That the Town Council approach the Government with a view to the Government fixing the price of coal, or, alternatively, supplying coal to consumers either directly or through the Municipalities, and that the Town Council convey to the Prime Minister an urgent request to use all powers to resume full supplies of coal for the nation.

The Lord Provost moved the previous question, seconded by Baillie Edwards.

On a division the previous question was carried, the vote being:—

For the motion (9)—Councillors Bowles, Brown, Hepburn, M'Millan, M'Rae, Macintosh, David Milne, Shepherd, and Thom.

For the amendment (15)—The Lord Provost; Baillie Edwards; Baillie Graham; Baillie Gray; Councillors Alexander, Beveridge, Carry, Duncan, Hutchison, M'Kay, Alexander Milne, John Milne, Roberts, Tindall, and Young.

Absent from the division (1)—Councillor Willox.

Andrew Lewis Low Korross