

*Motions for Papers*

Cleaver	Lapalme
Cloutier	Lapointe
Coté (St. Johns-Iber-ville-Napierville)	Leger
Croll	Little
Cruikshank	McCann
Dechene	McCubbin
Denis	McCulloch (Pictou)
Dion (Lake St. John-Roberval)	McGarry
Dionne (Beauce)	McLraith
Dorion	Melvor
Douglas	Mackenzie
Dubois	MacKinnon
Emmerson	MacLean
Eudes	MacNaught
Farquhar	Maloney
Fournier (Hull)	Marquis
Fournier (Maison-neuve-Rosemont)	Martin
Gagnon	Matthews (Brandon)
Gardiner	Mayhew
Gauthier (Portneuf)	Mitchell
Gibson (Hamilton West)	Mullins
Gladstone	Mutch
Glen	Nixon
Golding	Rinfret
Gour (Russell)	Ross (Hamilton East)
Gourd (Chapleau)	St. Laurent
Grant	Sinclair (Ontario)
Hallé	Sinclair (Vancouver North)
Harris (Grey-Bruce)	Sinnott
Healy	Smith (York North)
Howe	Stuart (Charlotte)
Ilsley	Tremblay
Isnor	Tucker
Jutras	Warren
King, Mackenzie	Weir
Kirk	Winkler
Lacombe	Winters—97.
Lafontaine	
Lalonde	
Langlois	

Mr. COTE (Verdun): I was paired with the hon. member for St. John-Albert (Mr. Hazen). Had I voted, I would have voted against the motion.

Mr. ABBOTT: I was paired with hon. member for Stanstead (Mr. Hackett). Had I voted, I would have voted against the motion.

Mr. GINGUES: I was paired with the hon. member for Yukon (Mr. Black). Had I voted, I would have voted against the motion.

Mr. WHITMAN: I was paired with the hon. member for Calgary East (Mr. Harkness). Had I voted, I would have voted against the motion.

Mr. PINARD: I was paired with the hon. members for Hastings South (Mr. Stokes). Had I voted, I would have voted against the motion.

Mr. MICHAUD: I was paired with the hon. member for Simcoe North (Mr. Ferguson). Had I voted, I would have voted against the motion.

[Mr. Coldwell.]

Mr. MacNICOL: I was paired with the hon. member for Nipissing (Mr. Gauthier). Had I voted, I would have voted for the motion.

Mr. CASSELMAN: I was paired with the hon. member for Stormont (Mr. Chevrier), the Minister of Transport. Had I voted, I would have voted for the motion.

Mr. BLACK (Cumberland): I was paired with the hon. the junior member for Halifax (Mr. Macdonald). Had I voted, I would have voted for the motion.

Mr. BOUCHER: I was paired with the hon. member for Ottawa East (Mr. Richard). Had I voted, I would have voted for the motion.

Mr. BRADSHAW: I was paired with the hon. member for Jacques Cartier (Mr. Marier). Had I voted, I would have voted for the motion.

## EDUCATION

### EQUALIZING OF OPPORTUNITY—FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO PROVINCES

Mr. F. S. ZAPLITNY (Dauphin) moved:

That, in the opinion of this house, the government should take into consideration ways and means of equalizing educational opportunity across this dominion and granting financial assistance to the various provinces for this purpose.

He said: Mr. Speaker, in rising to move this resolution I am doing something with which I am sure a great many members of this house agree. Since this resolution first appeared on the order paper some time ago, a large number of hon. members as well as others outside the house have expressed interest in it. I hope therefore that what I have to say and what other hon. members may have to say on the resolution will be carefully considered by the government with a view to doing something about it when the debate is ended.

I should like to present a few reasons why I consider the matter of education and the question of federal aid to education to be among the most vital issues before us to-day.

Education is practically synonymous with civilization. If we read history we realize that in some ways education must be considered older than civilization itself, because had it not been for education, whether in an organized or in an incidental form, no civilization would have been possible.

I ask the house to give consideration to the fact that education is in the modern world one of the chief sources of power. We talk about natural sources of power, about solar and