If there was only one court case of the kind described by the hon. member for Lake Centre (Mr. Diefenbaker), then I think there can be no great criticism. I say that because when between three hundred and four hundred municipalities are in difficulties and only one court case has resulted, the condition cannot be too bad. I would hope that there have

not been other cases, and that generally the conditions were much better than that one case would indicate they might have been.

Progress reported.

On motion of Mr. Lapointe (Quebec East) the house adjourned at 6 p.m.

END OF VOLUME I.