HOUSE OF COMMONS

Tuesday, October 24, 1978

The House met at 2 p.m.

(1407)

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

[English]

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NEW MEMBERS

Mr. Speaker: I am sure hon. members are aware that a number of successful candidates in the recent by-elections will be introduced into the House today in the usual manner. I cannot believe there could be anything more important for the House to turn its attention to; therefore, we ought to proceed to that as a matter of priority.

I will, of course, respect the time which is usually set aside for the question period and I ask for the co-operation of hon. members if they have applications pursuant to Standing Order 43. I ask them to exercise some discretion in that regard. Obviously, we ought to call those motions. If they are absolutely essential in nature, we will take them; but if certain matters can wait another day, I ask for the co-operation of hon. members because I expect it will take some minutes to introduce the new members.

I have the honour to inform the House that the Clerk of the House has received from the Chief Electoral Officer a certificate of the election and return of Bob Corbett, Esq., member for the electoral district of Fundy-Royal.

I also have the honour to inform the House that the Clerk of the House has received from the Chief Electoral Officer a certificate of the election and return of David Crombie, Esq., member for the electoral district of Rosedale.

I also have the honour to inform the House that the Clerk of the House has received from the Chief Electoral Officer a certificate of the election and return of Robert de Cotret, Esq., member for the electoral district of Ottawa Centre.

I also have the honour to inform the House that the Clerk of the House has received from the Chief Electoral Officer a certificate of the election and return of Donald J. Johnston, Esq., member for the electoral district of Westmount.

I also have the honour to inform the House that the Clerk of the House has received from the Chief Electoral Officer a certificate of the election and return of Marcel Ostiguy, Esq., member for the electoral district of Saint-Hyacinthe. Also, I have the honour to inform the House that the Clerk of the House has received from the Chief Electoral Officer a certificate of the election and return of Rob Parker, Esq., member for the electoral district of Eglinton.

I also have the honour to inform the House that the Clerk of the House has received from the Chief Electoral Officer a certificate of the election and return of Yuri Shymko, Esq., member for the electoral district of Parkdale.

I also have the honour to inform the House that the Clerk of the House has received from the Chief Electoral Officer a certificate of the election and return of Geoff Scott, Esq., member for the electoral district of Hamilton-Wentworth.

NEW MEMBERS INTRODUCED

Bob Corbett, Esq., member for the electoral district of Fundy-Royal, introduced by Mr. Joe Clark and Mr. Fred McCain.

David Crombie, Esq., member for the electoral district of Rosedale, introduced by Mr. Joe Clark and Miss Flora MacDonald.

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Robert de Cotret, Esq., member for the electoral district of Ottawa Centre, introduced by Mr. Joe Clark and Mr. Walter Baker

Donald Johnston, Esq., member for the electoral district of Montreal-Westmount, introduced by the right hon. Pierre Elliott Trudeau and the hon. Warren Allmand.

Marcel Ostiguy, Esq., member for the electoral district of Saint-Hyacinthe, introduced by the right hon. Pierre Elliott Trudeau and the hon. Jeanne Sauvé.

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Rob Parker, Esq., member for the electoral district of Eglinton, introduced by Mr. Joe Clark and Mr. Sinclair Stevens.

Yuri Shymko, Esq., member for the electoral district of Parkdale, introduced by Mr. Joe Clark and Mr. Otto Jelinek.

Geoff Scott, Esq., member for the electoral district of Hamilton-Wentworth, introduced by Mr. Joe Clark and Mr. Lincoln M. Alexander.