

## PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Langlois laid on the Table the following:—

Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for Canada on Trust and Loan Companies for the year ended December 31, 1971, pursuant to section 8 of the *Department of Insurance Act*, Chapter I-17, R.S.C., 1970.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Cameron, seconded by the Honourable Senator Burchill, for the second reading of the Bill S-2, intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code (control of weapons and firearms)",

It was—

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

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Grosart, seconded by the Honourable Senator O'Leary, for the second reading of the Bill S-3, intituled: "An Act to amend the British North America Acts, 1867 to 1965 (Yukon and Northwest Territories Senate representation)",

It was—

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

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Croll calling the attention of the Senate to the urgent public need in Canada for Senate reform now,

It was—

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

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Hicks calling the attention of the Senate to the importance of federal government support for post-secondary education in Canada and the relations between the Government of Canada and the governments of the provinces concerning the universities of Canada,

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 inquiry of the Honourable Senator Cameron calling the attention of the Senate to the need

to re-examine the structure of freight rates in Canada and the importance of new technology to the economics of transportation.

After debate,

The Honourable Senator Macdonald for the Honourable Senator Haig moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Blois, that further debate on the inquiry be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

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

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Martin, P.C., seconded by the Honourable Senator Langlois:

That this House welcomes the conclusion of the Agreements on ending the War and restoring peace in Vietnam and notes the provision for an International Commission of Control and Supervision as part of the cease-fire arrangements, in which Canada has agreed to participate for the initial period of 60 days as provided for in the Note, dated January 27, 1973, from the Secretary of State for External Affairs to the four Parties to the Vietnam cease-fire,

It was—

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

The Honourable Senator Macnaughton, P.C., called the attention of the Senate to the Sixtieth Annual Conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held at Rome, Italy, 21st to 29th September, 1972, and in particular to the discussions and the proceedings of the Conference and the participation therein of the delegation from Canada.

After debate,

The Honourable Senator Flynn, P.C., moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Goldenberg, that further debate on the inquiry be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

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

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

Report to the Senate on the Sixtieth Annual Conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held at Rome, Italy, 21st to 29th September, 1972.

Resolutions adopted by the Sixtieth Annual Conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union held at Rome, Italy, 21st to 29th September, 1972.

Ordered, That the Report to the Senate on the Sixtieth Annual Conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union