

pray and call upon Parliament to maintain the present statutory Crow rate. As in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray.

MR. TAYLOR—CALL FOR GENERAL ELECTION

Mr. Gordon Taylor (Bow River): Mr. Speaker, the undersigned residents of Canada in Blackie and Irricana, Alberta, which are farming towns where practically everyone farms or derives his livelihood from farming, feel that their livelihood is going to be jeopardized by Bill C-155 if it passes. They now avail themselves of their ancient and undoubted right thus to present a grievance common to your petitioners, in the certain assurance that your honourable House will therefor provide a remedy. The petitioners humbly pray and call upon Parliament to insist on a general election being called now. As in duty bound, your petitioner will ever pray.

MR. GUSTAFSON—RETENTION OF CROWSNEST PASS RATES

Mr. Len Gustafson (Assiniboia): Mr. Speaker, this petition relates particularly to the very serious cash flow problem which farmers face. To the honourable House of Commons of Canada in Parliament assembled, the petition of the undersigned citizens of the Dominion of Canada, who now avail themselves of their ancient and undoubted right to present a grievance common to your petitioners, with the certain assurance that your honourable House will therefor provide a remedy, humbly sheweth that the initial price for grain producers in western Canada should be raised to a level which more accurately reflects the prevailing world price of grain. Wherefore, we, the undersigned, your petitioners, humbly pray and call upon Parliament to take whatever action may be necessary to restore confidence in the Government of Canada.

MR. NEIL—CALL FOR GENERAL ELECTION

Mr. Doug Neil (Moose Jaw): Mr. Speaker, I also have a petition signed by residents of Esquimalt, North Vancouver, West Vancouver, Vancouver and Burnaby. It is addressed to the honourable House of Commons of Canada in Parliament assembled. The petition of the undersigned petitioners of the Dominion of Canada, who now avail themselves of their ancient and undoubted right to present a grievance common to your petitioners, in the certain assurance that your honourable House will therefor provide a remedy, humbly sheweth that there exists a crisis of confidence in the Government of Canada, that this must be remedied as quickly as possible, and that it can be remedied by the calling of a general federal election immediately. Wherefore, we, the undersigned, your petitioners, humbly pray and call upon Parliament to take whatever action may be necessary to restore confidence in the Government of Canada. And, as in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray.

Petitions

MR. ANGUISH—RETENTION OF CROWSNEST PASS RATES

Mr. Doug Anguish (The Battlefords-Meadow Lake): Mr. Speaker, I have a petition here today to the honourable House of Commons of Canada in Parliament assembled. The petition of the undersigned residents in the Province of Saskatchewan who now avail themselves of their ancient and undoubted right thus to present a grievance common to your petitioners, in the certain assurance that your honourable House will therefor provide a remedy, humbly sheweth that the undersigned have carefully considered the alternative plan presented by the New Democratic Party that the Crow rate must be maintained and that the railways of all Canada must be upgraded and developed into a modern and efficient transportation system. Wherefore, the undersigned, your petitioners, humbly pray and call upon Parliament to adopt the provisions of the alternative plan of the New Democratic Party which will not change the Crowsnest Pass freight rates. And, as in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray.

CALL FOR GENERAL ELECTION

Mr. Arnold Malone (Crowfoot): Mr. Speaker, it is my privilege and duty to present a petition on behalf of some of the citizens in the communities of Burnaby, Vancouver, Surrey and Richmond, British Columbia, to the honourable House of Commons of Canada in Parliament assembled. The petition of the undersigned citizens of the Dominion of Canada, who now avail themselves of their ancient and undoubted right to present a grievance common to your petitioners, in the certain assurance that your honourable House will therefor provide a remedy, humbly sheweth that, whereas there exists a crisis of confidence in the Government of Canada, whereas this must be remedied as quickly as possible, and whereas this might best be done by calling a general federal election immediately, wherefore, we, the undersigned, your petitioners, humbly pray and call upon Parliament to take whatever action may be necessary to restore confidence in the Government of Canada. And, as in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray.

Hon. Ron Huntington (Capilano): Mr. Speaker, I have a petition from citizens of the Lower Mainland of British Columbia and Southern Ontario. To the honourable House of Commons of Canada in Parliament assembled. The petition of the undersigned citizens of the Dominion of Canada who now avail themselves of their ancient and undoubted right to present a grievance common to your petitioners, in the certain assurance that your honourable House will therefor provide a remedy, humbly sheweth that there exists a crisis of confidence in the Government of Canada which should be remedied as quickly as possible by the calling of a general federal election immediately. Wherefore, we, the undersigned, your petitioners, humbly call upon Parliament to take whatever action may be necessary to restore confidence in the Government of Canada. And, as in duty bound, your petitioners will ever pray.