

Economy and Contingent Accounts have power, without special reference from the House, to consider any matter affecting the Internal Economy of the Senate, as to which His Honour the Speaker is not called upon to act by *The Civil Service Amendment Act, 1908*, and such Committee shall report the result of such consideration to the House for action.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Clerks at the Table, to inform that House that His Honour the Speaker, the Honourable Messieurs Landry, Taylor (Leeds), Thompson and Watson, have been appointed a Committee to assist His Honour the Speaker in the direction of the Restaurant of Parliament, so far as the interests of the Senate are concerned, and to act on behalf of the Senate as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the said Restaurant.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Clerks at the Table, to inform that House that the Honourable Messieurs Crosby, Dennis, Dessaulles, De Veber, Domville, Donnelly, Farrell, Forget, Legris, McCall, McLean, Pope, Prince, Ratz, Robertson, P.C., Sharpe, Talbot, Taylor (Leeds), Thibaudeau, Todd and White, have been appointed a Committee to superintend the printing of the Senate during the present Session, and to act on behalf of the Senate as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Clerks at the Table, to inform that House that His Honour the Speaker, the Honourable Messieurs Bostock, Boyer, Dennis, Douglas, Godbout, Gordon, Laird, Landry, McHugh, McLennan, Poirier, Power, P.C., Taylor (New Westminster), Turriff and Webster, have been appointed a Committee to assist His Honour the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of the Senate are concerned, and to act on behalf of the Senate as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the said Library.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B), "An Act respecting the Pollution of Navigable Waters," was read the second time, and

Referred to the Standing Committee on Public Health and Inspection of Foods.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A), "An Act to consolidate and amend the Railway Act," was read the second time, and

With leave of the Senate, it was

Ordered, That Rules 24a and b, and 63 be suspended in respect to the said Bill.

On motion, it was ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was adjourned during pleasure and put into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (A), "An Act to consolidate and amend the Railway Act."

*(In the Committee.)*

Title read and postponed.

Clauses 1 to 79, both inclusive, were severally read and agreed to.

Clause 80 was read and amended as follows:—

Page 31, Line 21.—For subsection (2) thereof substitute the following:

"(2) This section shall not apply to transfers effected by means of scrip certificate commonly in use, endorsed in blank, and transferable by delivery when issued by companies whose capital stock is listed and dealt with on any recognized stock exchange. Transfers of shares by means of such scrip certificates shall constitute valid transfers, but the scrip holder shall not be entitled to vote upon the shares so transferred until they are registered in his name in the books of the company".