

An Act for the relief of Vera Venning Prestt.

An Act for the relief of Katherine Scott Thacher.

An Act for the relief of Elias Shapiro.

An Act for the relief of Fannie Rubin Segal.

An Act for the relief of Doris Mae Sangster Webster.

An Act for the relief of Charles Joseph Wilfrid Rousseau.

An Act for the relief of Jean Sylvia Murley.

An Act for the relief of Gertrude Mantha Hore.

An Act for the relief of Claire MacLaren Hunter Barlow.

An Act for the relief of Mary Constance Helena Keys Bates.

An Act for the relief of Margaret Anne Richards Johnstone.

An Act for the relief of John Whitehead Casement.

An Act for the relief of Elaine Alice McCormick Desrosiers.

An Act for the relief of Marion Mathilda Heversage Jost Hooper.

An Act for the relief of Phyllis Beatrice Barnett Woodham.

An Act for the relief of Ethel Wendman Lebenstein.

An Act for the relief of John Preble Macintosh.

An Act for the relief of Sonia Libenstein Kolber.

An Act for the relief of Gilberte Piché Ouimet.

An Act for the relief of Irene Maud Pardellian Wright.

An Act for the relief of May Gertrude Russell McCarthy.

An Act for the relief of Geraldine Charlotte Wrangel.

An Act for the relief of Anne Marie Garon Brown.

An Act for the relief of Theodore Panos.

An Act for the relief of Glendon Malcolm Robert MacCallum.

An Act for the relief of Pierre Henri Honoré Paré.

An Act for the relief of Beatrice Belodubrofsky Schiller.

An Act for the relief of Léo Guay.

An Act to incorporate Montreal Shriners' Hospital Foundation.

An Act to incorporate Canadian Alliance Insurance Company.

An Act respecting The Canada North-West Land Company Limited.

An Act to incorporate the Ukrainian Fraternal Society of Canada.

An Act to incorporate The Felician Sisters of Winnipeg.

An Act to incorporate Bethel Full Gospel Assembly.

An Act to amend The Federal District Commission Act, 1927.

An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways.

The British Columbia Indian Reserves Mineral Resources Act.

An Act to amend the Department of National Revenue Act.

An Act respecting a certain Tax Convention and Protocol between Canada and the United States of America, signed at Washington, in the United States of America, on the 4th day of March, 1942.

An Act to Confirm the Transfer of certain Lands to Ontario and Quebec.

An Act to amend the Exchequer Court Act.

Hon. Mr. SPEAKER.

An Act to authorize the provision of moneys to meet certain capital expenditures made and capital indebtedness incurred by the Canadian National Railways System during the calendar year 1943, and to authorize the guarantee by His Majesty of certain securities to be issued by the Canadian National Railway Company.

An Act to repeal the Japanese Treaty Act, 1913.

An Act to amend the Canada Evidence Act.

An Act to amend the Criminal Code.

An Act to facilitate compromises and Arrangements between insolvent Farmers and their Creditors.

An Act to amend The Unemployment Insurance Act, 1940.

An Act to establish a National Council for the purpose of promoting Physical Fitness.

An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security.

An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1944.

The House of Commons withdrew.

The Right Honourable the Deputy of the Governor General was pleased to retire.

The sitting of the Senate was resumed.

The Senate adjourned until Wednesday, January 26, 1944, at 3 p.m.

THE SENATE

Wednesday, January 26, 1944.

The Senate met at 2.30 p.m., the Speaker in the Chair.

Prayers and routine proceedings.

PROROGATION OF PARLIAMENT

The Honourable the SPEAKER informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General, acquainting him that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, would proceed to the Senate Chamber this day at 3 p.m. for the purpose of proroguing the present session of Parliament.

NEW SENATOR INTRODUCED

Hon. John Frederick Johnston, of Bladworth, Saskatchewan, introduced by Hon. J. H. King and Hon. J. J. Stevenson.

ADDRESS OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ON PARLIAMENTARY HILL

MOTION TO INCLUDE IN OFFICIAL REPORT OF DEBATES

Hon. J. H. KING: Honourable senators, with the leave of the Senate, I move, seconded by