

and Manitoba's is a provincial one, it means that there is evidently no law restraining plagiarism in the matter of names as between the dominion and provinces.

Mr. MURPHY: If my hon. friend will allow me—

Mr. MOTHERWELL: I want my hon. friend to get up and help me kill a little time until eleven o'clock.

Mr. MURPHY: The area in the Turtle mountains was not set aside or named in a bill by the provincial government. They simply donated the area, but there was no bill passed.

Mr. MOTHERWELL: No bill was passed by the Manitoba legislature with respect to it?

Mr. MURPHY: No, the area was set aside as an area which could be used for the purpose.

Mr. MOTHERWELL: The Manitoba government certainly got behind it and took some action, whether by way of issuing a charter for a company or by means of a bill or order in council I do not know, but at all events the Manitoba government sponsored the scheme. The state of Dakota did the same, and congress passed a bill with respect to certain school lands, thus sanctioning this peace garden. All the preliminaries necessary for the establishment of the Turtle mountain peace garden were started four years ago before this other scheme was ever heard of, or three and a half years ago at all events. If this is an evidence of my hon. friend's idea of peace among ourselves, I do not think very much of it. I do not see how under the present financial conditions of the country we are going to build two peace gardens, much less maintain them after they are built. I can quite understand the position of my hon. friend from Lethbridge and of the Prime Minister, who made a slight interjection a moment or so ago. Now that the thing has got going to this extent, they feel obligated to get behind it, but I am sure that they must both wish it was in Jericho or at the bottom of the sea; for they have to take a stand on it just as I have to do, and the Minister of the Interior also. My standpoint as a member of the opposition does not amount to very much, but as a citizen of the prairies who wants to see one of these schemes go ahead I object to trying to go ahead with two, with the strong probability of at least one of them falling down. That is what is likely to happen, during such times as

these at least. I should like to see an arch on the prairie, something like the one south of Vancouver. Some few years ago I had the opportunity of motoring in that vicinity and saw the peace arch there erected. I was then impressed with three obvious facts: First, it takes money to build an arch, second, it takes a considerable amount of ground, and third, it takes a lot of money to maintain it. I imagine that will be the experience with all the parks on our southern boundary with which the government are connected. There is no doubt that when the two prairie parks proposed are in a state of completion, if they both get that far, large sums of money will be required for their maintenance.

In my view it is wrong to present a bill such as the one now before us, the title of which is so much similar to the other one that the people are being deceived. They are confusing the two. The provinces have always held that they were justified in refusing to issue a charter to a company the name of which is so much like that of another that it may lead to deception, so that people may not know which from t'other or one from the other. I take it that spirit should be reflected in this bill, and nobody is familiar with that fact more than the Prime Minister. On the other hand I quite appreciate his position. I expect this is a Calgary show.

An hon. MEMBER: Oh no.

Mr. MOTHERWELL: It is an Alberta show, then.

An hon. MEMBER: A stampede.

Mr. MOTHERWELL: A duplication of peace gardens is most unfortunate. Certainly I should like to hear the Prime Minister speak at this time, because I should like some enlightenment. It is my desire to represent the people in Saskatchewan who are behind the Turtle mountain peace garden. They believed that there would be only one such boundary garden, and were quite agreed to have it at Turtle mountain. Along her boundary line Saskatchewan has no such advantageous location. There is no place from a prairie standpoint between the Rocky mountains and Winnipeg which would afford anything like the suitability of the Turtle mountain district. That is the reason I favoured the project and was absolutely shocked when I learned that this bill was on the order paper. I was not at all surprised when the Minister of the Interior hesitated to promote it any further. However, now that he is proceeding with the legislation I expect he will give us