



REGISTER OF TABLED PAPERS

**ALL SIX SESSIONS OF THE
EIGHTH PARLIAMENT**

January 1879 to July 1883

Papers received in the recess prior to the First Session

13 January 1879

- 1 Writ for Joshua Peter Bell as a Member for the Electoral District of Northern Downs.
- 2 Writ for Peter McLean as a Member for the Electoral District of Logan.

FIRST SESSION OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

14 January 1879

- 3 Commission to administer the Oath or Affirmation of Allegiance to Members.
- 22 Writ and Oath for George Morris Simpson as the Member for the Electoral District of Dalby.
Writ and Oath for William Lambert Forbes as the Member for the Electoral District of Clermont.
Writ and Oath for John Scott as a Member for the Electoral District of Leichhardt.
Writ and Oath for Francis Tyssen Amhurst as the Member for the Electoral District of Mackay.
Writ and Oath for Archibald Archer as the Member for the Electoral District of Blackall.
Writ and Oath for William Henry Baynes as the Member for the Electoral District of Burnett.
Writ and Oath for Joshua Peter Bell as the Member for the Electoral District of Northern Downs.
Writ and Oath for Samuel Grimes as the Member for the Electoral District of Oxley.
Writ and Oath for John Hamilton as the Member for the Electoral District of Gympie
Writ and Oath for John Deane as the Member for the Electoral District of Townsville.
Writ and Oath for Charles Lumley Hill as the Member for the Electoral District of Gregory.
Writ and Oath for Henry Rogers Beor as the Member for the Electoral District of Bowen.
Writ and Oath for Thomas Macdonald Patterson as the Member for the Electoral District of Rockhampton.
Writ and Oaths for William Henry Groom and George Henry Davenport as the Members for the Electoral District of Drayton and Toowoomba.
Writ and Oaths for James Robert Dickson and Arthur Rutledge as the Members for the Electoral District of Enoggera.
Writ and Oaths for John Douglas and Henry Edward King as the Members for the Electoral District of Maryborough.
Writ and Oath for James Francis Garrick as the Member for the Electoral District of Moreton.
Writ and Oath for William Hendren as the Member for the Electoral District of Bundamba.
Writ and Oath for Jacob Horwitz as the Member for the Electoral District of Warwick.
Writ and Oaths for Patrick O'Sullivan and William Kellett as the Members for the Electoral District of Stanley.
Writ and Oath for James Lalor as the Member for the Electoral District of Maranoa.

Writ and Oaths for John Malbon Thompson and John Macfarlane as the Members for the Electoral District of Ipswich.
 Writ and Oath for Thomas Mc Ilwraith as the Member for the Electoral District of Mulgrave.
 Writ and Oath for Peter McLean as the Member for the Electoral District of Logan.
 Writ and Oath for Archibald Meston as the Member for the Electoral District of Rosewood.
 Writ and Oath for Boyd Dunlop Morehead as the Member for the Electoral District of Mitchell.
 Writ and Oath for Albert Norton as the Member for the Electoral District of Port Curtis.
 Writ and Oaths for Francis Horace Stublely and Henry Wyndham Palmer as the Members for the Electoral District of Kennedy.
 Writ and Oath for Patrick Perkins as the Member for the Electoral District of Aubigny.
 Writ and Oath for Ratcliffe Pring as the Member for the Electoral District of Fortitude Valley.
 Writ and Oath for Ernest James Stevens as the Member for the Electoral District of Warrego.
 Writ and Oath for John Stevenson as the Member for the Electoral District of Normanby.
 Writ and Oath for Frederick Foulkes Swanwick as the Member for the Electoral District of Bulimba.
 Writ and Oath for John De Poix Tyrel as the Member for the Electoral District of Carnarvon.
 Writ and Oaths for William Miles and Francis Kates as the Members for the Electoral District of Darling Downs.
 Writ and Oaths for Samuel Walker Griffith and Arthur Hunter Palmer as the Members for the Electoral District of North Brisbane.
 Writ and Oaths for Richard Ash Kingsford and Angus Mackay as the Members for the Electoral District of South Brisbane.

15 January 1879

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| 4 | Speaker's Commission to administer the Oath or Affirmation of Allegiance to Members. |
| 5 | Preliminary Report on the Geological Features of part of the coast range between the Dalrymple and Charters Towers Roads. |
| 6 | Statistics of the Colony of Queensland for the year 1877. |
| 7 | Proclamation, dated 13 December, 1878, containing Regulations under the Diseased Animals Act re Importation of stock. |
| 8 | By-Law for the Municipality of Charters Towers. |
| 9 | Report on the Burrum Coal Mines. |
| 10 | Correspondence in relation to the Townsville and Charters Towers Railway and appointments of Chief Engineers. |
| 11 | Trade Marks Bill 1879. |
| 12 | Governor's Opening Speech. |
| 13 | Fourth Annual Report of the Auditor-General accompanied by the Public Accounts for the year ended 30 June, 1878. |
| 14 | Despatch relating to the New Maritime Boundary of Queensland. |
| 15 | Despatch relating to disease among the sugarcanes in Puerto Rico. |
| 16 | Dispatch referring to the Title of Honourable bestowed by Her Majesty the Queen on Messieurs Bell, Douglas, Murray -Prior, Welsh, Thompson, Thorn and Griffith. |
| 17 | Despatch referring to the Imperial Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act of 1878. |
| 18 | Despatch referring to the completion of Mr Bentham's Flora Australiensis. |
| 19 | Correspondence and papers etc., in connection with the contract with the A.S.N. Co. for the conveyance of mails between Brisbane and Northern Ports of Queensland. |

- 20 Report of the Condition of the Water Supply of the town of Warwick.
 21 Preliminary Report relating to the Bowen River Coal Fields.
 Writ and Oaths for John Walsh and Frederick Augustus Cooper as the Members for the Electoral District of Cook.
 Writ and Oaths for William Gill Bailey and Thomas Price as the Members for the Electoral District of Wide Bay.
 Writ and Oath for Roger Hale Sheaffe as the Member for the Electoral District of Burke.
 Writ and Oath for William Rae as a Member for the Electoral District of Rockhampton.
 Writ and Oath for William Sheffield Paul as a Member for the Electoral District of Leichhardt.
 Writ and Oath for Jacob Low as the Member for the Electoral District of Balonne.
 Writ and Oath for De burgh Fitzpatrick Persse as the Member for the Electoral District of Fassifern.
 23 Speaker's Warrant appointing Henry Rogers Beor, Richard Ash Kingsford, Jacob Low, John Macfarlane, Thomas Macdonald Paterson, De Burgh Fitzpatrick Persse and Boyd Dunlop Morehead as Members of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications for the present Session.

16 January 1879

- 24 Regulations under the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876.
 25 Treasurers Annual Statement.
 26 Saving Bank Securities.

21 January 1879

- 27 Balances of Appropriation now available for 1878-9
 28 Appropriation Bill 1879.
 29 Petition from William Graham, a candidate at the last election for the Electoral District of Darling Downs, alleging that he was a candidate for the representation of the district of Darling Downs; that the Returning Officer of the said district did not comply with the terms of the Electoral Act of 1874, in that the aforesaid candidate did not, according to the tenor of the said Act, sign the requisite document necessitated by the provisions of the said Act; and further that the said Returning Officer omitted from the Ballot Papers used at the several Polling Places for the district his name as Candidate thereat; and praying that a new election may be had for the said Electoral District.
 30 Estimates of Expenditure for the half-year ending 30 June, 1879 and Supplementary Estimates for the half-year ending 30 June, 1879.
 32 Gazette Notice referring to the appointment of Ministers.
 33 Oaths of Henry Rogers Beor, Richard Ash Kingsford, Jacob Low, John Macfarlane, Thomas Macdonald Paterson, De Burgh Fitzpatrick Persse and Boyd Dunlop Morehead as Members of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications for the present Session.

22 January 1879

- 31 Return of all money received, paid, and invested in respect of the estates of deceased persons, administered by the Curator of Intestate Estates from the first day of July to the thirty-first day of December, 1878, under the Intestacy Act of 1877.
 34 Speaker's Warrant appointing Archibald Archer as a Member of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications for the present Session.

SECOND SESSION OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

13 May 1879

- 35 Writ and Oath for Arthur Hunter Palmer as a Member for the Electoral District of North Brisbane.
- 36 Writ and Oath for Patrick Perkins as a Member for the Electoral District of Aubigny.
- 37 Writ for John Malbon Thompson as a Member for the Electoral District of Ipswich.
- 38 Writ and Oath for Thomas McIlwraith as the Member for the Electoral District of Mulgrave.
- 39 Writ and Oath for John Murtagh Macrossan as the Member for the Electoral District of Townsville.
- 40 Writ and Oath for Henry Weld-Blundell as the Member for the Electoral District of Clermont.
- 41 Writ and Oath for George Thorn as the Member for the Electoral District of Northern Downs.
- 42 Writ and Oath for John Macfarlane as the Member for the Electoral District of Leichhardt.
- 43 Return of all the Teachers employed in State, Non-vested, and Provisional Schools on 1 May, 1879, with their salaries and allowances.
- 44 Further correspondence in relation to the nomination of Members to the Legislative Council.
- 45 Third Progress Report on Queensland Defences.
- 46 Report on the Destruction of Marsupials.
- 47 Report of the Registrar of Brands for the year 1878.
- 48 Report of the Chief Inspector of Stock for the year 1878.
- 49 Annual Report of the Agent-General for Immigration, Queensland, for 1878.
- 50 Report of the Commissioner for Police for the year 1878.
- 51 Despatch forwarding a letter from His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, relative to the part taken by certain of Her Majesty's Colonies in the Paris Exhibition.
- 52 Despatch referring to a Treaty between Her Majesty and the King of Spain, for the mutual surrender of fugitive criminals.
- 53 Despatch referring to Pearl Shell Fisheries in Torres Strait.
- 54 Despatch announcing the death of Her Royal Highness the Grand Duchess of Hesse, Princess Alice of Great Britain and Ireland.
- 55 Despatch referring to Termination of certain Commercial Treaties now in force between Great Britain and France.
- 56 Acts passed in the Fifth Session of the Seventh Parliament of Queensland.
- 57 Despatch acknowledging Message of Condolence to Her Majesty the Queen respecting the death of Her Royal Highness the Grand Duchess of Hesse, Princess Alice of Great Britain and Ireland.
- 58 Further Despatch referring to Sugar-Cane disease in Queensland.
- 59 Despatch referring to the Queens Commission appointing the President of the Legislative Council to be Administrator of the Government of the Colony of Queensland in the absence, etc., of the Governor.
- 60 Report of the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into The Working of the Real Property Acts of 1861-1877; together with Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Commission and Appendices.
- 61 Memorandum for the Honourable the Colonial Secretary on the Report of the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the Working of the Real Property Office.
- 62 By-Laws relating to the Municipalities of Toowoomba, Charters Towers, Cooktown and Rockhampton.

- 63 Return of Applications accepted under the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876, received at the Public Lands Office from each district of the Colony, from 1 January to 31 December, 1878.
- 64 Report of the Engineer of Roads, S.D., on work carried out in the Southern Division during the year 1878.
- 65 Report on Works carried out by the Department of Engineer of Roads, Central Division, during the year 1878.
- 66 Report on Works carried out under the Colonial Architect's Department during the year 1878.
- 67 Report of the Inspector of Road Surveys, for the year 1878.
- 68 General Report of Engineer in Charge of Waterworks.
- 69 Report by Robert L. Jack, Geological Surveyor, Northern District, on the Geology and Mineral Resources of the district between Charters Towers goldfields and the coast.
- 70 Report of the Chief Engineer, S.D., on economical railway construction.
- 71 Report upon the General Working of the Railway Department during the year ending 31 December, 1878.
- 72 Matrimonial Causes Bill 1879.
- 73 Estimates of the Expenditure of the Government of Queensland for the half-year ending 30 June, 1879.
- 74 Governor's Opening Speech.

14 May 1879

- 75 Financial Districts Bill 1879.
- 76 Mines Regulation Bill 1879.
- 77 Divisional Boards Bill 1879.
- 78 Electoral Rolls Bill 1879.
- 79 Queensland Coast Island Bill 1879.
- 80 Licensing Boards Bill 1879.
- 81 Criminal Expulsion Bill 1879.
- 82 Impounding Act Amendment Bill 1879.
- 83 Sale of Food and Drugs Bill 1879
- 84 Election of Members during Recess Bill 1879.
- 85 Stamp Duties Act of 1866 Amendment Bill 1879.
- Messages from the Governor in relation to Tabled Documents 75 - 85
- 86 Petition from certain Crown Lessees residing in the Gladstone District, praying, for reasons in the petition set forth, that the Settled Districts Pastoral Leases Act of 1876 may be amended.
- 87 Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Executive Council relative to Commissions to the Honourable R Pring and Mr H R Beor to prosecute for the Crown.

15 May 1879

- 88 Report upon the Government Life Insurance and Annuity Business for the year 1878.
- 89 Report upon the Working of the Queensland Government Savings Bank for the year 1878.
- 90 Return to an Order relative to money expended on deepening the Fitzroy River.
- 91 Report of the Brisbane Board of Waterworks, for the year ending 31 December, 1878.

20 May 1879

- 92 Return to an Order relative to Balances of Road Votes.
- 93 Petition from Lucy Ann Tooth, praying leave for the introduction of a Bill to enable Trustees, for the time being, of the Will of William Butler Tooth, to sell and dispose of the Trust Property comprised therein.

- 94 Return to an Order relative to Bank Tenders for the Government Account.
 95 Memorandum of Agreement between the Government and the Queensland National Bank, Limited.
 96 Return to an Order relative to the Agreement between the Government and the Union Bank of Australia.

21 May 1879

- 97 Speaker's Warrant appointing Archibald Archer, Richard Ash Kingsford, Jacob Low, John Macfarlane (Ipswich), Thomas Macdonald Paterson, De Burgh Fitzpatrick Persse Boyd Dunlop Morehead, as Members of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications for the present Session. Together with the Oaths of Archibald Archer, Richard Ash Kingsford, John Macfarlane (Ipswich), Thomas Macdonald Paterson, De Burgh Fitzpatrick Persse Boyd Dunlop Morehead as Members of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications for the present Session.
 (Refer to Tabled Document 106 for Oath of Jacob Low)
 98 Return to an Order relative to Ballast used on the railway extension from Dulacca.
 99 Return to an Order relative to the Railway Survey from Gladstone.
 100 Petition from Henry Milner Clarkson, of Brisbane, complaining of pecuniary loss sustained by him through the alleged mistake of an officer of the Real Property Office, and praying inquiry and relief.

22 May 1879

- 101 Return to an Order relative to Expenditure on Trail Railway and other Surveys.
 102 Despatch referring to the Imperial Contributions towards the cost of the humane establishment in Torres Straits, 1878-9.
 103 Report from the Superintendent of Electric Telegraphs on the working of his Department during the year 1878.
 104 Return to an Order relative to expenditure in connection with the late Philadelphia Exhibition.
 105 Petition from certain residents and electors of the Bundamba and Fassifern Electorates, praying for the construction of a branch line of railway from Ipswich, via the Peak Mountain Crossing and Harrisville, thence via Normanby Gully to Coochin Coochin.
 109 Tooth Estate Enabling Bill 1879

27 May 1879

- 106 Oath of Jacob Low as Member of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications for the present Session.
 107 Petition from certain inhabitants of the central districts, praying that, for reasons in such petition set forth, the Central Railway may be extended from the present terminus at Rockhampton to the Port of Gladstone, and that in the meanwhile the lands upon the surveyed line shall be reserved from sale or selection.
 108 Third Report of the Secretary for Public Instruction in Queensland, being for the year ended 31 December, 1878.

28 May 1879

- 110 Petition from certain inhabitants of the Maranoa District, praying that for the purpose of promoting settlement, the land laws should be altered in certain particulars in the petition set out.
 111 Travelling Sheep Bill 1879.
 112 Pearl-shell and Beche-de-Mer Fishery Bill 1879.
 113 Orphanages Bill 1879.
 Message from the Governor in relation to the above Bills

- 114 Report on Pearl Fisheries.
- 115 Speaker's Writ and Oath of Member for the Electoral District of Fortitude Valley.
- 116 Return to an Order relative to Agreements between the Government and the Banks.
- 117 Appropriation Bill 1878-9 No.4.

29 May 1879

- 118 Petition from certain farmers in the Rosewood and Stanley Electorates, alleging that a serious mistake has been made in the survey of the branch line to Mount Esk, and praying that a new survey may be made.
- 119 Manning's Retirement Act Repeal Bill 1879.
- 120 Report on the working of the Prevention of Contagious Diseases Act of 1868.

