

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ACT AMENDMENT—SECOND READING—*Con.*

Fowler, G. W. (King's, N.B.)—*Con.*

pay for eight gallons. Proposes to vote against Bill—879.

Lancaster, E. A. (Lincoln and Niagara)—878.

Would suggest that section 2 be made to read 'milk cans referred to section 1' or otherwise amended to cover point—878.

Maclean, W. F. (South York)—877.

Farmer should be paid for milk he actually supplies. Best way is to try the experiment; if it does not succeed can repeal the law—878.

Piché, Camille (Montreal, St. Mary's)—878.

Seems hardly worth while to make a general statute with view to reaching a particular case—878. If hon. member (Mr. Campbell) will specify that Bill should apply to Toronto will not complain—881.

Templeman, Hon. William (Minister of Inland Revenue)—877.

Regrets absence when mover of Bill explained provisions. Would suggest that standard gallon be maintained rather than standard can. Would also suggest that this Bill go before Committee on Agriculture, as that is committee best equipped for discussion of matters of this kind—877.

Wright, A. A. (South Renfrew)—879.

Men who buy milk have whole thing in their own hands. Matter of inspecting cans and making a standard just the same as making a standard fruit package—879.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ACT AMENDMENT—IN COMMITTEE.

House in committee on Bill (14) to amend the Weights and Measures Act—Mr. Campbell. Bill reported—2068

Blain Richard (Peel)—2038.

On section 2—The Bill was printed only to-day, and I think it would not be wise to give the Bill its third reading to-night—2068.

Campbell, Archibald (Centre York)—2068.

I think we might pass it through committee to-night, and let the third reading stand—2068.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ACT AMENDMENT—THIRD READING.

Motion for third reading of Bill (14) to amend the Weights and Measures Act—Mr. Oliver—2971. Amendment moved by Mr. Kemp—2973. Amendment (Mr. Kemp) negatived, Bill read third time and passed—2975.

Barr, J. (Dufferin)—2974.

Hopes that the hon. member for Toronto (Mr. Kemp) will not press his amend-

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ment. This Bill meets the approval of those engaged in the business and is satisfactory—2974.

Borden, R. L. (Carleton, Ont.)—2973.

What is the object of stamping the cans?—2973.

Campbell, Archibald (Centre York)—2972.

Bill does not in any way, shape or manner affect those who buy milk by weight; it only affects those who buy by measure—2972. It will not improve the Bill to substitute the word 'owner' for 'maker'; amendment is not necessary—2973.

Derbyshire, Dan. (Brockville)—2974.

Bill is all right as it is, and it ought to pass, for the people who use these cans require this measure to come into effect at once—2975.

Kemp, A. E. (East Toronto)—2971

Has no opposition to offer to Bill; but those who came before Committee on Agriculture to give evidence are perfectly willing to buy milk by pound weight instead of by measurement—2971. In the case of milk bought by the pound, there is no stamping or inspection to be done. Milk dealers want word 'owner' inserted in section 3—2972. If a can become bruised and dented after it is stamped by the government it will have less capacity, and if the name of the owner is stamped on it, the government can follow him up—2974.

Macdonell, A. C. (South Toronto)—2974.

Thinks Bill should stand over, as Minister of Inland Revenue is not in his place—2974.

McCarthy, L. G. (North Simcoe)—2973.

Is it not the intention to provide against the capacity of a can being diminished after it was originally constructed? What hon. friend from East Toronto (Mr. Kemp) wants to get at is the owner—2973.

Perley, G. H. (Argenteuil)—2974.

The consensus of opinion in the committee is that this Bill is very much needed. The object of having the maker's name on the can is to ensure that when made it is of the capacity indicated—2974.

WHALE FISHERIES IN HUDSON BAY.

Motion that the House do to-morrow go into Committee of the Whole to consider the proposal to provide a license fee for each boat employed in the whale fishery in Hudson Bay—Mr. Brodeur. Motion agreed to—6088.

Brodeur, Hon. L. P. (Minister of Marine and Fisheries)—6088.

His Excellency having been apprised of this matter, commends it to the favourable consideration of the House—6088.