Business of the House

RESEARCH

The Chairman: Is it agreed to stand clause 18?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Clause 18 stands.

The Chairman: Clause 19?

Mr. Horner (Acadia): Ten o'clock has been called. I can see the clock and it appears to be six or seven minutes after ten. I think, in order to proceed, you have to have unanimous consent. Other members have called ten o'clock.

Progress reported.

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

Mr. McIlraith: Mr. Speaker, tomorrow we will be submitting to the house for its consideration item No. 121, the resolution preceding the bill to establish the Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation. We will then submit, if time permits, item 117, the bill to amend the Judges Act, and depending on the time available item 86, the bill respecting the pension plans for the benefit of persons employed in connection with certain federal works. Then we will deal with the resolution preceding the bill to amend the Small Businesses Loans Act. We would also like to consider item 104, the reference to a committee, which I believe will not likely require any debate, as well as the motion on today's notice paper under government notices of motion to refer to a special joint committee of the Senate and the House of Commons the authority to inquire into the matter of pensions paid to retired civil servants or their dependants.

Mr. Knowles: Perhaps we could pass that right now.

Mr. McIlraith: I would be very glad to. We would also wish to take the motion referring the subject matter of the national anthem to the special standing committee; and if there is further time the motion creating the committee to deal with the temporary rules.

It will be noticed, Mr. Speaker, that I have indicated quite a list of items, but I did so bearing in mind that certain of the motions are rather simple and might be called out of the order I indicated, depending on the time available.

In view of the interjection just made I am quite happy to—

Mr. Churchill: Oh no.

PROVISION FOR GRANTS TO CORPORATIONS FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

On the order: Government orders.

December 20—House in committee of the whole on Bill C-252, an act to provide general incentives to industry for the expansion of scientific research and development in Canada and to effect certain related amendments to the Income Tax Act.—The Minister of Industry.

Hon. G. J. McIlraith (Minister of Public Works): I should indicate one other item of business which I believe does have the concurrence of the house, and that is the motion to withdraw from the committee of the whole house the bill providing for general incentives to industry for the expansion of scientific research and referring it to the standing committee on industry, research and energy development. That request was made some days ago when the measure was last before the house, both by members of the official opposition and members of the N.D.P. group, and I should like to make that reference at some time. In view of the way the request was made to do that tonight, it might be agreeable, in order to get the committee organized to deal with the matter, to move the motion now.

Mr. Speaker: Is it agreed?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Mr. McIlraith: Then if I have unanimous consent I move, seconded by the Minister of Transport (Mr. Pickersgill):

That Order No. 100 being the house in committee of the whole on Bill C-252, an act to provide general incentives to industry for the expansion of scientific research and development in Canada and to effect certain related amendments to the Income Tax Act, be discharged and that the said bill be referred to the standing committee on industry, research and energy development.

Motion agreed to.

AIR TRANSPORT

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL—MEASURE TO ENSURE CONTINUATION OF SERVICES

On the order: Government Orders.

December 16—House in committee of the whole on the following proposed resolution:—

That it is expedient to introduce a measure to provide for the continuation of air traffic control services; to provide also for an increase in the remuneration of air traffic controllers.—The President of the Treasury Board.

Hon. G. J. McIlraith (Minister of Public Works): Mr. Speaker, fortunately this item,