Eight o'Clock, P.M.

Private Bills under Rule 25.

Mr. Sharpe (Ontario) moved, seconded by Mr. Meighen, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair for the House to go into Committee of the Whole on Private Bills (pursuant to Rule 109);

And the Question being put on the Motion; It was resolved in the Affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly considered in Committee of the Whole the following Bills, viz.:—

Bill respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and

Bill respecting the Imperial Traction Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Blondin reported, That the Committee had gone through the said Bills, and directed him to report the same without any amendment.

He also reported that the Committee had considered the following Bills from the Senate, viz.:—

Bill intituled: "An Act respecting the Southampton Railway Company," and Bill to incorporate the Athabasca and Grande Prairie Railway Company, and directed him to report the same with Amendments.

On motion of Mr. Sharpe (Ontario), seconded by Mr. Barnard,

Ordered, That the Bill respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Bradbury, seconded by Mr. McLean (Queens, P.E.I.),

Ordered, That the Bill respecting the Imperial Traction Company, be now read the third time.

The Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk do carry the Bill to the Senate, and desire their concurrence.

The House proceeded to take into consideration the Amendments made in Committee of the Whole this day, to Bill from the Senate, intituled: "An Act respecting the Southampton Railway Company," and the same were read, as follow:—

Page 1, line 1-Strike out all the words from "Company" in line 1, "to has" in

line 2.

Page 1, line 3—Immediately after "New Brunswick" insert "and that by Chapter 12 of the Statutes of 1911 of New Brunswick it was authorized to enter into the agreement and lease with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, (hereinafter called the Company)" as hereafter provided.

Page 1, line 9—Strike out Clause 1 of the Bill. Page 1, line 11—Strike out "2" and insert '1."

Page 1, line 14—Strike out all the words from "with" in line 14 to "but" in line 16, and insert "the Southampton Railway Company for leasing the railway and undertaking of the Southampton Railway Company, and may lease said railway and undertaking from the Southampton Railway Company."

(In the Title..)

Immediately after the word Company insert "another Canadian Pacific Railway Company."

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