

Pursuant to Special Order made this day, the Bill No. S-10, An Act to amend the Loan Companies Act, was considered in Committee of the Whole, reported without amendment, read the third time and passed.

Pursuant to Special Order made this day, the Bill No. S-11, An Act to amend the Trust Companies Act, was considered in Committee of the Whole, reported without amendment, read the third time and passed.

The Order being read for the second reading of Bill No. C-39, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act;

Mr. Fleming (Eglinton), seconded by Mrs. Fairclough, moved,—That the said Bill be now read a second time.

And a debate arising thereon;

Mr. Deschatelets, seconded by Mr. Crestohl, moved in amendment thereto,—That this bill be not read a second time until further consideration is given to the possibility of making the tax free gift from husband to wife effective in the Province of Quebec to the same extent as in the rest of Canada.

And the Members having been called in preparatory to a recording of the "yeas" and "nays" on the said proposed amendment;

STATEMENT BY MR. SPEAKER

MR. SPEAKER: Before reading the proposed amendment, may I say that after looking it over I have some doubts as to its propriety. However, as it has reached this point, I certainly do not intend to make any ruling. I simply wish to leave this caveat on the record in case this incident is cited to me some time later as a precedent.

And the question being put on the said proposed amendment, it was negatived on the following division:

YEAS

MESSRS:

Argue,	Carter,	Granger,	McWilliam,
Badanai,	Chevrier,	Habel,	Martin (Timmins),
Batten,	Crestohl,	Hardie,	Meunier,
Benidickson,	Denis,	Herridge,	Peters,
Boivin,	Deschatelets,	Houck,	Pickersgill,
Bourget,	Dumas,	Leduc,	Ratelle,
Bourque,	Fisher,	Lessard,	Regier,
Brassard	Forgie,	Loiselle,	Roberge,
(Lapointe),	Garland,	Macnaughton,	Robichaud,
Cardin,	Godin,	McIlraith,	Tucker,
Caron,	Gour,	McMillan,	Winch—43.

NAYS

MESSRS:

Aitken (Miss),	Beech,	Bissonnette,	Browne (St. John's
Allard,	Bell (Carleton),	Bourbonnais,	West),
Balcer,	Bell (Saint John-	Bourdages,	Browne (Vancouver-
Barrington,	Albert),	Brooks,	Kingsway),
Baskin,	Belzile,	Broome,	Brunsdan,