BANKING AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE NOTICE OF MEETING

On the motion to adjourn:

Hon. Mr. Macdonald: Honourable senators, before moving the adjournment of the house may I point out that although many of us have been in session almost continuously since 10.30 this morning, a meeting of the Banking and Commerce Committe is scheduled for 8 o'clock this evening. Our time may be almost fully occupied until then, for another meeting is to be held at 6 o'clock. However, in spite of all our engagements the chairman of the Banking and Commerce Committee (Hon. Mr. Hayden) would like to proceed with his meeting at 8 o'clock.

Hon. Mr. Haig: Honourable senators, we all want to get through our business as soon as possible and we have worked pretty hard today. Could we not agree to dispose of one bill in the Banking and Commerce Committee tonight and deal with the other one tomorrow morning at 10.30?

Hon. Mr. Macdonald: That would be a matter for the committee to decide.

Hon. Mr. Haig: The committee would want direction from the honourable gentleman and from this house.

Hon. Mr. Macdonald: It would be difficult for me to be at the meeting when it commences its sitting at 8 o'clock, but I shall speak to the chairman of the committee about it.

Hon. Mr. Haig: We shall be there at 8 o'clock.

The Senate adjourned until tomorrow at 3 p.m.