

Canadian National Railway Company from The International Nickel Company of Canada, Limited, of a line of railway from Sipiwesk to a point on Burntwood River near Mystery Lake, all in the Province of Manitoba;

Mr. Balcer, seconded by Mr. Hamilton (Notre-Dame-de-Grâce), moved,—That the said bill be now read a second time.

After debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion, it was agreed to.

Accordingly, the said bill was read the second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines.

The House resumed consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed resolution to amend the Civilian War Pensions and Allowances Act;

And the House continuing in Committee;

At 5.00 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker took the Chair.

*(Private Members' Business was called pursuant to Standing Order 15(3) as provisionally amended)*

*(Notices of Motions)*

Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Hellyer, moved,—That, in the opinion of this House, the government should consider the advisability of encouraging reasonable early vesting of pension rights of employees by disallowing in whole or in part the employer's claims for a deduction of the expenses of pensions for income tax purposes where reasonable vesting provisions are not adopted.—*(Notice of Motion No. 5)*.

And debate arising thereon;

The hour for Private Members' Business expired.

The House resumed consideration in Committee of the Whole of a certain proposed resolution to amend the Civilian War Pensions and Allowances Act.

*(In the Committee)*

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved,—That it is expedient to introduce a measure to amend the Civilian War Pensions and Allowances Act to permit the payment of allowances, similar to those provided for veterans and their dependants under the War Veterans Allowance Act, 1952, to surviving former members and to certain dependants of deceased members of a number of civilian groups of Canadians who made outstanding voluntary contributions to the war effort during World War I and World War II under difficult and dangerous conditions.

Resolution to be reported.

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The said resolution was reported and concurred in.