

The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a certain proposed resolution to amend the Judges Act;

And the House continuing in Committee;

At 5.00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker took the Chair.

By unanimous consent, the provision of Standing Order 15(3) concerning the consideration of Private and Public Bills was suspended for this sitting.

The House resumed consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed resolution to amend the Judges Act.

*(In the Committee)*

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved,—That it is expedient to introduce a measure to amend the Judges Act to provide salaries for three additional puisne judges of the Superior Court of Quebec, for two additional judges of the Supreme Court of British Columbia and for two additional judges to the Supreme Court of Alberta.

Resolution to be reported.

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The said resolution was reported and concurred in.

Mr. Fulton, seconded by Mr. Green, by leave of the House, presented Bill C-56, An Act to amend the Judges Act, which was read the first time.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Fulton, seconded by Mr. Green, moved,—That the said bill be now read a second time.

After debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion, it was agreed to.

Accordingly, the said bill was read the second time, considered in Committee of the Whole, and reported without amendment.

By unanimous consent, the said bill was read the third time and passed.

The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a certain proposed resolution respecting the revision and consolidation of certain pension provisions of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act.

*(In the Committee)*

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved,—That it is expedient to introduce a measure to provide for the revision and consolidation of certain of the pension provisions of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act, for the payment out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of superannuation and other benefits to members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and their dependents and for matters incidental thereto, and to provide further for certain administrative changes in connection therewith.