3 June 1879

- 121 Estimates of the Probable Ways and Means and Expenditure of the Government of Queensland for the year ending 30 June, 1880.
- 122 Return to an Order relative to the Royal Commission on the Working of the Real Property Acts.
- 123 Fourth Annual Report of the Board appointed to inquire into the causes of disease affecting livestock and plants.
- 124 Return to an Order relative to John Kelly, lately Postmaster at Bundaberg.
- 125 Petition from certain residents in Ravenswood, praying that the Clerk of Petty Sessions may not be removed from that place.
- 126 First Report of the Printing Committee.

4 June 1879

- 127 Report from the Admiralty Surveyor, Queensland.
- 128 Petition from the Mercantile Bank of Sydney, praying leave to introduce a Bill to confer on the Mercantile Bank of Sydney, a Corporation created in the Colony of New South Wales by an Act of that Legislature, 37 Victoria, all the privileges of a Corporation in the Colony of Queensland.

5 June 1879

- 129 Report from the Committee of Elections and Qualifications, declaring that the recent Election for the Electoral District of Darling Downs was wholly void.
- 130 Petition from certain free selectors in the Rockhampton District, praying certain modifications of the systems of taking up Selections.
- 131 Return to an Order relative to the Contract for proposed new Dredge or Dredges.
- 132 Return to an Order relative to Tenders for Sections 3 and 4 of the Southern and Western Railway.
- 133 Return to an Order relative to Selections (Dalby Register) Nos. 41, 45, 50, 51, 52, 134.
- 134 Report, dated 22 March, 1879, from Colonel Scratchley, R.E.
- 135 Copies of Correspondence respecting the proportion to be retained by Her Majesty's Government in England, of the Postage Receipts on correspondence passing between Great Britain and the Australian Colonies.
- 136 Patent Inventions Bill 1879.
- 137(a) Mercantile Bank of Sydney Bill 1879.
- 137(b) Copy of the Government Gazette and newspapers relative to the Mercantile Bank of Sydney Bill 1879.
- 138 Fortitude Valley Additional Member Bill 1879.

10 June 1879

- 139 Regulations under the 93rd and 108th Sections of the Navigation Act of 1876.

- 140 Tables relating to the Colonial Treasurer's Financial Statement for the year 1879-80.
 141 Return to an Order relative to payments by the Government under the Health Act of 1872.

11 June 1879

- 142 Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876 Amendment Bill 1879.

12 June 1879

- 143 Second Report of the Printing Committee.
 144 Petition from certain inhabitants of the Border of Queensland and New South Wales, praying that the House will consider the advisableness of equalising or otherwise adjusting the Duties between the two Colonies.
 145 Return to an Order relative to Jetties at Cooktown.
 146 Statement of Transfer of Votes authorised by the Governor in Council during 1878-9, in terms of Clause XIX of the Audit Act of 1874.

17 June 1879

- 147 Blue Book for the year 1878.
 148 Report on the Bowen River Coalfield.
 149 Annual Report of the Engineer of Roads, Northern Division, for the year ended 31 December, 1878.
 150 Return to an Order relative to the Ipswich and Rockhampton Railway Workshops.
 151 Return to an Order relative to Roads and Bridges, Bundamba Electorate.
 152 Return to an Order relative to Fixed Deposits with Local Banks.

18 June 1879

- 153 Petition from certain inhabitants of the town and district of Dalby, taking objection to certain exchanges of land recently made at Irvingdale for other land at East Prairie, and to certain other exchanges contemplated of lands on Jondaryan Station for other lands at Allora, and praying the interference of the House to prevent injury arising to the petitioners and others from such exchanges.
 154 Report of the Joint Committee for the management and Superintendence of the Parliamentary Buildings.
 155 Permissive Prohibition of Sales of Intoxicating Liquors Bill 1879.

19 June 1879

- 156 Return to an Order relative to the cost in the case of McDonald v Tully.
 157 Schedule of proposed Resumptions of Runs in the unsettled districts of the Darling Downs.
 158 Return to an Order relative to the Entrances to Moreton Bay.
 159 Return to an Order relative to Specification of New Dredges.
 160 Governor's Salary Bill 1879.
 161 Life Insurance Companies Bill 1879.

24 June 1879

- 162 Petition from certain inhabitants of Kilkivan and the surrounding districts, objecting to the proposed closing of the Telegraph Office at Kilkivan, and praying relief in the premises.
 163 Petition from certain residents in and of the municipality and neighbourhood of Townsville, urging the advantages of a certain proposed deviation from the "six-

- mile peg” into Townsville, and praying that such deviation may be adopted in place of the original survey of that portion of the line.
- 164 Petition from Isidor Lissner of the Charters Towers Goldfields Committee, praying that the deviation from the “six-mile peg” into Townsville not be adopted, but that the line may be constructed according to the original survey.
- 165 Despatch referring to Analysis of Returns in reply to queries relating to Colonial Timber.
- 166 Dispatch acknowledging Telegram announcing the death of Sir Maurice Charles O’Connell, President of the Legislative Council of Queensland.
- 167 Despatch acknowledging Address of Condolence to the Queen from the Legislative Council of Queensland respecting the death of Her Royal Highness the Grand Duchess of Hesse, Princess Alice of Great Britain and Ireland.
- 168 Return to an Order relative to Warders at Woogaroo Lunatic Asylum.
- 169 Return to an Order relative to the collection of Electoral Lists by William Warland, J.P.
- 170 By-Laws for the Municipality of Roma.
- 171 Return to an Order relative to Deeds of Grant of land in the Dalby Land Agent’s District.

25 June 1879

- 172 Despatch referring to revised Regulations in respect to Naval Cadets.
- 173 Despatch referring to the Treaty, etc., between Great Britain and the Swiss Confederation for the mutual surrender of fugitive criminals.
- 174 Return to an Address relative to Colonial Service of Military Officers.
- 175 Port Pioneer Improvement Bill 1879.
- 176 Return to an Order referring to the Customs Union.
- 177 Return to an Order referring to Custom Duties on Imported Australian Wines.
- 178 Lady O’Connell Pension Bill 1879.
- 179 Third Report of the Printing Committee.

26 June 1879

- 180 Report of the Select Committee on the Tooth Estate Enabling Bill; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceeding of the Committee.
- 181 Return to an Order referring to the Telegraph Office at Elliot.
- 182 Return to an Order referring to Dutiable Goods imported free.
- 183 Return to an Order referring to Interest on Loans to the Municipalities of Warwick and Ipswich.

1 July 1879

- 184 Writ and Oaths of Francis Kates and William Miles as the Members for the Electoral District of Darling Downs.
- 185 Report of the Under Secretary for Lands on the Work of the Lands Department during the year 1878.
- 186 Petition from Charles William Cox, of Pimpama, setting out the circumstances under which he was, as he alleges, wrongfully deprived of a selection of land through the default of Lauchlan Chisholm, late Land Agent at Beenleigh, and praying relief in the premises.
- 187 Return to an Order relative to the Bowen River Railway Survey.
- 188 Return to an Order relative to the Branch Railway between the Central Line and Clermont and Copperfield.
- 189 Return to an Order relative to a bridge across the Condamine at Leslie’s Crossing.
- 190 Regulations under the Volunteer Act of 1878.

2 July 1879

- 191 Return to an Order relative to the Easter Encampment, and Land orders issued to Volunteers.
- 192 Return to an Order relative to seizure of timber by a Crown Lands Ranger at Port Douglas.
- 193 Return to an Order relative to Roads and Bridges, East Moreton District.
- 194 Report of the Select Committee appointed to consider and inquire into the allegations contained in the Petition of Henry Milner Clarkson; together with the Proceedings of the Committee and the Minutes of Evidence.
- 195 Papers relating to the Navigation Act of 1876.
- 196 Petition from certain residents in the municipality of Townsville, urging the adoption of the original survey of the line of railway from Townsville towards Charters Towers.

3 July 1879

- 197 Second Report of the Joint Committee for the Management and Superintendence of the Parliamentary Buildings; together with the Proceedings of the Committee and Minutes of Evidence.
- 198 Return to an Order relative to the cost of deepening the Brisbane River.

8 July 1879

- 199 Petition from certain inhabitants and electors of the Cook and Burke Electorates, urging reasons why a Railway should be constructed through the Cook and Burke Districts, and praying relief in the premises.
- 200 Petition from Isaac Butler, of Lagoon Pocket, near Gympie, offering objections to the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying relief in the premises.
- 201 Petition from certain farmers and selectors of the Upper Mary District, offering objections to the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying relief in the premises.
- 202 Petition from Henry Kop, of Tiaro, offering objections to the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying relief in the premises.
- 203 Return to an Order relative to the Harbour of Refuge at Somerset and Thursday Island.
- 204 Return to an Order relative to Portion No.27, Parish of Tabragalba.

9 July 1879

- 205 Letter and documents from the Auditor-General on the condition of the Government Savings Bank.
- 206 Report of the Postmaster-General of Queensland for the year 1878.
- 207 Return to an Order relative to the survey of Railway from Brisbane towards Pine River or Caboolture via Sandgate.
- 208 Return to an Order relative to Ballast used on the railway extension from Dulacca.
- 209 Report by the Surgeon-Superintendent on the Woogaroo Lunatic Asylum.
- 210 Fourth Report of the Printing Committee.

10 July 1879

- 211 Return to an Order relative to Christian Schmaling's Land Orders.
- 212 Bathurst Burr and Thistle Bill 1879.
- 213 Return to an Order relative to charges paid by Distillers for the overtime worked by Inspectors.

14 July 1879

- 214 Petition from certain farmers and selectors of Imbil and Bunya Creek, alleging that the Divisional Boards Bill is unjust to farmers and selectors, and will retard the progress of settlement; and praying relief in the premises.
- 215 Petition from certain farmers and selectors of Slaty Creek, alleging that the Divisional Boards Bill is unjust to farmers and selectors, and will retard the progress of settlement; and praying relief in the premises.

15 July 1879

- 216 Return to an Order relative to Irvingdale and Allora Land Exchanges.
- 217 Return to an Order relative to the Contract for the Burdekin Bridge.
- 218 Return to an Order relative to improvements and wharfage, Pioneer River.
- 219 Report of the Select Committee appointed to Inquire into the Mercantile Bank of Sydney Bill; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.

16 July 1879

- 220 Petition from Charles Milner Foster and J.S. Turner, Trustees of certain allotments of land in the County of Aubigny, Parish of Drayton, praying leave to bring in a Bill to enable the Trustees of four allotments of land, namely, Section 22, County of Aubigny, Parish of Drayton, granted for the purposes of the religious body called Methodists, to sell the land and devote the proceeds to the building of a Parsonage on other land in a more convenient situation.
- 221 Despatch, dated 28 April, 1879, in relation to the Appropriation Act of 1878-9 No.3.
- 222 Despatch, dated 28 April, 1879, notifying the appointment of a Royal Commission in relation to the International Exhibitions to be held in Sydney and Melbourne.
- 223 Returns of Applications accepted under the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876, showing the area, rent, survey fees, number of homesteads, conditional purchases, selections, pre-emptives, and volunteer selections within and outside homestead areas issued at the Public Lands Office from each district of the Colony for the years 1877 and 1878, corrected to 16 June, 1879.
- 224 Petition from P Landy, representing that a large quantity of land in the district of Dalby, within a few miles of the railway line, has been forfeited, and remains locked up to the detriment of the district, and praying relief in the premises.

17 July 1879

- 225 Report of the Joint Library Committee.
- 226 Petition from certain farmers and others in Brookfield, representing that the provisions of the Divisional Boards Bill which propose to tax the improvements upon land are unjust, and praying that they may not become law.
- 227 Petition from certain farmers and selectors at Oxley, representing that the provisions of the Divisional Boards Bill which propose to tax the improvements upon land are unjust, and praying that they may not become law.
- 228 Petition from certain farmers and selectors at Fig-tree Pocket, representing that the provisions of the Divisional Boards Bill which propose to tax the improvements upon land are unjust, and praying that they may not become law.
- 229 Meat Curing Companies Encouragement Bill 1879.
- 230 Fifth Report of the Printing Committee.
- 231 Civil Service Disqualification Bill 1879.

21 July 1879

- 232 Return to an Order relative to Roads and Bridges, Northern Downs Electorate.

- 233 Petition from John Broomfield, Charles Parbury, John de Villiers Lamb, and Thomas Forster Knox, of Sydney, setting forth that they are largely interested in the industries which will be affected by the Pearl-shell and Beche-de-Mer Fishery Bill, and praying that time may be given them to better consider its provisions and to make further representations with reference thereto.

22 July 1879

- 234 Petition from certain inhabitants of the town and district of Bowen, advocating, for reasons in the petition set forth, the making of a railway from the town of Bowen to the Bowen and Suttor Rivers Districts, and praying relief in the premises.
- 235 Petition from John Alexander Gregory, of Bowen, alleging that he has wrongfully sustained loss by the operation of the Real Property Act, and praying relief in the premises.
- 236 Appropriation Bill No.1, 1879.

23 July 1879

- 237 Petition from Isidor Lissner, Chairman, representing the Charters Towers Gold Field Committee, urging reasons why the Supreme Court should be moved from Bowen to Townsville, and praying relief in the premise.
- 238 Petition from certain conditional homestead selectors resident on East Prairie, West Prairie, St. Ruth, complaining that their selections had not proved of the value which they had anticipated, or worth the price they were paying for them, and praying relief in the premises.
- 239 Toowoomba Chapel Lands Sale Bill 1879.
- 240 Preliminary Report from the Auditor-General on the Receipts and Expenditure of the Consolidated Fund, and other moneys, for the financial year ended 30 June, 1879.

24 July 1879

- 241 Loan Estimates, 1879-80
- 242 Sixth Report of the Printing Committee.
- 243 Petition from certain residents in North Queensland, praying, for reasons in the petition set forth, that the Supreme Court may not be removed from Bowen.
- 244 Rabbit Prohibition Bill 1879.
- 245 Return to an Order relative to the labour-saving machines purchased at Philadelphia.

30 July 1879

- 246 Regulations for the Spring Rush Gold Fields, Clermont, under the provisions of the Gold Fields Act of 1874.
- 247 Report of the Department of Mines for the year 1878.
- 248 Papers in relation to the proposed deviation of the Northern Railway at Townsville.
- 249 Return to an Order relative to Mr Gammie an Inspector on the Bundaberg Railway
- 250 Petition from residents in Mulgrave, objecting to the Divisional Boards Bill on the ground of its being, as they allege, inimical to the welfare of agriculturists, and praying relief in the premises.
- 251 Nineteenth Annual Report of the Registrar-General on the Vital Statistics of the Colony for 1878.
- 252 Petition from residents in the districts of Pine Mountain, Kholo, and Ipswich, expressing the opinion that communication between Ipswich and the Upper Brisbane River is urgently required, and praying relief in the premises.

31 July 1879

- 253 Petition from Nehemiah Bartley, of Brisbane, complaining of injury which has arisen to himself and others from an error, alleged to have been committed by the Roads Department, in the marking out a road on the petitioner's land; and praying relief in the premises.
- 254 Petition from certain residents and freeholders of Cleveland and district, complaining of an intention to sell a portion of Crown Land known as the Esplanade, and praying the House to take such steps as they may see fit to prevent such sale.

1 August 1879

- 255 Eleventh Annual Report of the Chief Inspector of Distilleries.
- 256 Regulations under the Navigation Act of 1876.
- 257 Return to an Order relative to Railway Season Tickets.
- 258 Return to an Order relative to correspondence in connection with the closure of the road between Woolston and Goodna.

4 August 1879

- 259 Petition from certain freeholders and others, resident in the districts of Gracemere and Stanwell, urging objections to the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying that the taxation contemplated by the said Bill may not be imposed.
- 260 Return to an Order relative to a branch railway line from Ipswich to Fassifern.
- 261 Return to an Order relative to Revenue, Expenditure, and population north of Cape Palmerston.

5 August 1879

- 262 Seventh Report of the Printing Committee.

6 August 1879

- 263 Petition from Charles H Green, a Trustee of the Warwick School of Arts, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable the Trustees of an allotment of land in the town of Warwick, granted for the purposes of a School of Arts, to sell the same, and to devote the proceeds to the purchase of other land more conveniently situated, or devote the proceeds to the building of a new School of Arts in a more central situation.
- 264 Return to an Order relative to judgments in the case of MacDonald v Tully.
- 265 Petition from certain freeholders and others, resident in the district of the Upper Brisbane River, urging the necessity of affording facilities for conveyance of produce by rail to that district, and praying consideration and relief.
- 266 Petition from James Merriman, John Broomfield, Charles Parbury, John Craig, John deVilliers Lamb, Thomas Foster Knox, John Bell, John Stevens, Thomas Gervan Kelly, Charles Macalister, Robert Moodie and Walter Joseph Monro, engaged in commerce in Sydney, urging certain objections which they entertain to the Bill, and praying that such amendments may be made therein as may appear necessary for the protection of all interests affected by the said Bill.

