

Interest Rate Policy

will defeat everything the government wanted to do. The government wanted to bring about energy self-sufficiency by 1990. Let us be honest about it; there is no way that will happen. Hon. members opposite know as well as I do that there is no way we will have oil self-sufficiency by 1990 because of the delay caused by their national energy policy.

● (2140)

There is pressure at the present time in the manufacturing sectors in Quebec and Ontario. Why? Because there is a downturn. The golden goose has nearly been killed because this Liberal government took its arrow, shot it and said, "We want more; we are going to take it over". Hon. members opposite killed the golden goose, and where did it go? It took off.

Mr. Kelly: How can it take off if we killed it?

Mr. Gray: We know what you Conservatives did to the "Arrow".

Mr. Shields: Hon. members opposite know exactly what I am saying, although I may not be able to express it as well or as glibly as some others.

There are small businessmen who are prepared to invest in this Canadian community of ours. Companies are ready to invest in Canada. Literally \$20 billion are waiting to be invested in two major tar sands plants, one at Fort McMurray and one in the Cold Lake area. That would create in the neighbourhood of 60,000 jobs across the country and greater activity in the manufacturing sector in central Canada, thereby creating more jobs. When there are jobs, wage earners can pay taxes. When there are no jobs, they cannot pay taxes, and federal government revenues begin to decrease substantially.

I ask members of the government to consider very carefully the bankrupt policy they are following, and have been following for the past 12 years, with the complete support, through marriage, of the New Democratic Party, whose members now have a holier-than-thou attitude. They are the ones who have kept this government in power for the past 12 years.

The first realistic budget presented to the people of Canada was defeated by members of the Liberal party through their very convenient marriage to the absolutely immoral socialist New Democratic Party.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Parent): Is the House ready for the question?

Some hon. Members: Question.

[*Translation*]

It being 9.45 p.m., it is my duty, pursuant to Section 9 of Standing Order 58, to interrupt the proceedings and put forthwith every question necessary to dispose of the business of supply.

[*English*]

The question is on the amendment. Is it the pleasure of the House to adopt the amendment?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Some hon. Members: No.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Parent): All those in favour of the amendment will please say ye.

Some hon. Members: Yea.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Parent): All those opposed will please say nay.

Some hon. Members: Nay.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Parent): In my opinion the nays have it.

And more than five members having risen:

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Parent): Call in the members.

The House divided on the amendment (Mr. Andre) which was negated on the following division:

● (2150)

(Division No. 61)

YEAS

Messrs.

Andre Baker (Nepean-Carleton)	Gamble Hamilton (Qu'Appelle-Moose Mountain)	McKenzie Munro (Esquimalt-Saanich)
Beatty Bosley Clark (Yellowhead)	Hargrave Howie Huntington Jarvis	Murta Neil Nickerson Oberle Patterson Shields Speyer Stevens Taylor Thomson Towers Vankoughnet Wenman Wise Wright—47.
Clarke (Vancouver Quadra)	Kempling Kilgour Lawrence Lewis MacDonald (Miss)	
Cook Cooper Crouse Dantzer Darling Dick Dinsdale Ellis Fretz	MacKay Malone Mayer McCain	

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Campbell (Cardigan) Chénier Corbin		