Motions for Papers

Mr. Speaker: Is it agreed that this notice of motion be withdrawn as suggested?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Order discharged and motion withdrawn.

QUETICO PARK, ONT.—USE BY U.S. TOURISTS
AND OUTFITTERS

Motion No. 117-Mr. Fisher:

For a copy of all letters, correspondence, and reports originated and exchanged by any government department since January 1, 1958 with individuals, associations, the Ontario government, and the United States government and Minnesota State government, on the use of Quetico park by American tourists and outfitters.

Hon. George C. Nowlan (Minister of National Revenue): This is acceptable, Mr. Speaker, subject to the usual reservations.

Mr. Speaker: Subject to the reservations stated by the minister, is it the pleasure of the house to adopt the motion?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion agreed to.

IMMIGRATION REGULATIONS AND AMENDMENTS

Motion No. 118—Mr. Robichaud (for Mr. Crestohl):

For a copy of the immigration regulations and all amendments to date; the orders in council approving same; all departmental rulings which are being used in determining the admissibility of immigrants under general and special circumstances and conditions.

Hon. Ellen L. Fairclough (Minister of Citizenship and Immigration): Mr. Speaker, in the absence of the hon. member possibly this should stand, because the second part of the motion asks for material which cannot be produced.

Mr. Speaker: Is it agreed that this notice of motion should stand?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion stands.

CHIPPEWA INDIAN RESERVE, SARNIA

Motion No. 119—Mr. Pickersgill (for Mr. Hellyer):

For a copy of all papers and other documents, filed by Dimensional Investments Limited with the Department of Citizenship and Immigration prior to its purchase of part of the Chippewa Indian reserve for the purpose of demonstrating its financial ability to undertake the proposed transaction

Hon. Ellen L. Fairclough (Minister of Citizenship and Immigration): Mr. Speaker, all the information requested in this order was tabled on July 16, 1959, and there has been nothing since.

[Mr. Dumas.]

Mr. Pickersgill: In that case, sir, perhaps the motion might stand until the hon. member returns.

Mr. Speaker: Is it agreed that this motion should stand?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion stands.

INDIAN AFFAIRS

SARNIA, ONT.—REPORTED THREAT TO DISPOSSESS KENNETH PLAIN

On the orders of the day:

Hon. J. W. Pickersgill (Bonavista-Twillingate): Mr. Speaker, I wonder if I can ask the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration whether she has received any representations on behalf of Mr. Kenneth Plain, a locatee on the Sarnia Indian reserve, who is alleged to be threatened with dispossession from his land? If so, what action has the minister taken?

Hon. Ellen Fairclough (Minister of Citizenship and Immigration): Mr. Speaker, the matter has not come to my personal attention. It may be in the department. I shall make inquiries.

Mr. Pickersgill: Will the minister make inquiries and report to the house, because I am advised this dispossession of property is to take place in the very near future.

GRAIN

INQUIRY AS TO FINAL PAYMENTS FOR 1958-59 CROP

On the orders of the day:

Mr. Hazen Argue (Assiniboia): I should like to address a question to the Minister of Trade and Commerce. In view of the urgent need to supplement the incomes of western grain producers, is the minister in a position now to tell the house when the final payments on the 1958-59 crop year will be made, and the amount of such payment?

Hon. Gordon Churchill (Minister of Trade and Commerce): During the unavoidable absence of the hon. member for Assiniboia—

Mr. Argue: Successful absence.

Mr. Churchill: —this question was asked and answered. The payments should be made almost any day now.

Mr. Argue: A further supplementary question, Mr. Speaker. Since the minister has promised these payments within the first or second week of June, is he able to say more precisely now when the payments will be made?