On motion, it was-

Ordered, That the said Message be taken into consideration presently.

Accordingly, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of a proposed Resolution to approve of the Convention between Canada and the United States of America concerning rates of Income Tax imposed upon non-resident individuals and corporations, signed at Washington, December 30, 1936.

After debate, and-

On motion of the Honourable Senator Dandurand, seconded by the Right Honourable Senator Graham, it was—

Resolved,—That it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve of the Convention entered into at Washington on the thirtieth day of December, 1936, by the Government of Canada and the Government of the United States of America, concerning rates of income tax upon non-resident individuals and corporations, and that the Senate do approve of the same.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Dandurand, seconded by the Right Honourable Senator Graham, it was—

Ordered,—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate do approve of the Convention entered into at Washington on the thirtieth day of December, 1936, by the Government of Canada and the Government of the United States of America, concerning rates of income tax upon non-resident individuals and corporations.

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

THURSDAY, 25th March, 1937.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate informing their Honours that this House has adopted a Resolution approving of the provisions of the Convention between Canada and the United States of America for the protection, preservation and extension of the sockeye salmon fisheries in the Fraser River system, signed at Washington, May 26, 1930 (attached hereto), being administered upon the understandings set forth in said Resolution, and requesting that their Honours will unite with this House in the approval of the said Resolution.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE, Clerk of the Commons.

Resolved,—That, in connection with the exchange of ratifications of the Convention between Canada and the United States for the protection, preservation and extension of the sockeye salmon fisheries in the Fraser River system, signed at Washington on the 26th May, 1930, it is expedient that the Houses of Parliament do approve of a declaration being made on the part of Canada to the effect that the provisions of the Convention may be administered upon the following understandings:

(1) That the International Pacific Salmon Fisheries Commission shall have no power to authorize any type of fishing gear contrary to the laws of the State of Washington or the Dominion of Canada;

(2) That the Commission shall not promulgate or enforce regulations until the scientific investigations provided for in the convention have been made covering two cycles of Sockeye Salmon runs, or eight years; and