

legislation. My mentor in the front seat says this is a motion for a six months' hoist.

**An hon. Member:** Water under the bridge!

**Mr. Gleave:** I think the bill should proceed. There are some features we should try to correct in clause 6. I believe the bill should go to committee and changes ought to be made if possible. I wished to make this statement, Mr. Speaker, before you put the motion.

The House divided on the amendment (Mr. Schumacher) which was negatived on the following division:

● (8:50 p.m.)

YEAS

Messrs:

Alexander	Mazankowski
Alkenbrack	Monteith
Bell	Moore
Bigg	Murta
Cadieu	Nielsen
Code	Ritchie
Crouse	Rodrigue
Downey	Rondeau
Gauthier	Schumacher
Grills	Scott
Horner	Simpson
Laprise	Stewart (Marquette)
McGrath	Thomas (Moncton)
McIntosh	Thompson (Red Deer)
McQuaid	Woolliams—31.
Marshall	

NAYS

Messrs:

Andras	Laniel
Badanai	La Salle
Barnett	Leblanc (Laurier)
Barrett	LeBlanc (Rimouski)
Béchar	Lefebvre
Benson	Lessard (LaSalle)
Blair	Lessard (Lac-Saint-Jean)
Blouin	Loiselle
Boulanger	Macdonald (Rosedale)
Breau	MacEachen
Buchanan	MacGuigan
Burton	MacInnis (Mrs.)
Clermont	Mackasey
Cobbe	McNulty
Comtois	Mahoney
Corbin	Major
Cyr	O'Connell
Deachman	Olson
Deakon	Pepin
Dubé	Perrault
Dupras	Peters
Duquet	Portelance
Forget	Reid
Foster	Roberts
Gibson	Rochon
Gillespie	Roy (Timmins)
Givens	Skoberg
Gleave	Smith (Saint-Jean)
Guay (Saint-Boniface)	St. Pierre
Guilbault	Thomas
Hopkins	(Maisonneuve-
Jamieson	Rosemont)
Kaplan	Thomson
Knowles (Winnipeg	(Battleford-Kindersley)
North Centre)	Trudeau
Lachance	Trudel
Lang (Saskatoon-	Walker
Humboldt)	Whelan
Langlois	Whiting—73.

Division

● (9:40 p.m.)

**Mr. Deputy Speaker:** I declare the amendment lost. The question is now on the main motion. Is the House ready for the question?

**Some hon. Members:** Question.

**Mr. Deputy Speaker:** Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the said motion?

**Some hon. Members:** On division.

Motion agreed to, bill read the second time and referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture.

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PRAIRIE GRAIN STABILIZATION ACT

PROVISION FOR PAYMENTS TO WESTERN CANADA  
PRODUCERS IN YEARS WHEN RECEIPTS BELOW  
FIVE-YEAR AVERAGE

The House resumed, as from Tuesday, May 4, consideration of the point of order on the motion of the minister responsible for the Wheat Board for the second reading and reference to the Standing Committee on Agriculture of Bill C-244, respecting the stabilization of prairie grain sale proceeds and to repeal or amend certain related statutes.

**Mr. Deputy Speaker:** When Bill C-244 was before the House on Tuesday of this week the hon. member for Saskatoon-Biggar (Mr. Gleave) raised a point of order which was taken into consideration by the Chair.

**An hon. Member:** We cannot hear you, Mr. Speaker; the sound system is turned off.

**Mr. Deputy Speaker:** May I indicate to hon. members that I should like to dispose of the point of order raised by the hon. member for Saskatoon-Biggar when Bill C-244 was called for second reading.

**An hon. Member:** We still can't hear you.

**Mr. Deputy Speaker:** When Bill C-244 was called for second reading the hon. member for Saskatoon-Biggar raised a procedural point and urged the Chair to separate the bill on the grounds that the bill, in the words of the hon. member, "carries within it two separate proposals". The hon. member argued that clause 32 provides for a special transitional payment to producers out of the consolidated revenue fund. This payment, he said, would recognize a situation in existence, whereas the rest of the bill deals with a long-term proposal for prairie grain farmers.

The hon. member for Mackenzie (Mr. Korchinski) and other hon. members made the point that the House should not be required to accept the whole bill respecting the stabilization of prairie grain sale proceeds in order to obtain the immediate transitional payment for farmers as provided by clause 32. The hon. member for Winnipeg North Centre (Mr. Knowles) contended that not only clause 32 was involved but that clauses 33 and 34 should also be required, as he put it, "to stand on their own feet".