation 27 of the Pensions Regulations in similar circumstances;
- (3) The proviso in the said regulation 27 limiting the total amount of the gratuity payable thereunder was deleted from the said regulation by amending regulations published in the Gazette as Gazette Notification No. A.51 of 1954;
- (4) The said amending regulations had retrospective effect to the 9th day of December, 1949;
- (5) By reason of the said amending regulations the said Lam Chun would have received a further sum of \$219.60, had he been eligible for a pension under the said regulation 27.

RESOLVED that a further gratuity of \$219.60 be paid to the said Lam Chun.

(2) The Mining Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to make better provision with regard to prospecting for minerals and mining, and for purposes connected therewith."

4. UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S MOTION.

(1) The Hoseinee Society of Hong Kong Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Mr. Dhun J. Ruttonjee to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of the Hoseinee Society of Hong Kong."

R. W. Prinrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 8th September, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 25TH AUGUST, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Advertisement (Amendment) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Advertisement (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 17th day of August, 1954, under section 3 of the Advertisements Regulation Ordinance, Chapter 52, be approved.

(2) The Pensions (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Pensions Ordinance, Chapter 89."

(3) The Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the First reading of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to amend the Inland Revenue Ordinance, Chapter 112."

4. UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S MOTION.

(1) The Hoseinee Society of Hong Kong Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Mr. Dhun J. Ruttonjee to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled : "An Ordinance to provide for the incorporation of the Hoseinee Society of Hong Kong."

R. W. Primrose,
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 22nd September, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 8TH SEPTEMBER, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Supplementary Provisions for the quarter ended 31st March, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the following resolution:-

Resolved that the Supplementary Provisions for the quarter ended 31st March, 1954, as set out in Schedule No. 5 of 1953/54, be approved.

(2) Supplementary Provisions for the quarter ended 30th June, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the following resolution:-

Resolved that the Supplementary Provisions for the quarter ended 30th June, 1954, as set out in Schedule No. 1 of 1954/55, be approved.

(3) Markets (Amendment) (No. 4) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution:-

Resolved that the Markets (Amendment) (No. 4) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 31st day of August, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(4) The Gambling (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Gambling Ordinance, Chapter 148."

(5) The Pensions (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Pensions Ordinance, Chapter 89."

(6) The Inland Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Inland Revenue Ordinance, Chapter 112."

4. UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S MOTION.

(1) The Services Welfare Association Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Mr. Lawrence Kadoorie to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled; "An Ordinance to incorporate a body of trustees capable of holding property for the purposes of the welfare of Her Majesty's Forces in the Colony."

(R. W. Primrose)
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 6th October, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 22ND SEPTEMBER, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) The Trade Marks Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend and consolidate the law relating to the registration of trade marks."

(2) The Corporal Punishment Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend and consolidate the law touching corporal punishment."

(3) The Magistrates (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Magistrates Ordinance, Chapter 227."

(4) The Nurses Registration (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

Dr. Yeo Kok Cheang to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Nurses Registration Ordinance, Chapter 164."

(5) The Gambling (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Gambling Ordinance, Chapter 148."

4. UNOFFICIAL MEMBER'S MOTION.

(1) The Services Welfare Association Incorporation Bill, 1954.

Mr. Lawrence Kadoorie to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to incorporate a body of trustees capable of holding property for the purposes of the welfare of Her Majesty's Forces in the Colony."

R. W. Primrose
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 20th October, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 6TH OCTOBER, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Legal Practitioners (Amendment) Regulations, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the following resolution:-

Resolved that the Legal Practitioners (Amendment) Regulations, 1954, made by the Acting Chief Justice on the 18th day of October, 1954, under section 18 of the Legal Practitioners Ordinance, Chapter 159, be approved.

(2) Markets (Amendment) (No. 5) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution:-

Resolved that the Markets (Amendment) (No. 5) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 28th day of September, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(3) Restaurants and Food Stalls (Amendment) (No. 2) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution:-

Resolved that the Restaurants and Food Stalls (Amendment) (No. 2) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 28th day of September, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(4) Conservancy (Amendment) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution:-

Resolved that the Conservancy (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 28th day of September, 1954, under section 4 of the Public Health (Sanitation) Ordinance, 1935, be approved.

(5) The Supplementary Appropriation (1953-54) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to authorize a supplementary appropriation to defray the charges of the financial year ended the 31st day of March, 1954."

(6) The Corporal Punishment Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend and consolidate the law touching corporal punishment."

(7) The Magistrates (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Magistrates Ordinance, Chapter 227."

(8) The Nurses Registration (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

Dr. Yeo Kok Cheang to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Nurses Registration Ordinance, Chapter 164."

R. W. Primrose
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 3rd November, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 20TH OCTOBER, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) The Army Legal Services Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to enable the Deputy Assistant Director of Army Legal Services, Hong Kong, to practise as a solicitor of the Supreme Court in certain cases and subject to certain conditions."

(2) The Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1953."

(3) The Defamation and Libel (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Defamation and Libel Ordinance, Chapter 21."

(4) The Business Regulation (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Business Regulation Ordinance, 1952."

(5) The Supplementary Appropriation (1953-54) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to authorize a supplementary appropriation to defray the charges of the financial year ended the 31st day of March, 1954."

R. W. Primrose
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 17th November, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 3RD NOVEMBER, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) The Urban Council (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance further to amend the Urban Council Ordinance, Chapter 101."

