

And also,—Return to an Order of the House of March 31, 1941, for a Return showing:—

1. Were tenders called for the construction work at the airfield at Boundary Bay, British Columbia?
2. If not, how was the work done?
3. If the work was done by contract, (a) who was the successful tenderer; (b) what was the total cost of the work?
4. If more than one contract, (a) who was the contractor in each case; (b) what was the total price of each contract?

Mr. Ilesley, a Member of the King's Privy Council, laid before the House,—Third Annual Report on the operation of the Municipal Improvements Assistance Act, 1938—Statutes of Canada, 1938, Chapter 33, Section 10, for the year ended December 31, 1940.

The House resolved itself again into Committee of Supply.

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

A Message was received from the Right Honourable Sir Lyman P. Duff, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, desiring the immediate attendance of the House in the Senate Chamber.

Accordingly Mr. Speaker with the House went to the Senate Chamber; and being returned;

Mr. Speaker reported that His Honour the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General had been pleased to give, in His Majesty's name, the Royal Assent to the following Bills:—

- An Act to authorize an Agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of the City of Ottawa.
- An Act to amend the Meat and Canned Foods Act. (Fish and Shellfish).
- An Act to amend the Precious Metals Marking Act.
- An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways.
- An Act to amend The Trans-Canada Air Lines Act, 1937.

And that to these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills."

And that the Honourable the Speaker of the Commons had then addressed the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General as follows:—

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service:

"In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bills:—

"An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1942."

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