

NOTICES OF MOTIONS AND QUESTIONS

Mr. White (Middlesex East)—On Saturday next—INQUIRY OF MINISTRY—What is the total value of all exports, giving particulars as to groups or general classifications thereof, in (a) 1949; (b) 1950 to date, to (I) U.S.S.R.; (II) Hungary; (III) Czechoslovakia; (IV) Yugoslavia; (V) Eastern Germany; (VI) Bulgaria?

Mr. Wright—On Saturday next—INQUIRY OF MINISTRY—1. How many married quarters have been completed to date in each Military District in Canada?

2. How many are now under construction in each such district?

3. For how many are contracts let but construction not started in each district?

4. What is the average cost of such quarters completed to date in each Military District?

5. What is (a) the highest; (b) the lowest, cost of any single unit now completed in each district?

The Minister of Finance—On Saturday next—IN COMMITTEE OF WAYS AND MEANS—The following Resolution:—

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a measure to amend the Income Tax Act and to provide:

That in respect of income of a corporation from and after September 1, 1950, the rate of tax be increased from 10% to 15% on income not in excess of \$10,000 and from 33% to 38% on income in excess of \$10,000.

The Minister of Finance—On Saturday next—IN COMMITTEE OF WAYS AND MEANS—The following Resolutions:—

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a measure to amend The Excise Tax Act and to provide:—

1. That the excise tax on goods mentioned in Schedule I of the Act that are at present subject to the rate of ten per cent be increased to fifteen per cent.

2. That there be imposed, levied and collected an excise tax of fifteen per cent on the following:—

(a) electrical appliances and equipment adapted to household use, viz., blankets; chafing dishes; coffee makers; curling irons or tongs; dish-washers; food or drink mixers; food choppers and grinders; floor waxers and polishers; garbage disposal units; hair dryers; irons and ironers; juice extractors; kettles; portable humidifiers; razors and shavers; toasters of all kinds; vacuum cleaners and attachments therefor; waffle irons;

(b) firearms and complete parts thereof and ammunition except for military or police purposes;