A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

WEDNESDAY, March 22, 1972.

Ordered,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that the following Members have been appointed to act on behalf of the House of Commons on the Standing Joint Committee on Regulations and other Statutory Instruments, namely: Messrs. Allmand, Béchard, Blair, Brewin, Fairweather, Forest, Gibson, Laprise, Marceau, McCleave, Penner and Schumacher.

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ALISTAIR FRASER,
The Clerk of the House of Commons.

Ordered, That the Message do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator McDonald laid on the Table the following:—

Report of the Canadian Transport Commission for the year ended December 31, 1971, pursuant to section 28(2) of the National Transportation Act, Chapter N-17, R.S.C., 1970.

First research program of the Law Reform Commission of Canada, dated March 1972, pursuant to section 18 of the Law Reform Commission Act, Chapter 23 (1st Supplement), R.S.C., 1970.

Copies of a contract between the Government of Canada and the Rural Municipality of Charleswood in the Province of Manitoba, for the use or employment of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, pursuant to section 20(3) of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act, Chapter R-9, R.S.C., 1970. (English text).

Report on the administration of the Members of Parliament Retiring Allowances Act for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1971, pursuant to section 20 of the said Act, Chapter M-10, as amended by Chapter 43 (1st Supplement), R.S.C., 1970.

Capital Budget of Canadian Arsenals Limited for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1973, pursuant to section 70(2) of the *Financial Administration Act*, Chapter F-10, R.S.C., 1970, together with copy of Order in Council P.C. 1972-341, dated February 24, 1972, approving same.

Capital Budget of the Royal Canadian Mint for the year ending December 31, 1972, pursuant to section 70(2) of the Financial Administration Act, Chapter F-10, R.S.C., 1970, together with Order in Council P.C. 1972-342, dated February 24, 1972, approving same.

The Honourable Senator McDonald for the Honourable Senator Hayden, from the Standing Senate Committee on Banking, Trade and Commerce to which was referred the Bill C-8, intituled: "An Act to authorize the making of certain fiscal payments to provinces, to authorize the entry into tax collection agreements with provinces, and to amend the Established Programs (Interim Arrangements) Act", reported that it had examined the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Denis, P.C., that the Bill be read the third time now.

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

The Bill was then read the third time and passed.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without amendment.

The Honourable Senator Everett, from the Standing Senate Committee on National Finance which was authorized to examine and report upon the expenditures set out in the Supplementary Estimates (B) laid before Parliament for the fiscal year ending the 31st March, 1972, presented to the Senate the Report of the said Committee on the said Supplementary Estimates (B).

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator Everett moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Isnor, that the Report be adopted now.

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

Ordered, That the Report be printed as an Appendix to the Debates of the Senate and to the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Senate of this day and form part of the permanent records of this House.

(See Appendix to the Journals of the Senate of this day at pages 79-86).

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator McDonald moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Smith:

That the name of the Honourable Senator Lapointe be substituted for that of the Honourable Senator Connolly (Ottawa West) on 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.