(2) The Army Legal Services Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to enable the Deputy Assistant Director of Army Legal Services, Hong Kong, to practise as a solicitor of the Supreme Court in certain cases and subject to certain conditions."

(3) The Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1953."

(4) The Defamation and Libel (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Defamation and Libel Ordinance, Chapter 21."

(5) The Business Regulation (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Business Regulation Ordinance, 1952."

(6) The Trade Marks Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend and consolidate the law relating to the registration of trade marks."

R. W. Primrose
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 1st December, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 17TH NOVEMBER, 1954.
2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.
3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

- (1) Resolution regarding the Pensions Ordinance, Chapter 89.

The Colonial Secretary to move the following resolution:-

RESOLVED that the Resolution made and passed by the Legislative Council on the 14th day of July, 1954, and published in Supplement No. 2 of the Gazette as Notification No. A.90, be amended by the insertion after the word "grant" in the fourth line thereof of the following -

"whether or not such death occurred prior to the coming into force of this Resolution,".

- (2) Milk and Dairies (Amendment) (No. 2) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution:-

Resolved that the Milk and Dairies (Amendment) (No. 2) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 9th day of November, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

- (3) The Wild Birds and Wild Mammals Protection (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Wild Birds and Wild Mammals Protection Ordinance, 1954."

- (4) The Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1953."

- (5) The Urban Council (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance further to amend the Urban Council Ordinance, Chapter 101."

R. W. Primrose
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 15th December, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 1ST DECEMBER, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Resolution regarding gratuities for dependants of the late Bakshish Singh, Jagmal Singh, Balwant Singh and Piara Singh.

The Colonial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

WHEREAS -

- (1) The late Bakshish Singh P.S.B. 235, Jagmal Singh P.S.B. 40, Balwant Singh P.C.B. 423 and Piara Singh P.C.B. 809 were killed in the discharge of their duties as Police Officers;
- (2) Provision was made in the Police Pensions Regulations made under the Police Force Ordinance, No. 37 of 1932, (now repealed), for the payment of a pension to the widows and orphans but not to the parents of such officers;
- (3) The said Bakshish Singh, Jagmal Singh, Balwant Singh and Piara Singh left no widows or orphans;
- (4) It is considered that an ex gratia payment of a gratuity equivalent to a commuted pension should be paid to the dependant of each of the said officers:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Shri Kehar Singh father of the late Bakshish Singh, and Shri Ralla Singh father of the late Jagmal Singh, and Mst. Mohan Kaur mother of the late Balwant Singh, and Mst. Mohan Kaur mother of the late Piara Singh, each be paid ex gratia a gratuity of \$500.

(2) Illegal Strikes and Lock-Outs Ordinance, Chapter 61.

The Attorney General to move the following resolution:-

Resolved pursuant to section 8 of the Illegal Strikes and Lock-Outs Ordinance, Chapter 61, that the duration of the said Ordinance be extended for the term of one year with effect from the 1st January, 1955.

(3) Societies Ordinance, Chapter 151.

The Attorney General to move the following resolution:-

Resolved, pursuant to section 26 of the Societies Ordinance, Chapter 151, that the duration of the said Ordinance be extended for the term of one year with effect from the 1st January, 1955.

(4) The Tallyclerks (Licensing) (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Tallyclerks (Licensing) Ordinance, Chapter 85."

(5) The Training Centres (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Training Centres Ordinance, 1953."

(6) The Widows and Orphans Pension (Archibald Grasson Freebairn) (Exemption) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to make special provision to exempt Archibald Grasson Freebairn from the obligation to be a contributor under the Widows and Orphans Pension Ordinance and to refund to the said Archibald Grasson Freebairn contributions made by him under the said Ordinance."

(7) The Air Armament Practice (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the First reading of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Air Armament Practice Ordinance, Chapter 194."

(8) The Wild Birds and Wild Mammals Protection (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Wild Birds and Wild Mammals Protection Ordinance, 1954."

(9) The Workmen's Compensation (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of:-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1953."

R. W. Primrose
Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 29th December, 1954, at 2.30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 15th DECEMBER, 1954.

2. PAPERS TO BE LAID.

3. GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

(1) Supplementary Provisions for the quarter ended 30th September, 1954.

The Financial Secretary to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Supplementary Provisions for the quarter ended 30th September, 1954, as set out in Schedule No. 2 of 1954/55, be approved.

(2) Reconstituted Milk and Cream (Amendment) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Reconstituted Milk and Cream (Amendment) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 7th day of December, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(3) Milk and Dairies (Amendment) (No. 3) By-laws, 1954.

Mr. H.G. Richards to move the following resolution :-

Resolved that the Milk and Dairies (Amendment) (No. 3) By-laws, 1954, made by the Urban Council on the 21st day of December, 1954, under section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, Chapter 140, be approved.

(4) The Tallyclerks (Licensing) (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Tallyclerks (Licensing) Ordinance, Chapter 85."

(5) The Training Centres (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to amend the Training Centres Ordinance, 1953."

(6) The Widows and Orphans Pension (Archibald Grasson Freebairn) (Exemption) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

A Bill intituled: "An Ordinance to make special provision to exempt Archibald Grasson Freebairn from the obligation to be a contributor under the Widows and Orphans Pension Ordinance and to refund to the said Archibald Grasson Freebairn contributions made by him under the said Ordinance."

(7) The Air Armament Practice (Amendment) Bill, 1954.

The Attorney General to move the Second and Third readings of :-

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