The Legislative Assembly of the Province of Quebec reassembled on the afternoon of January 23rd, 1918. when the debate was resumed on the motion submitted by Mr J. N. Francæur, member for Lotbinière. The Honorable the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly. Hon. Antonin Galipeault occupied the Speaker's chair, there was a full attendance of members and the galleries of the House were crowded with spectators showing the great interest taken in the question.

The Prime Minister of the Province. Sir Lomer Gouin, K.C.M.G., was received with loud applause when he rose to address the House on the motion.