

CIGARETTES — PROHIBITION OF — SECOND READING—*Con.*

Guthrie, Hugh (South Wellington)—5153.

Bill misleading without definition of 'cigarette'—5153. Serious aspect of the compensation question—5158. Bill as it stands is badly drawn and unworkable—5159. Ordinary dealers not licensed—5161. Suggests time for selling stocks—5165. Moves to amend by giving two years' notice—5166.

Henderson, David (Halton)—5140.

Gives general support to the Bill; it calls on those of mature age to give up smoking for the sake of the young—5140.

Holmes, Robert (West Huron)—5133.

Prepared to support the Bill even though it may prove inoperative; local action at St. Hyacinthe—5133. Bill same as last year, discussion different—5139. Does not believe that argument of compensation for vested rights will hold water—5157. Mr. Fitzpatrick's Bill last year as good as this—5159. Restrictive legislation passed every year—5160.

Johnston, Alexander (Cape Breton)—5149.

Bill not an effective measure, will fail in desired results—5149. Traders open to prosecution unless cigarette paper is defined—5155.

Kaulbach, Charles E. (Lunenburg)—5144.

Bill right in principle, too broad in scope—5144. Should be an amendment to Criminal Code—5146.

Lancaster, E. A. (Lincoln and Niagara)—5130.

Bill word for word last year's—5130. Bill of last year was total prohibition, Criminal Code amendment limited prohibition to minors—5134.

Opposition going very far to frustrate the Bill—5153. Take step towards destroying evil everybody wants to destroy—5154. House has declared in favour of measure—5154.

MacKinnon, D. A. (East Queen's, P. E. I.)—5148.

Can the Dominion parliament prohibit the sale of cigarettes?—5148. Suggests many amendments necessary to make the Bill workable—5163.

Maclaren, William Scott (Huntingdon)—5130.

Bill practically same as last year's—5130. Bill based on resolution last year was rejected—5133. Amendment to Criminal Code rejected by Women's Christian Temperance Union and Tobacco manufacturers—5134. Content to leave the matter to the House—5139. Laws in every province, except Quebec, ineffective—5143. Question of constitutionality of provincial acts arose—5146. Prosecutions under Ontario Act, cannot say as to results—5149. Driving out cigarettes will reduce use of tobacco—5152. Willing to leave penalties open to committee—5156-57. Offers to amend penal clause—5163. Withdraws offer—5164. Opposition to Bill going too far—5165. Effect on excise departmental affair—5166.

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Monk, F. D. (Jacques Cartier)—5139.

Pity Mr. Fitzpatrick's Bill was not accepted; should limit scope of Bill—5139. Approves object but not the Bill—5140.

Parmelee, Charles H. (Shefford)—5141.

Regrets that Bill goes altogether too far—5141. Would prefer Mr. Fitzpatrick's Bill of last year—5142-43.

Richardson, M. K. (South Grey)—5134.

Ontario law practically ineffective; therefore this rather more drastic Bill—5135.

Ross, Hon. William (Victoria, N.S.)—5149.

Would Mr. Fitzpatrick cease from legal objections and make Bill perfect?—5149. World would be better if nobody used tobacco—5150.

Sproule, T. S. (East Grey)—5145.

Impractical to enforce Bill because impossible to define cigarette paper—5145. Merely declare what the law prohibits—5153.

Mr. Fitzpatrick has no right to hint that members support Bill in the hope the Senate will reject it—5162.

Government having been defeated will ministers resign—5166.

Wright, A. A. (South Renfrew)—5132.

Will try Bill anyhow—5132. Have to do with Bill before them—5140. Anxiety that Bill should become law—5141.

COAL OIL DUTY.

On the Orders of the Day—Mr. Armstrong (East Lambton) draws attention to serious state of things amongst the oil men. The price of crude oil has gone down and he wants to know how and when the bounty will be paid—4667-68.

Mr. Fielding (Minister of Finance) reminds him that an Act must be passed. Will bring down petition—4667-68.

Matter dropped—4668.

Armstrong, J. E. (East Lambton)—4667.

Oil men suffering from reduction in price of crude oil; when and how will they get the bounty—4667; government anxious to make fireworks display—4668.

Clancy, James (Bothwell)—4668.

Asks that the petition from Sarnia regarding the proposed readjustment of the oil duties be laid on the Table—4668.

Fielding, Hon. W. S. (Minister of Finance) 4667.

Payment of bounty requires an Act of parliament; has given notice. Will take effect from date of announcement—4667. Mr. Armstrong's right to an explanation; will bring down Sarnia petition—4668.