PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Dandurand laid on the Table:-

Copies of Orders in Council passed from 2nd November, 1940, to 7th February, 1941, together with copies of volume three of the published compilation of Proclamations and Orders in Council passed under authority of the War Measures Act, which have the force of statutes, and which are published by the King's Printer. (English and French.)

Copies of the published record of the Dominion-Provincial Conference held in Ottawa, January 14 and 15th, 1941. (English and French editions.)

Annual Report of the Secretary of State for External Affairs for the year ended 31st December, 1940.

Copies of the report and recommendations of the Special Committee on Orientals in British Columbia, which was appointed on the 1st October, 1940, to investigate the positions of persons of Japanese and Chinese racial origin who are resident in British Columbia, and to report upon the problem of Japanese and Chinese in that province, from the point of view of national security, with particular reference to the question of military training.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1055, transferring the administration of the "Act to place Canadian Coal used in the Manufacture of Iron and Steel on a basis of equality with imported coal," from the Minister of Trade and Commerce, to the Minister of Mines and Resources, in accordance with the provisions of the "Public Service Re-arrangement and Transfer of Duties Act."

Copy of Rules of Court made by the Supreme Court of Judicature of the Province of Prince Edward Island, as required by Section 576 of the Criminal Code of Canada.

Report of the Secretary of State of Canada for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1940. (French edition.)

Report of the Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada for the calendar year ended 31st December, 1940.

Report with regard to loans made during the calendar year 1940 out of the Revolving Fund established under subsection 1 of section 94 (b) of the Indian Act, and the amounts outstanding on principal and interest as at 31st December, 1940.

Statement with respect to liquor permits issued during the calendar year 1940, as required by section 93 of the Northwest Territories Act.

Copy of Regulations under the Department of Pensions and National Health Act made during the period from 25th November, 1940, to 17th February, 1941.

Copy of Regulations under the Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act made during the period from 1st November, 1940, to 17th February, 1941.

Copy of Regulations under the Public Works Health Act made during the period from 1st November, 1940, to 17th February, 1941.

Report on Activities under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1940.

Report on Activities under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act for the crop year 1939-1940.

With leave of the Senate, and-

On motion, it was-

Ordered, That an Order of the Senate do issue for a Return showing:-

1. What was the cost of the wharf built at Pictou, Nova Scotia, 1939-1940? 2. What engineering branch of government planned construction and decided the site?