PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Martin, P.C., laid on the Table the following:—

Copies of Final Joint Press Release on the Canadian Scientific and Technological Mission to Japan, March 6-15, 1972.

The Honourable Senator Aird, from the Standing Senate Committee on Foreign Affairs which was authorized to examine and report to the Senate from time to time on any matter relating to foreign and Commonwealth affairs generally, on any matter assigned to the said Committee by the Rules of the Senate, and, in particular, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, on any matter concerning the Pacific area with particular emphasis on the position set out in the policy paper "Foreign Policy for Canadians: Pacific", tabled a Report of the said Committee entitled: "Report on Canadian Relations with the countries of the Pacific Region".

The Honourable Senator Aird moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Gélinas, that the Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Langlois:

That the name of the Honourable Senator Gélinas be substituted for that of the Honourable Senator Argue on the list of Senators serving on the Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce.

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Hayden, that the Bill C-55, intituled: "An Act respecting the Electoral Boundaries Readjustment Act", be read the third time.

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Langlois, that the Bill C-74, intituled: "An Act respecting the Electoral Boundaries Readjustment Act", be read the third time. The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative, on division.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed, on division.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Croll, that the Bill C-92, intituled: "An Act respecting the Electoral Boundaries Readjustment Act", be read the third time.

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative, on division.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed, on division.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Aird, that the Bill C-167, intituled: "An Act respecting the Electoral Boundaries Readjustment Act", be read the third time.

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative, on division.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed, on division.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without amendment.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the consideration of the Final Report of the Special Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Commons on the Constitution of Canada, tabled in the Senate on Thursday, 16th March, 1972,

It was—

Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Martin, P.C., seconded by the Honourable Senator Langlois, for the second reading of the Bill C-8, intituled: "An Act to authorize the making of certain fiscal payments to provinces, to authorize the entry into tax collection agreements with provinces, and to amend the Established Programs (Interim Arrangements) Act".

After debate, and-

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.