7 August 1879

- 267 Warwick School of Arts Lands Sales Bill 1879.
- 268 Report from the Select Committee on the Toowoomba Chapel Land Sale Bill; together with Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
- 269 Instructions to Captain Pennefather, of the Government Schooner "Pearl".

11 August 1879

- 270 Return to an Order relative to the retirement of Mr Nutting from the Native Police.
 271 Petition from certain inhabitants of the district of Peak Downs, urging reasons why a branch railway should be constructed to Clermont.

12 August 1879

- 272 Petition from certain settlers on the Upper Pine River, urging objections to the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying consideration and relief.
 273 Returns of Agriculture and Live Stock - 1878.
 274 Papers relative to the purchase of a site at Toowoomba for a Branch Lunatic Asylum.

13 August 1879

- 275 Bathurst Burr and Thistle Bill 1879.
 276 Petition from certain selectors in the district of Samson Vale, urging objections to the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying its rejection by the House.
 277 Report from the Superintendent of Reformatory Hulk for boys.
 278 Return to an Order relative to the trial railway survey from Gootchy towards Kilkivan.
 279 Return to an Order relative to stock depastured on runs in settled districts.

14 August 1879

- 280 Eighth Report of the Printing Committee.

19 August 1879

- 281 Return to an Order relative to Agreement and Travelling Expenses of Dr. Smith, Surgeon Superintendent, Woogaroo Lunatic Asylum.
 Not Registered Oath for John Malbon Thompson as the Member for the Electoral District of Ipswich.

20 August 1879

- 282 Return to an Order relative to Charges paid by Distillers for the overtime of Inspectors.
 283 Correspondence relating to the suspension of emigration, and reorganisation of the Agent-General's Department.
 284 Plans, Sections, and a Book of Reference of Deviation, Townsville and Charters Towers Railway.
 285 Report of Mr W D Nisbet, Engineer for Harbours and Rivers for the year ended 30 June, 1879.

21 August 1879

- 286 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Warwick School of Arts Land Sale Bill; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
 287 Petition from certain residents of South Brisbane, Goodna, Logan Village, and Beaudesert, urging reasons why a low-cost railway should be constructed between those places, and praying relief in the premises.
 288 Victoria Bridge Lands Sales Bill 1879.

22 August 1879

- 289 Petition from certain female relatives of the late Australian Navigator Captain Matthew Flinders, setting forth his services and those of his brother Samuel Ward Flinders, and praying recognition thereof to certain of their surviving relatives.
- 290 Petition from certain residents of the Burnett District, urging reasons for the extension of this line of railway, and praying relief in the premises.
- 291 Petition from certain members of the Eastern Downs Horticultural and Agricultural Association and others, deprecating the withdrawal of the Grant in aid of the Association, and praying for such relief as the House may deem fit.
- 292 Petition from certain residents of the Balonne District, urging that the contemplated extension of the Southern and Western Railway should be to St. George, and praying for the petition favourable consideration.

25 August 1879

- 293 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the Queensland Central Railway from 197 miles near Retreat Creek to 260 miles, or 5 miles beyond the Belyando River.
- 294 Petition from selectors and farmers, resident at Pie Creek, Eel Creek and in the vicinity of Gympie, in the Wide Bay District, offering certain objections to the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying that the House may not pass the said bill into law.

26 August 1879

- 295 Report of the Government Meteorological Observer, for the year 1878.
- 296 Return to an Order relative to compensation to Mr Thomas Davey for site of the new Telegraph Office at Townsville.
- 297 Sheriff's Report on Gaols - 1878.
- 298 Petition from certain freeholders and other residents in the Electorate of Blackall, urging certain objections against the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying relief in the premises.
- 299 By -Law of the municipality of Brisbane, dated 13 August, 1879.
- 300 Return to an Order relative to Expenditure on Roads, Bridges, and Culverts in the districts of Darling Downs, Morton Port Curtis, and Leichhardt.

27 August 1879

- 301 Return to an Order relative to Crown Lands north of Cape Palmerston.
- 302 Report of the Department of Ports and Harbours.
- 303 Victoria Bridge Lands Sales Bill 1879.

28 August 1879

- 304 By-Laws for the Municipalities of Maryborough and Charters Towers.
- 305 Petition from certain inhabitants of the Maranoa district, urging objections to any further extension of the Southern and Western Railway, and praying the House not to vote any additional sum of money for this purpose.
- 306 Return to an Order relative to Gold Fields Wardens Bligh, Gill, Hill, Towner, and Farrelly.
- 307 Report of the Chairman of the Marine Board.
- 308 Ninth Report of the Printing Committee.

1 September 1879

- 309 Railway and Tramways Bill 1879.

- 310 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of the proposed Western Railway Extension from Roma to Mitchell. 311 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of the Northern Railway, Townsville to Charters Towers, from 50 miles 56 chains to 87 miles.

2 September 1879

- 312 Government Loans Bill 1879.
313 Petition from certain farmers and other residents at Hemmant, in the Electoral District of Bulimba, urging objections to the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying therefore the favourable consideration of the House.

3 September 1879

- 314 Petition from certain inhabitants of Zillman's Waterholes and its vicinity, urging objections against the Divisional Boards Bill, and praying that the House will not pass it into law.

4 September 1879

- 315 Petition from certain members of the Border Agricultural, Pastoral, and Mining Society, urging the benefits which it has conferred on the community, and praying recognition.
316 Return to an Order relative to the Grant in aid of the Acclimatisation Society.

8 September 1879

- 317 Petition from John Hurley, of Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, referring to the objects of the Burrum Railway Bill, and praying the House to take the said bill into favorable consideration.

9 September 1879

- 318 Petition from Frederic John Cobb Wildash and Kenneth Hutchison, alleging that they have been wronged by the withholding from them certain Deeds of Grant while they were the proprietors of Canning Downs Station, and the subsequent issue of such Deeds to the purchasers of the said station from the petitioner's mortgagees; and praying inquiry and relief.
319 Report of the Accountant in Insolvency.
320 Burrum Railway Bill 1879.

10 September 1879

- 321 Report on the Brisbane Botanic Gardens.
322 Report of the Curator of the Botanic Gardens on the result of his visit to Frazer's Island for the purpose of inspecting the timber, etc.
323 Return to an Order relative to the representation of Queensland at the International Exhibition in New South Wales.
324 Geological Survey of North Queensland - Preliminary Report No.3, on the search for coal in the Cook District.
325 Geological Survey of North Queensland - Second Report No.3, on the search for coal in the Cook district.
326 Report on the Normanby and Marengo Gold Fields by Robert L Jack, Geological Surveyor for North Queensland - 1879.

11 September 1879

- 327 Tenth Report of the Printing Committee.
328 Report of the Board of Trustees of the Queensland Museum for the year 1878-9.

- 329 Despatch transmitting the thanks of the French Minister of Marine to the Queensland Governor for the assistance rendered by the authorities at Cooktown to the French soldiers suffering from typhoid fever on board the French Troopship " L'Allier " .
- 330 Petition from certain Trustees of the National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable the Trustees of the said Association to sell or lease certain lands granted to them as a site for the use of the said Association, and carrying on the operation thereof, together with a copy of the Bill and a certificate of payment for expenses associated with the introduction of the Bill.

15 September 1879

- 331 Western Railway Reserves Amendment Bill 1879.
- 332 National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland Land Sales and Leases Bill 1879.
- 333 Petition from certain inhabitants of the Maranoa District, praying that any extension of the railway from Roma shall be in the direction of St. George.

16 September 1879

- 334 Supplementary Estimates, No.2, 1878-9.
- 335 Petition from William Hobbs, of Brisbane, Medical Practitioner, alleging that he has sustained injury to his property by certain alterations of the levels of adjoining thereto, and praying inquiry and relief.
- 336 Papers relating to the Mail Service via Torres Strait.
- 337 Part Return to an Order relative to the Apportionment of Revenue and Expenditure under the Financial Districts Bill.
- 338 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of a branch railway to Fassifern - Section No.1, Ipswich to Fassifern.

17 September 1879

- 339 Supplementary Estimates No. 4, 1878-9

18 September 1879

- 340 Return to an Order relative to Customs Collections and Debt of each Financial District.

22 September 1879

- 341 Report from Mr F M Bailey, Botanist and Keeper of the Herbarium, Queensland Museum.
- 342 Regulations under the Navigation Act of 1876.

23 September 1879

- 343 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Working of the Railway Workshops, and the best mode of maintaining an adequate supply of locomotives and railway rolling stock, and the past and present practices of the workshops at Ipswich, Toowoomba, and Rockhampton; together with Minutes of Evidence and the proceedings of the Committee.
- 344 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Conduct of the Police Magistrate at Thornborough in connection with charges against Mr J Hamilton, together with the Minutes of Evidence and Proceeding of the Committee.
- 345 Appropriation Bill No.2

- 346 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Issue of "Hansard"; together with Minutes of Evidence and Proceedings of the Committee.
- 347 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Claim of Nehemiah Bartley together with Minutes of Evidence and Proceedings of the Committee.

24 September 1879

- 348 Report of the Select Committee on the Petition of Conditional homestead selectors, East Prairie, West Prairie, and St. Ruth; together with Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.

25 September 1879

- 349 Return to an Order relative to the suspension of the Chief Inspector of Distilleries.
- 350 Eleventh Report of the Printing Committee.
- 351 Twelfth Report of the Printing Committee.
- 352 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Burrum Railway Bill; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
- 353 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the claim of Dr Hobbs; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
- 354 Report on the Geological Features of the South-Eastern Districts of the Colony of Queensland, by Mr A C Gregory, Geological Surveyor.
- 355 Report on the search for coal between Dalby and Roma, by Mr A C Gregory, Geological Surveyor.

THIRD SESSION OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

6 July 1880

- 1 Writ and Oath for Simon Fraser as a Member for the Electoral District of South Brisbane.
- 2 Writ and Oath for Albrecht Feez as a Member for the Electoral District of Leichhardt.
- 3 Petition from William Hemmant, making certain statements with regard to contracts recently entered into in England for the purchase and carriage of steel rails for the Queensland Government, and praying inquiry.
- 4 Further correspondence relating to pearl shells, etc., fisheries.
- 5 Commission appointing the Chief Justice to be Administrator of the Government of the Colony of Queensland in the event of the death, incapacity, or absence of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, and President of the Legislative Council.
- 6 Despatch, dated 28 February, 1880, respecting the Mercantile Bank of Sydney Act.
- 7 Despatch, dated 24 February, 1880, respecting Forest Conservancy.
- 8 Despatch, dated 13 April, 1880, respecting Imperial Contributions for the year 1879-80 towards the cost of the Humane Establishment at Torres Straits,
- 9 Report of the Chief Inspector of Stock on the working of the Marsupials Destruction Act.
- 10 Despatch, dated 12 December, 1879, respecting Confirmation of Marriages on Her Majesty's Ships Act, 1879.
- 11 Despatch, dated 1 December, 1879, respecting the Territorial Waters Judicature Act, 1878.
- 12 Despatch, dated 1 October, 1879, respecting Journals of the House of Commons to be supplied for the use of the Queensland Parliamentary Library.
- 13 Despatch, dated 24 December, 1879, respecting Order in Council giving effect to the Convention between Great Britain and the Swiss Confederation
- 14 Despatch, Governments prolonging the duration of the existing Treaties of Commerce and Navigation between Great Britain and France.
- 15 Despatch, dated 7 February, 1880, respecting Acts passed in the second session of the Eighth Parliament of Queensland.
- 16 Annual Report of the Agent-General for Immigration, Queensland, for 1879.
- 17 Despatch, 20 February, 1880, respecting Judgment of the Lords of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council on the Appeal of *Musgrave v Pulido*, from the Supreme Court, Jamaica; delivered Saturday, 13 December, 1879.
- 18 Despatches forwarding Western Pacific Orders in Council.
- 19 Despatches respecting Distress in Ireland.
- 20 Despatch, dated 4 May, 1880, referring to the Cultivation of the Sorghum Plant.
- 21 Report of the Surgeon-Superintendent, Dr. Patrick Smith, on the Woogaroo Lunatic Asylum.
- 22 Report of the Chief Inspector of Stock for the year 1879.
- 23 Report of the Registrar of Brands for the year 1879.
- 24 Report of the Superintendent of the Penal Establishment at St. Helena for the year 1879.
- 25 Report of the Lady Superintendent of the Brisbane Female Refuge for the year 1879.
- 26 Report of the Brisbane Board of Waterworks, for the year 1879.
- 27 Statistics of the Colony of Queensland for the year 1879.
- 28 Blue Book for the year 1879.
- 29 Report of the Board appointed to inquire into certain charges made against Dr. Patrick Smith, Surgeon-Superintendent of Woogaroo Lunatic Asylum, by Mr. Patrick O'Sullivan, M.L.A.; and also into the general management of that Institution; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Board.

- 30 By-Laws for the Municipalities of Townsville, Roma, Rockhampton, Warwick, Toowoomba, and Charters Towers.
- 31 Return to an Order relative to Pastoral Leases in each Pastoral District.
- 32 Return of Applications accepted under the provisions of the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1875, received at the Public Lands Office from each district of the Colony during the year 1879, and during the years 1877, 1878, and 1879.
- 33 Schedule of Lands proposed to be resumed in the unsettled districts of Leichhardt, Mitchell, and South Kennedy, in pursuance of the powers conferred on the Legislature by the 55th section of the pastoral Leases Act of 1869.
- 34 Report on Economic Tropical Horticulture in North Queensland, by L. A. Bernays, Vice-President of the Acclimatisation Society of Queensland.
- 35 Report of the Acclimatisation Society of Queensland for the year 1879.
- 36 Papers in connection with the reward of £1,000, offered, in pursuance of a resolution of the Legislative Assembly, for the discovery of a cure for rust in wheat.
- 37 Regulations respecting the cutting of cedar.
- 38 Report on the General Working of the Railway Department during the year ended 31 December, 1879.
- 39 Annual Report of the Engineer of Roads, Central Division for the year ending 31 December, 1879.
- 40 Further correspondence with reference to the Mail Service via Torres Straits.
- 41 Animals Slaughtering Bill 1880.
- 42 Regulations under which candidates for employment as operators in the Queensland Post and Telegraph Department will be admitted.
- 43 Amended Regulations for the Post and Telegraph Department.

7 July 1880

- 44 Petition from Samuel Hinton, Chairman of the Springsure Marsupial Board, representing the advantages which the operation of this Act had conferred, and praying its re-enactment in a more stringent form.
- 45 Petition from Edmund Sheppard, a Judge of the Supreme Court of Queensland, asserting certain claims, which the Executive Council had declined to recognise, to the Office of Senior Puisne Judge, and praying relief.
- 46 Postal Convention between the Governments of the Colonies of Queensland and Hong Kong.
- 47 Return to an Order relative to District, First, and Second Class Surveyors.
- 48 Copies of the Proceedings of the Conference, and all other documents relating to the change in the form of publication of the Daily Hansard.

8 July 1880

- 49 Railway and Tramway Extensions Bill 1880.
- 50 Mines Regulation Bill 1880.
- 51 Pearl-shell and Beche-de-Mer Fishery Bill 1880.
- 52 Sale of Food and Drugs Bill 1880.
- 53 Gold Fields Homestead Act Amendment Bill 1880.
- 54 Gold Mining Appeals Bill 1880.
- 55 Local Government Amendment Bill 1880.
- 56 State Forests Bill 1880.
- 57 Census Bill 1880.
- 58 Pacific Island Labourers Bill 1880.
- 59 Water Storage and Distribution Bill 1880.
- 60 United Municipalities Bill 1880.
- 61 Stamp Duties of 1866 Amendment Bill 1880.
- 62 Local Works Loans Bill 1880.

13 July 1880

- 63 Fifth Annual Report of the Auditor-General accompanied by the Public Accounts for the financial year 1878-9, and a Summary of the Treasury Receipts and Disbursements to 30 June, 1880.
- 64 Documents in relation to the investment of funds and the condition of the securities of the Government Savings Bank.
- 65 Return to an Order relative to Regulations, Reports, etc., under the Polynesian Laborer's Act.
- 66 Annual Report of the Police Magistrate, Thursday Island for the year 1879-80.
- 67 Part Return to an Order relative to the Charter-Party of the ship, Scottish Hero.
- 68 Return to an Order relative to Sunday Trains.
- 69 Despatch, dated 22 February, 1880, referring to the Wrecks and Salvage Bill.
- 70 Report from the Curator of Intestate Estates on the working of the Intestacy Act of 1879.
- 71 Correspondence between the Colonial Treasurer and the Auditor-General.
- 72 Petition from certain licensed draymen, complaining that no opportunity was allowed to them of competing for a contract lately entered into by the Government for the cartage of goods to and from the Brisbane railway Station and Yards, and praying inquiry and relief.
- 73 Petition from certain Trustees of the National Agricultural and Industrial Associations of Queensland, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable the Trustees of the Association to sell or lease certain lands granted to them as a site for the use of the Association, and carrying on the operations thereof. A copy of the Bill and Receipt attached.
- 74 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the proposed Branch Line to Fassifern, Section No.1, Ipswich to Harrisville via Main Road.
- 75 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the proposed railway extension from Emerald to Clermont, a distance of 63 miles.

