

ment proposed, give it full examination, and decide upon that amendment.

**Mr. Smith:** Hear, hear!

**Mr. Axworthy:** On report stage, Madam Speaker, there have been over 78 different speeches presented. We have consented to a wide number of amendments. The fact of the matter is that during all that time, at report stage, rather than dealing with the matter according to the proper etiquette—

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

**Mr. Axworthy:**—and proper orders of debate, Hon. Members of the Opposition proceeded simply to filibuster that Bill.

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

**Mr. Axworthy:** Instead of acting in the spirit of positive, constructive proposals to make the position of the western farmer better and more effective—

**Some Hon. Members:** Order!

**Mr. Axworthy:**—all we got is the kind of howling and yowling—

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

**The Acting Speaker (Mr. Corbin):** May we have order in the House, please.

**An Hon. Member:** That's disorder over there.

**Mr. Axworthy:** Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

**An Hon. Member:** Let's go to the people.

**Mr. Axworthy:** I feel it is important for all Hon. Members who are seriously engaged in this debate to recognize that there should be a degree of order prevailing so that this House can proceed with the business of dealing with the important amendments, of dealing with the necessary and essential legislation which we provided.

The one thing that Hon. Members of the Opposition do not want to recognize is that this is the single most important economic initiative which has taken place in this decade.

**Mr. Smith:** Right on!

**Mr. Axworthy:** This Government is building a second railway across western Canada—

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

**Mr. Axworthy:**—to move our grain, to move our potash, to move our coal.

I hear the Hon. Member from British Columbia yelping and I see him jumping in his seat. I want him to go back and tell his constituents that he opposed the Crow. We want them to hear that he opposed the Crow.

#### *Time Allocation*

**Mr. Huntington:** I am in much better shape than you are. You will not come back here.

**Mr. Axworthy:** Because, Mr. Speaker, in that Province alone over \$5 billion of benefits will accrue to that Province.

**Mr. Fennell:** That is absolute nonsense!

**Mr. Axworthy:** There is a Member of Parliament standing in his—

**Mr. Taylor:** Communist, that is all you are, Communist.

**An Hon. Member:** Sit down!

**An Hon. Member:** Wait until the voters get hold of you, Lloyd.

**Mr. Axworthy:** Mr. Speaker, they just want to talk about the—

**Some Hon. Members:** Sit down!

**Some Hon. Members:** Order!

**The Acting Speaker (Mr. Corbin):** Order, please.

**Mr. Taylor:** Turn the microphones off. We do not want to hear you.

**Mr. Axworthy:** Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The other reason why it is very important that this Bill pass is that it is quite clear that the number of major construction projects which are standing in the wings waiting to occur in Alberta, British Columbia, Saskatchewan and Manitoba—

**An Hon. Member:** Order!

**Mr. Taylor:** That is nonsense.

**Mr. Axworthy:**—which will provide for the proper capacity to move to export those major goods of western Canada, will stand in abeyance unless this Bill is passed, Mr. Speaker. The future of economic growth and over 300,000 jobs which Canadians are waiting for will be standing in abeyance. How long have we heard from Members of the Opposition, since we have been back in session, that the issue is jobs, jobs jobs? I would like to know why they are howling in their seats today against a measure which will bring forward—

**Mr. Taylor:** We do not like your sneaky, dirty tricks, that is why.

**Mr. Axworthy:**—over 300,000 of those jobs.

**Mr. Smith:** That is right.

**Mr. Huntington:** That is nonsense. We are not standing in the way.

**Mr. Axworthy:** I would like them to stand up in the House and explain to Canadians why they are trying to frustrate the will of the House, to frustrate the proper Parliamentary proce-