Mr. Roche, seconded by Mr. Holmes, moved,—That, in the opinion of this House, the government should consider a comprehensive plan of decentralization, as envisioned by the Special Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Commons on the Constitution of Canada, with special emphasis on (a) the constitutional division powers (b) decentralizing the decision-making process within federal government departments (c) improved intergovernmental relations.—(Notice of Motion No. 37).

And debate arising thereon;

The Hour for Private Members' Business expired.

Debate was resumed on the motion of Mr. Lalonde, seconded by Mr. Macdonald (Rosedale),—That Bill S-31, An Act to amend the Quarantine Act, be now read a second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Health, Welfare and Social Affairs.

After further debate, the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

Accordingly, the Bill was read the second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Health, Welfare and Social Affairs.

The Order being read for the consideration of amendments made by the Senate to Bill C-71, An Act to amend the Criminal Code and to make related amendments to the Crown Liability Act, the Immigration Act and the Parole Act;

Mr. Mackasey for Mr. Basford, seconded by Mr. Andras (Port Arthur), moved,—That the amendments be now read a second time and concurred in.

After debate thereon, the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

Accordingly, the amendments were read the second time and concurred in.

The House resumed consideration on the motion of Mr. Whelan, seconded by Mr. Sharp,—That the amendment made by the Senate to amendments made by the House of Commons to Bill S-10, An Act to amend the Feeds Act, be now read a second time and concurred in.

After debate thereon, the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

Accordingly, the amendment was read the second time and concurred in.

The House resumed debate on the motion of Mr. Basford, seconded by Mr. Allmand,—That Bill C-83, An Act for the better protection of Canadian society against perpetrators of violent and other crime, be now read a second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs.

And on the motion of Mr. Woolliams, seconded by Mr. MacLean, in amendment thereto,—That all the words after "That" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"Bill C-83, An Act for the better protection of Canadian society against perpetrators of violent and other crime, be not now read a second time but that the subjectmatter thereof be referred to the Standing Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs.".

And debate continuing;

(Proceedings on Adjournment Motion)

At 10.00 o'clock p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 40(1);

After debate, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

Changes in Committee Membership

Notice having been filed with the Clerk of the House pursuant to Standing Order 65(4)(b), membership of Committees was amended as follows:

Mr. Hopkins for Mr. Ethier on the Standing Committee on National Resources and Public Works.

Mr. Douglas (Bruce-Grey) for Mrs. Holt on the Standing Committee on Transport and Communications.

Returns and Reports Deposited with the Clerk of the House

The following paper having been deposited with the Clerk of the House was laid upon the Table pursuant to Standing Order 41(1), namely:

Twenty-seventh Report of the Clerk of Petitions, pursuant to Standing Order 67(7):

The Clerk of Petitions has the honour to report that the petition of the following, presented on Friday, March 26, 1976, meets the requirements of Standing Order 67:

United Grain Growers Limited, of the City of Winnipeg, Manitoba, praying for the passing of an Act amending its Act of Incorporation to increase the capital stock of the company, and for other purposes.—Mr. McIsaac.

At 10.29 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned until tomorrow at 2.00 o'clock p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 2(1).