

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

(Notices of Motions)

Mr. Forrestall, seconded by Mr. Bell, moved,—That, in the opinion of this House, the government should consider the advisability of taking immediate steps in consultation with the proper provincial authorities to bring to a conclusion within the next twelve months, the feasibility study of Minas Basin Tidal Power and on the basis of the study make a decision to proceed, or otherwise, within six months of receiving the study.—(Notice of Motion No. 28).

And debate arising thereon;

The hour for Private Members' Business expired.

Bill C-173, An Act respecting the organization of the Government of Canada and matters relating or incidental thereto, was again considered in Committee of the Whole and progress having been made and reported, the Committee obtained leave to consider it again later this day.

By unanimous consent, it was ordered,—That all questions necessary to pass Bill C-173, An Act respecting the organization of the Government of Canada and matters relating or incidental thereto, shall be disposed of not later than 11.00 o'clock p.m. this day.

The House resumed consideration in Committee of the Whole of Bill C-173, An Act respecting the organization of the Government of Canada and matters relating or incidental thereto, which was reported with amendments.

On motion of Mr. Macdonald (Rosedale), seconded by Mr. Drury, the said bill, as amended, was concurred in.

Pursuant to Order made this day, Mr. Macdonald (Rosedale), seconded by Mr. Drury, moved,—That the said bill be now read a third time and do pass;

And the question being proposed;

Mr. Gilbert, seconded by Mr. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre), moved,—That Bill C-173, be not now read a third time, but that it be referred back to the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of amending it to provide for a Department of Housing and Urban Affairs.

Mr. Acting Speaker, using citation 418, Beauchesne's Fourth Edition, ruled the amendment out of order in that; "... All amendments which may be moved on a second reading of a bill may be moved on the third reading with the restriction that they cannot deal with any matter which is not contained in the bill".

And the question being put on the main motion, it was agreed to.

Accordingly, the said bill was read a third time and passed.