

**THOMPSON RIVER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY—SENATE AMENDMENTS—*Con.***

*Henderson, David* (Halton)—7967.

Not had time to consider them—7967. Bill should stand over—7968.

*Laurier, Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid* (Prime Minister)—7967.

Suggests postponement till Monday—7967. Mr. Gallihier within his rights—7968.

*Sproule, T. S.* (East Grey)—7966.

Had no opportunity to examine changes—7966. Time should be given for consideration—7967. Going it blind to pass Bill in this way—7968.

**THOROLD AND LAKE ERIE RAILWAY COMPANY.**

Motion for leave to present a petition for a Bill to amend Bill (61) of this session respecting the Thorold and Lake Erie Railway Company—Mr. German—5839. Motion agreed to—5839.

*Fitzpatrick, Hon. Charles* (Minister of Justice)—5839.

Send petition to Standing Orders Committee—5839.

*German, W. M.* (Welland)—5839.

Bill intended to correct clerical errors, only proper way—5839.

*Sproule, T. S.* (East Grey)—5839.

Suggests amendment without new Bill—5839.

Motion to suspend all rules in regard to a Bill to amend an Act of this present session regarding the Thorold and Lake Erie Railway Company—Mr. German (Welland)—6147. Motion agreed to as far as first reading, and Bill introduced and read a first time—6148.

Premier moves reference to Standing Orders Committee—6148.

*German, W. M.* (Welland)—6147.

Unfortunately clerical errors occurred in Bill—6147. Necessary to correct them—6148.

*Laurier, Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid* (Prime Minister)—6147.

Explain—6147. Entitled to first reading, but not wise to suspend beyond that, private interests may be affected; moves reference to Standing Orders—6148.

Motion, in accordance with recommendation of Standing Orders Committee, that all rules be suspended in reference to Bill (150) to amend the Act of this session to incorporate the Thorold and Lake Erie Railway Company, and that the Bill be placed on Order paper—Mr. A. Wright—6786. Motion agreed to—6786.

**TICKET-OF-LEAVE SYSTEM.**

On motion of Mr. Monk (Jacques Cartier), for a return of all prisoners liberated, since May 1, 1903—3766. Agreed to—3768.

*Fitzpatrick, Hon. Charles* (Minister of Justice)—3766.

Objects to giving names, or confidential matter for general publication—3766. Mr. Monk's request reasonable—3768.

*Hughes, Sam.* (North Victoria)—3768.

Danger of Star-chamber system if names are not given—3768.

*Monk, F. D.* (Jacques Cartier)—3766

Moves for return; did not ask for names—3766. House has right to know reasons for releases; asks no confidential communication—3767. Only wants statistical information—3768.

**TIMAGAMI RAILWAY COMPANY.**

Bill taken in committee, reported, read a third time and passed—3758.

*Hyman, Hon. Charles S.* (Acting Minister of Public Works)—3758.

Assignment of gentlemen's interest was presented to committee and placed on file—3758.

*McCool, C. A.* (Nipissing)—3758.

Assignment of both gentlemen presented to Railway Committee—3758.

*Sproule, T. S.* (East Grey)—3758.

Has been told that two directors, whose names were removed, were not consenting parties—3758.

**TOBACCO COMMISSION.**

Motion that Judge MacTavish's report as Tobacco Commissioner be printed forthwith—Mr. Monk (Jacques Cartier). Asked to suspend till Minister of Justice is present. Motion withheld—7436.

Motion for report and evidence of Tobacco Commission to be printed at once—Mr. Monk (Jacques Cartier)—7542. Motion agreed to—7542.

*Laurier, Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid* (Prime Minister)—7542.

Order to print report given; evidence very voluminous and printing will be expensive—7542.

*Monk, F. D.* (Jacques Cartier)—7542.

Motion, which includes evidence, not much use without—7542.

**TOBACCO INDUSTRY.**

On motion to go into Supply—Mr. Fielding (Minister of Finance)—Mr. Monk (Jacques Cartier) moves an amendment 'that the government has not given the tobacco industry of Canada the protection and en-