June 1. 1972

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Martin, P.C., laid on the Table the following:-

Report of the Public Service Commission of Canada for the year ended December 31, 1971, pursuant to section 45 of the Public Service Employment Act, Chapter P-32. R.S.C., 1970.

Report of the Public Service Commission on Positions or Persons excluded from the operation of the Public Service Employment Act for the year ended December 31, 1971, pursuant to section 45 of the said Act, Chapter P-32, R.S.C., 1970.

Report of the Public Service Commission on Delegation of Staffing Authority for the year ended December 31, 1971, pursuant to section 45 of the Public Service Employment Act, Chapter P-32, R.S.C., 1970.

Report of Telesat Canada for the year ended December 31, 1971, including its accounts and financial statements certified by the Auditors, pursuant to section 37 of the Telesat Canada Act, Chapter T-4, R.S.C., 1970.

Report on the operations of the Exchange Fund Account, together with the Auditor General's report on the audit of the Account, for the year ended December 31. 1971, pursuant to sections 17 and 18(2) of the Currency and Exchange Act, Chapter C-39, R.S.C., 1970.

Copies of Revised Constitution of the Order of Canada together with Letters Patent and Order in Council P.C. 1972-809, dated May 1, 1972, approving same.

Copies of Constitution of the Order of Military Merit together with Letters Patent and Order in Council P.C. 1972-810, dated May 1, 1972, approving same.

Copies of Regulations pertaining to three decorations for bravery together with Letters Patent and Order in Council P.C. 1972-811, dated May 1, 1972, approving same.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator Smith moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Benidickson, P.C .:

That when the Senate adjourns today, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, 13th June, 1972, at eight o'clock in the evening.

After debate, and-

The question being put on the motion, it was-Resolved in the affirmative, on division.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator Smith moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Inman:

That the Standing Senate Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs have power to sit during adjournments of the Senate.

The question being put on the motion, it was-Resolved in the affirmative.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Haig, seconded by the Honourable Senator Buckwold:

That the Standing Senate Committee on Health, Welfare and Science be instructed to examine and report upon the efficiency of existing federal legislation in bringing about the settlement of labour-management differences and disputes in areas affecting public services,

It was-

Ordered. That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Welch calling the attention of the Senate to the high rate of unemployment and inflation and the way in which they presently affect the economy of Canada,

It was-

Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Beaubien calling the attention of the Senate to the dividend tax credit provided for by section 121 of An Act to amend the Income Tax Act and to make certain provisions and alterations in the statute law related to or consequential upon the amendments to that Act, Chapter 63. Statutes of Canada. 1970-71-72.

It was-

Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being read,

With leave of the Senate, The Honourable Senator Thompson resumed the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Croll calling the attention of the Senate to the Report of the Special Committee of the Senate on Poverty in Canada, tabled in the Senate on Wednesday, 10th November, 1971.

After debate,

The Honourable Senator Carter moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Inman, that further debate on the inquiry be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

The question being put on the motion, it was-Resolved in the affirmative.