

RAILWAYS BILL

FIRST READING

Hon. Mr. Brunt presented Bill S-1, relating to railways.

Bill read first time.

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE

CONSIDERATION ON MAY 21

On motion of Hon. Mr. Brunt, seconded by Hon. Mr. Pearson, it was ordered that the speech of His Excellency the Governor General be taken into consideration on Wednesday, May 21.

COMMITTEE ON ORDERS AND PRIVILEGES

APPOINTMENT

Hon. Mr. Brunt, with leave of the Senate, moved, seconded by Hon. Mr. Pearson:

That all the senators present during this session be appointed a committee to consider the Orders and Customs of the Senate and Privileges of Parliament, and that the said committee have leave to meet in the Senate chamber when and as often as they please.

Motion agreed to.

COMMITTEE OF SELECTION

APPOINTMENT

Hon. Mr. Brunt, with leave of the Senate, moved, seconded by Hon. Mr. Pearson:

That pursuant to Rule 77, the following senators, to wit: the Honourable Senators Aseltine, Beaubien, Brunt, Haig, Macdonald, Monette, Quinn, Taylor (Norfolk), Vaillancourt and White be appointed a Committee of Selection to nominate senators to serve on the several Standing Committees during the present session; and to report with all convenient speed the names of the senators so nominated.

Motion agreed to.

The Senate adjourned until tomorrow at 3 p.m.