14 July 1880

- 76 Inquiry into the Working of the Agent-General's Office in London; together with correspondence with respect to the purchase of Rails, Freight and, the dismissal of Mr Thomas Hamilton, etc.
- 77 Petition from Tom Coward, of Sandgate, making certain representations as to the nature and extent of his services as a Native Police Officer, alleging that he sustained losses during the term of such services, and praying the House to take the premises into their favourable consideration.
- 78 Licensing Boards Bill 1880.
- 79 Criminals Expulsion Bill 1880.
- 80 Appropriation Bill, No.1 - 1880-81.
- 81 Report of the Immigration Agent on the Inspection of Polynesians in the Mackay and Maryborough Districts.
- 82 Return to an Order relative to the removal of Mr Benjamin H Palmer from the Committee of the Primary School at Cooktown.
- 83 Speaker's Warrant appointing Archibald Archer, Richard Ash Kingsford, Albert Norton, Thomas Macdonald-Paterson, De Burgh Fitzpatrick Persse, Boyd Dunlop Morehead and John Macfarlane as Members of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications.
- 84 Writ and Oath for Henry Rogers Beor as the Member for the Electoral District of Bowen.

15 July 1880

- 85 First Report of the Printing Committee.
- 86 Despatch, dated 6 May, 1880, referring to copies of letters received from Mr Thomas Hamilton.

- 87 Return to an Order relative to the cost of land on Maryborough and Gympie, and Bundaberg and Mount Perry Railway Lines.
- 88 Report on Works carried out under the Colonial Architect's Department for the year 1879.
- 89 Supreme Court Bill 1880.

21 July 1880

- 90 Return to an Order referring to the Contract and Correspondence relating to the supply of Steel Rails.
- 91 Annual Report of the Director of the Brisbane Botanic Gardens.
- 92 Petition from certain Merchants and other residents of Brisbane, offering various objections to the proposed Through Steam Service between London and Brisbane, and praying that the House will not ratify the Contract.
- 93 Report of the Post and Telegraph Department of Queensland for the year 1879.
- 94 National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland Land Sales and Leases Bill 1880.

22 July 1880

- 95 Burr Destruction Bill 1880.

27 July 1880

- 96 Despatch, dated 27 April, 1880, referring to the Decennial Census to be taken in the United Kingdom in 1881.
- 97 Despatch, dated 22 April, 1880, referring to the agreement between the Governments of Great Britain and Germany for the surrender of merchant seamen deserters, and Her Majesty's Order in Council giving effect thereto.
- 98 Further correspondence in relation to the Inquiry into the Working of the Agent-General's Office in London.
- 99 Further correspondence, including copies of Telegrams, relative to the Inquiry into the Working of the Agent-General's Office in London.
- 100 Return to an Order referring to the disrating of Samuel Lewis, Warder, Woogaroo Lunatic Asylum.
- 101 Report upon the Government Life Insurance and Annuity Business for the year 1879.
- 102 Report upon the Working of the Queensland Government Savings Bank for the year 1879.

28 July 1880

- 103 Return to an Order relative to the deviation on the Maryborough and Gympie Railway.
- 104 Regulae Generales relating to the Admission of Solicitors to practice in the Supreme Court of Queensland.
- 105 Twentieth Annual Report of the Registrar-General on the Vital Statistics for 1879.
- 106 Cruise of the Queensland Government Schooner "Pearl" in the Gulf of Carpentaria; Captain Pennefather's Report of the Expedition of the Coen, Archer, and Batavia Rivers.
- 107 Regulations under the Navigation Act of 1876.
- 108 Return to an Order relative to Country Lands sold by Auction.

29 July 1880

- 109 Return to an Order relative to the cost of land, Maryborough and Gympie and Bundaberg and Mount Perry Railway Lines.

30 July 1880

- 110 Petition from certain selectors of Land by Conditional Purchase under the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876, representing that they find it difficult, for reasons in the Petition set forth, to pay the Annual Rent upon their selections, praying extension of the time for making such payments, and offering in the event of their prayer being granted to pay interest upon the sums of money which may be temporarily remitted.

3 August 1880

- 111 Statement of Transfers of Votes authorised by the Governor in Council on account of 1879-80, to date, in terms of Clause XIX. of the Audit Act of 1874.
- 112 Return to an Order relative to the Expenditure of the Queensland Executive Commissioner and the Secretary, at the International Exhibition in New South Wales.
- 113 Return to an Order relative to Letters sent by Post from Brisbane and other Ports of Call of the Torres Straits Mail Steamers during the twelve months ending 30 June, 1880, to all countries and places beyond the Australian Colonies and New Zealand, specifying the number sent from each Port, and the mail route by which they were respectively sent. Also, the total amount paid during the same periods for the conveyance of mails of the several mail routes used by the Government.
- 114 Return to an Order relative to Letters sent by Post from Brisbane and other Ports of Call of the Torres Straits Mail Steamers during the six months of this year, to all countries and places beyond the Australian Colonies and New Zealand, specifying the number sent from each Port, and the mail route by which they were respectively sent. Also, the total amount paid during the same periods for the conveyance of mails of the several mail routes used by the Government.
- 115 Rabbit Bill 1880.
- 116 Table, Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of the proposed Branch Line to Fassifern, Section No.1, Ipswich to Harrisville via Main Road; to be substituted for the Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of the same Line which were laid on the Table of the House on 13 July, 1880, and which were withdrawn.

4 August 1880

- 117 Petition from certain Trustees of the Rockhampton Racecourse, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable the Trustees of the lands comprised in Deeds of Grant numbers 5,046 and 27,595, being the Racecourse Reserve, and portion 29, Parish of Rockhampton, County of Livingstone, to mortgage of lease the same, and sell or exchange certain portions thereof, and for other purposes. Additional documents including a Certificate for the payment of the cost of the Bill and also the numbers of the Government Gazette Notices and of the newspapers containing notices of the intention to apply for the Bill.
- 118 Further Return to an Order relative to the deviation on the Maryborough and Gympie Railway.
- 119 Report of the Commissioner of Police for the year 1879.
- 120 Telegrams in relation to the Tenders from Law and Co. and Orient Line referring to an extension of time for the ratification of the Contract for Mail and Emigration Service.
- 121 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of proposed Branch Line from Toowoomba to Crow's Nest via Meringandan.

5 August 1880

- 122 Petition from certain selectors of Land by Conditional Purchase under the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876, representing that they find it difficult, for reasons in the petition set forth, to pay the annual rent on their Selections, and praying extension of the time for making such payments.

- 123 Fourth Report of the Secretary for Public Instruction for the year 1879.
- 124 Return of all the Teachers employed in State, Non-Vested, and Provisional Schools at 1 July, 1880, with their Salaries and Allowances.
- 125 Return to an Order relative to the cost of drafting bills.

10 August 1880

- 126 Return to an Order relative to the Queensland Commission at the late International Exhibition in New South Wales.
- 127 Return to an Order relative to a Road Reservation through Portion No.23, Parish of Gilston.
- 128 Report of the Department of Mines, Queensland, for the year 1879.
- 129 Return to an Order, relative to compensation for land resumed on the Branch Line from Ipswich to Fassifern.
- 130 Petition from Robert Cran and Co., complaining of Statements prejudicial to the character of that firm, made by the Government in the Report of a certain Commission, and praying enquiry and relief.
- 131 Rockhampton Racecourse Bill 1880.
- 132 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of proposed deviation from 59 miles 70 chains to Caladonian Hill, at Gympie, 60 miles 40 Chains, Maryborough and Gympie Railway.
- 133 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of proposed Wharf Branch at Maryborough, Maryborough and Gympie Railway.

11 August 1880

- 134 Return to an Order, relative to Deeds issued, preparing for issue, and refused by previous Governments.
- 135 Petition from Edward Malone, of Swan Creek, near Warwick, representing that through a mistake or the neglect of the Government Officers, he had sustained great loss in the destruction of crops, and praying relief in the premises.
- 136 Petition from certain persons adverting to efforts which they had made to obtain a separation of the South Ward from the Brisbane Municipality, and to difficulties which stood in the way of effect being given to their wishes, and praying that the Local Government Bill, now before the House, may be so amended as to promote their object.

12 August 1880

- 137 Alienation of Land on Gold Fields Bill 1880.
- 138 Estimates of the Probable Ways and Means and Expenditure of the Government of Queensland for the year ending 30 June, 1881.
- 139 Return to an Order, relative to alleged closure of roads on Canning Downs Run.
- 140 Certain Minutes of Evidence taken before the Select Committee in relation to the Petition of Mr Hemmant which refers to the Contract for, and Carriage of, steel rails.

17 August 1880

- 141 Report of the Printing Committee in conference with certain Members of the Legislative Council upon the subject of the change of form of publication of Daily Hansard.
- 142 Second Report of the Printing Committee.
- 143 Annual Report of the Engineer of Roads, Northern Division, for the year ending 31 December, 1879.
- 144 Report of the Engineer of Roads, Southern Division, on works carried out in the Southern Division during the year 1879.
- 145 By-Laws of the Municipalities of Brisbane, Sandgate and Rockhampton.

18 August 1880

- 146 Report of the Under Secretary for Lands on the work of the Lands Department during the year 1879.
- 147 Petition from certain electors of North Brisbane, praying that the House will see fit, in its wisdom, to legislate in order to give reasonable encouragement to producing and manufacturing interests; and thus by fostering care maintain within the Colony all those elements of greatness so conducive to stable foundation of a great and prosperous community.

24 August 1880

- 148 Petition from certain farmers on the Darling Downs, praying for the imposition of an additional Duty upon imported Malt.
- 149 Petition from certain freeholders, landholders and residents of Highfields, taking exception to the Plan, Section and Book of Reference of this Line as laid upon the Table, and praying that the Line may take another direction as described in the said Petition.
- 150 Petition from George Goold, Commission Agent, representing that he has not been paid the reward to which he conceived himself to be entitled by law, for informing in certain cases of illicit distillation, and praying enquiry and relief.

25 August 1880

- 151 Petition from certain graziers and others residing in the marsupial district of Rockhampton, representing that the Marsupial Destruction Act is not required and that its operation is disadvantageous in the district in question, and praying the House not to renew legislation upon the subject.
- 152 Petition from certain Electors of Enoggera, urging reasons for the imposition of a Protective Tariff, and praying relief in the premise.
- 153 2Petition from certain Electors of Warwick and District, urging reasons for the imposition of a Protective Tariff, and praying relief in the premise.
- 154 Table, Plans, Sections and Book of Reference of the Second Section of the Bundaberg Railway, being from 44 miles 36 chains to Mount Perry, 66 miles 7 chains.

26 August 1880

- 155 Further Minutes of Evidence taken before the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the allegations contained in Mr Hemmant's Petition, and all matters connected therewith.
- 156 Return to an Order relative to land selected on the Johnstone River.
- 157 Report of the Rockhampton Racecourse Bill; together with Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
- 158 Petition from certain selectors of Land by Conditional Purchase under the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876, praying that for reasons in the petition set forth, the time of payment of rents be extended to twenty years.
- 159 Further correspondence referring to the proportion to be retained by Her majesty's Government in England, of the postage receipts on correspondence passing between Great Britain and the Australian Colonies.

31 August 1880

- 160 Petition from certain residents of the Hodgkinson Gold Field, adverting to a rumored abolition of the Mines Department, and, for reasons in the petition set forth, praying the House not to sanction any alteration in the status of that department.
- 161 Report from the Commandant Queensland Volunteer Force, upon the condition of the Force.

- 162 Return to an Order relative to the Agreement between Messrs. McIlwraith,
McEacharn, and Co. and the Government for the conveyance of Immigrants.
163 Bye-Laws for the municipality of Blackall.

1 September 1880

- 164 Report of the Accountant in Insolvency.

2 September 1880

- 165 Fourth Report of the Printing Committee.
166 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the National Agricultural
and Industrial Association of Queensland Land Sales and Leases Bill; together
with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
167 Petition from certain Trustees of the German Lutheran Church, praying leave to
introduce a Bill to enable the Trustees of an allotment of land in the Town of
Toowoomba, granted for the purpose of the erection thereon of a church in
connection with the German Lutheran Church, to sell the same and apply the
proceeds to the building of a church and parsonage in a more convenient
situation. Together with a Certificate of the payment required to be made to meet
the expenses attendant on such Bill, and also the numbers of the Government
Gazette and of the newspapers containing notices of the intention to apply for
such Bill.
168 Petition from Mrs. Emily Saville Wells, widow of Joseph Prescott Wells,
deceased, late Police Magistrate of Normanton, setting forth the services of her
late husband and certain circumstances connected with losses sustained by her,
and praying relief in the premises.

7 September 1880

- 169 Report No.3 of Minutes of Evidence taken before the Select Committee
appointed to inquire into the Contract for, and Carriage of, Steel Rails and all
matters connected with Mr Hemmant's Petition.

8 September 1880

- 170 Report No.4 of Minutes of Evidence taken before the Select Committee
appointed to inquire into the Contract for, and Carriage of, Steel Rails and all
matters connected with Mr Hemmant's Petition.
171 German Lutheran Church Land Sales Bill 1880.
172 Burrum Railway Bill 1880.
173 Bye-Laws for the municipality of Toowoomba.

9 September 1880

- 174 Notice of Pairs with regard to the present session.
175 Notice of Pairs with regard to 13 September and 14 September, 1880.
176 Sale of Queensland Wine Bill 1880.

10 September 1880

- 177 Return of payments made by employers on account of the wages of deceased
South Sea Islanders.

13 September 1880

- 178 Report of the Registrar-General on the working of the Real Property Acts 1861-
1877.

- 179 Return to an Address relative to the authority to the Premier to act on behalf of the Executive while in England.
 180 Return to an Order relative to the ship "Scottish Hero".
 181 Despatch, dated 18 June, 1880, from the Secretary of State for the Colonies relative to the Practice and Procedure in the extradition of criminals.

14 September 1880

- 182 Petition from certain selectors of land of St. George, setting out that they find themselves unable without difficulty to meet their rents, and praying extension of the period for payment thereof.
 183 Petition from certain electors of Rosewood and District, urging reasons for the imposition of a Protective Tariff, and praying relief in the premises.
 184 Despatch, dated 1 July, 1880, referring to Disease in Vines known as Phylloxera Vastatrix.
 185 Despatch, dated 17 June, 1880, referring to Treaties between Great Britain and the Republic of Honduras.
 186 Despatch, dated 28 May, 1880, referring to the Repatriation of British and French Pauper Lunatics.
 187 Despatch, dated 2 June, 1880, referring to Nominations to Naval Cadetships.
 188 Selectors Relief Bill 1880.

20 September 1880

- 189 Returns of Agriculture and Live Stock for the year, 1879.
 190 Sheriff's Report on Gaols, 1879.
 191 Return to an Order relative to the Crown Solicitor and his Firm.
 192 Part Return to an Order relative to Adjudicated Insolvents during the years 1878, 1879, and 1880.
 193 Fire Brigades Act Amendment Bill 1880.
 194 Report of the Chief Inspector of Distilleries for the year ended 31 March, 1880.

21 September 1880

- 195 Fifth Report of the Printing Committee.
 196 Return to an Order relative to Lands in the Electorate of Enoggera.

22 September 1880

- 197 Railway Companies Preliminary Bill 1880.
 198 Distillation Bill 1880.
 199 Marsupials Destruction Bill 1880.
 200 Marriage Bill 1880.
 201 Appropriation Bill 1880-81 No.2

23 September 1880

- 202 Petition from certain residents in the Burnett District, praying that the Marsupials Destruction Act of 1877 may be re-enacted.
 203 Correspondence concerning Mr Hurley's proposal to construct the Burrum Railway.

27 September 1880

- 204 Correspondence between Messrs. Henry Kimber and Co. and Mr McIlwraith in reference to the construction of a Railway from the termini of the Western Lines to Point Parker.

28 September 1880

- 205 Report of the Government Meteorological Observer for the year 1879.
206 Return to an Order relative to the assessment under the Diseases in Sheep Act.
207 Return to an Order relative to Fees under the Brands Act of 1872

29 September 1880

- 208 Report of the Select Committee on the German Lutheran Church Land Sales Bill; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.

