Probably much more than the hon, member for Champlain, Mr. Speaker. And I continue:

It it truly regrettable that he is today somehow a victim of circumstances. We accept without reservation his explanation for he enjoys respectable credibility based on a spotless record.

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Furthermore, Mr. Speaker, I would like to add that I came back before the anticipated date at the request of the House Leader of my party because certain bills concerning my department were to be put before the House.

Motion agreed to and the House adjourned at 10.13 p.m.