

That the Committee have power to sit during adjournments of the Senate and that Rule 76(4) be suspended in relation to this Special Committee from 9th to 18th December, 1969, both inclusive, and the Committee have power to sit during sittings of the Senate for that period;

That the papers and evidence received and taken on the subject in the preceding session be referred to the Committee; and

That the Committee be composed of the Honourable Senators Beaubien, Davey, Everett, Giguère, Hays, Irvine, Langlois, Macdonald (*Cape Breton*), McElman, Petten, Prowse, Sparrow, Urquhart, White and Willis.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the motion, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the debate on the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne at the opening of the present Session of Parliament and the motion of the Honourable Senator Desruisseaux, seconded by the Honourable Senator Everett:—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General of Canada:

To His Excellency the Right Honourable Roland Michener, Chancellor and Principal Companion of the Order of Canada, upon whom has been conferred the Canadian Forces' Decoration, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, Her Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

After debate,

The Honourable Senator Smith for the Honourable Senator Stanbury moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Bourque, that further debate on the motion for an Address to His Excellency be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

The question being put on the motion, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Connolly, P.C., calling the attention of the Senate to the Fifteenth General Conference of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association held in Trinidad and Tobago, from 5th to 18th October, 1969,

It was—

Ordered, That it be postponed until Wednesday, 12th November, 1969.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator Gélinas moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Bourque, that the Bill S-2, intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act", be read the second time.