

## PRAYERS.

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

Copies of Directive respecting the protocol for wearing the insignia of Canadian Orders and Canadian Decorations, together with Order in Council P.C. 1972-1206, dated June 1, 1972, approving same.

Copies of final communiqué issued following the Ministerial Session of the North Atlantic Council, held at Bonn, May 30 and 31, 1972.

Report of operations under the *Farm Improvement Loans Act* for the year ended December 31, 1971, pursuant to section 13 of the said Act, Chapter F-3, R.S.C., 1970.

Report on the administration of the *Small Businesses Loans Act* for the year ended December 31, 1971, pursuant to section 11 of the said Act, Chapter S-10, R.S.C., 1970.

Copies of the Second Report of the Federal-Provincial Committee on Atlantic Region Transportation.

With leave of the Senate,  
The Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Croll:

That the name of the Honourable Senator McIlraith be added to the list of Senators serving on the Standing Senate Committee on Legal and Constitutional Affairs.

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

With leave of the Senate,  
The Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Hayden:

That the name of the Honourable Senator Argue be substituted for that of the Honourable Senator Boucher on the list of Senators serving on the Standing Committee on Standing Rules and Orders.

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

The Honourable Senator McDonald called the attention of the Senate to the NATO Committee Meetings held at Brussels, Belgium, 8th to 12th May, 1972.

Debated.

A motion standing in the name of the Honourable Senator Croll being called,

It was—  
Ordered, That it be postponed until Tuesday next, 20th June, 1972.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Croll calling the attention of the Senate to the Report of the Special Committee of the Senate on Poverty in Canada, tabled in the Senate on Wednesday, 10th November, 1971,

It was—  
Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the consideration of the Final Report of the Special Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Commons on the Constitution of Canada, tabled in the Senate on Thursday, 16th March, 1972,

It was—  
Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Haig, seconded by the Honourable Senator Buckwold:

That the Standing Senate Committee on Health, Welfare and Science be instructed to examine and report upon the efficiency of existing federal legislation in bringing about the settlement of labour-management differences and disputes in areas affecting public services,

It was—  
Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Welch calling the attention of the Senate to the high rate of unemployment and inflation and the way in which they presently affect the economy of Canada.

Debated.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Beaubien calling the attention of the Senate to the dividend tax credit provided for by section 121 of *An Act to amend the Income Tax Act and to make certain provisions and alterations in the statute law related to or consequential upon the amendments to that Act*, Chapter 63, Statutes of Canada, 1970-71-72,

It was—  
Ordered, That it be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called to resume the debate on the consideration of Volume II of the Report of