

Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. MacEachen, by leave of the House, introduced Bill C-134, An Act to amend the Coastal Fisheries Protection Act, which was read the first time and ordered to be printed and ordered for a second reading at the next sitting of the House.

Mr. Gray for Mr. Benson, seconded by Mr. Pepin, by leave of the House, introduced Bill C-135, An Act to amend the Canada Student Loans Act, which was read the first time and ordered to be printed and ordered for a second reading of the next sitting of the House.

The text of the Message and recommendation of the Governor General printed pursuant to Standing Order 62(2) in relation to the foregoing Bill, is as follows:

His Excellency the Governor General recommends to the House of Commons a measure to amend the Canada Student Loans Act to determine the supplementary allocation for a province in an amount not exceeding thirty per cent of the basic loan provision, and by increasing to one hundred and fifteen million dollars the basic loan provision for the loan year commencing July 1, 1970; and to provide also for certain changes in connection with the administration of the Act.

The House resumed debate on the motion of Mr. Cullen, seconded by Mr. Marceau,—That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General of Canada:

To His Excellency the Right Honourable Roland Michener, Chancellor and Principal Companion of the Order of Canada upon whom has been conferred the Canadian Forces' Decoration, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, Her Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the House of Commons of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

And debate continuing;

Mr. Nesbitt, seconded by Mr. Lambert (Edmonton West), moved in amendment thereto,—That the following be added to the Address:

“but we regret that the government ignores the fact that the high level of the cost of living at the present time falls with tragic and increasing severity on pensioners and others who can least afford it”.

And debate arising thereon;

By unanimous consent, on motion of Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. Andras, it was ordered,—That notwithstanding section (4) of Standing Order 38, at 2 o'clock p.m., Friday, October 31, 1969, the question on any amendment or amendments to the motion for an Address in Reply to His Excellency's speech, shall be put forthwith.