

Bill SD-14, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Leonda Suzanne Winston Gold".

Bill SD-15, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Georgette Claudy Bercier Brabant".

Bill SD-16, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Anneliese Bauer Kreuzer".

Bill SD-17, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Beulah Maybelle Purcell Stewart".

Bill SD-18, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Diana Fraid Gross".

Bill SD-19, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Nancy Anne Gray Levesque".

Bill SD-20, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Agnes Larkin McBride".

Bill SD-21, intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sheila Rose Hutchinson Dendy".

The Bills were severally read the first time.

The Honourable Senator Roebuck moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Croll, that the Bills be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday next, 8th December, 1960.

The question being put on the motion, it was—  
Resolved in the affirmative, on division.

The Order of the Day being called for second reading of the Bill S-3, intituled: "An Act to repeal certain Laws relating to the Signal Station at Halifax", it was—

Ordered, That it be postponed until Thursday next, 8th December, 1960.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Civil Service Commission, dated November 28, 1960, with respect to the rate of compensation for the class Assistant to the Clerk of the Parliaments.

The Honourable Senator Aseltine moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Horner, that the Report be referred to the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts for consideration and Report.

The question being put on the motion, it was—  
Resolved in the affirmative.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the debate on the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne at the opening of the present Session of Parliament and the motion of the Honourable Senator Brooks, P.C., seconded by the Honourable Senator Beaubien (*Bedford*)—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely:

To His Excellency Major-General George P. Vanier, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, upon whom has been conferred the Military Cross and the Canadian Forces' Decoration, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Canada.