

"He will be a great loss to us, but also a great inspiration to us in the future."

Hon. Léon Méthot: Honourable senators, do you not think we have gone a little too far? We can laugh once in a while, but here is something that is certainly serious. Where is the authority in Canada? Who has that authority? Which authority is responsible to the people? Is it the Governor of the Bank of Canada or the Prime Minister? I think it is the Prime Minister and the other ministers of the Government who are responsible to the country. An honourable senator has been talking about the Rebellion of 1837; others have been talking about civil servants and asking if Mr. Coyne is a civil servant or not. What is he? Is he superior to the Government? Is he in charge of things in such a way that he is not responsible to the people? That is the question. I still think that the Government in power, the Prime Minister and the other ministers, who are sworn, are in charge of the business of this country. They are responsible to the people and this man, who may not be their servant, is certainly obliged to act according to the wishes of the Government. They have the right to ask him to resign.

Hon. Mr. Bruni: Question!

The Hon. the Speaker: Honourable senators, it is moved by the Honourable Senator Hugessen, seconded by the Honourable Senator Macdonald (Brantford), that this report be now adopted. Is it your pleasure to adopt the motion?

Those in favour of the motion will please say "Content".

Some Hon. Senators: Content.

The Hon. the Speaker: Those against the motion will please say "Non-content".

Some Hon. Senators: Non-content.

The Hon. the Speaker: In my opinion, the Non-contents have it.

Some Hon. Senators: Let us have a recorded vote.

The Hon. the Speaker: Call in the senators.

The Hon. the Speaker: It is moved by the Honourable Senator Hugessen, seconded by the Honourable Senator Macdonald, P.C., that this report be now adopted. Is it your pleasure to adopt the report?

Hon. Mr. Brunt: May we have the report read, so that there will be no misunderstanding?

The Hon. the Speaker: I am reading a copy of the report of the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, dated July 13, 1961:

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (C-114) intituled: "An Act respecting the Bank of Canada", have in obedience to the order of reference of July 8, 1961, examined the said bill and now report as follows:

Your committee recommends that this bill should not be further proceeded with and the committee finds that the Governor of the Bank of Canada did not misconduct himself in office.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. K. Hugessen,
Acting Chairman.

Is it your pleasure, honourable senators, to adopt this report?

Some Hon. Senators: Carried.

Some Hon. Senators: No.

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Hon. L. P. Beaubien: Honourable senators, I did not vote because I paired with the honourable senator from Banff (Hon. Mr. Cameron).

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Hon. Austin C. Taylor inquired of the Government, pursuant to notice: