

*Business of the House*

**Mr. Hnatyshyn:** I would recommend that maybe he could grow the mustache which the Hon. Member for York South-Weston (Mr. Nunziata) shaved.

**Some Hon. Members:** Oh, oh!

**Mr. Hnatyshyn:** The business for tomorrow, Mr. Speaker, will be as requested by the Hon. Member for Winnipeg-Fort Garry (Mr. Axworthy). It will be third reading stage of Bill C-15. We hope to finish that off, and, if necessary, have a vote tomorrow. I will be consulting to see if we can just have a voice vote.

**Mr. Deans:** Mr. Speaker, at the risk of pushing things too far, is there any way that we might find out, maybe, what we might do perhaps on Friday?

**Mr. Hnatyshyn:** Mr. Speaker, the answer to that question is yes.

**Some Hon. Members:** Oh, oh!

**Mr. Deans:** Mr. Speaker, would it then be appropriate to ask what method we might use to find out?

**Mr. Blackburn (Brant):** Carrier pigeon.

**Mr. Hnatyshyn:** The method would be to ask the business question on Thursday, Mr. Speaker.

**Mr. Deans:** Mr. Speaker, now that we have got to the point, are we going to operate on a day-to-day basis? Or would it be possible for the Government perhaps to provide us with more than one day at a time?

**Mr. Stevens:** Stick around, Ian.

**Mr. Hnatyshyn:** Mr. Speaker, as the Hon. Member knows, we have been in the process of consultation. I believe it was either the Hon. Member for Hamilton Mountain (Mr. Deans) or a very good look-alike who sat in my office for two hours a day over the course of the last few days discussing the business of the House. He will fully understand the fact that, once we have a chance to carry on these discussions in the full spirit of co-operation for which we are all so famous, I will try to give him, at the earliest possible date, an indication of business, not only for Friday but into next week. All I can say to the Hon. Member is that I am consulting with my colleagues, and we are looking at the list of legislation. I hope to discuss the business for the next week in answer to the Business of the House question tomorrow.

**Mr. Blackburn (Brant):** We will not sleep until we find out.

**ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS**

[Translation]

**COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE****LABOUR, EMPLOYMENT AND IMMIGRATION—THIRD REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**Mr. Jim Hawkes (Calgary West):** Mr. Speaker, I have the honour of tabling the third report of the Standing Committee on Labour, Employment and Immigration concerning immigrant entrepreneurs.

[English]

In accordance with Standing Order 69(13) I request the Government make a comprehensive response to our third report.

**HEALTH, WELFARE AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS—THIRD REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**Mr. Bruce Halliday (Oxford):** Mr. Speaker, I have the honour to present the third report of the Standing Committee on Health, Welfare and Social Affairs in both official languages.

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**PETITIONS****CHANGES TO OLD AGE SECURITY ACT**

**Mr. Rod Murphy (Churchill):** Mr. Speaker, I have the honour to present a petition from three places in Saskatchewan, North Battleford, Saskatoon East, and Moose Jaw in which the people from those ridings indicate they would like the PC Government to index the old age pensions to the actual cost of living on a quarterly basis as promised in the 1984 election campaign.

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**Mr. Lorne Nystrom (Yorkton-Melville):** Mr. Speaker, I have the honour to present a petition from a series of people in various Saskatchewan ridings, most of which are PC ridings.

**Mr. Hnatyshyn:** How would you know; you have never been to Saskatchewan?

**Mr. Nystrom:** Quoting people from the City of Saskatoon, the riding of the Government House Leader, these people are calling upon the Government and the Minister of Finance (Mr. Wilson) to drop this crazy and cold-hearted idea of deindexing the Old Age Security pension. They want their pensions to remain indexed. I am very pleased to present a petition on their behalf.

**Mr. Mike Cassidy (Ottawa Centre):** Mr. Speaker, I have the honour to present a petition on behalf of 80 senior citizen residents in my riding of Ottawa Centre who protest the Government's decision to deindex after it made a promise not