

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

THURSDAY, March 14, 1968.

Ordered,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that Messrs. Aiken, Allmand, Dionne, Fulton, Lachance, Matheson, McQuaid, Prud'homme, Ricard, Rochon, Stafford, Tolmie, Watson (*Châteauquay-Huntingdon-Laprairie*), Woolliams and Winch have been appointed to serve on behalf of this House on the Special Joint Committee on Penitentiaries which was established on February 1, 1968.

Attest.

ALISTAIR FRASER,
The Clerk of the House of Commons.

Ordered, That the Message do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Connolly, P.C., laid on the Table the following:—

Report of Polymer Corporation Limited, including its Accounts and Financial Statement certified by the Auditor General, for the year ended December 31, 1967, pursuant to sections 85(3) and 87(3) of the *Financial Administration Act*, Chapter 116, R.S.C., 1952. (English and French texts).

Report, dated February 5, 1968, of the Honourable Mr. Justice W. G. Morrow on the Inquiry respecting the Administration of Justice in the Hay River Area of the Northwest Territories. (English and French texts).

Progress Report, dated March 1968, on the Federal Government Program for the Development of Bilingualism. (English and French texts).

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator Langlois moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Cameron, that the Bill C-202, intituled: "An Act to amend the National Housing Act, 1954" be read the third time.

The question being put on the motion, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

The Bill was then read the third time.

The question being put whether this Bill shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill without amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Message from the House of Commons requesting the appointment of a Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Commons to examine the progress and programs of the National Capital Commission in the development, conservation and improvement of the National Capital Region.