

HOUSE OF COMMONS

Tuesday, May 19, 1964

The house met at 2.30 p.m.

COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE

PROCEDURE—FIFTH REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Mr. Speaker: I have the honour to present, in English and in French, the fifth report of the special committee on procedure and organization.

Mr. Stanley Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre): Mr. Speaker, may I give notice, on behalf of the committee, that concurrence in this report will be moved on Thursday. All it does is propose that certain rules and recommendations now in effect be continued for a further trial period.

FOOD AND DRUGS—CONCURRENCE IN SECOND REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Mr. H. C. Harley (Halton) presented the second report of the special committee on food and drugs, and moved that the report be concurred in.

Motion agreed to.

TERRITORIAL SEA AND FISHING ZONES

LEGISLATION RESPECTING TERRITORIAL WATERS AND FISHERIES LAWS

Hon. Paul Martin (Secretary of State for External Affairs) moved the first reading of Bill No. S-17 (from the Senate), respecting the territorial sea and fishing zones of Canada.

Motion agreed to and bill read the first time.

CANADA COUNCIL

REFERENCE OF REPORTS TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

On the order: Government notice of motion:

May 14—The Secretary of State—The following proposed motion:—That the reports of the Canada Council for the fiscal years ended March 31, 1962 and March 31, 1963, tabled on October 10, 1962 and on July 11, 1963 respectively, be referred to the standing committee on public accounts in order to provide for a review thereof pursuant to section 23 of the Canada Council Act.

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to section 2 of standing order 21 this government notice of motion is transferred to and ordered for consideration under government orders at the next sitting of the house.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

REFERENCE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND AUDITOR GENERAL'S REPORTS TO COMMITTEE

On the order: Government notice of motion:

May 14—The Minister of Finance—The following proposed motion:—That the public accounts, volumes I, II and III for the fiscal years ended March 31, 1962 and March 31, 1963, and the reports of the Auditor General thereon, tabled on January 21, 1963 and on February 19, 1964 respectively, together with the financial statements of the Canada Council for the fiscal years ended March 31, 1962 and March 31, 1963 and the reports of the Auditor General thereon, tabled on October 10, 1962 and on July 11, 1963 respectively, be referred to the standing committee on public accounts.

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to section 2 of standing order 21 this government notice of motion is transferred to and ordered for consideration under government orders at the next sitting of the house.

LABOUR CONDITIONS

ADOPTION OF INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION RESPECTING DISCRIMINATION

On the order: Government notices of motion:

May 14—The Minister of Labour—The following proposed motion:—That it is expedient that the houses of parliament do approve of convention No. 111 concerning discrimination in respect of employment and occupation, which was adopted by the international labour conference on the 25th of June, 1958, and that this house do approve the same.

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to section 2 of standing order 21 this government notice of motion is transferred to and ordered for consideration under government orders at the next sitting of the house.

THE SENATE

PROVISION FOR RETIREMENT OF SENATORS AT AGE 75

Hon. J. Watson MacNaught (for the Minister of Justice) moved that the house go into committee of the whole at the next sitting to consider the following resolution, which has been recommended to the house by His Excellency:

That it is expedient to introduce a measure to provide for the retirement, upon attaining the age of seventy five years, of any person appointed to the Senate after the coming into force of the said measure; to extend the provisions of the Members of Parliament Retiring Allowances Act to such persons; to provide for the granting of an annuity to any person appointed to the Senate