

*Redistribution*

**Mr. Murphy:** As I understand it, Hibbert goes into Huron.

**Mr. Harris (Grey-Bruce):** That is right. The motion is that Perth shall consist of the county of Perth, excepting therefrom the township of Hibbert, etc.

Amendment agreed to.

Paragraph as amended agreed to.

On paragraph 49—Peterborough West.

**Mr. Fraser:** I would like to see the deletion of "West" from this constituency name, so it would be named Peterborough.

**Mr. Harris (Grey-Bruce):** That would be satisfactory.

**Mr. Fraser:** Then I move that the word "West" be deleted from the name of this constituency.

Amendment agreed to.

Paragraph as amended agreed to.

Paragraph 50, Port Arthur, agreed to.

Paragraph 51, Prince Edward-Lennox, agreed to.

Paragraph 52, Renfrew North, agreed to.

On paragraph 53—Renfrew South.

**Mr. McIlraith:** I move:

That the word "Nipissing" be deleted where it appears in the second to last line of this paragraph, and that the word "Renfrew" be substituted therefor.

This is a printer's error.

Amendment agreed to.

Paragraph as amended agreed to.

On paragraph 54—Russell.

**Mr. McIlraith:** Mr. Chairman, I move:

That the schedule be amended with respect to item 54 (Russell) by adding in brackets at the end thereof the words "excluding therefrom the village of Rockcliffe Park."

Amendment agreed to.

Paragraph as amended agreed to.

Paragraph 55, Simcoe East, agreed to.

Paragraph 56, Simcoe North, agreed to.

Paragraph 57, Stormont, agreed to.

Paragraph 58, Sudbury, agreed to.

Paragraph 59, Timiskaming, agreed to.

Paragraph 60, Timmins, agreed to.

Paragraph 61, Victoria, agreed to.

Paragraph 62, Waterloo North, agreed to.

Paragraph 63, Waterloo South, agreed to.

Paragraph 64, Welland, agreed to.

On paragraph 65—Wellington North.

**Mr. McIlraith:** I move:

That the schedule be amended with respect to item 65 (Wellington North) to read "Wellington-Huron consisting of that part of the county of Wellington contained in the townships of Arthur, Garafraxa West, Maryborough, Minto, Nichol, Peel and West Luther, including the towns of Mount Forest and Palmerston, and that part of the county of Huron contained in the townships of Howick, Turnberry, and the town of Wingham".

**The Chairman:** Shall the amendment carry?

**Mr. Murphy:** On division.

Amendment agreed to.

**Mr. Darroch:** Mr. Chairman, as a little man from what was described this afternoon as a little riding, and who has taken up little time of the house, I wish to say a few words with respect to this constituency.

Let me state quite emphatically, after listening to suggestions as to what had taken place in Ontario caucuses that I never was in an Ontario Liberal caucus where redistribution was discussed. I would also bear out what was said by the hon. member for Ottawa West, that any time we did discuss this matter we were the only persons in his office. There have been some hints that what was said by the hon. member was not correct, and I wish to state at once that so far as I am concerned his statement was correct.

The problem confronting the committee in connection with this riding was that they had to consider the county of Huron with 49,280, Perth with 52,434 and Wellington with 66,930. I have no illusions whatsoever as to what would have happened to these counties if the redistribution had been carried out by a commission.

I have listened with interest to the many able speeches regarding having this work done by a commission, and perhaps what I shall now say will be somewhat out of order. I take this opportunity, however, to trespass slightly on the rules to the extent of commenting briefly on the speeches of the leader of the opposition and those of the distinguished and eloquent members from Eglinton and Greenwood, as well as their junior partner, the hon. member for Broadview. When they were speaking I could not help wondering what effect this bill would have on the activities of the premier of Ontario when the next redistribution in that province takes place.

**Mr. Murphy:** What has that to do with it?

**Mr. Darroch:** I listened with interest to what was said by my good friend and neighbour the hon. member for Huron North, and with nearly everything he said I am in complete