made any direct representations to them. I would also ask whether there have been any similar contacts with the province of Saskatchewan. When this legislation was in the resolution stage discussions were held in connection with the South Saskatchewan dam, irrigation and control of flooding in the province of Saskatchewan. I would like to have a statement from the minister.

Mr. MacInnis: Mr. Chairman, I think this is too important a measure to be shoved through the house under pressure. We may be desirous of getting away from here by a certain date, but the time to have begun to prepare for that was several weeks ago, not when we have a measure of this kind before us. We have an hour for adjourning, and I think we should adhere to it.

Section stands.

Progress reported.

## Business of the House BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

Mr. Fournier (Hull): I move that the house do now adjourn. Tomorrow we will continue with Bill No. 109. We will then take up Bill No. 293, to implement the international convention for the high seas fisheries of the north Pacific ocean; the resolution respecting the Emergency Gold Mining Assistance Act; the resolution respecting the measure to amend the Trans-Canada Air Lines Act, 1937; and also the resolution to amend the Fisheries Research Board Act. There is also the resolution to amend the National Housing Act, 1944, and the resolution to amend the National Defence Act. I think that will take the day.

Motion agreed to and the house adjourned at  $6.05\ \mathrm{p.m.}$