

Senator SMITH (*Queens-Shelburne*): How much importance do you attach to the proposal with regard to coverage of the farm labourer by unemployment insurance?

Mr. KIRK: We have had groups who attach a great deal of importance to it, and the number of our membership who attach importance to it is growing. The principal problem that our people find is in the seasonal period where they have to get so many weeks work. If they spend that time in agriculture without benefits, when the winter comes they are in trouble; this is the way they feel.

The committee adjourned.