Speaker's rulings and statements—(Concluded)

Bills, Public (Private Members); Second Reading:

5. After Order for Second Reading: Point of order raised as to propriety of the printing of a second bill of same number and form but differing in substance: Mr. Speaker stated House had accepted the reprinted bill and therefore point of order was not one that arises now but one that might arise if similar circumstances occurred, 161.

See also Item 8 under this heading.

- 6. On order for second reading question raised as to expenditure involved in Bill to amend BNA Acts, 1867 to 1960, with respect to representation in Senate: Mr. Speaker stated while Bill did not in itself seem to involve an expenditure of public funds, it would set in motion another Act and would therefore indirectly involve expenditure. He further stated that the matter should be settled so that the Private Member would be given the benefit of the doubt to proceed to raise such matters as may properly be brought before Parliament, 283-4.
- 7. On motion for second reading of Parliamentary Proctor and Costs Taxation Bill (C-41), Mr. Speaker stated that bill seemed to have some of the characteristics of a money bill, or one that required a resolution, as no provision is made for payment of salary and any fees received would have to be paid into the Consolidated Revenue Fund under general legislation. He further stated that although there was some precedent for such legislation without a preceding Ways and Means resolution, he was not satisfied that this bill came under the exception and stated he would allow the debate to proceed as the case was not as clear as it might be, 326-7.

Bills, Public (Private Members); Third Reading:

8. On Order for third reading of private member's public bill, Mr. Speaker asked leave to raise a point of order and stated that clause 4 of the bill appeared to authorize expenditure of public money, which required a resolution. Mr. Speaker suggested that the bill be referred back to Committee of the Whole with instructions to delete clause 4, 182-3.

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Member's Conduct:

9. In Committee of Supply, Member for Hull (Mr. Caron) was reported to the House for declining to withdraw his accusation that the Chairman of the Committee was displaying partiality. The honourable Member refused to withdraw his remarks and left the Chamber. Motion (Mr. Churchill) that member be suspended for remainder of this day's sitting: moved and agreed to on recorded division, 241-2.

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10. Ruled, on a point of order, that it was not irregular to proceed with Vote 730 called for consideration by the government not-withstanding that the Committee was still considering Vote 729 at the termination of its last sitting; Ruling appealed and confirmed on recorded division, 350-1.

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11. Progress report by Mr. Speaker on experiment initiated at last session, 237-8.

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