That twenty-four Members of the House of Commons to be designated by the House at a later date, be members of the Joint Committee, and that Standing Order 67(1) of the House of Commons be suspended in relation thereto;

That the said Committee have power to call for persons, papers and records and examine witnesses; and to report from time to time and to print such papers and evidence from day to day as may be ordered by the Committee and that Standing Order 66 be suspended in relation thereto; and that a Message be sent to the Senate requesting that House to unite with this House for the above purpose, and to select, if the Senate deems it advisable, some of its members to act on the proposed Joint Committee.

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

The Order being read for the second reading of Bill C-83, An Act to amend the Northwest Territories Act and to rename the said Territories, and to effect certain consequential changes in the Statute Law with respect thereto;

Mr. Laing, seconded by Mr. Pickersgill, moved,—That the said Bill be now read a second time.

And debate arising thereon and continuing; the said debate was adjourned.

By unanimous consent, the House reverted to "Motions".

On motion of Mr. Walker, seconded by Mr. Rinfret, it was ordered,—That the name of Mr. Rochon be substituted for that of Mr. Sauvé on the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections.

On motion of Mr. Walker, seconded by Mr. Rinfret, it was ordered,— That the name of Mr. Plourde be substituted for that of Mr. Groos on the Special Committee on Defence.

[At 5.00 o'clock p.m., Private Members' Business was called pursuant to Standing Order 15(3)]

(Public Bills)

The Order being read for the second reading of Bill C-10, An Act to amend the Interest Act;

Mr. Knowles for Mr. Orlikow, seconded by Mr. Howard, moved,—That the said bill be now read a second time.

And the question being proposed;

Mr. MacNaught, seconded by Mr. McIlraith, moved in amendment thereto, —That the said bill be not now read a second time but that the subject-matter thereof be referred to the Joint Committee on Consumer Credit.

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

Accordingly, the said bill was not read a second time but the subject-matter thereof was referred to the Joint Committee on Consumer Credit, and a Message was sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours thereof.