

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

No. 166.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. No. 3.

Thursday, 25th February, 1932, at 2.30 p.m.

## PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR  
(Sir WILLIAM PEEL, K.C.M.G., K.B.E.).

His Excellency the General Officer Commanding the Troops, (Major-General JAMES  
WALTER SANDILANDS, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.).

The Honourable the Colonial Secretary, (Mr. WILFRID THOMAS SOUTHOORN, C.M.G.).

„ the Attorney General, (Mr. CHALONER GRENVILLE ALABASTER, K.C.,  
O.B.E.).

„ the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, (Mr. EDWIN RICHARD HALLIFAX,  
C.M.G., C.B.E.).

„ the Colonial Treasurer, (Mr. EDWIN TAYLOR).

„ Mr. HAROLD THOMAS CREASY, C.B.E., (Director of Public Works).

„ Mr. EDWARD DUDLEY CORSCADEN WOLFE, C.M.G., (Inspector General  
of Police).

„ Commander GEORGE FRANCIS HOLE, R.N. (Retired), (Harbour Master).

„ Dr. ARTHUR ROBERTES WELLINGTON, (Director of Medical and Sanitary  
Services).

„ Mr. WILLIAM EDWARD LEONARD SHENTON.

„ Mr. ROBERT HORMUS KOTEWALL, C.M.G., LL.D.

„ Mr. JOSÉ PEDRO BRAGA.

„ Mr. TS'Ō SEEN-WAN, O.B.E., LL.D.

„ Mr. CHARLES GORDON STEWART MACKIE.

„ Mr. JOHN JOHNSTONE PATERSON.

„ Mr. CHAU TSUN-NIN.

Mr. ROLAND ARTHUR CHARLES NORTH, (Deputy Clerk of Councils).

## ABSENT:

The Honourable Sir HENRY EDWARD POLLOCK, Kt., K.C.

1. The Council met pursuant to adjournment. His Excellency the Governor occupied the Chair.

## MINUTES.

2. The Minutes of the Meeting held on the 11th February, 1932, were confirmed.

## MOTIONS.

3. *Industrial and Reformatory Schools Bill.*—The Attorney General addressed the Council and moved the First reading of a Bill intituled “An Ordinance to provide for and regulate Industrial and Reformatory Schools.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a first time.

4. *Po Leung Kuk Incorporation Amendment Bill.*—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Po Leung Kuk Incorporation Ordinance, 1893.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

5. *Chinese Temples Amendment Bill*.—The Attorney General moved the Second reading of the Bill intituled “An Ordinance to amend the Chinese Temples Ordinance, 1928.”

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a second time.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

6. *Foreshores and Sea Bed Amendment Bill*.—The Attorney General stated that the Second and Third readings of the Bill would not be taken that day.

7. *Estate Duty Bill*.—The Attorney General moved that Council go into Committee to consider the report of the Standing Law Committee and the Estate Duty Bill. Under Standing Order No. 27 section 14 permission was asked to substitute for the Bill as read a second time the Bill recommended by the Standing Law Committee.

Council in Committee on the Bill.

On Council resuming, the Attorney General reported that the Bill had passed through Committee without amendment and moved that it be read a third time.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

Question—put and agreed to.

Bill read a third time and passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

8. The Council then adjourned until Thursday, the 10th day of March, 1932, at 2.30 p.m.

W. PEEL,  
*Governor.*

Confirmed this 17th day of March, 1932.

R. A. C. NORTH,  
*Deputy Clerk of Councils.*

No. 167.—His Excellency the Governor has given his assent, in the name and on behalf of His Majesty the KING, to the following Ordinance passed by the Legislative Council :—

Ordinance No. 6 of 1932.—An Ordinance to Provide for and Regulate Industrial and Reformatory Schools.