

allow the Canadian people to be better informed about this aspect of a member's work.

In order to have debates on the activities and reports of Parliamentary Associations, your Committee is not of the view that the Standing Orders need to be amended or changed. Rather, it is your Committee's recommendation that those members who wish to debate the activities and reports of Parliamentary Associations should place a motion on the Order Paper under Private Members' Notices of Motions. The motion might be drawn in the following form: "That the House of Commons take note of the meeting held in Ottawa from January 1, 1971 to January 3, 1971 of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association." Placing such motions under Private Members' Notices of Motions may of course delay the desired debate for some time as the notice would be placed at the end of the Order Paper and your Committee therefore further recommends that when such a motion is set down, the House Leaders at their next subsequent meeting should consult with a view to establishing an early date for debate on the motion. The results of the House Leaders agreement might be made an Order of the House.

Your Committee is of the view that these debates will be important and would urge as many members of the House as possible to participate in them. Your Committee has not recommended any changes to the Standing Orders, as it feels that debates on the activities and reports of official Parliamentary Associations can take place by agreement and consensus. Your Committee is thus not seeking concurrence in this report, but expresses the hope that its recommendations will be implemented.

Mr. Trudeau, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid upon the Table,—Copies of list of the Directors and Executive Officers of the Canada Development Corporation. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 283-1/190D.

Mr. Sharp, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid upon the Table,—Copies of a reply to an Oral Question by the Member for York South (Mr. Lewis) on October 28, 1971, outlining the method of calculating provincial allocation of \$160 million employment loans program funds. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 283-5/52.

Pursuant to Standing Order 39(4), the following Question was made an Order of the House for a Return:

No. 1,931—*Mr. Robinson*

1. How many meteorological service centres are there in Canada and where is each one located?

2. Does the government intend to expand the meteorological service and, if so, in what way?

3. To what extent is meteorological information obtained by satellites?

4. To what extent does Canada integrate its meteorological service with other countries?—Sessional Paper No. 283-2/1,931.

Mr. Jerome, Parliamentary Secretary to the President of the Privy Council, presented,—Return to the foregoing Order.

Bill C-259, 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, was again considered in Committee of the Whole and progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again at the next sitting of the House.

(Proceedings on Adjournment Motion)

At 10.00 o'clock p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 40(1);

After debate the said question was deemed to have been adopted.

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. Knight for **Mr. Thomson (Battleford-Kindersley)** on the Standing Committee on Agriculture.

Messrs. Forget and Lessard (LaSalle) for **Messrs. L'Heureux and Lajoie** on the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Estimates.

Mr. Hales for **Mr. McCleave** on the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Estimates.

Mr. Broadbent for **Mr. Harding** on the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Estimates.

Returns and Reports Deposited with the Clerk of the House

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

By **Mr. Dubé, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council,** by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—