

By unanimous consent, Mr. Turner (Ottawa-Carleton), a Member of the Queen's Privy Council, laid upon the Table,—Copies of proposed amendments to Bill C-49, An Act to amend the statute law relating to income tax. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 301-7/10.

[At 5.00 o'clock p.m., Private Members' Business was called pursuant to Standing Order 15(4)]

(Notices of Motions)

Mr. Johnston, seconded by Mr. Paproski, moved,—That, in the opinion of this House, the government should investigate the severe shortage of lids and jars used in home canning of fruits and vegetables and should investigate measures to ensure that a sufficient supply will be available to the Canadian market next year.—(Notice of Motion No. 25).

And debate arising thereon;

The hour for Private Members' Business expired.

Debate was resumed on the motion of Mr. Turner (Ottawa-Carleton), seconded by Mr. Sharp,—That Bill C-49, An Act to amend the statute law relating to income tax, be now read a second time and referred to a Committee of the Whole.

And on the motion of Mr. Lawrence, seconded by Mr. Baker (Grenville-Carleton), in amendment thereto,—That all the words after "That" be struck out and the following substituted therefor:

"this House declines to give second reading to Bill C-49, An Act to amend the statute law relating to income tax, because it fails to provide for a further 5% reduction in personal income tax in the 1975 and subsequent taxation years despite unprecedented government revenues and the resulting overtaxation by the Government."

And debate continuing;

(Proceedings on Adjournment Motion)

At 10.00 o'clock p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 40(1);

After debate the question was deemed to have been adopted.

Changes in Committee Membership

Notice having been filed with the Clerk of the House pursuant to Standing Order 65(4)(b), membership of Committees was amended as follows:

Mr. Gillies for Mr. Ritchie on the Standing Committee on National Resources and Public Works.

Mr. Fleming for Mr. Watson on the Standing Committee on Transport and Communications.

Returns and Reports Deposited with the Clerk of the House

The following papers having been deposited with the Clerk of the House were laid upon the Table pursuant to Standing Order 41(1), namely:

By Mr. Allmand, a Member of the Queen's Privy Council,—Report relating to warrants issued under the Official Secrets Act for the period July 1, 1974 to December 31, 1974, pursuant to section 16(5) of the Act, as amended by Chapter 50, Statutes of Canada, 1973-74. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 301-1/126.

By Mr. Allmand,—Report relating to authorizations and interceptions under the Criminal Code for the period July 1, 1974 to December 31, 1974, pursuant to section 178.22 of the Code, as amended by Chapter 50, Statutes of Canada, 1973-74. (English and French).—Sessional Paper No. 301-1/127.

At 10.21 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned until tomorrow at 2.00 o'clock p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 2(1).