

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, February 14, 1962.

The Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines met at 6.00 p.m. this day for organization purposes.

Members present: Messrs. Badanai, Benidickson, Bourque, Browne (*Vancouver-Kingsway*), Cadieu, Creaghan, Crouse, Drysdale, Dumas, Grills, Howe, Kennedy, MacInnis, McBain, McDonald (*Hamilton South*), McFarlane, Pascoe, Payne, Pitman, Rapp, Rynard, Simpson, Smith (*Simcoe North*), Tucker (24).

The Clerk attending and having called for nominations, Mr. Badanai moved, seconded by Mr. Crouse, that Mr. Howe be elected Chairman of the Committee.

There being no further nominations, Mr. Howe was declared duly elected as Chairman.

The Chairman thanked the Committee for the honour conferred on him.

On motion of Mr. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. Pascoe,

Resolved,—That Mr. Keays be Vice-Chairman of the Committee.

On motion of Mr. Smith (*Simcoe North*), seconded by Mr. McDonald (*Hamilton South*),

Resolved,—That a sub-committee on Agenda and Procedure comprised of the Chairman and six other members designated by him be appointed.

On motion of Mr. Bourque, seconded by Mr. McBain,

Resolved,—That the Committee recommend to the House that it be empowered to print such papers and evidence as may be ordered by the Committee.

On motion of Mr. Rapp, seconded by Mr. McDonald (*Hamilton South*),

Resolved,—That the Committee seek permission to reduce its quorum from 20 to 15 members.

On motion of Mr. Drysdale, seconded by Mr. Rynard,

Resolved,—That the Committee seek permission to sit while the House is sitting.

The Clerk read the Committee's Orders of Reference.

The Chairman announced that the Committee would consider Bills C-48 and C-63 tomorrow morning, at 9.30 a.m.

At 6.15 p.m., the Committee adjourned until 9.30 a.m. Thursday, February 15.

THURSDAY, February 15, 1962.

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The Standing Committee on Railways, Canals and Telegraph Lines met at 9.30 a.m. this day. The Chairman, Mr. W. M. Howe, presided.

Members present: Messrs. Badanai, Baldwin, Benidickson, Brassard (*Chicoutimi*), Brassard (*Lapointe*), Browne (*Vancouver-Kingsway*), Cadieu,