

Mr. Fournier (Hull) for Mr. McCann moved,—That the House do go into Committee of the Whole at the next sitting of the House to consider the following proposed Resolution:—

That it is expedient to introduce a measure to amend The Canadian Broadcasting Act, 1936, to increase the number of governors from nine to eleven and to provide for their tenure of office; to provide for benefits from the pension fund for members of the Corporation engaged full-time in the business of the Corporation and their dependents; and to provide further that the Minister of Finance may grant to the Corporation out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund the sum of four million, seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars in the fiscal year that began on the first day of April, nineteen hundred and fifty-one, and the sum of six million, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in each of the four next following fiscal years.

Whereupon, Mr. Fournier (Hull), a Member of the King's Privy Council, informed the House, That His Excellency the Governor General, having been informed of the subject-matter of the said proposed Resolution, recommends it to the House.

Resolved, That the House do go into Committee of the Whole, at the next sitting of the House, to consider the said proposed Resolution.

The House then resumed the adjourned Debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Garson: Resolved, That a joint committee of both Houses of Parliament be appointed to consider the Interim Report of the committee appointed to study Combines Legislation, tabled in the House of Commons Friday, October 12, 1951; and to consider appropriate amendments to the Combines Investigation Act based thereon.

That twenty-six Members of the House of Commons, to be designated by the House at a later date, be Members of the joint committee on the part of this House, and that Standing Order 65 of the House of Commons be suspended in relation thereto;

That the said committee have power to appoint, from among its Members, such sub-committees as may be deemed advisable or necessary; to call for persons, papers and records; to examine witnesses under oath; to sit while the House is sitting, and to report from time to time;

That the said committee have power to print such papers and evidence from day to day as may be ordered by the committee for the use of the committee and of Parliament, and that Standing Order 64 of the House of Commons 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 advisable, some of its Members to act on the said proposed joint committee.

After still further Debate; the question being put on the said motion, it was agreed to, on division.

At ten o'clock, p.m., Mr. Speaker adjourned the House without question put, until tomorrow at 2.30 o'clocks, p.m., pursuant to Special Order made Friday, November 2, 1951.