30 September 1880

- 209 Return to an Order relative to Sailing Vessels entering Moreton Bay and Keppel Bay.
210 Report on the Brisbane Water Supply, 1880.
211 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Construction of the Toowoomba Waterworks, and the adjustment of accounts between the Government and the Corporation; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
212 Petition from certain Businessmen of Toowoomba and Warwick, drawing the attention to the 49th Clause of the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876, and to the protection which it affords to Insolvent Selectors, and praying that the Law in this particular circumstance be altered.
213 Contractors Debts Bill 1880.

5 October 1880

- 214 Supreme Court Act Amendment Bill 1880.
215 Copies of Minutes of the Executive Council, and Telegrams between the Government and Contractors in reference to the new Mail Service between London and Queensland.
216 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Case of William Hobbs; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
217 Petition from William Coote, of South Brisbane, alleging that the operation of the 6th Clause of the Constitution Act of 1867 is liable to be uncertain and severe against Members of this House, and praying inquiry.

7 October 1880

- 218 Petition from certain members of the Queensland United Licensed Victuallers Association, objecting to the proposed increased Duty on Rum, and praying relief in the premises.

8 October 1880

- 219 Regulae Generales in the Supreme Court of Queensland, dated, 7 September, 1880.
220 Improvement on Selections Bill 1880.
221 Selectors Relief Bill 1880.
222 Petition from certain residents in Bowen and Kennedy Electorates, praying that a Branch Railway may be constructed from Bowen to the Houghton River to join the Townsville Line in a westerly direction, crossing the Burdekin near Mount Dalrymple.

11 October 1880

- 223 Return to an Order, relative to expenditure on deepening of the Rivers Fitzroy and Brisbane.

12 October 1880

- 224 Despatch, dated 22 July, 1880, in relation to the Treaty of Friendship between Great Britain and Servia.
225 Despatch, dated 25 June, 1880, in relation to the Prevention of Collisions at Sea.
226 Despatch, dated 16 July, 1880, in relation to Unclaimed Salvage.
227 Despatch, dated 26 June, 1880, in relation Treaties of Commerce between Great Britain and France.

13 October 1880

- 228 Copy of Regulation established under the provisions of the 97th Clause of the Gold Fields Act of 1874
229 Progress Report of the Central Board of Health, 1879.
230 Return to an Order relative to the claim of Nehemiah Bartley.

14 October 1880

- 231 Pair List for Messrs Bailey and Feez

15 October 1880

- 232 Petition from Joshua Peter Belland George Harris, Trustees of certain land in the petition described, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable the Trustees of the said land to mortgage the same, or any part thereof, and to apply the monies raised by mortgage in defraying the cost of buildings and improvements erected and made or hereafter to be erected or made thereon. (Including a Certificate of the payment required to be made to meet the expenses attendant on such Bill, and also the numbers of the Government Gazette and of the newspapers containing notices of the intention to apply for a such Bill)

18 October 1880

- 233 Return to an Order relative to Mining Leases at Gympie.
240 Brisbane Racecourse Act of 1875 Amendment Bill 1880.

19 October 1880

- 234 Report of the Curator of Intestate Estates.

20 October 1880

- 235 Report of the Standing Order Committee recommending the erection of new quarters for the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly upon the site reserved for that purpose.
236 Supplementary Estimates, No. 3 - 1878-9.
237 Supplementary Estimates - 1879-80.
238 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the proposed Branch Line of Railway to South Brisbane.
239 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the Sandgate Railway, via Victoria Park, Sports Ground, and Nudgee.

21 October 1880

- 241 Report of the Engineer of Harbours and Rivers for the year ended 30 June, 1880.
- 242 Report No. 5 of Minutes of Evidence taken before the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Contract for, and Carriage of, Steel Rails and all matters connected with Mr Hemmant's Petition.
- 243 Further Telegrams between the Government and Contractors in relation to the Mail Service between London and Queensland.
- 244 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Petition of Mr. Tom Coward; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
- 245 Petition from Alfred Shaw and Co., of Brisbane, referring to the injury done to interests involved in foreign sailing ships, by the differential rates charged on such ships, and on foreign steamers, respectively, calling at Queensland Ports to discharge part cargoes; and praying relief in the premises.
- 246 Petition from Matthew B Hale, D. D., Bishop of Brisbane, adverting to certain provisions of the marriage Bill, which in his opinion are open to grave objections, and praying that the House will not permit the said Bill to pass into law.

22 October 1880

- 247 Treasury Bills Bill 1880.
- 248 Duty on Cedar Bill 1880.
- 249 Duty on Queensland Spirits Bill 1880.
- 250 Customs Duties Bill 1880.

25 October 1880

- 251 Treasury Bills Bill 1880. (same as document No. 247)

26 October 1880

- 252 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the Branch Line to the racecourse from Brisbane and Sandgate Railways.
- 253 Return to an Order relative to Hopper Barges and Steam Launches for the Government.
- 254 Return to an Order relative to the Books of the Charters Towers Municipality.

27 October 1880

- 255 Tables relating to the Colonial Treasurer's Financial Statement for the year 1880 - 81.
- 256 Return to an Address, relative to Charges of Assault against John Eldson (Heldson)
- 257 Report of the Board of Trustees of the Queensland Museum for the year 1879-80.
- 258 Appropriation Bill 1880 - 81, No.3
- 259 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the proposed Maryborough and Burrum Railway.

28 October 1880

- 260 Gulland Railway Bill 1880. (A Bill to authorise James Gulland to construct Branch Lines of Railway connected with the Southern and Western Railway.)
- 261 Sixth Report of the Printing Committee.

1 November 1880

- 262 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the Brisbane River Valley Branch Railway; Section No.1 to 10 1/2 miles. 263 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of proposed Private Branch Railway off the Southern and Western Railway, at 17 miles 40 -70 chains, and 18 miles 51 chains.

2 November 1880

- 264 Return to an Order relative to tenders for the last government Loan.

3 November 1880

- 265 Petition from certain inhabitants of Oxley Creek, Rocky Waterholes, Cooper's Plains, and Four-mile Swamp, alleging superior advantages in the Survey of the Line from Oxley to South Brisbane made by Mr. Thorneloe Smith over that made by Mr. Fitzgibbon, and praying the House to withhold approval of the Plans now before the House.
- 266 Regulae Generales of the Supreme Court as of 2 November, 1880, A. D.
- 267 Petition from John Ferrett, urging that the course proposed to be taken by the Line involved in the Gulland Railway Bill would unnecessarily and injuriously encroach upon certain lands of his property, and praying inquiry and relief.

4 November 1880

- 268 Report from the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the allegations contained in Mr. Hemmant's Petition in relation to the Contract and Carriage of Steel Rails, together with the Proceedings of the Committee and the Minutes of Evidence.
- 269 Return to an Order relative to Railway Receipts between Murphy's Creek and Ipswich.

5 November 1880

- 270 Report of the Select Committee on the Claim of Messrs. Wildash and Hutchison; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.

8 November 1880

- 271 Report of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the Brisbane Racecourse Act of 1875 Amendment Bill; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.

10 November 1880

- 272 Petition from John Jones, Proprietor of Ebbw Colliery, near Bundamba, (Bundamba) stating certain objections which he entertains to Mr. Gulland's project, and praying relief in the premises.

11 November 1880

- 273 Report of the Select Committee on the Disqualification of Members of Parliament under the Sixth Clause of the Constitution Act of 1867; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
- 274 Report of the Joint library Committee.

15 November 1880

- 275 Writ and Oath for James Foote as a Member for the Electoral District of Bundamba. (Bundamba)

- 276 Return to an Order relative to Agricultural Produce railway - borne from the Darling Downs to Ipswich and Brisbane.
- 277 Return to an Order relative to Railway Tickets at Yuelba, Bungil, Roma.
- 278 Return to an Order relative to the number of passengers booked between Brisbane and Roma from 18 September to 30 October, 1880.
- 279 Correspondence with the Governments of New South Wales, South Australia, and Victoria in relation to Chinese Immigration.
- 280 Return to an Order relative to the Charter Party of the ship "Scottish Prince".

17 November 1880

- 281 Report of the Select Committee on the Working of the Crown Solicitor's Office; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
- 282 Report of the Select Committee on the Petition of Mrs.E S Wells; together with the Minutes of Evidence and the Proceedings of the Committee.
- 283 Statistics of the Colony of Queensland for the year, 1879.
- 284 Appropriation Bill No. 4, 1880.
- 285 Petition from certain Ministers of Religion and others, offering objections to the running of Sunday Trains, and praying relief in the premises.

18 November 1880

- 286 Despatch, dated 5 August, 1880, referring to a Treaty between Great Britain and Roumania.
- 287 Despatch, dated 24 August, 1880, referring to a Declaration between Great Britain and Russia relative to the disposal of the Estates of deceased seamen of the two Nations.
- 288 Report by Captain Pennefather, Q.G.S. " Pearl ", on Explorations in the Gulf of Carpentaria, and Surveys in the vicinity of Point Parker.
- 289 Return to an Order relative to the closing of Roads and Applications for Water Reserves on the Darling Downs.

Papers recorded in the recess prior to the fourth session

7 December 1880

- 290 Life Insurance Bill 1880. (Bill sent from the Legislative Council, but, not proceeded with)
- 291 Insanity Bill 1880. (Bill sent from the Legislative Council, but, not proceeded with)

Papers recorded in the recess prior to the Fourth Session

28 June 1881

- 6 Insurance Policy for the House of the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly

FOURTH SESSION OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

5 July 1881

- 1 Writ and Oath for Henry Palmer as a Member for the Electoral District of Maryborough.
- 2 Writ and Oath for Robert Aland as a Member for the Electoral District of Drayton and Toowoomba.
- 3 Writ and Oath for Pope Alexander Cooper as a Member for the Electoral District of Bowen.
- 4 Writ and Oath for Oscar De Satgé as a Member for the Electoral District of Mitchell.
- 5 Writ and Oath for Maurice Hume Black as a Member for the Electoral District of Mackay.
- 7 Speaker's Warrant appointing Archibald Archer, Richard Ash Kingsford, Albert Norton, Thomas Macdonald-Paterson, De Burgh Fitzpatrick Persse, Francis Kates and John Macfarlane as Members of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications.
- 8 Despatch, dated 20 January, 1881, from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to His Excellency the Governor, in reply to a Despatch, dated 29 October, 1880, from the Officer Administering the Government of Queensland, transmitting the Address of this House, adopted on 14 October, 1880, relative to the Deceased Wife's Sister Marriages Act of 1877.
- 9 Despatch, dated 14 September, 1880, in relation to the Order in Council Amending Article 4 of the Western Pacific Order in Council, 14 August, 1879 .
- 10 Despatch, dated 22 December, 1880, in relation to the Order of the Queen in Council exempting from re-measurement, in Great Britain, Ships of the Russian Empire, etc.
- 11 Despatch, dated 29 December, 1880, in relation to the Order in Council in re: Mutual Surrender of Fugitive Criminals between Great Britain and Switzerland.
- 12 Further Correspondence in relation to the arrival in the Colonies of French Criminals from New Caledonia.
- 13 Despatch, dated 1 November, 1880, in relation to the Cultivation of Cinchona.
- 14 Despatch, dated 13 October, 1880, in relation to the disease in vines known as Phylloxera Vastatrix.
- 15 Despatch, dated 13 October, 1880, in relation to silver and bronze coin.
- 16 Correspondence in relation to the Constitution of the Commission to Inquire into the Purchase and freight of Steel Rails.
- 17 Despatch, dated 13 April, 1880, in relation to the imperial Contribution towards maintenance of the harbour of Refuge, Torres Straits.
- 18 Mr Watson's Report on the Trial Survey of Proposed Route for the Transcontinental Railway from Roma to Point Parker. Progress report No.1
- 19 Mr Watson's Report on the suitability of timber on the Batavia River for the Transcontinental Railway from Roma to Point Parker.
- 20 Mr Watson's Report on the Trial Survey of Proposed Route for the Transcontinental Railway from Roma to Point Parker. Summary
- 21 Mr Hann's Report on the country from Blackall to Point Parker along the Proposed Route for the Transcontinental Railway from Roma to Point Parker.

- 22 Report of the Brisbane Board of Waterworks for the year ended 31 December, 1880.
- 23 Report of the Agent - General for the year 1880.
- 24 Copy of the Contract between the Canadian Government and the Syndicate for the construction of The Canadian Pacific Railway.
- 25 Minutes of Proceedings of the Intercolonial Conference held in Sydney, January, 1881.
- 26 Correspondence respecting Certain Portions of the Appendix to the Minutes of the recent Intercolonial Conference.
- 27 Registrar - General 's Report on Vital Statistics, 1880.
- 28 Blue Book for the year 1880.
- 29 Proposed Resumption from the Run in the unsettled district of Warrego.
- 30 Fifth Annual Report of the Board appointed to inquire into the Causes of Disease affecting live-stock and plants.
- 31 Return of Applications accepted under the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876, showing the Area, Rent, Survey Fees, number of Homesteads, Conditional Purchase Selections, Pre-emptives, and Volunteer Selections, within and outside Homestead Areas, received at the Public Lands Office, from each District of the Colony, for the years 1877, 1878, 1879, and 1880.
- 32 Return of Applications accepted under the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876, showing the Area, Rent, Survey Fees, number of Homesteads, Conditional Purchase Selections, Pre-emptives, and Volunteer Selections, within and outside Homestead Areas, received at the Public Lands Office, from each District of the Colony, from 1 January to 31 December, 1880, inclusive.
- 33 Amended Regulation under the 10th section of the Government Savings Bank Act of 1864.
- 34 Report upon the Working of the Queensland Government Savings Bank for the year 1880.
- 35 Report upon The Government Life Insurance and Annuity Business for the year 1880.
- 36 Report of the Acting Chief Inspector of Distilleries.
- 37 Returns under the Intestacy Act of 1877.
- 38 Annual report of the Commissioner for Railways for the year 1880.
- 39 Further Reports on the Progress of the Gold Prospecting Expedition in Cape York Peninsula; also, on the Wild River Tin Mines.
- 40 Report of the Department of Mines, Queensland, for the year 1880.
- 41 Report of the Royal Commission appointed to take further evidence in England and to report on the allegations contained in Mr. Hemmant's Petition and all matters connect therewith.
- 42 Further copy of the Report of the Royal Commission appointed to take further evidence in England and to report on the allegations contained in Mr. Hemmant's Petition and all matters connect therewith; together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.
- 43 Imprisoned Debtors Support Bill 1881.

12 July 1881

- 44 Addendum to evidence of Mr. Jopp and General Hyde, showing the alterations by the witnesses to which Sir Hardinge Giffard alluded in his closing address.
- 45 Letter from the Auditor - General, dated 5 July, 1881, upon the subject of the condition of the Securities of the Government Savings Bank, and enclosing a Statement showing how the Funds of the Government Savings Bank were invested on 31 June, 1881.
- 46 Annual Report of the Auditor - General accompanied by the Public Accounts for the financial Year 1879 - 80, and a Summary of the Treasury Receipts and Disbursements to 30 June, 1881.

13 July 1881

- 47 Report of the Registrar of Brands for the year 1880.
- 48 Report of the Chief Inspector of Stock for the year 1880.
- 49 Despatch, dated 29 March, 1881, in relation to an Order of Her Majesty in Council in respect to Military Buildings.
- 50 Despatch, dated 26 March, 1881, in relation to Acts passed in the Third Session of the Eighth Parliament of Queensland.
- 51 Despatch, dated 15 March, 1881, in relation to a Treaty between Great Britain and Luxembourg.

14 July 1881

- 52 Petition from Charles Francis Cumming, alleging that he had been wrongfully dismissed from the Public Service, and praying inquiry and relief.

19 July 1881

- 53 Despatches relating to the Intercolonial Conference held in Sydney, January, 1881.
- 54 Despatch, dated 9 April, 1881, referring to Revised Regulations in relation to Navel Cadets.
- 55 Petition from certain Carriers of goods from and to the Central Railway, complaining that they are impeded in their business by certain Regulations and provisions of Law, and praying relief in the premises.

20 July 1881

- 56 Pearl-shell and Beche-de-Mer Fishery Bill 1881.
- 57 Distillation Bill 1881.
- 58 Criminals Expulsion Bill 1881.
- 59 Marsupials Destruction Bill 1881. (
- 60 Report of the Accountant in Insolvency for the year 1880.

21 July 1881

- 61 First Report of the Printing Committee.
- 62 Report of the Registrar - General on the Real Property Branch of the Department for 1880.
- 63 Report of the Post and Telegraph Department of Queensland for the year 1880.

