

Motions for Papers

reservation that the assent of the provinces is received and that the expression "other documents between the government of Canada and the government of Saskatchewan" shall not be interpreted to include documents that normally are regarded as privileged.

I would apply the same reservation to motions Nos. 109, 110 and 111 standing in the name of the hon. member.

Mr. Speaker: Subject to the reservations and conditions expressed by the Minister of National Health and Welfare is it the pleasure of the house that notices of motion Nos. 107, 109, 110 and 111 be adopted?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion agreed to.

UTILIZATION OF SASKATCHEWAN LIGNITE COAL

Motion No. 108—Mr. Douglas:

That an humble address be presented to His Excellency praying that he will cause to be laid before this house a copy of all correspondence and other documents between the government of Canada and the government of Saskatchewan since May 22, 1964 regarding a joint study of the utilization of Saskatchewan lignite coal.

Motion agreed to.

FEDERAL-PROVINCIAL CONFERENCE ON HEALTH SERVICES

Motion No. 109—Mr. Douglas:

That an humble address be presented to His Excellency praying that he will cause to be laid before this house a copy of all correspondence and other documents between the government of Canada and the government of Saskatchewan since June 1, 1964 regarding a federal-provincial conference on health services.

Motion agreed to.

CANADA PENSION PLAN—CORRESPONDENCE WITH SASKATCHEWAN

Motion No. 110—Mr. Douglas:

That an humble address be presented to His Excellency praying that he will cause to be laid before this house a copy of all correspondence and other documents between the government of Canada and the government of Saskatchewan since May 22, 1964 regarding the Canada Pension Plan.

Motion agreed to.

IMPLEMENTATION OF REPORT OF COM- MISSION ON HEALTH SERVICES

Motion No. 111—Mr. Douglas:

That an humble address be presented to His Excellency praying that he will cause to be laid before this house a copy of all correspondence and other documents between the government of Canada and the government of Saskatchewan concerning implementation of the recommendations of the

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royal commission on health services, or any steps preliminary thereto, since May 22, 1964.

Motion agreed to.

APPLICATION OF TAX REGULATIONS TO POTASH MINES

Motion No. 112—Mr. Douglas:

That an humble address be presented to His Excellency praying that he will cause to be laid before this house a copy of all correspondence and other documents between the Minister of Finance and the premier of Saskatchewan concerning a request by the government of Saskatchewan for changes in the application of tax regulations as they affect potash mines using the solution method of mining.

Hon. Mitchell Sharp (Minister of Finance):

Mr. Speaker, notice of motion No. 112 is acceptable with the same reservations that have been expressed concerning the consent of the premier of Saskatchewan.

Mr. Speaker: Subject to the reservations and conditions expressed by the Minister of Finance is it the pleasure of the house that notice of motion No. 112 be adopted?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Motion agreed to.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE

GEORGES MARCOTTE—PRESS REPORT OF INTERVIEW

On the orders of the day:

Right Hon. J. G. Diefenbaker (Leader of the Opposition): Mr. Speaker, some time ago I directed a question to the Solicitor General with regard to a convicted murderer, Georges Marcotte, who gave a lengthy interview in the prison, and also evidence in respect of his artistic ability was made available to the press. The question was, under what circumstances was permission given to him. Is the Solicitor General now in a position to give the information.

Hon. L. T. Pennell (Solicitor General): Mr. Speaker, I thank the right hon. gentleman for giving me notice of his intention to ask this question. I should say that this matter arose as a result of a visit by Mrs. K. H. Lines and Mr. Grant Johnston. Mrs. Lines is president of the Creative Awards Association. This association was founded to promote creative talents among prison inmates in the fields of art, music and literature. As president of this association, Mrs. Lines was a welcome visitor to the federal institutions in the Montreal area.