

specifically authorized by the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority Act, and to construct, maintain and operate incidental works; to provide the specific authority for the construction of an international bridge; to enable the authority to establish tariffs of tolls with respect to pedestrians or vehicles using highways or bridges under its authority; and to provide further for certain changes in connection with the administration of the Act.

Resolved,—That the House do go into Committee of the Whole at its next sitting to consider the said proposed Resolution.

On motion of Mr. White (Middlesex East), seconded by Mr. Charlton, it was ordered,—That there be laid before this House a copy of all telegrams, correspondence, memoranda and other documents exchanged between the Chief Purchasing Officer, Department of Veterans' Affairs, Daly Building, Ottawa, and dairy firms and all other interested parties, having to do with tenders for milk to be delivered to the Department of Veterans' Affairs, London, Ontario, since August 1st, 1955 to date, and also a copy of all tenders submitted on forms 2 R-LO-64, since August 1st., 1955 to date. (**Notice of Motion No. 27*).

Mr. Herridge, seconded by Mr. Knight, moved,—That, in the opinion of this House, the government should consider the advisability of calling a dominion-provincial conference on conservation, with the view to the establishment of a nation-wide policy on soil, forest and water conservation and land use for Canada.

And a Debate arising thereon;

Mr. Maltais, seconded by Mr. Gauthier (Lac-Saint-Jean), moved in amendment thereto,—That all the words after the word "advisability" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"of taking, in co-operation with the Provinces, the necessary steps to establish a national inventory of the natural resources of the country with a view to permitting the Federal Government to grant the maximum assistance within its jurisdiction to the various Provinces on soil, forest, land and water conservation."

And a Debate arising thereon; the said Debate was interrupted at ten o'clock.

Returns and Reports Deposited with the Clerk of the House

The following paper having been deposited with the Clerk of the House was laid upon the Table pursuant to Standing Order 40, namely:

By the Clerk of the House,—Thirteenth Report of the Clerk of Petitions, pursuant to Standing Order 70(7), as follows:

The Clerk of Petitions has the honour to report that the petitions of the following, presented on February 24, meet the requirements of Standing Order 70:

Robert Ellis Morrow and four others of Montreal, Quebec, for an Act to incorporate Grand Falls Central Railway Company Limited.—*Mr. Ashbourne.*