26 July 1881

- 64 Pearl-shell and Beche-de-Mer Fishery Bill 1881. (Second Reading)
- 65 Distillation Bill 1881. (Second Reading)
- 66 Criminals Expulsion Bill 1881. (Second Reading)
- 67 Marsupials Destruction Bill 1881. (Second Reading)
- 68 Intercolonial Warrants Bill 1881.
- 69 Sale of Food and Drugs Bill 1881.
- 70 United Municipalities Bill 1881.
- 71 Mines Regulation Bill 1881.
- 72 Water Storage and Distribution Bill 1881.
- 73 Intercolonial Warrants Bill 1881. (same as Document 68)
- 74 Fifth Report of the Secretary for Public Instruction, for the year 1880.
- 75 Return of all Teachers employed in State and Provisional Schools on 1 July, 1881, with their Salaries and Allowances.
- 76 Statement of Transfers of Votes authorised by the Governor in Council on Account of 1880 -81, to 15 July, 1881, in terms of Clause XIX of the Audit Act of 1874.

27 July 1881

- 77 Appropriation Bill 1881 - 2, No.1.

28 July 1881

- 78 Proclamation prohibiting the introduction of Cattle, Sheep, and Pigs into the Colony of Queensland.
- 79 Report of the Medical Superintendent Dr. Patrick Smith on Asylums for the Insane, Goodna and Ipswich for the year 1880.
- 80 Report of the Under Secretary for Lands on the Work of the Lands Department during the year 1880.

2 August 1881

- 81 Part Return to an Order relative to Immigrants introduced from 1 January to 30 June, 1881.
- 82 Petition from James Gulland, of Ipswich, Coalmaster, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable him to construct and maintain a Tramway, to be worked partly by horse and partly by wire ropes, from Tivoli Coal Mine, in the County of Stanley, to the Bremer River, together with the numbers of the Government Gazette and of the newspapers containing notices of the intention to apply for such Bill, and also, the Certificate of the payment required to be made to meet the expenses of the Bill.

3 August 1881

- 83 Preliminary Returns of Agriculture and Livestock, 1880.
- 84 Return to an Order relative to Land Selections on the Johnston, Mossman, and Daintree Rivers.
- 85 Petition from Henry William Coxen, alleging circumstances by which he was injured in relation to certain Land Selections lately made by him, and praying enquiry and relief.
- 86 Evidence in Summary Convictions Bill 1881.
- 87 Gulland Tramway Bill 1881.

9 August 1881

- 88 Legal Practitioners Bill 1881.
- 89 Writ and Oath for Josiah Francis as the Member for the Electoral District of Ipswich.
- 90 Report of the Postmaster on the Ports and Harbours of Queensland.
- 91 Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill 1881.
- 92 Report of the Commissioner of Police for the year 1881.
- 93 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the Extension of the Northern Railway from Charters Towers to Hughenden, 85 miles to 243 miles. 1881)
- 94 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the Extension of the Central Railway from 260 Miles to 367 miles.
- 95 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the proposed Branch Railway to South Brisbane
- 96 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the proposed Branch Railway from Toowoomba to Highfields via Meringandan.
- 97 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the proposed Brisbane Valley Branch Railway.
- 98 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the proposed Branch Railway from Warwick to Killarney 1881

10 August 1881

99 Triennial Parliaments Bill 1881.

11 August 1881

100 Report from the Superintendent of the Benevolent Asylum, Dunwich.

16 August 1881

101 Second Report of the Printing Committee.
 102 Estimates of the Probable Ways and Means and Expenditure of the Government of Queensland for the year ending 30 June, 1882.
 103 Petition from Sarah Dyas, Widow of the late First-class Sub-Inspector George Dyas, representing the long services of her deceased husband, and praying consideration and relief in the premises.

23 August 1881

104 Reply to a loyal Address of Welcome that was presented to their Royal Highnesses Prince Albert Victor Christian Edward, and Prince George Frederick Ernest Albert, of Wales.
 105 Fires Brigades Bill 1881
 106 Thomas Railway Bill 1881.
 107 Country Lands sold by Auction during the last Financial Year.
 108 Petition from certain persons advocating such an alteration in the law as would admit of Grocers selling Spirituous Liquors in a smaller quantity than two Gallons, and praying relief in the premises.
 109 Pharmacy Bill 1881.
 110 Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill 1881.

24 August 1881

111 Petition from certain Merchants, Miners and other residents of Charters Towers, advocating a different site for the Railway Terminus at that town than that selected by the Government, and praying relief in the premises.
 112 Petition from certain residents of Ipswich, praying the House to pass a Bill prohibiting the opening of Public Houses on Sundays.
 113 Petition from certain Winegrowers in the District of Drayton and Toowoomba, representing that advantages would arise from additional facilities being afforded for the Sale of Colonial Wines, and praying relief in the premises.
 114 Petition from Edward W. Knox, Manager of the Colonial Sugar Refining Company, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable " The Colonial Sugar Refining Company " to sue and to be sued in the name of such Company, to vest the property of the Company in the Trustees for the time being of such Company, and to enable and authorise certain Conditional Purchasers to transfer their Selections to such Trustees, notwithstanding that they may not have obtained Certificates of Fulfillment of Conditions, and to validate any agreements for the purchase of such Selections that may have been made contingent upon the passing of this Act. Together with a copy of the Bill, Receipt, and Papers.

25 August 1881

115 Burr Destruction Bill 1881.
 116 Selectors Relief Bill 1881.
 117 Return to an Order relative to Telegraph Offices closed.
 118 Colonial Sugar Refining Company's Bill 1881.

30 August 1881

- 119 Petition from John Smart Crato, expressing his view upon the subject of Excursion Trains, and praying the House to give them effect.
- 120 Statistics of the Colony of Queensland for the year 1880; compiled from Official Records in the Registrar - General's Office.
- 121 Return to an Order relative to Immigration Lecturer for Scotland.
- 122 Return to an Order relative to Revenue on letters by certain Mail Routes.
- 123 Return to an Order relative to the suspension of Licenses of Distillers.
- 124 Fires Brigades Bill 1881.
- 125 Thomas Railway Bill 1881.

31 August 1881

- 126 Report from the Superintendent of the Penal Establishment, St Helena, for the year 1880.

1 September 1881

- 127 Return to an Order relative to Chinese in Queensland.

6 September 1881

- 128 Loan Estimates, 1881 - 82.

7 September 1881

- 129 Petition from certain residents of the Central District, representing circumstances connected with the dismissal of Mr. James Leivesley, late Station Master at Emerald, and praying enquiry.
- 130 Petition from the Mayor and Corporation of the Town of Warwick, representing certain circumstances connected with the expenditure on, and construction of, the Warwick Water Works, and praying relief in the premises.
- 131 Analyses of Samples of Spirits, Groceries, etc.
- 132 Report from the Joint Committee for the Management and Superintendence of the Parliamentary Buildings, together with the Minutes of Proceedings of the Committee.
- 133 Return to an Order relative to Expenditure on Lights, Whaves, and Dredging at each Port of the Colony.
- 134 Report from the Standing Orders Committee recommending an Amendment of the Standing Orders in relation to the withdrawal of Strangers from the House.

8 September 1881

- 135 Supreme Court Act of 1874 Amendment Bill 1881.

13 September 1881

- 136 Tables relating to the Colonial Treasurer's Financial Statement for the year 1881-2.
- 137 Amendment of Clause 8 of the Timber Regulations Proclaimed on 1 March, 1877.
- 138 Petition from Presidents and Vice-Presidents of certain Schools of Arts in Queensland, drawing attention to the inconvenience to their operations, and the weakening effect upon their efficiency, caused by the reduction in the usual amount of subsidy, and praying relief in the premises.

14 September 1881

- 139 Further Report of the Royal Commission on Mr. Hemmant's Petition; the General Management of the Agent-General's Office in London.
- 140 Despatch, dated 5 July, 1881, in relation to the transit of Venus in 1882.
- 141 Further Despatch, dated 10 June, 1881, on the subject of the disease in vines known as Phylloxera Vastatrix.
- 142 Return to an Order relative to the proposed Report by Mr. J. Brittain Pash on the Agricultural Resources of Queensland.
- 143 Return to an Order relative to complaints by Mr. Crawford against Mr. B Cribb, Police Magistrate of Toowoomba.
- 144 Report of the Select Committee on the Gulland Tramway Bill; together with the Minutes of Evidence .
- 145 Report on Explorations in Cape York Peninsula, 1879-80, by Robert L. Jack, Government Geologist.
- 146 Gulland's Branch Lines of Railway Bill 1881.
- 147 Police Jurisdiction Extension Bill 1881.
- 148 Local Government Act Amendment Bill 1881.
- 149 Appropriation Bill 1881-2, No.2

15 September 1881

- 145(a) Plans Section, and Book of Reference of proposed Tramway from the Terminus to Petrie's Bight, Brisbane.
- 150 Third Report of the Printing Committee.
- 151 New Standing Order 285 as agreed to by the Legislative Assembly on 13 September, 1881.

16 September 1881

- 152 Petition from certain Members of the Maryborough Chamber of Commerce, Municipal Council, Divisional Boards, and other Bodies representative of the Commercial, Industrial, and Agricultural Interests of the District of Wide Bay and Burnett, praying for the construction of a Branch Railway from Gympie via Kilkivan to Gayndah.

19 September 1881

- 153 Report from the Select Committee on the Colonial Sugar Refining Company's Bill; together with the Minutes of Evidence and Appendix.
- 154 Petition from certain inhabitants of Brisbane, urging objections to various provisions of the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill, and praying relief in the premises.

20 September 1881

- 155 Settled Districts Pastoral Leases Act of 1876 Amendment Bill 1881.

21 September 1881

- 156 Return to an Order relative to the fire in the Orchard of Frederick Mole.
- 157 Report from the Joint Library Committee, recommending expenditure for additional shelving in the Library.
- 158 Oyster Act Amendment Bill 1881.
- 159 Plan and Book of Reference of Gulland's Coal Railway, the Goodna Branch Line.

22 September 1881

- 160 Local Option Bill 1881.

- 161 Petition from Matthew B. Hale, President of the Queensland Branch of the Society for promoting the Due Observance of the Lord's Day, and praying the House to withhold its sanction from any attempt which may be made to open the Museum on Sundays.

23 September 1881

- 162 Preliminary Statement of Census for the year 1881, taken on 3rd day of April, 1881: being the sixth Census taken in the Colony.

26 September 1881

- 163 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of Line of Railway under the Thomas Railway Bill.
- 164 Statement showing the Alcoholic Strengths of Queensland Wines.

27 September 1881

- 165 Petition from certain Members and Adherents of the Creek Street Presbyterian Church, praying the House so amend the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill as to prohibit the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors on Sunday.
- 166 Petition from certain inhabitants of Brisbane, praying the House so amend the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill as to prohibit the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors on Sunday.
- 167 Petition from certain inhabitants of Brisbane, offering objections to certain Clauses of the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill, especially Clauses 31, 36, and 38, and praying relief in the premises.
- 168 Petition from certain other inhabitants of Brisbane, offering objections to certain Clauses of the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill, especially Clauses 31, 36, and 38, and praying relief in the premises.
- 169 Copy of Government Gazette, dated 8 July, 1864, containing regulations for the introduction of Immigrants from British India.
- 170 Petition from the Executive Officers of the Queensland United Licensed Victuallers Association, urging various objections to the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill, and praying that certain Amendments which they indicate may be made in the Bill, or relief be otherwise afforded in the premises.
- 171 Petition from certain Members of the Congregation worshipping at the South Brisbane Baptist Church, praying the House so to amend the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill as to entirely prohibit the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors on Sunday.
- 172 Petition from certain inhabitants of Boggo and its neighbourhood, offering objections to the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill, especially to certain Clauses thereof particularised, and praying relief in the premises.

28 September 1881

- 173 Report of the Government Meteorological Observer, for the year 1880.
- 174 Report of the Engineer for Harbours and Rivers for the year ending 30 June, 1881.
- 175 Despatch referring to the Treaty between Great Britain and Switzerland.
- 176 Statistics showing the extent to which employment is given to European and Coloured Labour by the Sugar Industry at Mackay.
- 177 Return to an Order relative to Pre - emption by Sir John O'Shaughnessy.
- 178 Fourth Report of the Printing Committee.

29 September 1881

- 179 Gold Fields Act Amendment Bill 1881.

- 180 Petition from certain Members of the Baptist Church, Fortescue Street, Brisbane, praying the House to withhold its sanction from any attempt to open the Museum on Sundays.

4 October 1881

- 181 Macalister Pension Bill 1881.

5 October 1881

- 182 Petition from certain inhabitants of Roma and District, praying the House so to amend the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill as to entirely prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquor on Sunday.
- 183 Petition from Sugar-growers and Manufacturers in the Logan District, representing certain disabilities under which they labour in consequence of various provisions of the Polynesians Labourers Act of 1868 and the Pacific Island Labourers Act of 1880, and praying the House to cause certain Returns to be made of payments there under by Employers; and, also, that the House will take such steps as may be necessary to put in force the Regulations for the Introduction and Protection of Labourers from British-India.

6 October 1881

- 184 Petition from certain inhabitants of the Caboolture District, praying the House to amend the Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill, in various particulars in the Petition set forth.
- 185 Return to an Order relative to all Moneys received under the Polynesians Labourers Act of 1868 and the Pacific Island Labourers Act of 1880, up to date, and showing how expended, and balance to credit of Fund.
- 186 Copy of the Resolutions of the Legislative Council sent to the Speaker of the Legislative by the President of the Legislative Council on the Branch Railway Line to South Brisbane: together with planned amendments to the Branch Railway Line and, the Third Report of the Select Committee on Railway Extension (Branch Railway Line to South Brisbane) including Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

7 October 1881

- 187 Return to an Order relative to the dismissal of Mr. C.F. Cumming, late Police Magistrate at Goondiwindi.

10 October 1881

- 188 Despatch, dated 26 April, 1880, referring to Military Officers on Colonial Service.
- 189 Papers referring to the proposed International Congress on Phylloxera Vastix at Bordeaux.
- 190 Return to an Order relating to the proposed establishment of a State School at Monkland near Gympie. (Only one entry in the Votes and Proceedings on this date referring to the Monkland State School, it appears that this was an incorrect entry.)
- 191 Return to an Order relating to the proposed establishment of a State School at Monkland near Gympie.
- 192 Supplementary Estimates, 1880-81.

11 October 1881

- 193 Return to an Order relative to the dismissal of James Lievesley, late Station Master at Emerald.

12 October 1881

194 Supplementary Estimates, 1881-82.

13 October 1881

- 195 Papers relating to the Enquiry into charges against Mr. Walter Hill, late Curator of the Brisbane Botanic Gardens.
- 196 Petition from certain Freeholders, Leaseholders, and Residents in the Fassifern District, praying that the Fassifern Railway may be extended from Harrisville towards Old Coochin Station, via the One-eye Waterhole.
- 197 Sheriff's Report on Gaols for 1880.
- 198 Part Return to an Order relative to all Moneys received under the Polynesians Labourers Act of 1868 and the Pacific Island Labourers Act of 1880.
- 199 Return to an Address relative to alleged irregularity in the introduction of the Appropriation Bill No.1.

Papers received in the recess prior to the Fifth Session

3 November 1881

- 200 Insanity Bill 1881. (Returned from Legislative Council. Bill did not receive Assent - stopped by Prorogation).

