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that we have, of course, throughout our life, the qualities of our faults and the faults of our qualities.

However, before concluding my remarks I should like to say that I fully support that reduction by which our young people may be able to play a leading role and contribute to the common weal. I might undoubtedly take inspiration from that thought of Jean-Charles Harvey, and I should have liked to be able to emphasize a little the problems facing our young people in Quebec today as well as the part they want to play.

I think that we must take as a pattern a constructive dialogue so that the Quebec young people may associate themselves to those of other provinces, on a federal level, so that we may work closely with all the classes of our society.

We must hope for this, and young people today should meditate on this question. A great man once said that political genius, like any other, really consists in making rational use of the genius of others.

I believe in the intelligence of our youth. I am sure that, together with Canadians of every social class, our young people will find inspiration in Man and his World and build a future in which liberty, unity and fraternity

will reign, in a new world, in a strong and better Canada.

[English]

Mr. Knowles: Question.

Mr. Grant Deachman (Vancouver Quadra): Mr. Speaker, in the moment before six o'clock I wonder whether I may have the unanimous consent of the house to send the subject matter of this bill to the committee on privileges and elections where it can receive further study. If I have that consent I should like to move:

That the motion for second reading of Bill C-5, an act to amend the Canada Elections Act (Age of Voters) be deemed to have been withdrawn, and that the subject matter of the said bill be referred to the standing committee on privileges and elections.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Is it the pleasure of the house to adopt the said motion?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion agreed to.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: The hour for consideration of private members' business has expired.

At six o'clock the house adjourned, without question put, pursuant to standing order.