

the committee. I am rather anxious to have this motion agreed to tonight for the simple reason that I think it would be a futile exercise to recall the Senate again tomorrow for the purpose of doing what I think we will inevitably do anyway, namely, agree to join with the Commons to set up a joint committee.

In view of the fact that honourable Senator Pouliot has raised an objection, I cannot proceed without unanimous consent. Frankly, I have not read the White Paper myself; I have a general idea of its contents but I am not familiar with the details. I have been busy with the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association meetings and other matters and have not had time to study it. All honourable senators are in the same position. The purpose of the committee is to find out what is in the report. It is only for the establishment of the committee that I seek unanimous consent tonight.

**Hon. Mr. Pouliot:** I am the most obliging member when it comes to requests like that, especially when it is made by my leader. He says nobody knows about it. At least I can spend the night reading it and should be able to express an opinion tomorrow. It will take two or three hours to read it. I never expected such a motion to be brought forward and passed tonight. Is the Senate sitting tomorrow?

**Hon. Mr. Connolly (Ottawa West):** I hope not. We hope to adjourn tonight.

**Hon. Mr. Pouliot:** I close my eyes and I shut my ears at the request of my leader, and that makes everybody happy.

**Hon. Mr. Connolly (Ottawa West):** I thank honourable Senator Pouliot for his co-operation.

**Hon. Mr. Pouliot:** It is a great proof of friendship.

**Hon. Mr. Connolly (Ottawa West):** It reminds me of the cartoon, "See no evil, hear no evil, speak no evil."

**Hon. Mr. Pouliot:** Monkeys.

**Hon. Mr. Connolly (Ottawa West):** Oh, no!

Motion agreed to.

## ADJOURNMENT

**Hon. John J. Connolly:** Honourable senators, I move, with leave of the Senate, that when the Senate adjourns today it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, November 8, 1966, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

**Hon. Mr. Pouliot:** Before that motion is adopted, honourable senators, I want to know about the Inquiries. There is an inquiry in my name, and I do not know if it has been answered or not.

**Hon. Mr. Connolly (Ottawa West):** We have not reached Inquiries yet, senator; we are coming to them.

Before the motion is put, I would like to say that while it is proposed to adjourn until the date specified in the motion, I expect it will be necessary to recall the Senate before that date. Interim supply runs out on October 31. I hope that by that time, in addition to interim supply legislation, there will be other legislation that I will have available for the consideration of honourable senators.

In the meantime may I also, as a matter of record, now bespeak the co-operation of honourable senators particularly in the work of the joint committees, which is so important, and commend those who have been particularly faithful in their attendance over the past few weeks.

Motion agreed to.

## CENTENNIAL PERFORMING ARTS

### ALLOCATION OF GRANTS—INQUIRY ANSWERED

**Hon. Donald Cameron** inquired of the Government, pursuant to notice:

1. What is the total amount of money allocated by the Government of Canada for the Centennial Performing Arts grants?

2. What is the allocation by provinces?

3. What portion of the total amount available has been allocated to institutions and organizations within the provinces?

4. What institutions have received grants and in what amounts?

5. What criteria has been used for the allocation of grants? Was it by population, and if not, what basis was used as a determining factor in the allocating of grants?