

*The Address—Mr. Girard**[Translation]*

We immediately need at least 500 new jobs. This objective can be reached if we succeed in having a new industry locate in our region; otherwise, we would gladly accept the transfer of a Government service to Restigouche.

Moreover, I am convinced that the 1991 winter games should be awarded to the Restigouche county. Such a decision would create not only jobs for the next four years, but would also make my constituents proud to show all Canadians that we, in Northern New Brunswick, have done something for the greater welfare of our fellow citizens.

What we really need in Restigouche are entrepreneurs who want to invest and thrive in our area. Recently, with help from this Government, people in Kedgwick were encouraged to start a co-operative for manufacturing hardwood flooring. In view of the strong demand for that product, they did not hesitate to put all their energy behind the project. As a result of another federal grant, a small company in Petit-Rocher is now manufacturing leather gloves. I wish to extend my very warm congratulations to the owner of that industry for his initiative and perseverance. We would also need a special sectorial agreement that would provide companies with incentives to locate and develop in northeastern New Brunswick.

*[English]*

The Speech from the Throne has emphasized the Government's seriousness about solving inequities such as those which exist in areas such as northeastern New Brunswick. Over the coming weeks and months I am sure that new initiatives will be forthcoming as a result of this Throne Speech. They will certainly be welcome in such regions as Restigouche. The stage has already been set by the contents of this Throne Speech and by the consultation process which began with the Atlantic Conference in early September.

*[Translation]*

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to pay tribute to one of our former colleagues who chaired the parliamentary Committee responsible for evolving the new rules for electing

the Speaker of this House. The Hon. James McGrath deserves the respect of all Members of the House, and we wish him every success as Lieutenant Governor of his Province.

I would also like to thank the Prime Minister and the Cabinet for their confidence, for it is indeed a privilege, as the Member for the constituency of Restigouche, to move the Address in reply to the Speech from the Throne. The Prime Minister's choice once more has shown his awareness of the importance of northern New Brunswick and other rural areas of Canada in the eyes of the Canadian Government.

**Some Hon. Members:** Hear, hear!

**Right Hon. John N. Turner (Leader of the Opposition):** Mr. Speaker, I move, seconded by the Hon. Member for Ottawa—Vanier (Mr. Gauthier), that this debate be now adjourned.

**Mr. Speaker:** Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the motion?

**Some Hon. Members:** Agreed.

Motion agreed to.

*[English]*

**Hon. Don Mazankowski (Deputy Prime Minister and President of the Privy Council):** Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

**Mr. Speaker:** Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the motion?

**Some Hon. Members:** Agreed.

Motion agreed to.

**Mr. Speaker:** Therefore, this House stands adjourned until tomorrow at 11.00 o'clock a.m. pursuant to Standing Order 3(1).

The House adjourned at 11.57 a.m.