

Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber today, the 3rd October, 1968, at 5.45 p.m., for the purpose of giving Royal Assent to certain bills.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

LOUIS-FRÉMONT TRUDEAU,
Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable,
The Speaker of the House of Commons.

A Message was received from the Honourable Gérald Fauteux, Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of Canada, acting as Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General, desiring the immediate attendance of the House in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker went with the House to the Senate Chamber.

And being returned;

Mr. Speaker reported that when the House did attend the Honourable the Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General in the Senate Chamber, His Honour was pleased to give, in Her Majesty's name, the Royal Assent to the following bill:

An Act to amend the Publication of Statutes Act.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that he had then addressed the Honourable the Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General as follows:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Commons of Canada have voted Supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the public service.

"In the name of the Commons I present to Your Honour the following Bill:

'An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money for the public service, for the financial year ending the 31st March, 1969.'

"To which Bill I humbly request Your Honour's Assent."

Whereupon, the Clerk of the Senate, by Command of the Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General, did say:

"In Her Majesty's name, the Honourable the Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General thanks Her Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill."

The House resumed consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed resolution to amend the Farm Improvement Loans Act.

(In the Committee)

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved,—That it is expedient to introduce a measure to amend the Farm Improvement Loans Act to provide for a further three-year loan period ending June 30, 1971; to substitute for the 5% rate of interest on guaranteed farm