Business of the House

STANDING COMMITTEES

Right Hon. L. B. Pearson (Prime Minister) moved:

That a special committee be appointed to prepare and report, with all convenient speed, lists of members to compose the standing committees of this house; the said committee to be composed of Messrs. Knowles, Laprise, Leboe, MacEachen, Pilon, Rapp and Starr.

Motion agreed to.

HOUSE OF COMMONS

APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES OF THE WHOLE

Right Hon. L. B. Pearson (Prime Minister) moved:

That Maurice Rinfret, Esquire, member for the electoral district of Saint-Jacques, be appointed deputy chairman of committees of the whole house.

Motion agreed to.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER CHANGES IN PROCEDURE

Right Hon. L. B. Pearson (Prime Minister) moved:

That a special committee consisting of Messrs. Asselin (Richmond-Wolfe), Baldwin, Brand, Caouette, Faulkner, Knowles, MacEachen, Nugent, Olson,

Richard and Stewart, be appointed to consider and, from time to time, to report upon the advisability of making permanent, with or without amendment, any or all the several changes in the procedure of this house as adopted for the second session of the twenty-seventh parliament on April 26, 1967, and, in particular, to consider ways and means for giving to the opposition during the second session of the twenty-seventh parliament an opportunity to select the order in which departmental esimates will be discussed, and such other changes as the committee may deem suitable to promote the more expeditious dispatch of the business of the house.

Motion agreed to.

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

Mr. Speaker: It is my understanding that there is a wish to have the order made earlier this day, that the address of His Excellency the Governor General be considered later this day, amended so that the address may be considered tomorrow.

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

On motion of Mr. Pearson the house adjourned at 6.10 p.m.