

In the message which went from this House to the other House clause 20 was altered accordingly.

Hon. Mr. MURDOCK: Then the words "cease and desist" remain in the Bill?

Right Hon. Mr. MEIGHEN: No; the honourable member misunderstands me. We have already passed a motion not insisting on our amendment, but in explaining our position I did not move a clause in substitution for clause 20, to bring it into line with other amendments. In the message which we sent to the other House that substitution was made, and the Commons were asked to concur in it.

Hon. Mr. DANDURAND: I was under the impression that the clause would have to be altered to correspond with the amendments.

Hon. Mr. MEIGHEN: Yes, that had to be done.

PROROGATION OF PARLIAMENT

The Hon. the SPEAKER informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Secretary to the Governor General, acquainting him that His Excellency the Governor General would proceed to the Senate Chamber this day at 3.40 p.m. for the purpose of proroguing the present session of Parliament.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

His Excellency the Governor General having come and being seated on the Throne:

The Hon. the SPEAKER commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that: "It is His Excellency the Governor General's pleasure they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

Who being come with their Speaker:

The following Bills were assented to, in His Majesty's name, by His Excellency the Governor General:

BILLS ASSENTED TO

An Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act.
An Act respecting Canadian Marconi Company.

An Act respecting The Sarnia-Port Huron Vehicular Tunnel Company.

An Act for the relief of Dora Eleanor Mathieson Campbell.

An Act to amend The Natural Products Marketing Act, 1934.

An Act to amend The Companies Act, 1934.
An Act respecting Fruit, Vegetables and Honey.

An Act to assist the Construction of Houses.
An Act relating to the application of The Farmers' Creditors Arrangement Act, 1934, in the Province of British Columbia.

An Act for the purpose of establishing in Canada a system of Long Term Mortgage Credit for Fishermen.

An Act respecting the establishment of an Exchange Fund.

An Act respecting the Convention of Commerce between Canada and Poland, signed at Ottawa, July 3, 1935.

An Act to amend the Criminal Code.

An Act respecting Radio Broadcasting.

An Act to provide for limiting the Hours of Work in Industrial Undertakings to eight in the day and forty-eight in the week, in accordance with the Convention concerning the application of the principle of the Eight Hour Day or of the Forty-eight Hour Week adopted by the General Conference of the International Labour Organization of the League of Nations, in accordance with the Labour Part of the Treaty of Versailles of 28th June, 1919.

An Act to amend The Dominion Elections Act, 1934.

An Act to amend the Combines Investigation Act.

An Act to provide for the Constitution and Powers of the Canadian Wheat Board.

An Act to establish a Dominion Trade and Industry Commission.

An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1936.

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THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SPEECH

After which His Excellency the Governor General was pleased to close the Sixth Session of the Seventeenth Parliament of the Dominion of Canada with the following speech:

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

In bringing to a close the last session of the 17th Parliament of Canada I congratulate you upon the extent and importance of your legislative enactments.

My Ministers have for some time been convinced that reforms and adjustments in the existing economic system have become necessary to insure its more effective and equitable operation. Throughout the world there is a new approach on the part of governments to financial and economic problems, and I confidently believe that the Economic Council of Canada, for which you have provided, will in the future become an important factor in the Government service for the correlation of information and scientific investigation.

By the Natural Products Marketing Act, enacted at the last session of Parliament, you provided for investigations into costs, price spreads, trade practices and other matters related to the production, marketing and processing of natural products.

During the present session you have amended that statute and the Combines Investigation Act; the Companies Act and the Criminal Code; and provided for the establishment of a Dominion Trade and Industry Commission. These measures will insure to investors security