To His Excellency the Right Honourable Roland Michener, Chancellor and Principal Companion of the Order of Canada upon whom has been conferred the Canadian Forces' Decoration, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, Her Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the House of Commons of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

And on the motion of Mr. Alexander, seconded by Mr. Thomas (Moncton), in amendment thereto,—That following the words "Houses of Parliament" there be added:

"but we find intolerable the utter failure of this government to bring forward a decisive policy to achieve full employment and the continuing uncertainty and hesitancy in the economy because of the chronic indecisiveness of this government."

And debate continuing;

Changes in Committee Membership

Notice having been filed with the Clerk of the House pursuant to Standing Order 65(4)(b), membership of Committees was amended as follows:

Mr. Comtois for Mr. Gibson on the Standing Committee on External Affairs and National Defence.

Returns and Reports Deposited with the Clerk of the House

The following papers having been deposited with the Clerk of the House were laid upon the Table pursuant to Standing Order 41(1), namely:

By Mr. Lang (Saskatoon-Humboldt), a Member of the Queen's Privy Council,—General Order of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Canada, dated October 28, 1970, amending the Rules of the Supreme Court of Canada, pursuant to section 103(4) of the Supreme Court Act, chapter S-19, R.S.C., 1970. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 284-1/246.

By Mr. Lang (Saskatoon-Humboldt),—General Rules and Orders of the Federal Court of Canada, dated December 22, 1970, made by the Judges of the Court, pursuant to section 46(5), of the Federal Court Act, chapter (1), Statutes of Canada, 1970-71-72, together with a copy of Order in Council P.C. 1971-270, dated February 9, 1971, approving same. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 284-1/404.

By Mr. Lang (Saskatoon-Humboldt),—Amending Order No. 1, amending the Federal Court Rules, dated July 15, 1971, made by the Judges of the Court, pursuant to section 46(5), of the Federal Court Act, chapter 1, Statutes of Canada, 1970-71-72, together with a copy of Order in Council P.C. 1971-2481, dated November 9, 1971, approving same. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 284-1/404A.

By Mr. Richardson, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council,—Capital Budget of Polymer Corporation Limited for the year ending December 31, 1972, pursuant to section 70(2) of the Financial Administration Act, chapter F-10, R.S.C., 1970, together with a copy of Order in Council P.C. 1972-147, dated January 27, 1972, approving same.—Sessional Paper No. 284-1/209.

At 10.00 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned until tomorrow at 11.00 o'clock a.m., pursuant to Standing Order 2(2).