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 Senate 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.

After debate.

The Honourable Senator McDonald for the Honourable Senator Cameron moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Langlois, that further debate on the motion for an Address to His Excellency be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Robichaud, P.C., seconded by the Honourable Senator Carter, for the second reading of the Bill S-2, intituled: "An Act respecting statistics of Canada".

After debate, and-

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.

The Bill was then read the second time.

The Honourable Senator Robichaud, P.C., moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Carter, that the Bill be referred to the Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce.

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Carter, seconded by the Honourable Senator Denis, P.C., for the second reading of the Bill S-3, intituled: "An Act to amend the Government Property Traffic Act".

After debate, and-

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.

The Bill was then read the second time.

The Honourable Senator Carter moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Bourque, that the Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Standing Rules and Orders, dated

October 22, 1970, recommending certain amendments to the Rules of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Molson moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Macdonald (Cape Breton), that the Report be adopted now.

After debate, and-

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill S-7, intituled: "An Act to repeal the Leprosy Act",

It was-

Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Croll calling the attention of the Senate to the activities of the Special Committee of the Senate on Poverty in Canada and in particular during the summer adjournment,

It was-

Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill S-4, intituled: "An Act to implement an agreement amending the Trade Agreement between Canada and New Zealand",

It was-

Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill S-5, intituled: "An Act respecting weights and measures",

It was-

Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill S-6, intituled: "An Act to amend the Anti-dumping Act",

It was-

Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Martin, P.C., moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator McDonald,

That the Senate do now adjourn.

The question being put on the motion, it was—Resolved in the affirmative.