

MOTIONS

For Wednesday, 13th February, 1935

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

5th February—That he will move the following Resolution:—

That in the opinion of this House, should Canada ever again be at war with one or more nations she shall wage it with every ounce of her strength in man and material power;

That the declaration of war or the beginning of hostilities shall be followed immediately by the mobilization and the conscription of all the human power and all the material wealth of the nation;

That a War Council representing all the provinces and the Government shall be formed and shall have supreme control of all war activities and orders;

That said Council shall have the power to assign every man and woman in Canada to whatever position it thinks they are best qualified to fill, but making as few changes as possible in the daily occupations of the people;

That the wages, salary or income for personal use or retention of no person in the Dominion from the Governor General down, including the officers of the Army, shall be greater than the pay of the common soldier in the field, plus a reasonable amount for dependents;

That no money be borrowed or debts incurred for the prosecution of the war, or for demobilization;

That all the expenses of the war and of demobilization shall be met by taxation and capital levies, so that at the end of the war and of demobilization the debt of the country would be no larger than it was at the beginning of the war.

No. 2.

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, P. C.:—

12th February—That it is expedient that Parliament do approve of the Convention concerning Seamen's Articles of Agreement adopted as a Draft Convention by the General Conference of the International Labour Organization of the League of Nations at its Ninth Session in Geneva on the 24th day of June, 1926, reading as follows:—

CONVENTION CONCERNING SEAMEN'S ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

The General Conference of the International Labour Organization of the League of Nations,

Having been convened at Geneva by the Governing Body of the International Labour Office, and having met in its Ninth Session on 7 June 1926, and

Having decided upon the adoption of certain proposals with regard to seaman's articles of agreement, which is included in the first item of the agenda of the Session, and

Having determined that these proposals shall take the form of a draft international convention,

adopts, this twenty-fourth day of June of the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, the following Draft Convention for ratification by the Members of the International Labour Organization, in accordance with the provisions of Part XIII of the Treaty of Versailles and of the corresponding Parts of the other Treaties of Peace: