What will happen to the Tories and to "Miller Time"? In a quote attributed to her by *The Toronto Sun*, the wife of the former Prime Minister, Maureen McTeer, perhaps said it best when she said: "You're asking me what Tories do to their leaders when they lose?"

## NATIONAL PARKS

### PROPOSED RAINY RIVER PARK

Mr. John Parry (Kenora-Rainy River): Mr. Speaker, government cut-backs have struck again. Economic development, jobs, tourism about which the Government talked so much, and human concerns, have come up again in second spot. Plans for a national historic park on the Rainy River which would preserve the historic Manitou Mounds near Fort Frances have been put on hold by the federal Government. This burial mounds site is believed to be the only existing example in Canada of mounds from the early Laurel culture, and is the northermost mounds complex on the continent.

The mounds complex is being eroded by the Rainy River, and an adjacent ancient village site is deteriorating because of a gravel pit operation. I call upon the Minister of the Environment (Mrs. Blais-Grenier) and the Minister of State for Tourism (Mr. McMillan) to go ahead with Parks Canada's plans to establish a national park there. These mounds have great spiritual and historic significance, and a park will also provide employment, economic development, and tourism benefits to the Rainy River Indian Band and the entire Fort Frances area.

### **EXTERNAL AFFAIRS**

### CYPRUS—TURKISH-CYPRIOT CONSTITUTION

Mr. Alan Redway (York East): Mr. Speaker, yesterday's news that Turkish Cypriots had overwhelmingly approved a new constitution for the self-proclaimed Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus is most disturbing, particularly for Canadians of Greek origin, many of whom came here from Cyprus and still have relatives living there.

You will recall, Mr. Speaker, that since Turkey invaded Cyprus in 1974, the island has been divided into a Greek sector and a Turkish sector, separated only by a United Nations peacekeeping force that includes 515 Canadian soldiers. Turkey is the only country that recognizes the northern Cyprus Turkish Republic which declared independence from the Cypriot Government in 1983. Eleven years after the invasion, there are still 20,000 Turkish troops in the Turkish sector, 200,000 refugees in the Greek sector, and thousands of Cypriots missing and unaccounted for.

Hopes for a settlement soared last January when the U.N. Secretary General held negotiations with Cypriot leaders. Unfortunately, those talks failed. Now there is a new Turkish-

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Cypriot constitution that makes no mention of the possibility of a unified Cyprus. In the light of this new development I call upon our Government and the United Nations to renew their efforts without further delay to bring about an end to the stalemate, the removal of all foreign troops, and a united Cyprus.

# HELSINKI ACCORDS

# CANADA HOSTING CONFERENCE

Mr. Andrew Witer (Parkdale-High Park): Mr. Speaker, in 1975, 35 nations signed the Final Act of the Conference on Security and Co-operation in Europe, better known as the Helsinki Accords. The guiding principles of the Helsinki Accords were to establish security in Europe and to promote mutual co-operation in the areas of economics, science, technology, the environment, and humanitarian concerns.

Canada is host to the CSCE Conference which begins this week. As representatives from the 35 nations gather in Ottawa it is incumbent upon the Canadian delegation to make every effort and take every opportunity to strengthen international peace. Special emphasis must be put on family reunification and human rights. Multilateral responsibility and accountability are the binding tenet of this international agreement. It is Canada's right and moral duty to help bring about greater mutual trust and understanding and to help secure the delicate balance of peace.

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### LABOUR RELATIONS

### AIR CANADA—TICKET AGENTS' STRIKE

Mr. David Dingwall (Cape Breton-East Richmond): Mr. Speaker, the Government, which was so quick in appointing its friends and supporters to the board of Air Canada, has been less than speedy in ensuring that the current strike of Air Canada ticket agents is brought to a just and equitable solution. After the federal mediator in the dispute failed to bring the two parties together, one might have expected the Government to step in, particularly the Minister of Transport (Mr. Mazankowski), to see that air travel continues to run smoothly. The Government, however, seems more concerned with providing party hacks with cushy patronage jobs than with standing up for the rights of these employees of Air Canada.

As we all know, Air Canada wants to do away with thousands of full-time jobs. It wants to increase the percentage of its part-time workers to 45 per cent of its total work force. Most of its ticket agents are women, many of whom are single and who rely on their jobs to provide them with a steady income on which to live. In a time when government ostensibly wants to increase the number of women in the workplace, we have the example of Air Canada which, in a very arbitrary and