knowledge of labour matters he was appointed technical adviser to the Canadian Delegation to the Conference of the International Labour Office of the League of Nations in Geneva, Switzerland in 1928.

With such a background, it was natural that

Mr. McKinnon should show an especial interest, during his
parliamentary career, in all matters that affected the welfare
not only of Northern Ontario, but of Transport workers, and
of labour generally throughout Canada. Mr. McKinnon at all
times showed himself a faithful and conscientious member.
He was not a frequent speaker in the House, but, as with
many able and modest members, his influence was not to be
measured by the number of speeches he made.

Mr. McKinnon is survived by his wife and seven children - four daughters and three sons.

I am sure it is the wish of honourable members that we should express to Mrs. McKinnon the sincere affection and respect in which her husband's memory is held by the members of this House. Her grief in the loss of her husband is

shared by the government of which he was a loyal supporter, by his fellow members of Parliament /and by the constituents whom he served so faithfully.