

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 9th April, 1937.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their ninth Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That during the recess of Parliament the rate of pay to Mr. Edward Batterton, mail carrier, be increased from twenty dollars per month to thirty-five dollars per month.

2. That in lieu of the six months retiring leave granted to Mr. John Choquette, Postmaster of the Senate, he be granted a gratuity equal to the difference between six months salary and the superannuation allowance for that period, namely, the sum of three hundred and sixty dollars.

3. That the rate of pay to Mr. Bonner Larose be increased fifty cents per day during the recess of Parliament while performing the duties of Assistant Curator in the Senate Reading Room.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (64), intituled: "An Act to control and Regulate the Sale of Feeding Stuffs," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry be authorized to meet during the sittings of the Senate.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (65), intituled: "An Act respecting the Testing, Inspection and Sale of Seeds," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (83), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.