

The Order being read for the second reading of Bill No. C-48, An Act respecting the Development and Improvement of the National Capital Region;

Mr. Diefenbaker, seconded by Mr. Green, moved,—That the said Bill be now read a second time.

After debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion, it was agreed to.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, considered in Committee of the Whole and reported without amendment.

By unanimous consent, the said Bill was read the third time and passed.

The Order being read for the second reading of Bill No. C-49, An Act to provide for the Conditional Liberation of Persons Undergoing Sentences of Imprisonment;

Mr. Fulton, seconded by Mr. Hees, moved,—That the said Bill be now read a second time.

After debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion, it was agreed to.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time, considered in Committee of the Whole and reported without amendment.

By unanimous consent, the said Bill was read the third time and passed.

The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a certain proposed resolution to amend the Railway Act.

*(In the Committee)*

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved,—That it is expedient to introduce a measure to amend the Railway Act to permit certain grants to be made from The Railway Grade Crossing Fund; to credit to The Railway Grade Crossing Fund in each fiscal year the sum of Five million dollars to aid actual construction work for the protection, safety and convenience of the public in respect of crossings; and for certain changes in connection with the administration of the Fund.

Resolution to be reported.

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The said resolution was reported and concurred in.

Mr. Hees, seconded by Mr. Green, by leave of the House, presented a Bill, No. C-52, An Act to amend the Railway Act, which was read the first time.

By unanimous consent, the said Bill was read the second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The House resumed consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed resolution to amend the Emergency Gold Mining Assistance Act.