Industrial Relations

INCOME TAX ACT

AMENDMENTS RESPECTING ASSESSMENTS, BOOKS AND RECORDS, ETC.

On the order:

Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of Mr. Fulton for the second reading of Bill No. 52, an act to amend the Income Tax Act.

Mr. Fulton: Stand.

Mr. Speaker: Is there unanimous consent for this debate to be allowed to stand?

An hon. Member: No.

Mr. Speaker: If not, hon. members could rise and speak to the motion. Do I take it that it is agreed?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Mr. Speaker: Stand.

CIVIL SERVICE ACT

AMENDMENT TO GIVE PREFERENCE TO BILINGUAL CANDIDATES

On the order:

Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of Mr. Girard for the second reading of Bill No. 159, an act to amend the Civil Service Act.

Mr. Speaker: I was informed that the hon. member for Lapointe would be unavoidably absent and he has requested that I ask for unanimous consent in order to allow this debate to stand. Is it agreed?

Some hon. Members: Agreed. Mr. Speaker: Stand.

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

PROVISION OF ANNUAL HOLIDAYS WITH PAY FOR EMPLOYEES

On the order:

Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of Mr. Knowles for the second reading of Bill No. 211, an act to provide for annual holidays with pay for employees.

Mr. Stanley Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre): On a question of privilege, I would be happy to proceed with this bill but the Minister of Labour (Mr. Gregg) has the adjournment and I am prepared to leave it up to him.

Mr. Gregg: Stand.

Mr. Speaker: Is it agreed that this debate be allowed to stand?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Mr. Knowles: Until next time.

Mr. Speaker: Stand. Is it agreed that the other two be allowed to stand as well?

An hon. Member: Which ones?

Mr. Castleden: No.

FARMERS' CREDITORS ARRANGEMENT ACT

AMENDMENTS REMOVING LIMITATIONS RESPECTING DATE OF DEBT, ETC.

On the order:

Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of Mr. Castleden for the second reading of Bill No. 350, an act to amend the Farmers' Creditors Arrangement Act.

Mr. G. H. Castleden (Yorkton): Mr. Speaker, I too should like to have the debate on second reading of this bill continued. However, I believe the debate was adjourned by the Minister of Justice (Mr. Garson). I understand that the Farmers' Creditors Arrangement Act is administered by the Minister of Finance (Mr. Harris). If he would care to carry on, I should very much like to see the debate continue and the bill given second reading, if possible.

Mr. Harris: On a point of order, I would be glad to do that but, frankly, the Minister of Justice had the carriage of the matter in the house and, as the hon. member knows, the Minister of Justice is in the hospital at the moment. I will not hold up the hon. member and if by the next time the bill is called the Minister of Justice is not available I will be prepared to speak.

Mr. Speaker: Is it agreed that the debate be allowed to stand?

Some hon. Members: Agreed.

Mr. Speaker: Stand.

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER 152, REVISED STATUTES OF 1952—VOLUNTARY REVOCABLE CHECK-OFF OF UNION DUES

The house resumed, from Tuesday, May 29, consideration of the motion of Mr. Knowles for the second reading of Bill No. 5, to amend the Industrial Relations and Disputes Investigation Act (voluntary revocable check-off).

Mr. Stanley Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre): Mr. Speaker, I am hesitating only because I wonder whether the hon. member for Burin-Burgeo (Mr. Carter) wishes to continue his speech or whether I may speak now and close the debate.

Mr. Speaker: Is the hon. member for Burin-Burgeo continuing his speech?

Mr. C. W. Carter (Burin-Burgeo): I move that the debate be adjourned, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker: That is really not speaking to the motion very long, but nevertheless—

Mr. Knowles: He might have said a sentence or two before he did that.