

ion" wherever it occurs periodically to "Canada"? Surely we ought to have enough guts to decide what we want to do, to act in a strong and forceful way and to pass substantive legislation in one measure to change all the acts which are affected. We do this with other things; why should we not do it in this case?

In a similar vein I am concerned that we really have not done anything about the territories. We are passing this piece of legislation not only for the new territories we are obtaining in the 200-mile offshore zone, but we are also applying it to the Northwest Territories and the Yukon. We are saying that the minister is no longer directly responsible for federal services in those areas in this regard, and certainly the operation of surveying is not small, although it affects a small number of surveyors. I presume they are in this category. We should really be looking at what we are going to do about some kind of self determination for the people of the Northwest Territories and the Yukon and giving them the right to make decisions about surveyors.

Surveyors are very important. In my part of the country they have been immensely important. The parliamentary secretary said that surveying is a science. If it is a science, it is a very inexact one on many occasions. There have been multimillion dollar lawsuits over the opinion of one surveyor against the opinion of another. This has happened particularly with regard to mining claims. Fortunes have been made and lost depending on lines drawn by surveyors. We have been very fortunate to have had the surveyors we have had. Surveyors have been able to establish a very accurate accounting of the lands of this country, and I would not want to see that changed.

It may not be offensive to change the number of members of the board from three to five, but I think we should be very careful with the training which is required and about the assurance which is given at the bottom of a deed, whether it be in the Northwest Territories or anywhere else. When a surveyor signs a deed, he has a responsibility, and the designation he gives to a particular property is important. We have been very fortunate over the years that our training of surveyors has been sufficient to ensure that a deed is accurate. I do not particularly want to see us dilute that by allowing the commissioners to have the responsibility for surveying. I am quite happy to see that responsibility remain in the hands of provincial authorities, and I think in the Northwest Territories and in the Yukon until we make the decision—and I hope it is very soon—that they will have the control of the surveyors and other government officials in their area, that control should remain the responsibility of the federal minister.

I do not want to prolong this. If the parliamentary secretary wants this bill passed before one o'clock, that is all right, but I want to point out that many people feel abused every time we go through this stupid argument about changing the word "Dominion" to the word "Canada".

If we really want to do that, let us pass legislation which will enable all other pieces of legislation to be changed by register-

ing them under the enabling legislation. That will cause fewer hassles and will probably do more to promote unity than the kind of division which always comes about when we talk about changing the word "Dominion" to the word "Canada" or "Canadian".

Mr. Deputy Speaker: I wish to inform the House that, if I recognize the parliamentary secretary at this time, he will close the debate.

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Mr. Maurice Dupras (Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources): Mr. Speaker, I personally have no difficulty with the word "Dominion". I regret that in some parts of the country some people feel the way the hon. member for Qu'Appelle-Moose Mountain (Mr. Hamilton) and the hon. member for Timiskaming (Mr. Peters) described. It seems that it is still difficult for some Canadians to accept that things can be Canadian. I see no difficulty with this type of evolution whereby more and more we are trying to develop a Canadian nationalism and a Canadian identification. I feel that the word "Canada" should be used more and more.

The faculty for adaptation of some of us is better than that of others, but inevitably things will be more and more Canadian. This is our country. I am proud that our major airline is called Air Canada, and we also have a company called Canadian Pacific. After all, they are Canadian.

[*Translation*]

I have much hesitation, difficulty and impatience, Mr. Speaker, when I see that some of my fellow citizens are still reluctant to identify more and more as Canadians. Having visited all parts of my country in the last couple of years, I can see that it does not correspond so much to the feelings I have detected in Canadians of all parts of the country. In the east as in the west, Canadians tend more and more to identify as such and more and more express this feeling of nationalism which is taking so long to blossom out in Canada.

Mr. Speaker, it being one o'clock, I would like to continue after lunch.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: It being one o'clock, I do now leave the chair until two o'clock.

At one o'clock the House took recess.

AFTER RECESS

The House resumed at 2 p.m.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[*English*]

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE

REQUEST FOR ROYAL COMMISSION TO STUDY ORGANIZED CRIME—MOTION UNDER S.O. 43

Mr. Eldon M. Woolliams (Calgary North): Mr. Speaker, before I move my motion, may I say that I am somewhat