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make grants available to the corporation over a period of years so that it will not have to come back each year to parliament. When the corporation in its brief to the royal commission seems to express the view that it wants to be relieved of the annual grants and to have grants assured to it over a period, I do not think that is a sound point of view for the corporation to be taking. I would deplore and oppose anything that is likely to weaken parliamentary control or make any less clear and vital and strong the contact between the corporation and this house.

I thank the committee.

Mr. McCann: Mr. Chairman, I just want to assure the hon. gentleman that the question he has asked with reference to colour television will be answered, and when the debate continues I wish to put on the record a statement with reference to finances. When he sees it he may say that it might have been

better to put it on the record before he made his speech, but I did not want to take more than half of the time during which he and I were expected to speak tonight. I shall put that on the record, and then there will be an opportunity for people who are interested to compare what the C.B.C.'s appraisal of the financial position is with that of the critic.

Item stands.

Progress reported.

Resolutions adopted in committee this day reported and concurred in.

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

Mr. Harris: Tomorrow, as agreed, we shall take the remaining items of national health and welfare; then C.B.C., and then justice.

It being three minutes after eleven o'clock the house adjourned, without question put, pursuant to standing order.

382 Contribution of education of business... 1,084.718
383 Special technical services... 489.187
384 Health insurance studies and contribution... 311.788
385 General health grants... 281.220
386 To authorize and provide for federal health grants to the provinces... 2,028.838
387 Canadian public health... 603.771
388 Canadian national institute for the blind... 2,028.838
389 I.A.S. Association... 2,028.838
390 Ontario Association of Municipalities... 2,028.838
391 Montreal Association for the Blind... 2,028.838
392 Canadian Tuberculosis Association... 2,028.838
393 Victoria Order of Nurses... 2,028.838
394 St. John Ambulance Association... 2,028.838
395 Canadian Red Cross... 2,028.838
396 Canadian Paralytic Society... 2,028.838
397 Welfare Branch... 2,028.838
398 Welfare Branch Administration... 2,028.838
399 Administration... 2,028.838
400 Grant to Canadian Welfare Council... 2,028.838
401 National Health Branch... 2,028.838
402 Health Services... 2,028.838
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