

Moved by Mr. Francis, seconded by Mr. Tucker,

That a Subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure composed of the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and (5) other Members to be named by the Chairman after consultation with party Whips. *Agreed on division.*

Moved by Mr. Rock, seconded by Mr. Tucker,

*Agreed:*—That permission be sought to reduce the quorum from 15 to 10 members.

Mr. Lambert suggested that at a later meeting, the Committee should pass a motion that stenographic transcript be taken and copies should be made available to the Committee in cases of contentious bills.

Mr. Rock said that since the Committee is relieved of divorce bills there is no reason why the Committee should not have permission to print its evidence the same as any other Standing Committee.

Thereupon, Mr. Lambert moved, seconded by Mr. Forbes,

*Resolved:*—That permission be sought from the House to print such papers and evidence as may be ordered by the Committee.

It was moved by Mr. Lambert, seconded by Mr. Moore,

*Agreed:*—That the Committee print 500 copies in English and 250 copies in French of its Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence.

Mr. Webster moved, seconded by Mrs. Konantz, that the Committee adjourn.

At 12:00 o'clock noon the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chair.

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TUESDAY, May 19, 1964.

(2)

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills met at 11.00 o'clock a.m. this day. The Chairman, Mr. Gérard Loiselle, presided.

*Members present:* Mrs. Konantz and Messrs. Aiken, Alkenbrack, Cantelon, Cooper, Cowan, Francis, Klein, Lambert, Lessard (Lac-Saint-Jean), Loiselle, Moore, More, Webb, Webster (15).

*In attendance:* Mr. G. E. Beament, Q.C., Registered Parliamentary Agent, Mr. Arthur Crawley, President of the Corporation, Brigadier T. A. Johnston, Priory secretary and Secretary of the Corporation, and Mr. John Matheson, M.P., Sponsor of the Bill.

The Committee proceeded to the consideration of Bill S-5, An Act respecting The General Council of the Canadian Branch of the St. John Ambulance Association.

The Chairman called the Preamble and invited Mr. Matheson, the sponsor, to introduce the Parliamentary Agent, who then introduced the witnesses.

Mr. Beament explained the purpose of the Bill.

The Committee proceeded to the questioning of the witnesses.

After discussion, the Preamble carried.

Clauses 1 to 13 inclusive were adopted.

The Title carried.

The Bill carried.

It was agreed that the Chairman report the Bill, without amendment, as the Committee's Second Report to the House.

At 11.55 o'clock a.m. the Committee adjourned to the call of the Chair.