

Hon. Mr. DANDURAND: According to tradition, that would mean that the Deputy Governor General would be here within an hour. The Supply Bill is always the last Bill. I suppose there are supplementary estimates that are not included in this Bill.

Right Hon. Mr. MEIGHEN: I do not think so. This is just an illustration of the grand result of time, as well as of the change of government.

Right Hon. Mr. GRAHAM: Wait until you see the supplementaries.

The Bill was read the first time.

CANADA-FRANCE CONVENTION BILL FIRST READING

Bill 108, an Act respecting a certain Convention between Canada and France concerning the Rights of Nationals and Commercial and Shipping Matters.—Right Hon. Mr. Meighen.

CRIMINAL CODE BILL

COMMONS DISAGREEMENT WITH SENATE AMENDMENT

The Hon. the SPEAKER: A message has been received from the House of Commons, which reads as follows:

Resolved that a message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House disagrees with their amendment to Bill 71, an Act to amend the Criminal Code, for the reason that the deletion of subsection 3 of section 3 of the Bill makes the said section ineffective.

When shall this message be taken into consideration?

Right Hon. Mr. MEIGHEN: To-morrow. I may intimate to the House that I intend to move another amendment by way of proviso to subsection 2, which immediately precedes the subsection deleted by the Senate. If that other amendment is adopted, I shall then move that we do not insist on the deletion of subsection 3. I am confident that the proviso at the end of subsection 2 will meet the objection which the honourable gentleman opposite (Hon. Mr. Dandurand) made to subsection 3 at the last sitting—an objection that I thought was perfectly valid.

Hon. Mr. DANDURAND: That would mean what?

Right Hon. Mr. MEIGHEN: That we do not insist on our amendment.

Hon. Mr. DANDURAND: And we submit another one?

Right Hon. Mr. MEIGHEN: Submit another one.

The Senate adjourned until to-morrow at 3 p.m.

Right Hon. Mr. MEIGHEN.

THE SENATE

Wednesday, May 17, 1933.

The Senate met at 3 p.m., the Speaker in the Chair.

Prayers and routine proceedings.

RADIO BROADCASTING BILL

FIRST READING

Bill 99, an Act to amend the Canadian Radio Broadcasting Act, 1932.—Right Hon. Mr. Meighen.

TARIFF BOARD BILL

FIRST READING

Bill 100, an Act to amend the Tariff Board Act.—Right Hon. Mr. Meighen.

PRIVATE BILL

FIRST READING

Bill 102, an Act respecting a certain patent of Genter Thickener Company.—Hon. Mr. Horsey.

SECOND READING

Hon. Mr. HORSEY moved the second reading of the Bill.

He said: Honourable members, this Bill merely provides for the revival of a patent which expired through the inadvertent omission to pay the renewal fees when they became due. Many bills of this kind have been passed here before. The matter is purely a technical one.

The motion was agreed to, and the Bill was read the second time.

SUSPENSION OF RULE

Hon. Mr. HORSEY: Honourable members, I move that rule 119 of the Senate be suspended, in so far as it relates to Bill 102. This rule requires one week's notice of the sitting of a committee on a Private Bill, and we are desirous of having the present Bill considered in committee to-morrow morning.

The motion was agreed to.

INCOME WAR TAX BILL

THIRD READING

Bill 96, an Act to amend the Income War Tax Act.—Right Hon. Mr. Meighen.

PENSION BILL

THIRD READING

Right Hon. Mr. MEIGHEN moved the third reading of Bill 78, an Act to amend the Pension Act.