count was originally made there were fewer than 20 Members in the House, and if that is the situation it seems to me I have no alternative but to declare the adjournment of the House and invite honourable Members to return in large numbers at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. I regret I have to reach this conclusion but I cannot see how I could expect continuing respect for the Chair without doing so.

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. MacDonald (Egmont) for Mr. Carter on the Standing Committee on External Affairs and National Defence.

Messrs. Lind, Whiting, Sulatycky and Hymmen for Messrs. Gillespie, McNulty, Perrault and Sullivan on the Standing Committee on National Resources and Public Works.

Messrs. Thomas (Maisonneuve), Mahoney, Smith (Saint-Jean) and Mc-Cleave for Messrs. Portelance, Thomas (Maisonneuve), Forget and Thomas (Moncton) on the Standing Committee on Transport and Communications.

Returns and Reports Deposited with the Clerk of the House

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

By Mr. Chrétien, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council,—Report of the Number and Amount of Loans to Indians made under section 69(1) of the Indian Act for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1969, pursuant to section 69(6) of the said Act, chapter 149, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French).

By Mr Davis, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, by command of His Excellency the Governor General,—Report of the Department of Fisheries for the year ended December 31, 1968 and the Financial Statements of the Department for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1968, pursuant to section 8 of the Department of Fisheries Act, chapter 69, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French).

By Mr. Macdonald, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council,—Return to an Order of the House, dated July 9, 1969, for a copy of all agreements or arrangements between the Government of Canada and the Royal Canadian Flying Clubs Association, flying instructors and private flying clubs and schools regarding the payment of grants towards the training of student pilots.—(Notice of Motion for the Production of Papers No. 211).

By Mr. Macdonald,—Return to an Order of the House, dated July 9, 1969, for copies of all reports or studies undertaken by the Department of Transport regarding an intercity jetport for Toronto.—(Notice of Motion for the Production of Papers No. 218).

By Mr. Macdonald,—Return to an Order of the House, dated July 9, 1969, for a copy of the Order in Council allowing Canadian National Telecommunica-