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2.30 o'clock p.m.

PRAYERS.

Mr. McIlraith, seconded by Mr. Pickersgill, moved,—That an order be made allocating the time on the Committee of the Whole stage and all remaining stages of procedure on Bill C-243, An Act to amend the National Defence Act and other Acts in consequence thereof (as amended), being Government Order No. 107 on the Order Paper, and that the motion will provide,

That two days shall be allocated for the completion of discussion on the Committee of the Whole stage on Bill C-243, An Act to amend the National Defence Act and other Acts in consequence thereof (as amended), and that one day shall be allotted for the completion of the third reading stage on the Bill.

Whereupon the honourable Member for Winnipeg South Centre (Mr. Churchill) raised a point of order to the effect that the notice of motion should have been printed on the Order Paper.

RULING BY MR. SPEAKER

Mr. SPEAKER: In so far as the point raised by the honourable Member for Winnipeg South Centre is concerned, I have been giving some thought to this problem which I thought might be raised. I believe that Standing Order 41 is irrelevant. Standing Order 41 reads: "Forty-eight hours notice shall be given of a motion for leave to present a bill, resolution or address, for the appointment of any committee, or for placing a question on the Order Paper; but this rule shall not apply to bills after their introduction—"

I will not read the whole of the Standing Order. We should remember that the provisional Standing Order suspends the provisions of Standing Order 41. Section (5) of Standing Order 15A not only dispenses with the requirement for 48 hours' notice with respect to a motion for time allocation but it also renders