

a measure to amend the Canada Elections Act to prevent to a further degree the disenfranchisement of numerous citizens who are absent from their residence areas on polling days, and to prevent the Armed Services being singled out as the only professional group whose political choices are made public, by mingling Armed Service ballots with other absentee ballots, and, for those purposes:

(a) to entitle an elector to vote on polling day for the candidate of his choice who is nominated in his Electoral District, by casting his vote in a polling station or Electoral District other than his own, using an absentee ballot;

(b) to provide that Armed Services ballots shall henceforth be called absentee ballots and be counted simultaneously with other absentee ballots without, however, altering the present method of balloting by the Armed Services;

(c) to provide further that members of the Public Services of Canada and their dependents stationed abroad shall be enabled to cast absentee ballots in the manner prescribed for the Armed Services.—(*Notice of Motion No. 20*)

And debate arising thereon;

Mr. Cobbe, seconded by Mr. Goode, moved,—That the motion be deemed to have been withdrawn and that the subject-matter thereof stand referred to the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections.

And the question being put on the said motion, it was agreed to.

The hour for Private Members' Business expired.

The Order being read for the second reading and reference to the Standing Committee on Indian Affairs and Northern Development of Bill C-153, An Act to amend the Historic Sites and Monuments Act.

Mr. Chrétien, seconded by Mr. Macdonald (Rosedale), moved,—That the said bill be now read a second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Indian Affairs and Northern Development.

After debate thereon, the question being put on the said motion, it was agreed to.

Accordingly, the said bill was read the second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Indian Affairs and Northern Development.

The House resumed debate on the motion of Mr. Basford, seconded by Mr. Marchand (Langelier),—That Bill C-102, An Act to amend the Patent Act, the Trade Marks Act and the Food and Drugs Act, be now read a second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Health, Welfare and Social Affairs.

And debate continuing;

*(Proceedings on Adjournment Motion)*

At 10.03 o'clock p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 40(1);

After debate the said question was deemed to have been adopted.