An Act for the relief of Barbara Patricia Strange Wolfe.

An Act for the relief of Bella Miller Keller. An Act for the relief of Effie Euphemia Shannon Monette.

An Act for the relief of Elsie May Cape Newman.

An Act for the relief of Bella White Wolfe. An Act for the relief of Alan Swabey.

An Act for the relief of Jean Walker Creighton King.

An Act for the relief of Alice Beatrice Armand Roberts.

An Act for the relief of Frederick William Merchant.

An Act for the relief of Irma Kern Ulrich. An Act to change the name of The Saskatchewan Life Insurance Company to Fidelity Life Assurance Company.

An Act to incorporate the Canadian Dental Association.

An Act respecting certain transmission and distribution lines of Saguenay Transmission Company, Limited, Saguenay Electric Company and Aluminum Power Company, Ltd.

An Act to provide for the reinstatement in civil employment of discharged members of His Majesty's Forces and other designated classes of persons.

An Act respecting the carrying on and coordination of vocational training.

An Act to assist war veterans to settle upon the land.

An Act to amend the Customs Tariff.

An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act.

An Act to amend the National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940.

An Act to provide for insurance of property against war risks and the payment of compensation for war damage.

An Act to amend the Excise Act, 1934.

An Act to amend the Department of External Affairs Act.

An Act to amend the Excess Profits Tax Act, 1940.

An Act to amend the Dominion Succession Duty Act.

An Act to amend the Precious Metals Marking Act.

An Act to authorize the provision of moneys to meet certain capital expenditures made and capital indebtedness incurred by the Canadian National Railways System during the calendar year 1942, to provide for the refunding of financial obligations and to authorize the guarantee by His Majesty of certain securities to be issued by the Canadian National Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act. An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1943.

The House of Commons withdrew.

The Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General was pleased to retire.

The sitting of the Senate was resumed.

The Senate adjourned until Wednesday, January 27, 1943, at 3 p.m.

Hon. Mr. KING.

THE SENATE

Wednesday, January 27, 1943.

The Senate met at 3 p.m.

NEW SENATOR INTRODUCED

Hon. Thomas Vien, K.C., of Outremont, Quebec, introduced by Hon. J. H. King and Hon. L. M. Gouin.

SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

Hon. THOMAS VIEN, having taken the Clerk's chair, rose and said: Honourable senators, I have the honour to inform you that a commission has been issued under the Great Seal, appointing me Speaker of the Senate.

The said commission was then read by the Clerk.

The Honourable the Speaker then took the Chair at the foot of the Throne, to which he was conducted by Hon. Mr. King and Hon. Mr. Ballantyne, the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod preceding.

Prayers.

PROROGATION OF PARLIAMENT

The Hon. the SPEAKER informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General, acquainting him that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, would proceed to the Senate Chamber this day at 4 p.m., for the purpose of proroguing the present session of Parliament.

NEW SENATORS INTRODUCED

Hon. Pamphile Réal Du Tremblay, K.C., of Montreal, Quebec, introduced by Hon. J. H. King and Hon. J. E. Prévost.

Hon. William Rupert Davies, of Kingston, Ontario, introduced by Hon. J. H. King and Hon. D. McL. Marshall.

Hon. Joseph J. Bench, K.C., of St. Catharines, Ontario, introduced by Hon. J. H. King and Hon. N. M. Paterson.

FELICITATIONS TO HIS HONOUR THE SPEAKER

On the Orders of the Day:

Hon. J. H. KING: Your Honour, may I be permitted to extend to you the hearty congratulations of your colleagues in this Chamber on the attainment of the eminent position of Speaker of the Senate.