THE SENATE

Wednesday, June 25, 1969

The Senate met at 2 p.m., the Speaker in the Chair.

Prayers.

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE

The Hon. the Speaker: Honourable senators, I have the honour to present a report from the Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament recommending that the House of Commons reading room be designated the Parliamentary Reading Room, that section 10 of the regulations of the Library of Parliament be so amended, and that the regulations of the Library of Parliament be further amended as set forth in the said report. The regulations so amended are submitted for approval.

The Clerk Assistant (Reading): The Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament—

Hon. Senators: Dispense.

The Hon. the Speaker: Honourable senators when shall this report be taken into consideration?

Hon. Leopold Langlois: Honourable senators, I move that this report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting.

Motion agreed to.

(For text of report, see Minutes of the Proceedings of the Senate of this day.)

DOCUMENTS TABLED

Hon. Leopold Langlois tabled:

Report by the Tariff Board, dated March 21, 1969, relative to the Investigation ordered by the Minister of Finance respecting Binder Twine and Twine for Baling Farm Produce, Reference No. 142 (English and French texts), together with a copy of the transcript of the evidence presented at public hearings (English text), pursuant to section 6 of the Tariff Board Act, chapter 86, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French texts).

Report of the Dominion Coal Board for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1969, pursuant to section 15 of the Dominion Coal Board Act, chapter 86, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French texts).

Report of operations under the Coal Production Assistance Act for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1969, pursuant to section 9 of the said Act, chapter 173, R.S.C., 1952, as amended 1959. (English and French texts).

Order in Council P.C. 1969-1110, dated May 29, 1969, authorizing, under section 21A of the Export Credits Insurance Act, long-term financing by the Export Credits Insurance Corporation to Ferrocarril del Pacifico, S.A. de C.V., Guadalajara, Jal., Mexico, for the purchase of rails from Sydney Steel Corporation, Sydney, Nova Scotia, pursuant to section 21B of the said Act, chapter 105, R.S.C., 1952, as amended 1960-61. (English and French texts).

Order in Council P.C. 1969-1111, dated May 29, 1969, authorizing, under section 21A of the Export Credits Insurance Act, long-term financing by the Export Credits Insurance Corporation to Ferrocarriles Nacionales de Mexico, Mexico City, for the purchase of rails and tie plates from Sydney Steel Corporation, Sydney, Nova Scotia, pursuant to section 21B of the said Act, chapter 105, R.S.C., 1952, as amended 1960-61. (English and French texts).

Revised estimates for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1970. (English and French texts).

Report of Atomic Energy of Canada Limited, including its Accounts and Financial Statements certified by the Auditor General, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1969, pursuant to sections 85(3) and 87(3) of the Financial Administration Act, chapter 116, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French texts).

Copies of a Booklet entitled "Federal-Provincial Grants and the Spending Power of Parliament", a Government of Canada Working Paper on the Constitution submitted to the Constitutional Conference on June 11, 1969. (English and French texts).

Copies of a Booklet entitled "The Taxing Powers and the Constitution of Canada", a Government of Canada Working Paper on the Constitution submitted to the Constitutional Conference on June 11, 1969. (English and French texts).

Report of the Agricultural Stabilization Board for the fiscal year ended March 31,