ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 5th May, 1931

Presentation of Petitions. Reports of Committees. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

Reading of Petitions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 5th May, 1931

No. 1.

By the Right Honourable Sir George Foster:-

15th April—That he will call attention to the present status of the question of the reduction and limitation of World Armaments, and move that the Government lay on the Table of the Senate:-

1. A copy of the Draft Convention prepared by "The Preparatory Commission for the Disarmament Conference" of the League of Nations Society.

2. A copy of the final report of "the Committee on Budgetary Questions" appointed by the above named Preparatory Commission in connection with the above named Draft Convention.

3. A copy of the resolution of the Imperial Conference, 1930, with reference

to the reduction and limitation of armaments.

4. Copies of any correspondence had by the Government or the Department of External Affairs with the British Government or the Secretary of the League of Nations Society since October, 1930, in reference thereto.

No. 2.

· By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

13th April—That he will inquire from the Government what has been spent by Canada in money from the inception of the League of Nations to the 31st March, 1931.

MOTION

For Tuesday, 5th May, 1931

No. 1.

By the Right Honourable Sir George Foster:-

15th April—That he will move, That an Order of the Senate do issue for a return showing: Copies of all correspondence, including applications, recommendations and protests with reference to the proposed issue of a licence to one Steppanski to operate a distillery at Berwick, Nova Scotia.