FIFTH SESSION OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

4 July 1882

- 1 Sixth Census of the Colony of Queensland taken on 3 April, 1881.
- 2 Blue Book for the year 1881.
- 3 Report of the Military Committee of Inquiry into the Queensland Volunteer Force.
- 4 Memorandum by Colonel P.H. Scratchley, C.M.G., Royal Engineers on Defences in Queensland.
- 5 Despatch, dated 25 October, 1881, referring to the Fugitive Offenders Act, 1881.
- 6 Despatch, dated 11 March, 1882, referring to the Fugitive Offenders Act, 1881.
- 7 Despatch, dated 15 August, 1881, referring to the Importation into France of provisions in soldered tins.
- 8 Despatch, dated 8 August, 1881, referring to the Order of Her Majesty in Council in relation to crews of Danish Ships, etc.
- 9 Further Despatch, dated 7 February, 1882, referring to the Disease in Vines known as Phylloxera Vastatrix.
- 10 Further Despatch, dated 6 January, 1882, referring to the Transit of Venus in 1882.
- 11 Further Despatch, dated 28 January, 1882, referring to Acts passed in the Fourth Session of the Eighth Parliament of Queensland.
- 12 Further Despatch, dated 6 December, 1881, referring to the Intercolonial Warrants Bill.
- 13 Despatch, dated 23 January, 1882, referring to the Rules for the Treatment and Classification of Military Prisoners.
- 14 Despatch, dated 23 January, 1882, referring to the Revised Regulations in relation to Naval Cadets.
- 15 Despatch, dated 7 November, 1881, referring to the Agreement between Great Britain and Denmark in relation to Merchant Seamen Deserters.
- 16 Report of the Board of Waterworks for the year ended 31 December, 1881.
- 17 Report of the Commissioner of Police for the year 1881.
- 18 Report on Further Survey of Point Parker, Gulf of Carpentaria.
- 19 Report of the Agent-General for Emigration for the year 1881.
- 20 Report of the Chief Inspector of Stock for the year 1881.
- 21 Report of the Commandant of the Queensland Volunteer Force.
- 22 Report of the Superintendent of the Penal Settlement- St. Helena, for the year 1881.
- 23 Report of the Registrar of Brands for the year 1881.
- 24 Proposal by the Australasian Syndicate for the construction of a Railway from Charleville to the Border of New South Wales.
- 25 Proposal by the Australian Syndicate for the construction of a Railway from Charleville via Cunnamulla to the Border of New South Wales.
- 26 Proposal by the Australian Transcontinental Railway Syndicate for the construction of a Railway from Roma to Point Parker.
- 27 Offer from the Australian Transcontinental Railway Syndicate to construct a Railway from Rockhampton to Eupatoria Point.
- 28 Correspondence respecting the Proposed Introduction of Coolies from British - India.
- 29 Regulation under the Pearl Shell and Beche-de-Mer Fishery Act of 1881.
- 30 Sixth Annual Report of the Board appointed to inquire into the causes of disease affecting Live Stock and Plants.
- 31 Additional Regulations relating to Mining Leases.
- 32 Regulation with respect to the cutting and removal of Sandlewood, and, also Regulation relative to the issue of Annual Timber Licenses.
- 33 Documents relative to the Proposed Resumption of Runs from the unsettled district of Burke.

- 34 Return of Applications accepted under the Act 40 Victoria, No.15, received at the Public Lands Office, from each District of the Colony, for the years 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880 and 1881.
- 35 Return of Applications accepted under the Act 40 Victoria, No.15, received at the Public Lands Office, from each District of the Colony, from 1 January to 31 December,1881.
- 36 Report of the Department of Mines, Queensland, for the year 1881.
- 37 Report of the Board of Trustees of the Queensland Museum for the year 1881-82.
- 38 Annual Report of the Commissioner for Railways for the year 1881.
- 39 Report of the Accountant in Insolvency for the year 1881.
- 40 Report upon the Government Life Insurance and Annuity Business for the year 1881.
- 41 Report upon the Working of the Queensland Government Savings Bank for the year 1881.
- 42 Report of the Acting Chief Inspector, Distilleries.
- 43 Petition from certain Electors and Residents of South Brisbane, Oxley, and Logan alleging various reasons involving the resources, and their development, of the strip of coast country intervening between the Metropolis and the Tweed River, why a Railway should be constructed from Brisbane to the point nearest to the Tweed, on the Southern Boundary of the Colony, and praying relief in the premises.
- 44 the Subdivision of Land Bill 1882.
- 45 Writ and Oath for William Brookes as the Member for the Electoral District of North Brisbane.
- 46 Writ and Oath for John Govett as the Member for the Electoral District of Mitchell.
- 47 Writ and Oath for John Ferguson as the Member for the Electoral District of Rockhampton.
- 48 Writ and Oath for John Shillito Jessop as the Member for the Electoral District of Dalby.
- 49 Writ and Oath for William Allen as the Member for the Electoral District of Darling Downs.
- 50 Writ and Oath for Archibald Archer as the Member for the Electoral District of Blackall.

6 July 1882

- 51 Corrected Titles to Land Bill 1882.
- 52 Tramway Bill 1882.
- 53 Divisional Boards Act Amendment Bill 1882.
- 54 Immigration Bill 1882.
- 55 Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill 1882.
- 56 Mineral Lands Bill 1882.
- 57 Local Bodies Land Bill 1882.
- 58 Savings Bank Bill 1882.
- 59 Petition from certain Inhabitants and Electors of Port Douglas, Northcote, Hodgkinson, and Herberton, in the Cook Electorate, in a public meeting assembled, giving their reasons why a Railway should be constructed from Port Douglas to Herberton, and praying relief in the premises.

11 July 1882

- 60 Immigration Bill 1882.
- 61 Divisional Boards Act Amendment Bill 1882.
- 62 Liquor Retailers Licensing Bill 1882.
- 63 Local Bodies Land Bill 1882.
- 64 Mineral Lands Bill 1882.
- 65 Savings Bank Bill 1882.

- 66 Tramway Bill 1882.
 67 Writ and Oath for Thomas McWhannell as the Member for the Electoral District of Gregory.
 68 Petition from the Corporation of the Synod of the Diocese of Brisbane, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable the Corporation of the Diocese of Brisbane to sell or lease three allotments of land in the Town of North Brisbane, and to apply the proceeds or the rents to Church purposes.
 69 Government Gazette and Newspapers containing notice of the intention of the Corporation of the Diocese of Brisbane to apply for a Bill to sell or lease three allotments of land in the Town of North Brisbane, and, also, Certificate of the Payment required to be made to meet the expenses attendant on such a Bill.

12 July 1882

- 70 Letter, dated 11 April, 1882, from the Auditor-General, upon the subject of the condition of the Securities of the Government Savings Bank, and enclosing a Statement showing how the Funds of the Bank were invested on 30 June, 1882.

18 July 1882

- 71 Despatch, dated 18 April, 1882, referring to Revised Regulations in relation to Navel Cadets.
 72 Despatch, dated 12 April, 1882, in relation to Tonnage Measurement in Sweden.
 73 Despatch, dated 6 May, 1882, referring to the Great International Fisheries Exhibition in London during 1883.
 74 Report of the Medical Superintendent of the Asylums of the Insane, Goodna and Ipswich for the year 1881.
 75 Correspondence referring to the Rates of Postage between the United Kingdom and Queensland.
 76 Report of the Curator of Intestate Estates administered during the year 1881, under the Intestacy Act of 1877.
 77 Return to an Order relative to Cattle Trains from Roma to Brisbane.
 78 Seventh Report of the auditor-General accompanied by the Public Accounts for the year 1880-81, and a Summary of the Treasury Receipts and Disbursements to 30 June, 1882.
 79 The North Brisbane Leichhardt Street Church of England School Land Sale or Lease Bill 1882.
 80 Labourers from British India Act Repeal Bill 1882. (Private Bill)
 81 Writ and Oath for John Francis Buckland as the Member for the Electoral District of Bulimba.

20 July 1882

- 83 Appropriation Bill of 1882-3, No.1.

25 July 1882

- 82 Writ and Oath for John Baptist Louis Isambert as the Member for the Electoral District of Rosewood.
 84 Sixth Report of the Secretary for Public Instruction for the year 1881.
 85 Petition from certain Land Owners, Leaseholders, and other residents in the Upper Brisbane and Burnett Districts, praying the House to accord its favourable support to the Extension of the Mount Esk Railway by route via Esk, Nanango, and Kilkivan.
 86 Petition from certain residents of the Wide Bay District, representing that it is desirable to permit the employment of Polynesian Labour in farming generally, and that the greatest freedom should be allowed in re-engaging time expired labourers; and praying relief in the premises.
 87 Report of the Post and Telegraph Department of Queensland for the year 1881.

- 88 Mr. Watson's Report on the physical features of the country in the Gregory South and Warrego Districts.
- 89 Preliminary Return of Agriculture and Live Stock for 1881.
- 90 Correspondence referring to Commodore Wilson's Report on the Labour Trade in the Western Pacific.
- 91 Return to an Order relative to the treatment in London of German Immigrants prior to their departure for Queensland.
- 92 Return to an Order relative to the appointment of Crown Land Rangers in the Wide Bay District.
- 93 Report on Works carried out under the Building Branch of the Public Works Department for the year 1881.
- 94 Report on the Little River Coal Field, near Cooktown, by Robert L. Jack, Government Geologist.
- 95 Refer to Tabled Document 82/1882.

26 July 1882

- 96 Return of all Schools in operation on 1 July, 1882, with the attendance of Pupils and the Status and Emoluments of the Teachers employed.
- 97 Refer to Tabled Document 100. (duplicate tabling)

27 July 1882

- 98 Petition from certain residents in the Townsville, Kennedy, and Bowen Electorates, setting forth the advantages which would accrue to the district from the construction of a Line of Railway from Bowen to the Houghton River, to join the Townsville Line in a westerly direction, crossing the Burdekin near Mount Dalrymple, and praying the House to take into consideration the advisableness of constructing such Railway.
- 99 Speaker's Warrant appointing, Maurice Hume Black, Albricht Feez, Albert Norton, Thomas Macdonald-Paterson, De Burgh Fitzpatrick Persse, Francis Beattie and John Macfarlane as Members of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications.
- 100 Petition from Henry Cox Corfield, William Southerden, Francis Winterheld, Robert Jones, George Horsburgh, Christian William Weber, and Aaron Mirls, Trustees of the Maryborough Cemetery, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable the Trustees of Section of Land, No.39, in the Town of Maryborough, in the Colony of Queensland, granted with other Lands as a site or sites for a General Cemetery, to sell a portion thereof and to devote the proceeds to the purposes mentioned in the Cemetery Act of 1865 on the remaining portion of the said Section or the other Land of the trustees. Copies of the Government Gazette and of the Newspaper containing notices of the intention to apply for such a Bill, together with a copy of the Bill, also, a Certificate of the payment required to be made to meet the expenses attendant on such a Bill.

1 August 1882

- 101 Return to an Order relative to the Dismissal from the Commission of the Peace of certain Magistrates of Ipswich.
- 102 Return to an Order relative to the Condition and Management of the Brisbane Botanic Gardens.
- 103 First Report of the Printing Committee.
- 104 Return to an Order relative to Immigration arrivals from 1 May, 1881 to 1 July, 1882.
- 105 Petition from certain Conditional and Homestead Selectors of West Prairie and St. Ruth, setting forth that they are likely to be inconvenienced by the sale of certain lands upon which they are dependent for their supplies of timber, and praying that the said lands may be made a permanent Timber Reserve.

- 106 Petition from Robert Porter, Chairman of a Public Meeting of Inhabitants of Brisbane, giving their reasons for objecting to the introduction of Coolies into Queensland, and praying for relief in the premises.
- 107 Return to an Order relative to Disorderly Conduct at the Ipswich Railway Station.
- 108 Maryborough Cemeteries Sale Bill 1882.
- 109 Oyster Bill 1882.
- 110 Appropriation Bill 1882-3 No.1.
- 111 Indian Immigration Act Amendment Bill 1882.

2 August 1882

- 112 Preliminary Report by Robert L. Jack, Government Geologist, on the Stanthorpe Tin Mining District.

3 August 1882

- 113 Conterminous Selections Bill 1882.
- 114 Return to an Order relative to the Goods Traffic on the Railway between Rockhampton, Blackwater, Comet, and Emerald.

15 August 1882

- 115 Estimates of the Probable Ways and Means and Expenditure of the Government for the year ending 30 June, 1883.
- 116 Jurors Bill 1882.
- 117 Bills of Exchange Bill 1882.
- 118 Insanity Bill 1882.
- 119 Return to an Order relative to Government Road Expenditure.

16 August 1882

- 120 Loan Estimates 1882-3.
- 121 Special Appropriation from Surplus Revenue Funds.

17 August 1882

- 122 Petition from certain inhabitants of Rosewood, Charters Towers, and Townsville, setting forth the advantages to the District and to the Colony which would accrue from the construction of a Line of Railway from Cunningham's Waterhole to Ravenswood, and praying relief in the premises.
- 123 Certain Tables relating to the Colonial Treasurer's Financial Statement for the year 1882-3.
- 124 Petition from certain residents of the Gold Field and District of Gympie, representing the imperfect means of communication between that District and the Metropolis, and the advantages which would arise from the construction of a Line of Railway from Gympie to Brisbane, and praying relief in the premises.
- 125 Petition from certain residents of the District of Mackay, representing the want of Railway communication in the District, and praying relief in the premises.
- 126 Triennial Parliaments Bill 1882.

22 August 1882

- 127 Report of the Under Secretary for Public Lands on the Work of the Lands Department during the year 1881.

23 August 1882

- 128 Report from the Select Committee on the Maryborough Cemeteries Sale Bill; together with Minutes of Evidence, and an Appendix.

- 129 Settled Districts Pastoral Leases Act of 1876 Amendment Bill 1882.
- 130 Pastoral Leases Bill 1882.
- 131 Fire Brigades Act Amendment Bill 1882.
- 132 Appropriation Bill 1882-3, No.2.

24 August 1882

- 128(a) Report from the Select Committee on the North Brisbane Leichhardt Street Church of England School Land Sale or Leases Bill; together with the Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.
- 133 Second Report of the Printing Committee.
- 134 Pharmacy Bill 1882.
- 135 Petition from certain Sugar Planters of the northern portion of the Colony of Queensland and others engaged in Tropical Agriculture, praying the House to take into consideration desirableness of authorising the issue of a Certificate of Fulfilment of Conditions as to improvement at any time when such conditions shall have proved to have been complied with, notwithstanding that the term of three years may not have expired.

29 August 1882

- 136 Letters from his Royal Highness, dated 31 May, 1882, in relation to the proposed establishment of a Royal College of Music.
- 137 Despatch, dated 18 May, 1882, in relation to the issue of Passports Aliens naturalized in British Colonies.
- 138 Letter from the Foreign Office, dated 17 May, 1882, in relation to the Convention between Great Britain and France.
- 139 Despatch, dated 20 May, 1882, in relation to the extension of time for receipt of Exhibits in the Great International Fisheries Exhibition.
- 140 Petition from certain Sugar Planters of the northern portion of the Colony of Queensland and others engaged in Tropical Agriculture, praying the House to take into consideration desirableness of authorising the issue of a Certificate of Fulfilment of Conditions as to improvement at any time when such conditions shall have proved to have been complied with, notwithstanding that the term of three years may not have expired.

31 August 1882

- 141 Petition from certain Sugar Planters of Bowen and other places in the northern portion of the Colony of Queensland and others engaged in Tropical Agriculture, praying the House to take into consideration desirableness of authorising the issue of a Certificate of Fulfilment of Conditions as to improvement at any time when such conditions shall have proved to have been complied with, notwithstanding that the term of three years may not have expired.
- 142 Petition from certain Sugar Planters of the Johnstone and Mulgrave Rivers and other places in the northern portion of the Colony of Queensland and others engaged in Tropical Agriculture, praying the House to take into consideration desirableness of authorising the issue of a Certificate of Fulfilment of Conditions as to improvement at any time when such conditions shall have proved to have been complied with, notwithstanding that the term of three years may not have expired.
- 142(a) Memorandum from the Governor of Queensland in relation to papers respecting the claims of Dr. Hobbs. (Registered, but not Tabled).
- 143 Petition from certain Sugar Planters of the Lower Burdekin and other Districts the northern portion of the Colony of Queensland and others engaged in Tropical Agriculture, praying the House to take into consideration desirableness of authorising the issue of a Certificate of Fulfilment of Conditions as to improvement at any time when such conditions shall have proved to have been

complied with, notwithstanding that the term of three years may not have expired.

4 September 1882

- 144 Return to an Order relative to the Cost of, and Income from, the Railway between Dalby and Roma.
- 145 Return to an Order relative to Mr. Rich, Police Magistrate of Gladstone.
- 146 Return to an Order relative to Immigrants recommended by Messrs. Peto, Brassey, and Betts.
- 147 Return to an Order relative to Correspondence relating to the Volunteer force.

5 September 1882

- 148 Plans Section, and Book of Reference of Wharf Branch Extension, Maryborough.
- 149 Plans Section, and Book of Reference for Closing of Campbell Street on the Sandgate Railway.
- 150 Plans Section, and Book of Reference of proposed Alterations on the Sandgate Railway near Albion Station.
- 151 Plans Section, and Book of Reference of the Wharf Line, Rockhampton - Central Railway.
- 152 Plans Section, and Book of Reference of Ravenswood Branch of the Northern Railway.
- 153 Plans Section, and Book of Reference of the Springsure Branch of the Central Railway.
- 154 Plans Section, and Book of Reference of Railway from Mackay to Hamilton.
- 155 Plans Section, and Book of Reference of Railway from Mackay to Eton via Walkerston.
- 156 Report of the Registrar-General on the Working of the Real Property Acts in Queensland during the year 1881.
- 157 Twenty - second Annual Report on the Vital Statistics, 1881.
- 158 Duty on Cedar Bill 1882.
- 159 Port Dues Revision Bill 1882.

