it will disapprove the agreement. If the amendment has the effect of denying the motion it is unnecessary and irrelevant because those Members who wish to disapprove the agreement have only to vote against the motion as it stands. If the amendment adds something to the motion in a positive way it is a declaration of principle."

Then, a few lines further on: "Assuming that the amendment and the motion were accepted you would have the agreement approved but you would have added to it a declaration of this independent principle which is not related to the motion nor is it necessary for the decision of the motion in question.

"That view is reinforced by a consideration of the limited number of cases where it is possible to introduce a principle by way of an amendment."

Speaker Michener here refers to a ruling of a previous Speaker, to which the honourable Member for St. Lawrence-St. George referred this afternoon, in which he said: "May, Bourinot, and Redlich indicate that the only motions upon which amendments declaratory of principle may be moved are motions for an Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne, motions to go into Committee of Ways and Means, and Supply, and for the second reading of Public Bills."

For these reasons and on these grounds I must declare the amendment out of order.

Whereupon the honourable Member for Greenwood (Mr. Brewin) appealed to the House from the ruling of the Chair.

The question being put by Mr. Deputy Speaker: "Shall the ruling of the Chair be sustained?"—It was decided in the affirmative on the following division:

| MESSRS:       |                            |                   |                      |
|---------------|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Alkenbrack,   | Coates,                    | Gordon,           | MacEwan,             |
| Armstrong,    | Cooper,                    | Grafftey,         | MacNaught,           |
| Badanai,      | Côté (Chicoutimi),         | Granger,          | Macquarrie,          |
| Baldwin,      | Côté (Longueuil),          | Gray,             | McCutcheon,          |
| Basford,      | Cowan,                     | Greene,           | McLean (Charlotte),  |
| Batten,       | Crossman,                  | Groos,            | McWilliam,           |
| Beaulé,       | Crouse,                    | Gundlock,         | Madill,              |
| Béchard,      | Cyr,                       | Habel,            | Mandziuk,            |
| Beer,         | Danforth,                  | Hahn,             | Marcoux,             |
| Berger,       | Davis,                     | Haidasz,          | Martin (Essex East), |
| Bigg,         | Deachman,                  | Hamilton,         | Matheson,            |
| Blouin,       | Deschatelets,              | Harley,           | Matte,               |
| Boulanger,    | Dinsdale,                  | Hellyer,          | Millar,              |
| Boutin,       | Dionne,                    | Honey,            | Monteith,            |
| Brown,        | Doucette,                  | Howe (Wellington- | Moore,               |
| Byrne,        | Émard,                     | Huron),           | Moreau,              |
| Cadieux,      | Enns,                      | Jewett (Miss),    | Morison,             |
| Cameron (High | Éthier,                    | Korchinski,       | Muir (Cape Breton    |
| Park),        | Eudes,                     | Lachance,         | North and            |
| Cantelon,     | Fane,                      | Laing,            | Victoria),           |
| Cantin,       | Fleming (Okanagan-Lamb,    |                   | Mullally,            |
| Cardiff,      | Revelstoke),               | Langlois,         | Nicholson,           |
| Carter,       | Flemming (Victoria-Laniel, |                   | Nielsen,             |
| Cashin,       | Carleton),                 | Lap <b>rise</b> , | Noble,               |
| Choquette,    | Forbes,                    | Latulippe,        | Nowlan,              |
| Chrétien,     | Francis,                   | Leblanc,          | Nugent,              |
| Churchill,    | Gauthier,                  | Leboe,            | O'Keefe,             |
| Clancy,       | Gelber,                    | Macaluso,         | Olson,               |
|               | Godin,                     | Macdonald,        | Ormiston,            |

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