

Mr. Batten, from the Standing Committee on Debates, presented the Third Report of the said Committee, which is as follows:

On November 1, 1963, the House referred to your Committee for immediate consideration the Report of a Survey of the English Debates Reporting Branch of the House of Commons made by the Management Analysis Division, Advisory Services Branch, of the Civil Service Commission.

Your Committee has studied the above Report, heard witnesses and attended demonstrations of the reportings made during a prior session of the House of Commons.

Your Committee recommends:

1. That satisfactory electronic recording apparatus, as referred to in the above-mentioned Report, be installed at the earliest possible date, to be used on a trial basis in selected committee rooms;

2. That, at the earliest possible moment during the next session of Parliament, the Standing Committee on Debates be authorized to examine and study the operation of the electronic recording equipment as used in committees, with the view to considering the extension of the use of such equipment;

3. That the operation and administration of the Debates Reporting Branch, English and French sections, in both the House and in committees be referred to it for study at the next session;

4. That Mr. Speaker and the Commissioners of Internal Economy take under immediate advisement the problem of reporter shortage in both English and French sections of the Debates Reporting Branch.

A copy of the Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence (*Issues No. 1 and 2*) is appended.

(*The Minutes of Proceedings and Evidence accompanying the said Report recorded as Appendix No. 17 to the Journals*).

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Mr. Pickersgill, seconded by Mr. Chevrier, by leave of the House, introduced Bill C-131, An Act to provide for the establishment of Electoral Boundaries Commissions to report upon the Readjustment of the Representation of the Provinces in the House of Commons and to provide for the Readjustment of such Representation in accordance therewith, which was read the first time and ordered for a second reading at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Chevrier, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Telegram, dated December 19, 1963, received from Mr. Ray Perrault of Vancouver, B.C., regarding the extradition of Mr. Wasylenchuk.

The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a certain proposed resolution to amend the Canadian World Exhibition Corporation Act.

(*In the Committee*)

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved,—That it is expedient to amend the Canadian World Exhibition Corporation Act to increase the number of directors of the Corporation by two