6 September 1882

- 160 Return to an Address relative to Exchange of Land between the Government and the Honourable P Perkins.
- 161 Petition from Certain Chemists and Druggists resident in and carrying on the business as such in the City of Brisbane, objecting to the provision in the Jury Bill which qualifies them for serving on Juries, and praying relief in the premises.
- 162 Petition from certain Sugar Planters of Cooktown and other places in the northern portion of the Colony of Queensland and others engaged in Tropical Agriculture, praying the House to take into consideration desirableness of authorising the issue of a Certificate of Fulfillment of Conditions as to improvement at any time when such conditions shall have proved to have been complied with, notwithstanding that the term of three years may not have expired.
- 163 Petition from certain Sugar Planters of Tully River and other Districts in the northern portion of the Colony of Queensland and others engaged in Tropical Agriculture, praying the House to take into consideration desirableness of authorising the issue of a Certificate of Fulfillment of Conditions as to improvement at any time when such conditions shall have proved to have been complied with, notwithstanding that the term of three years may not have expired.

11 September 1882

- 164 Petition from certain Sugar Planters of Mackay and other Districts in the northern portion of the Colony of Queensland and others engaged in Tropical Agriculture, praying the House to take into consideration desirableness of authorising the issue of a Certificate of Fulfillment of Conditions as to improvement at any time when such conditions shall have proved to have been complied with, notwithstanding that the term of three years may not have expired.

12 September 1882

- 165 Report of the Postmaster on the Department of Ports and Harbours of Queensland.
- 166 Petition from certain Residents of the Wild River District and Cairns in the Colony of Queensland and surrounding District praying that, for reasons in the Petition set forth, the House will abstain from increasing the Duty upon Cedar.
- 167 Petition from the Municipal Council of Brisbane, urging reasons why the said Council and their Officers should be exempt from liability to serve on Juries, and praying that the Jurors Bill, now before the House, may be amended accordingly.
- 168 Third Report of the Printing Committee.
- 169 Return to an Order relative to Robert McDowell, late a Porter at the Brisbane Railway Station.

14 September 1882

- 170 Petition from William Horton, Secretary, Isis Railway League, praying for a Railway Extension to Isis.
- 171 Statistics for the Colony of Queensland for the year 1881; compiled from Official Records in the Registrar-General's Office.
- 172 Despatch, dated 1 July, 1882, referring to the Declaration between the British and Russian Governments respecting Tonnage Measurement of Ships.
- 173 Despatch, dated 8 June, 1882, referring to Orders in Council respecting Tonnage Measurement of Ships of the Kingdoms of Sweden and Hayti.
- 174 Petition from certain settlers in the Rosewood District, urging reasons why a Water Supply should be provided for the District, and praying relief in the premises.

18 September 1882

- 175 Duty on Cedar Bill 1882. (Also refer to Tabled Document 158)
- 176 Petition from T Willmet, Chairman of a Public Meeting of the Citizens of Townsville, objecting to the introduction of Coolie Labour into Queensland, and praying the House to postpone any legislation on this question until Electors of the Colony have declared their opinions upon the subject.
- 177 Regulae Generales of the Supreme Court of Queensland, as of Tuesday, 5 September, 1882.
- 178 Petition from certain farmers, Selectors, and Residents of the Ebenezer, Franklyn Vale, and Mount Walker Districts, offering reasons why a road running through certain portions in the Parish of Jebropilly (closing of the road at Moorelands), should not have been closed, and praying relief in the premises.

19 September 1882

- 179 Sale of Food and Drugs Act Amendment Bill 1882.
- 180 Petition from L. Janson, Chairman of a Public Meeting of the Residents of the Town and District of Gladstone, urging reasons why the Central Line of Railway should be extended from Rockhampton to Port Curtis, and praying relief in the premises.

- 181 Petition from certain inhabitants of Bald Hills, and the North and South Pine Rivers District, urging reasons why there should be Railway Communication between the Metropolis and those Districts, and praying relief in the premises.
- 182 Appropriation Bill 1882-3, No.3.

21 September 1882

- 183 Provisional Agreement between His Excellency The Governor in Council and Messrs. Alfred Shaw, John Garget, and others, for the Construction, under the provisions of the Railway Companies Preliminary Act of 1880, of a Railway from a point thirty miles east of Charleville to Charleville, thence to Cunnamulla, and thence down the Warrego River, terminating at the twenty-ninth parallel of latitude on the boundary line of New South Wales and Queensland.
- 184 Petition from James Gilbertson and John Sutton, Members of the Synod of the Diocese of Brisbane, alleging that the Corporation of the Synod had no authority for dealing with the Land the subject of the North Brisbane Leichhardt Street Church of England School Land Sale or Leases Bill, and praying the House not to sanction the Bill.
- 185 Petition from T. A. Johnson, Chairman of a Public Meeting of inhabitants of Warwick and its District, urging the advantages of establishing a Railway Communication between Warwick and Brisbane, via Fassifern, and praying the House to authorise a Survey to be made from Warwick to Goondiwindi.

25 September 1882

- 186 Reports on the Principal Mines in the Colony, by W. Fryar, Inspector of Mines.
- 187 Petition from certain Residents of the City of Brisbane, and others, drawing attention to the imperfect means of communication between the City of Brisbane and the Gold Field and District of Gympie and the Town of Maryborough and District of Wide Bay, and praying that a remedy may be applied by means of a Line of Railway on the Eastern side of the Blackall Range, between Brisbane and Gympie.
- 188 Warrego Railway Bill 1882.

26 September 1882

- 189 Return in connection with the Cultivation of Forest Trees, showing the description of the trees, and the cost of cultivation.
- 190 Petition from certain Residents within the Municipality of Gympie and the Glastonbury and Widgee Divisions, Wide Bay District, setting forth the state of disrepair of the Road between the Towns of Tewantin and Gympie, in the Widgee Division, and its importance as a main carrying artery, and praying the House to devise some remedy for its present ineffective condition.
- 191 Return to an Order relative to the Selection of Jane Mary Greenup, No.58, Stanthorpe Register.
- 192-193 Plans, Sections, and Book of Reference of the Branch Lines of the Southern and Western Railway to Logan and Beenleigh. 194 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of the Branch Line of the Maryborough Railway to Kilkivan.

28 September 1882

- 195 Petition from John Mackay, of Levuka, in the Colony of Fiji, Master Mariner, claiming that the head waters of the Pioneer River were discovered by him, and praying consideration on the ground that the results of such discovery have proved beneficial to the Colony.

2 October 1882

- 196 Petition from the Corporation of the Municipality of Brisbane, praying leave to introduce a Bill to enable the Corporation of the Municipality of Brisbane to sell or lease certain land granted to the Municipality as a site for the erection of a Town Hall, and to apply the proceeds as therein enacted.
- 197 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of the Railway from Cooktown to Maytown.
- 198 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of the Bundaberg Railway Wharf Branch and the Extension to Johnston's Saw Mill.

3 October 1882

- 199 Town Hall Bill 1882.

9 October 1882

- 200 Amended Book of Reference. (Refer to Tabled Document 155).
- 205 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of Western Extension of the Southern and Western Railway from Mitchell to wards Charleville, 81 miles 2 chains.

10 October 1882

- 201 Report on the Black Rock at the entrance of the Mary River.
- 202 Report on the Sugar Industry on the Clarence and Richmond Rivers.
- 203 Return to an Order relative to the closing of a road at Moorelands.
- 204 Brisbane Grammar School Boarding-House Bill 1882.

12 October 1882

- 206 Supplementary Estimates, No. 2, 1881-82.
- 207 Return to an Order relative to Disorderly Conduct at the Ipswich Railway Station.

16 October 1882

- 208 Report from the Select Committee on the Town Hall Bill; together with Minutes of Evidence and an Appendix.
- 209 Petition from George Jackson, Chairman of a Public Meeting held at Ravenswood, objecting to the introduction of Coolie Labour into Queensland, and praying the House to postpone any legislation on this question until Electors of the Colony have declared their opinions upon the subject.

17 October 1882

- 210 Petition from certain inhabitants of the Maranoa District, objecting to the removal or alteration of the Duties on Imported Colonial Wines, and praying relief in the premises.

19 October 1882

- 211 Annual Report of the Engineer for Harbours and Rivers.

23 October 1882

- 212 Report, dated 21 October, 1882, from Mr Commissioner R.J. Smith, relative to the Closing of a Road at Moorelands.
- 213 Papers in connection with the Cultivation of Kaurie Pine on Fraser Island.
- 214 Despatch, dated 4 August, 1882, referring to Her Majesty's Order in Council respecting Candidates for Certificate of Competency in the Mercantile Marine.
- 215 Sheriff's Report on Gaols, 1881.

216 Government Loan Redemption Bill 1882.

24 October 1882

217 Report from the Select Committee on the Gympie Agricultural Society; together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

25 October 1882

218 Report of the Joint Library Committee informing the House of a Resolution of the Committee that, in future, the Library shall on no account be kept open after 10 o'clock p.m., except when both, or either, of the Houses is sitting after that hour, and that in that case it shall be closed immediately on the rising of the House which sits latest.

219 Petition from certain inhabitants of Bundaberg and District, giving reasons why they object to the introduction of Coolies, and praying relief in the premises.

220 Loan estimates, 1882-3, No.2.

221 Petition from certain Members of the Marsupial Board of Waggamba, praying the House to amend the Marsupial Act of 1881 as to include the native dog in its provisions as an animal to be destroyed there under.

30 October 1882

222 Return to an Order, relative to Customs Overtime.

223 Report, with Balance Sheet, from the Trustees of the Aboriginal Reserve at Durundur.

224 Plan, Section, and Book of Reference of the Maryborough Railway Wharf Branch Extension to Ramsay's Saw Mills. (

1 November 1882

225 Loan Estimates, 1882-3, No.3.

226 Report of the Government Meteorological Observer, for the year 1881.

227 Appropriation Bill 1882-3, No.4.

228 Government Loan Bill 1882.

229 Return showing the progress of the Sugar and Gold Mining Industries.

2 November 1882

230 Progress Report from the Select Committee on the Connection of B. D. Morehead and Co. with Land Sales in the Springsure, Peak Downs and Leichhardt Districts; together with Minutes of Evidence and Appendices.

231 Chemical Analysis of thirteen soils from lands on the rivers of Northern Queensland.

SIXTH SESSION OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

26 June 1883

- 1 Agreement between the Government and the Australian Transcontinental Railway Syndicate Limited, for the construction of a Line of Railway from Charleville to Point Parker. (with Map)
- 2 Report of the Chief Inspector of Stock on the Working of the Marsupials Destruction Act for the year 1882.
- 3 Report of the Chief Inspector of Stock and Brands for the year 1882.
- 4 Report of the Agent-General for Emigration for the year 1882.
- 5 Despatch, dated 21 September, 1882, in relation to the Fugitive Offenders, 1881.
- 6 Despatch, dated 3 November, 1882, in relation to Mr. Dyer's Report on the International Phylloxera Congress.
- 7 Despatch, dated 10 January, 1883, transmitting Order in Council for giving effect to Treaty between Great Britain and Salvador.
- 8 Despatch, dated 25 September, 1882, transmitting copy of the Imperial Act, 45 and Victoria, Cap 76, the Merchant Shipping (Colonial Inquiries) Act, 1882.
- 9 Despatch, dated 21 September, 1882, acknowledging receipt of Congratulations on the termination of the Egyptian War.
- 10 Despatch, dated 23 September, 1882, acknowledging receipt of Addresses relative to the attempt on Her Majesty's Life.
- 11 Despatch, dated 1 September, 1882, transmitting Order in Council from exempting Re-measurement of Ships of the Kingdom of Sweden.
- 12 Despatch, dated 16 February, 1883, in relation to Acts passed in the Fifth Session of the Eighth Parliament of Queensland.
- 13 Despatch, dated 4 January, 1883, transmitting Order in Council for giving effect to the Treaty between Great Britain and Tonga.
- 14 Despatch, dated 6 March, 1883, in relation to Tonnage Measurement of Italian Vessels.
- 15 Despatch, dated 20 March, 1883, relative to the danger of Importation of Coffee Plant Disease into Queensland from Ceylon.
- 16 Further Correspondence in relation to the Proposed Introduction of Labourers from British India.
- 17 Return to an Order, relative to Run holders in the Unsettled Districts whose Leases have been Renewed.
- 18 Annual Report of the Department of Public Lands for the year 1882.
- 19 Return of Applications accepted under Act 40 Victoria, No. 15, showing the Area, Rent, Survey Fees, number of homesteads, Conditional Purchase Selections, Pre-emptives, and Volunteer Selections, within and outside Homestead Areas, received at the Public Lands Office from each District of the Colony for the years 1877, 1878, 1879, 1880, 1881, 1882.
- 20 Return of Applications accepted under Act 40 Victoria, No. 15, showing the Area, Rent, Survey Fees, number of Homesteads, Conditional Purchase Selections, and Volunteer Selections, within and outside Homestead Areas, received at the Public Lands Office from each District of the Colony from 1 January, to 31 December, 1882, inclusive.
- 21 Additional Regulations relative to the Fees payable to cover the cost of Survey of any selected or purchased under the provisions of the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876 or the Crown Lands Alienation Act of 1876 Amendment Act.
- 22 Timber License Regulations — Increasing fee to £30.0.0 and authorizing the issue of Provisional Licenses.
- 23 Return in relation to the Proposed resumption from Runs in the unsettled districts of Darling Downs and Warrego, Mitchell, Leichhardt, North Kennedy and Burke.
- 24 Additional Harbours Regulations
- 25 Return in relation to Rules and regulation of the Government Savings Bank.
- 26 Return in relation to the Intestacy Act of 1877.

- 27 Report upon the workings of the Queensland Government Saving Bank for the year 1882.
- 28 Report upon the Government Life Insurance Agency for the year 1882.
- 29 Annual Report of the Commissioner for Railways
- 30 Report of the Board of Inquiry into the collision on Sandgate Railway.
- 31 Annual Report of the Trustees of the Queensland Museum.
- 32 Annual Report of the Inspector of Mines for the year 1882.
- 33 Return relative to alluvial claims – South -West Branch of the Mary River, Gympie.
- 34 Return in relation to the Mineral Lands Regulations.
- 35 Return in relation to the Member of the Committee of Elections and Qualifications.
- 36 Frauds at Elections Preventions Bill 1883
- 37 Writ and Oath of Charles Edward Chubb as the member for the Electoral District of Bowen.
- 38 Writ and Oath of Albert Norton as the member for the Electoral District of Port Curtis.

27 June 1883

- 39 Queensland Stock Inscription Bill 1883.
- 40 Auditor-Generals Report for the year 1881-82.
- 41 Report of the Brisbane Board of Waterworks for the year ended 31 December, 1882.
- 42 Despatch, dated 9 April, 1883, transmitting Copies of Judgment of the Privy Council in the case Miles V McIlwraith.
- 43 Despatch, dated 9 April, 1883, transmitting certain Instructions for Examination of Candidates under the Merchant Shipping Act.
- 44 Minutes of Proceedings of the Postal conference held in Sydney.

28 June 1883

- 45 European Miners Protection Bill 1883.
- 46 Transcontinental Railway Bill 1883.

29 June 1883

- 47 Correspondence referring to the Annexation of New Guinea.
- 48 Regulae Generales of the Supreme Court.

3 July 1883

- 49 Annual Report of the Registrar-General on Vital Statistics for 1882.
- 50 Annual Report of the Registrar-General on the workings of the Real Property Acts of 1882.
- 51 Plan, Section and Book of reference of the Deviation on the South Brisbane Railway near Woolloongabba to avoid running on the Ipswich Road.
- 52 Plan, Section and Book of reference of the proposed extension of the Burrum Railway from Howard to Bundaberg.

4 July 1883

- 53 Return in relation to the Capital Account of the Southern and Western Railway.
- 54 Return to an Order in relation to the retirement of Mr Jordan from the Office of Registrar-General.
- 55 Return to an Order relative to the Labour Vessel "Heron".
- 56 Report of the Post and Telegraph Department of Queensland for the year 1882.
- 57 Statement of Works carried out under the Buildings Branch of the Public Works Department for the year 1882.

- 58 Divisional Boards Act Amendment Bill 1883.
59 Petition from William John Cracknell, formerly Superintendent of Electric Telegraph, alleging that he was wrongfully deprived of his office, and praying consideration and relief.

5 July 1883

- 60 Report on the condition and securities of the Government Saving Bank at 30 June, 1883.
61 Report of the Acting Chief Inspector of Distilleries.

10 July 1883

- 62 Correspondence referring to the proposed emigration of Highland Crofters.
63 Additional Members Bill 1883

11 July 1883

- 64 Appropriation Bill No.1.
65 Auditor-Generals Preliminary Report with Summary of Treasury Receipts and Disbursements to 30 June, 1883, together with other Financial Statements.