

The Honourable Sir James Lougheed presented to the Senate the Bill (H) intituled: "An Act to amend the Canada Evidence Act."

The said Bill was read the first time, and

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday next.

The Honourable Sir James Lougheed presented to the Senate the Bill (I) intituled: "An Act to amend The Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act."

The said Bill was read the first time, and

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Monday next.

The Honourable Mr. McLennan called the attention of the Senate to the desirability of betterment in the machinery of Government.

And inquired if the Government is taking action to this end.

After the debate, on motion of Honourable Mr. Girroir, it was

Ordered, That further debate on the said Inquiry be adjourned to Monday next.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. David it was

Ordered, That an Order of the Senate do issue for a statement showing the cost of enforcing of the National Service Act, of the Military Service Act, and of the Order in Council establishing the Canada Registration Board.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. David, it was

Ordered, That an Order of the Senate do issue showing the number of Canadian officers and soldiers who left Canada since the beginning of the war, the time of their residence in England and France, the cost of their maintenance in those countries, the number of those who never went to the front, and the names of such off. rs.

On motion of the Honourable Mr. Tanner, it was

Ordered, That an Order of the Senate do issue for a return showing:—

1. The names of men who served as members of Canadian Expeditionary Forces at a battle front overseas, and who are now doing military or naval duty (a) in Ottawa; (b) in Military District No. 6, or (c) who are attached to the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment at Ottawa, and Committee of Repatriation.

2. The unit with which each person served at the battle front.

3. His place of domicile in Canada.

4. His rank while serving overseas.

5. Whether wounded or not.

6. His present position, duty, rank and pay.

7. Similar information in regard to men who served as members of Canadian Expeditionary Forces in England, but not elsewhere overseas.

8. The total number of men in military service or otherwise employed:—

(a) In Ottawa under the Department of Militia and Defence; (b) In Military District No. 6; (c) In Ottawa under the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, and Committee of Repatriation.

9. The number respectively of the men referred to in paragraph 8 (a), (b) and (c) who were or are members of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces.

10. The number respectively of the men referred to in paragraph 8 (a), (b) and (c) who were (1) officers (commissioned or provisional); (2) other ranks of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces.

11. The number respectively of the persons referred to in paragraph 8 (a), (b) and (c) whose military service since beginning of the war of 1914 has been (1) in Canada; (2) in England; (3) at one of the battle fronts.