

Tremblay	Weir
Tucker	Whitman
Viau	Winkler
Warren	Winters—107

NAYS

Messrs:

Adamson	Johnston
Archibald	Kidd
Argue	Knight
Ashby	Knowles
Aylesworth	Kuhl
Barrett	Lockhart
Bentley	Low
Blackmore	McCuaig
Blair	McCullough (Assini- boia)
Boucher	Macdonnell (Muskoka- Ontario)
Bowerman	McGregor
Bracken	MacInnis
Bradshaw	McKay
Brooks	McLure
Bryce	McMaster
Burton	MacNicol
Campbell	Matthews (Kootenay East)
Caouette	Menary
Case	Merritt
Casselman	Moore
Castleden	Murphy
Charlton	Nicholson
Church	Pearkes
Coldwell	Probe
Daniel	Quelch
Desmond	Raymond (Beauharnois- Laprairie)
Diefenbaker	Ross (St. Paul's)
Dorion	Ross (Souris)
Fair	Rowe
Ferguson	Shaw
Fleming	Skey
Fraser	Smith (Calgary West)
Fulton	Stephenson
Gagnon	Stewart (Winnipeg North)
Graydon	Stokes
Green	Strum, Mrs.
Hackett	Thatcher
Hansell	Townley-Smith
Harkness	Tustin
Hatfield	Webb
Hazen	White (Hastings- Peterborough)
Henderson	White (Middlesex East)
Herridge	Wright
Hlynka	Wylie
Hodgson	Zaplitny—95
Homuth	
Irvine	
Jackman	
Jaenicke	
Jaques	

Mr. MACDONALD (Brantford City): I was paired. Had I voted, I would have voted for the motion.

Mr. CARDIFF: I was paired. Had I voted, I would have voted against the motion.

Mr. MALONEY: I was paired with the hon. member for Northumberland, Ont. (Mr. Drope). Had I voted, I would have voted for the motion.

Mr. MARSHALL: I was paired with the hon. member for Fort William (Mr. McIvor). Had I voted, I would have voted against the motion.

[Mr. Pouliot.]

(Translation):

Mr. BONNIER: I was paired with the hon. member for Simcoe East (Mr. Robinson). Had I voted, I would have voted for the motion.

(Text):

Right Hon. W. L. MACKENZIE KING (Prime Minister) moved:

That the address be engrossed and presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such members of this house as are of the honourable the privy council.

Motion agreed to.

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

Right Hon. W. L. MACKENZIE KING (Prime Minister): Mr. Speaker, it is customary at this point, after the address has been voted, for the house to set up the two committees of the whole, namely the committee of ways and means and the committee of supply. That has already been done, so that there is no necessity to repeat the procedure.

It is customary to table the estimates, if possible, immediately after the debate on the speech from the throne is completed and the address in reply has been carried. The Minister of Finance (Mr. Abbott) is now in a position to table the estimates.

MAIN ESTIMATES, 1948-49

A message from His Excellency the Governor General transmitting estimates for the financial year ending March 31, 1949, was presented by Hon. Douglas Abbott (Minister of Finance), read by Mr. Speaker to the house, and referred to the committee of supply.

At six o'clock the house took recess.

After Recess

The house resumed at eight o'clock.

WAYS AND MEANS

EXCISE TAX ACT AMENDMENT

The house again in committee of ways and means, Mr. Macdonald (Brantford City) in the chair.

That it is expedient to introduce a measure to amend the Excise Tax Act and to provide:

1. That on and after November 18, 1947, there shall be imposed, levied and collected an excise tax of twenty-five per cent (25%) on the following goods imported into or manufactured or produced in Canada: (a) the following electrical appliances, grills, waffle irons; hot plates, roasters; kettles; chafing dishes; food or drink mixers; juice extractors; coffee makers; toasters of all kinds; portable humidifiers; curling irons or tongs; hair dryers; permanent waving machines and spacers or clamps; rods and heaters therefor; razors and shavers; food choppers and