

## THE SENATE

Monday, November 28, 1966

The Senate met at 8 p.m., the Speaker in the Chair.

Prayers.

## GREY CUP

NATIONAL FOOTBALL PLAYOFF  
IN VANCOUVER

**Hon. Arthur M. Pearson:** Honourable senators, before the house begins its business, I would like to call attention to an event of some moment which took place in Vancouver last Saturday. As one who comes from western Canada, I was quite pleased to see the Saskatchewan Roughriders take the Ottawa Rough Riders. One could say that the capital of Saskatchewan took the capital of Canada.

I am sure that all of you who saw that game were pleased with it. It was a wonderful game, with great sportsmanship being shown on both sides. Both teams fought hard, but the western team was a little stronger. However, we should congratulate both teams for their fine sportsmanship and the wonderful show they put on.

**Hon. Senators:** Hear, hear.

**Hon. John J. Connolly:** Honourable senators, I certainly wish to thank Senator Pearson for his remarks concerning an event that has become almost an institution in Canada, namely, the playing of the Grey Cup football game. I am sure all senators would want the leader to congratulate most heartily the winners, the Saskatchewan Roughriders. They played a magnificent game of football. It was a great spectacle all round.

Having done my official duty as leader, may I as a citizen of Ottawa quote one of the great classical expressions that originated in Brooklyn? "Just wait 'til next year!"

## PUBLIC SERVICE

JOINT COMMITTEE—CHANGE IN COMMONS  
MEMBERSHIP

**The Hon. the Speaker** informed the Senate that a message had been received from the House of Commons to acquaint the Senate that the name of Mr. Patterson has been substituted for that of Mr. Leboe on the Special Joint Committee on the Public Service.

## APPROPRIATION BILL NO. 9, 1966

## FIRST READING

**The Hon. the Speaker** informed the Senate that a message had been received from the House of Commons with Bill C-248, for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money for the public service for the financial year ending the 31st March, 1967.

Bill read first time.

**Hon. Mr. Connolly (Ottawa West)** moved, with leave, that the bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting.

Motion agreed to.

## ROYAL ASSENT

## NOTICE

**The Hon. the Speaker** informed the Senate that he had received the following communication.

## GOVERNMENT HOUSE

Ottawa

28 November 1966

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the Hon. Robert Taschereau, P.C., Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber today, the 28th November, at 9.45 p.m. for the purpose of giving Royal Assent to certain bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. G. Cherrier

Assistant Secretary

to the Governor General

The Honourable

The Speaker of the Senate.

## DOCUMENTS TABLED

**Hon. John J. Connolly** tabled:

Copies of Memorandum of Understanding between the Governments of Canada and Hong Kong regarding exports of certain cotton apparel and fabrics from Hong Kong to Canada. (English and French texts).

Report on the Operation of Agreements with the Provinces under the Hospital Insurance and Diagnostics Services Act for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1966, pursuant to section 9 of the said Act,